On motion of the Honourable Mr. Casgrain (de Lanaudière), seconded by the Honourable Mr. Kerr (Toronto), it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Cloran, from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, 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,

THURSDAY, 19th January, 1905.

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills have the honour to make their First Report.

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to seven (7) members. All which is respectfully submitted.

H. J. CLORAN,

Chairman.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Cloran, seconded by the Honourable Mr. Black, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Kirchhoffer, from the standing Committee on Divorce, 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. 28,

THURSDAY, 19th January, 1905.

The Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their First Report, as follows:-In obedience to Rule 110 of Your Hönourable House, Your Committee have examined the Notice of application to Parliament, the Petition, 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 Edward Albert Murphy, of the City of Montreal, commercial traveller; praying for the passing of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Susan Margaret Dillon.

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. Kirchhoffer moved, seconded by the Honourable Mr. Perley, 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.

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