

THE SENATE OF CANADA

BILL A¹⁷.

An Act for the relief of James McMartin.

Preamble.

WHEREAS James McMartin, domiciled in Canada and residing at the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, refinery worker, has by his petition alleged that on the twentieth day of June, A.D. 1942, at the said city, he and Elsie Victoria Nash, who was then of the said city, a spinster, were married; and whereas by his petition he has prayed that, because of her adultery since then, their marriage be dissolved; and whereas the said marriage and adultery have been proved by evidence adduced and it is expedient that the prayer of his petition be granted: Therefore Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and House of Commons of Canada, enacts as follows:—

Marriage dissolved.

1. The said marriage between James McMartin and Elsie Victoria Nash, his wife, is hereby dissolved, and shall be henceforth null and void to all intents and purposes whatsoever.

Right to marry again.

2. The said James McMartin may at any time hereafter marry any woman whom he might lawfully marry if the said marriage with the said Elsie Victoria Nash had not been solemnized.