

I can't rule on something I do not know anything about.

THE WITNESS: The purpose of my visit was to make

a formal application to the Department of Lands and Mines in British Columbia for the lease or purchase of by the Quebec Aluminum Company of the Christiesburg and/or certain other lands in the Colony, which were known or thought to contain bauxite.

Q What had been the purpose of your visit to London,

your prior visit to London?

A I went to London for the purpose of advising Dr. Landis who was then in London in regard to the acquisition of bauxite deposits in various parts of the world.

Q When did you leave London?

A The end of April, 1935.

Q Did you advise and consult with Dr. Landis upon that subject?

A I did.

Q Who instructed you to proceed to South America, after this visit to London?

A Why Dr. Landis instructed me in London to proceed to South America.

THE EXAMINER: Were you trying to line up

bauxite?

A We were trying to acquire bauxite for the Quebec Aluminum Company.