

THE EXAMINER: Let him answer.

THE WITNESS: I do not know whether they were at that time.

BY MR. WHITELEY:

Q Do you know whether they had or not?

MR. SMITH: I object to that as leading.

THE EXAMINER: If you have any knowledge I will let you tell us.

THE WITNESS: I don't remember whether they made an application for the lands or not.

BY MR. WHITELEY:

Q When did you leave British Guiana? After the receipt of this telegram from Mr. Uihlein?

A On or about the 10th of January, 1935.

Q Were you the owner of any stock in the Republic Carbon Company?

A I owned a small block of common shares in the Republic Carbon Company.

Q Did you dispose of that stock?

A I sold my stock at the time that Mr. Uihlein sold the company.

Q To what interests did you dispose of that stock?

MR. SMITH: I object to that as incompetent and irrelevant.

THE EXAMINER: I don't see how it is competent.

MR. WHITELEY: Let the record show that the