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PRAYERS.

The Clerk of the House laid upon the Table the Eighteenth Report of the Clerk of Petitions stating that he had examined the following petition presented on the 28th instant, and finds that the time for receiving petitions for private bills having expired, it should not be received, viz:—

Of Sarto Desnoyers, of Montreal, Quebec, praying for the passing of an Act to declare his marriage with Gabrielle Arcand Desnoyers, of Montreal, Quebec, to be dissolved, and that he be divorced from her.—Mr. Bercovitch.

Mr. Ralston, a Member of the King's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of the House of March 26, 1941, for a Return showing:—

1. Was cow meat supplied in place of steer meat to Military District No. 11 during 1940?

2. If so, who was the contractor?

3. For how many weeks was this meat delivered to Military camps in British Columbia?

4. Was quality of meat supplied up to Department specifications?

Mr. Howe, a Member of the King's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of the House of March 26, 1941, for a Return showing:—

1. Did Munitions and Supply Department make a claim on any meat contractors during 1940 for supplying cow beef when other grades were specified?

2. If so, what amount of money was rebated during 1940 and during 1941?

3. Who were the contractors?

4. What military districts made claims?

The following Questions on the Order Paper were passed by the House as Orders for Returns, under subsection 4 of Standing Order 44, and Orders of the House were issued to the proper officers accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. MacInnis:—1. Were tenders called for the construction work at the airfield at Boundary Bay, British Columbia?

2. If not, how was the work done?