

the proposed Bill, the evidence of publication and of the service of a copy of the said Notice on the person from whom the divorce is sought, and all other papers referred to Your Committee with the Petition of David Stock, of the City of Toronto, machinist; praying for the passing of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Mary Stock.

1. Your Committee find the said Notice, Petition and proposed Bill regular and sufficient.

2. Due proof has been made that the Rules of Your Honourable House have been complied with as to the publication of the said Notice and as to the service of a copy thereof upon the Respondent personally.

All which is respectfully submitted.

J. N. KIRCHHOFFER,
Acting Chairman.

The Honourable Mr. Aikins moved, seconded by the Honourable Mr. Merner, That the said Report be adopted.

Which being objected to,

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered, accordingly.

The Honourable Mr. Lougheed, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their Second Report.

Ordered, That it be received, and

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

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No. 28,
FRIDAY, 24th March, 1899.

The Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their Second Report as follows:—

Your Committee have examined the Petition of David Stock, of the City of Toronto, in the County of York, in the Province of Ontario, machinist, a Petitioner for a Bill of Divorce from his wife, Mary Stock, praying that the Senate would be pleased to remit the fees payable upon his application for the said Bill now pending, and that he may be permitted to proceed in *forma pauperis* to prosecute the same.

Your Committee have examined the Statutory Declarations made by the Petitioner and by other persons as to the circumstances and means of the Petitioner, which establish that the Petitioner is without means and cannot procure means wherewith to pay the said fees.

Your Committee therefore recommend that all fees payable in the Senate upon the said proceedings be remitted.

All which is respectfully submitted.

J. N. KIRCHHOFFER,
Acting Chairman.

The Honourable Mr. Aikins moved, seconded by the Honourable Mr. Lougheed, That the said Report be adopted.

Which being objected to,

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered, accordingly.

The Honourable Mr. Aikins presented to the House the Bill (A) intituled: "An Act for the relief of David Stock."

The said Bill was read a first time.