

Mr. MACNICOL: All I can say is that the delegation presented a very excellent case for themselves.

Mr. NEILL: Mr. Chairman, I have not had the time to read more than two or three pages of this brief, and I suppose the same applies to other members. However, I see in it several attempts which absolutely are not in accordance with the facts. There are a number of other statements and I suggest that we be allowed to examine these statements after we have had time to digest them. In the meantime I would like to ask this gentleman for some information, whichever one is the spokesman.

Q. How many Japanese graduated from the British Columbia University last year.

Dr. BANNO: I think there were about 5 or 6.

Q. In the last 15 years how many marriages have there been between whites and Japanese?

Dr. BANNO: I am not personally acquainted with any.

Q. Here is another question I would like to ask. I think it was the gentleman who said he was a professor—and if I understood him wrongly I do not wish to do him any injustice—who stated that this brief was got up by these young people?

Professor HAYAKAWA: Not the brief, sir; the survey.

Q. Not the brief?

Professor HAYAKAWA: No.

Q. Who was the brief got up by?

Professor HAYAKAWA: The author is shown right there—T. G. Norris, K.C.

The CHAIRMAN: I might explain that I have a letter from T. G. Norris, K.C., of Vancouver, introducing this delegation and stating that he had prepared the brief.

Mr. HEAPS: Not the ones that were read by the delegation?

The CHAIRMAN: No, no; the brief that has been distributed.

*By Mr. Neill:*

Q. I would like to ask this gentleman another question. It is ascertained, is it not, that this restriction against being a druggist or a lawyer is entirely concerned with their local guilds and has nothing to do with the Dominion of Canada?

Professor HAYAKAWA: No.

Q. I understand him to convey the impression that a white man going to Japan could by five years' residence obtain the right to vote with the same ease that a Japanese can get naturalized here, is that correct?

Professor HAYAKAWA: I do not know if the exact details of the process of naturalization are the same.

Q. You said a man with five years' residence could get naturalized in Japan?

Mr. CAMERON: It is set out in the brief.

*By Mr. Neill:*

Q. And that is true?

Professor HAYAKAWA: Yes.

The CHAIRMAN: I think you will find certain restrictions concerning that in the brief.

Mr. NEILL: I think you will find a good many restrictions. These men who have given evidence to-day are all highly educated, far more educated than I am; they have all been at college and attained degrees. They are highly educated and intelligent, and they know what they are talking about. Does it