

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

HOUSE OF COMMONS,

FRIDAY, November 26, 1909.

The committee met at 11.40 o'clock, a.m.

PRESENT:—Messrs. Blondin, Burrell, Chisholm (Antigonish), Congdon, Herron, Stratton and Turriff.

On motion of Mr. Chisholm, Mr. Conmee was elected chairman.

The committee then adjourned to the call of the chair.

JAMES CONMEE,

Chairman.

WEDNESDAY, January 19, 1910.

The committee met at 11.15 o'clock, a.m.

PRESENT:—Messrs. Conmee (chairman), Burrell, Chisholm (Antigonish), Congdon, Herron, Loggie, Macdonald, Rhodes and Smith (Nanaimo).

Mr. Arthur Wilson, mining engineer, Toronto, who, at the request of the chairman, attended the meeting gave information relating to the nickel industry in Canada.

On motion of Mr. Macdonald it was

Ordered, That A. P. Turner, President of the Canadian Copper Company be summoned to attend the next meeting and give evidence, and that he be required to bring with him and produce all books, papers, &c., relating to the business of the said company.

The committee then adjourned to the call of the chair.

JAMES CONMEE,

Chairman.

WEDNESDAY, February 2, 1910.

The committee met at 10.30 o'clock, a.m.

PRESENT:—Messrs. Conmee (chairman), Congdon, Douglas, Goodeve, Gordon (Nipissing), Herron, Macdonald, Smith (Nanaimo), Smyth, Stratton and Templeman.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

The request made by Mr. Wallace Nesbitt, K.C., Toronto, to be given an opportunity to address the committee on matters relating to the operations of the Canadian Copper Company was granted.

Mr. A. P. Turner, President of the Canadian Copper Company, who was requested to attend the meeting was called and examined, and read a statement giving a history of experiments on the nickel industry of Canada.

Mr. E. Fred. Wood, First Vice President of the International Nickel Company, New York, and George M. Colvocoresses, Mining Engineer were also called and examined.

The committee then adjourned to the call of the chair.

JAMES CONMEE,

Chairman.