

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, in the following words :—

HOUSE OF COMMONS,  
WEDNESDAY, 4th February, 1885.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate, informing their Honors that this House has appointed the Honorable Messieurs Blake, Caron and Laurier, and Messieurs Cameron (Huron), Colby, Daly, Davies, Desjardins, Fortin, Macmillan (Middlesex), Ouimet, Scriver, Tassé, Weldon, Wells and Wright, to assist His Honor the Speaker in the direction of the Library of Parliament, so far as the interests of this House are concerned, and to act as Members of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the Library.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest,

J. G. BOURINOT,  
*Clerk of the Commons.*

The Honorable Sir Alexander Campbell, Minister of Justice, presented to the House,—Copies of contracts for the Canadian Pacific Railway entered into since the last Session of Parliament.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table, and they are as follow :—

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 25*)

The Order of the Day being read for the reading of the Petition of Alice Elvira Evans, of the City of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario, praying for the passing of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Owen Norton Evans,

The Honorable Mr. Gowan presented to the House certain papers,—The Notice for Bill of Divorce and Return of Service.

The Notice and Return of Service were then read by the Clerk, as follow :—

Dominion of Canada, Province of Ontario, County of Grey. To wit:	}	In the matter of the application of Alice Elvira Evans, <i>née</i> Johnson, to the Parliament of Canada for a Bill of Divorce from her husband, Owen Norton Evans.
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I, Andrew Moag, of the Town of Owen Sound, in the County of Grey, Cabinet-maker, do solemnly declare :—

1. That I did on Wednesday, the fourth day of June, 1884, serve Owen Norton Evans, in the annexed Notice named, with a true duplicate of the said annexed Notice by delivering such duplicate to himself personally at the warehouse of Wilson Brothers, in the Town of Owen Sound aforesaid.

2. That I am and have been intimately acquainted with the said Owen Norton Evans for the past five years, and know that the person so served by me is the husband of Alice Elvira Evans, of the City of Toronto, Dressmaker, in the said annexed Notice named.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Act passed in the thirty-seventh year of Her Majesty's reign, intituled : " An Act for the Suppression of Voluntary and Extra-judicial Oaths."

Declared before me at Owen Sound, in the  
County of Grey, this 26th day of January, }  
A.D. 1885.

ANDREW MOAG.

JOHN CREASON,  
*Notary Public.*