PRAYERS.

The following petition was presented:-

By the Honourable Senator Euler:

Of Gore District Mutual Fire Insurance Company; praying for the passing of an Act extending the classes of insurance for which it may make contracts.

The Honourable Senator Copp, from the Committee of Selection appointed to nominate Senators to serve on the several Standing Committees for the present Session, presented their first Report:—

The same was then read by the Clerk as follows:-

WEDNESDAY, 2nd February, 1944.

The Committee of Selection appointed to nominate Senators to serve on the several Standing Committees for the present Session, have the honour to report herewith the following list of Senators selected by them to serve on each of the following Standing Committees, namely:—

Joint Committee on the Library

The Honourable the Speaker, the Honourable Senators Aseltine, Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Beaubien (Montarville), Bench, Blais, Cantley, Chapais (Sir Thomas), David, Fallis, Gouin, Griesbach, Jones, Lambert, Logan, MacLennan and Wilson.—17.

Joint Committee on Printing

The Honourable Senators Beaubien (St. Jean Baptiste), Blais, Chapais (Sir Thomas), Davies, Dennis, Donnelly, Euler, Fallis, Foster, Green, Harmer, Lacasse, Macdonald (Cardigan), McDonald (Shediac), Moraud, Mullins, Pope, St. Père, Sinclair, Stevenson and White.—21.

Joint Committee on the Restaurant

The Honourable the Speaker, the Honourable Senators Beaubien (Montarville), Fallis, Haig, Hardy, Howard and Robinson.—7.

Standing Orders

The Honourable Senators Beaubien (St. Jean Baptiste), Buchanan, Duff, DuTremblay, Hayden, Jones, Macdonald (St. Peters), St. Père and White.—9.

Banking and Commerce

The Honourable Senators Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Ballantyne, Barnard, Beaubien (Montarville), Beauregard, Black, Buchanan, Copp, David, Donnelly, DuTremblay, Euler, Fallis, Farris, Foster, Gouin, Griesbach, Haig, Hardy, Hayden, Howard, Hugessen, King, Lambert, Léger, Macdonald (Cardigan), Marcotte, McGuire, McRae, Michener, Molloy, Moraud, Murdock, Paterson, Quinn, Raymond, Riley, Robinson, Sinclair, Tanner, White and Wilson.—42.

Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours

The Honourable Senators Ballantyne, Barnard, Beaubien (Montarville), Bench, Black, Blais, Bourque, Calder, Cantley, Copp, Dennis, Duff, Duffus, Fafard, Farris, Gouin, Green, Griesbach, Hardy, Harmer, Hayden, Horner,