

Monday, 24th February, 1913.

PRAYERS.

The following Petition was brought up, and laid on the Table:—

By Mr. Macdonell,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the City of Toronto, Ontario.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the following Bills, to which they desire the concurrence of this House, viz.:—

Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Minnie Kate Clappison."

Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Geddes McDonald," and

Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frederick Frank Saunders."

And also, a Message communicating to this House the Evidence, &c., taken before the Standing Committee of the Senate on Divorce, to whom were referred the Petitions of Minnie Kate Clappison, George Geddes McDonald and Frederick Frank Saunders, respectively; praying for Bills of Divorce, and the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Oliver, seconded by Mr. Graham,

Ordered, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of Minnie Edna Brownell," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time at the next sitting of the House.

On motion of Mr. Oliver, seconded by Mr. Graham,

Ordered, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alfred Milton Durnan," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time at the next sitting of the House.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to the further consideration in Committee of the Whole of the following Bills, viz.:—

Bill to incorporate the Manitoba-Ontario Railway Company, and

Bill respecting a patent of the Honourable Ambrose D. Richard and others, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Blondin reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bills, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

He also reported, That the Committee had considered Bill to incorporate the Canadian Medical Protective Association, and had made Amendments thereunto.

And also, reported, That the Committee had considered the following Bills, viz.:—

Bill respecting patents of Frederick Jacob Newman and others, and

Bill to incorporate the Canadian Accountants Association, and had made further progress thereon, and directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, at its next sitting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.