

By the Honourable Mr. Foster:—

Of the Most Reverend Samuel P. Matheson (The General Synod of the Church of England in Canada).

By the Honourable Mr. Belcourt:—

Of Revd. Thos. P. Fay and others of Ottawa, Ontario.

The following Petitions were severally read and received:—

Of the Vancouver, Fraser Valley and Southern Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act empowering them to acquire railway and other systems.

Of the Dominion Express Company; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing the company to enter into certain contracts and to increase its capital stock.

The Honourable Mr. Proudfoot, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their Eighth Report:—

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

THE SENATE,

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 661,

FRIDAY, February 25, 1921.

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

In the matter of the Petition of George Elmor Glossop, of the city of Ottawa, in the province of Ontario, salesman; praying for the passing of an Act to annul his marriage with Sarah Ann (Sade) Glossop, of the city of Toronto, in the said province, and for such further and other relief as to The Senate may seem meet.

1. The Committee have, in obedience to the Rules of the Senate, examined the notice of application to Parliament, the petition, the evidence of publication of the notice, the evidence of the service on the Respondent of a copy of the notice, and all other papers referred with the petition.

2. The Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

3. The Committee have heard and inquired into the matters set forth in the petition and have taken evidence upon oath touching the right of the petitioner to the relief prayed for.

4. The Committee report herewith the testimony of the witnesses examined and all documents, papers and instruments referred to the Committee by the Senate or received in evidence by the Committee.

5. The committee recommends that a Bill be passed annulling the Petitioner's said marriage.

6. Herewith is submitted a draft, approved by the Committee, of a Bill to that effect.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. PROUDFOOT,

*Chairman.*

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Order Paper, for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Proudfoot, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their Ninth Report:—

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