## PRAYERS.

The following petitions were presented:-

By the Honourable Senator Blais:

Of The North American Baptist General Missionary Society, Inc., of the State of New York, U.S.A., the parent society of The General Missionary Society of the German Baptist Churches of North America, incorporated by chapter 88 of the statutes of Canada, 1922; praying for the passing of an Act changing the name of the latter society to "The North American Baptist General Missionary Society."

By the Honourable Senator Aylesworth:

Of Sophie Kohen, of Toronto, Ontario; praying that a Royal Commission be appointed to investigate alleged grievances; that certain public Acts be amended, and that a new trial in the courts be granted her.

By the Honourable Senator Robinson:

Of The New Brunswick Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing it to reduce its capital.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:-

Report of the Secretary of State for External Affairs for the year ended 31st December, 1943. (English and French.)

General Orders (The Canadian Army) from 4th February to 3rd December, 1943. (English.)

General Orders (The Canadian Army) from 4th February to 26th November, 1943. (French.)

Report of the Department of National Defence for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1943.

Report of the Department of Mines and Resources for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1943. (English and French.)

List of permits issued under the authority of Subsection 2 of Section 4, of the

Immigration Act for the calendar year 1943.

Report with regard to loans made during the calendar year 1943 out of the Revolving Fund established under Subsection 1 of Section 94 (b) of the Indian Act; and the amounts outstanding on principal and interest as at December 31, 1943.

List of the Indians enfranchised during the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1943, indicating the grant made to each Indian so enfranchised, as required by Section 113 of the Indian Act.

List of land sales, leases and permits cancelled during the period from 1st January to 31st December, 1943, as required by Subsection 5 of Section 64 of the Indian Act.

Copies of Orders in Council passed since the last Return to Parliament as required by Section 75 of the Dominion Lands Act.

Statement with respect to liquor permits issued during the period from 1st January to 31st December, 1943, as required by Section 93 of the Northwest Territories Act

Copies of regulations established by Orders in Council passed since the last Return to Parliament under the provisions of the Migratory Birds Convention Act.