The Honourable Mr. Tessier from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their Second Report.

Ordered, That it be received, and

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

THE SENATE,

COMMITTEE ROOM NO. 8,

FRIDAY, January 23, 1914.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders have the honour to present their Second Report.

Your Committee recommend that the time for presenting petitions for Private Bills which expires on Thursday, the fifth day of February next, be extended to Thursday, the fifth day of March next.

Also, That the time limited for presenting Private Bills which expires on Thursday, the twelfth day of February next, be extended to Thursday, the twelfth day of March next, and

Also, That the time limited for receiving reports from any Standing or Select Committee on a Private Bill which expires on Thursday, the twenty-sixth day of February next be extended to Thursday, the twenty-sixth day of March next.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JULES TESSIER,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Tessier, seconded by the Honourable Mr. Derbyshire, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Coffey, from the Standing Committee on Debates and Reporting, presented their First Report.

Ordered, That it be received, and

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

THE SENATE,

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,

FRIDAY, January 23, 1914.

The Standing Committee on Debates and Reporting have the honour to present their First Report as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to three (3) members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

THOS. COFFEY,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Coffey, seconded by the Honourable Mr. Gibson, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Derbyshire, from the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, presented their First Report.

Ordered, That it be received, and

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