

EVIDENCE

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● (11.08 a.m.)

The CHAIRMAN: I see a quorum. The last day we met, Mr. Fulton asked some questions of the officials and they said that they would table the answers today. You have written answers to the questions; is that it? These answers will be tabled now. These will be included in the proceedings.

Then there is an answer also from Mr. Pack to questions that Mr. Hales was asking toward the end of proceedings last day.

There are also some maps here which were requested by Mr. Fulton, which I presume he will certainly want to see, and any other member of the Committee who wants to consult these maps may do so.

The distribution section has complained to us that 250 copies of French proceedings are insufficient and therefore, they request a motion that the Committee increase the printing of its Minutes of Proceedings and Evidence in French from 250 to 300 copies. Mr. Andras moves, Mr. O'Keefe seconds that motion. Are you ready for the question?

Motion agreed to.

I might say two things at the outset. The transcribing people would like to remind us that when we speak to speak clearly and distinctly—surely this is something we do not have to tell politicians into the microphone and to identify yourselves at the time you are speaking.

I might also say that it seems that in other Committees they have adopted the procedure of having a round of questions and that the committee was usually restricted to supplementaries that were really on the point. I have noticed, although it has not been much of a problem in this Committee, from time to time that certain members have indicated that they wanted to ask a question, but that another member on a supplementary really opens up another area of questioning, and it might be some time before this member who had earlier indicated his desire to speak gets around to speaking. So that I think for the orderly development of business in the Committee that, as you indicate your desire to ask questions, I will make a note here and call upon you in your turn. If there are any supplementaries the Chair will ask you that they be supplementaries strictly on the point, so as not to interfere with the rights of other members who have had their names in for some time. I think that that is the procedure generally adopted in other committees on these supplementaries.

The last day I believe we had completed the statement by Dr. Harrison; is that correct? Therefore, we have five votes generally dealing in the area of water, and it seemed to me that, as it was the wish of the Committee, the most