

## PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally presented:—

By the Honourable Mr. Haydon:—

Of Margaret Helen Strickland, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Louis Farquier Strickland.

Of Alfred Percival Selby, of Windsor, Ontario, mechanic; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Eliza Selby.

Of Harriet Elizabeth Couch, of Hamilton, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Fred Lorne Couch.

By the Honourable Mr. Blain:—

Of Harry Iven Jones, of Toronto, Ontario, labourer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Emma Jones.

Of Caroline Watters, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Thomas Maneely Watters.

By the Honourable Mr. Pardee:—

Of Alfred Augustus Jacques, of Sarnia, Ontario, stationary engineer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Florence Jacques.

By the Honourable Mr. Gordon:—

Of James Cowan and others, provisional directors of the Joliette and Northern Railway Company.

The following petitions were severally read and received:—

Of the Manitoba and North Western Railway Company of Canada; praying for an Act extending the time within which to commence and complete its undertaking.

Of Edward Foster Leopold Tavender and others of Calgary, Alberta; praying to be incorporated under the name of the British North America General Insurance Company, or in the alternative, The British Consolidated General Assurance Corporation.

The Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton) presented to the Senate a Bill (B), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jessie Louise Cowan."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventeenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 13th March, 1925.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their seventeenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the Petition of Harry Hambleton, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, garage manager, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Mamie Hambleton, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.