

# Probe Into East Kildonan School Strike Adjourns

After a record short session of 17 minutes and 30 seconds, the board of reference into the East Kildonan school strike adjourned, Wednesday, until May 14, when counsel's arguments will be heard. Only one witness, Miss Ida M. Cook, was called by her counsel, C. L. Drewry, to present rebuttal testimony.

C. K. Guild, K.C., chairman, in adjourning the inquiry, asked counsel to deal especially with five points:

First, since Miss Cook was both teacher and principal, what was the effect of that designation? Is it for a year's service or is it within the jurisdiction of the school board to transfer her either to another principalship or as a teacher?

Secondly, whether or not the events of February, 1937, were such as to entitle the board to discharge as to cause.

Thirdly, to stress to what extent under the statute the board was entitled to make an award in terms of the submissions.

Fourthly, what was the jurisdiction of the board as to costs, or what costs they might award as between parties or against either or both of them.

Lastly, in what way the award made by the board could be enforced.

Examined by Mr. Drewry, Miss Cook denies she had been informed of letters written, July 3, by the Polson staff to the East Kildonan school board. She had known nothing, also, she declared, of the school board's two resolutions following it.