

Q. Then would they have any standing in your Department with their applications?—A. Subject to legal opinion on that matter I would consider they would not have any.

Q. I beg your pardon?—A. Subject to legal opinion on that matter I would not think they would have much.

Q. If they failed to comply with your request to live up to the regulations their application would be of no value, in your opinion?—A. I would not think so.

*By Sir Eugène Fiset:*

Q. Was there any time limit set aside within which they must comply with the conditions mentioned in that letter?—A. Not at all.

Q. So they could comply with them at any time?—(No answer.)

*By Mr. Stewart:*

Q. They are working on their own ground now, are they not?—A. Yes.

Mr. JACOBS: We are simply going into the question all over again. We discussed that for days here.

The CHAIRMAN: General Stewart has not taken up much of the time of the committee.

Mr. JACOBS: No, he has not. I think we should move a vote of thanks to the General for that reason.

Mr. STEWART: There are other questions I would like to ask.

The CHAIRMAN: I will endeavour, gentlemen, to let you know if we intend to hold another public hearing. I doubt that we will, but if we do I will endeavour to let all interested parties know through the clerk of the committee.

Adjourned to the call of the Chair.