PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally brought up and laid on the table:-

By the Honourable Mr. Bennett:-

Of Richard Wilson Crashley, of the City of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario; praying for a Bill of Divorce from his wife, Lillian Louise Crashley.

By the Honourable Mr. Dandurand:--Of The Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada.

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By the Honourable Mr. Gordon:-

Of William Canham, of the City of Hamilton, in the Province of Ontario; praying for a Bill of Divorce from his wife, Aleda Canham.

The Honourable Sir James Lougheed, from the Committee of Selection, appointed to nominate the 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 :--

THE SENATE,

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 70,

WEDNESDAY, 26th February, 1919.

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 :---

His Honour the Speaker; The Honourable Messieurs: Bostock, Boyer, Dennis, Douglas, Godbout, Gordon, Laird, Landry, McHugh, McLennan, Poirier, Power, P.C., Taylor (New Westminster), Turriff, Webster.—16.

Joint Committee on Printing:-

The Honourable Messieurs: Crosby, Dennis, Dessaulles, De Veber, Domville, Donnelly, Farrell, Forget, Legris, McCall, McLean, Pope, Prince, Ratz, Robertson, P.C., Sharpe, Talbot, Taylor (Leeds), Thibaudeau, Todd, White.--21.

Standing Orders :---

The Honourable Messieurs: Bostock, Lavergne, Macdonell, Power, P.C., Pringle, Tanner, Tessier, Willoughby, Yeo.-9.

Banking and Commerce:--

The Honourable Messieurs: Beaubien, Béique, Bennett, Boyer, Casgrain, Curry, Dandurand, P.C., Daniel, Edwards, Fisher, Foster, L'Esperance, Lougheed, Sir James, K.C.M.G., P.C., McLennan, McMeans, McSweeney, Nicholls, Planta, Ratz, Roche, Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moosejaw), Schaffner, Shatford, Smith, Tanner, Taylor (New Westminster), Thompson, Thorne, Turriff, Webster, Willoughby.—32.

Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours :--

The Honourable Messieurs: Barnard, Beaubien, Béique, Belcourt, P.C., Blain, Bostock, Bourque, Bradbury, Casgrain, Choquette, Crosby, Dandurand, P.C., David, Daniel, De Veber, Domville, Donnelly, Douglas, Edwards, Farrell, Foster, Fowler, Girroir, Godbout, Gordon, King, Laird, Landry, Lougheed, Sir James, K.C.M.G., P.C., Lynch-Staunton, Macdonell, McCall, McHugh, Michener, Milne, Mitchell, Murphy, O'Brien, Poirier, Pope, Power, P.C., Robertson, P.C., Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moosejaw), Sharpe, Talbot, Tessier, Thompson, Watson, White.—50.

Miscellaneous Private Bills:----

The Honourable Messieurs: Barnard, Béique, Beith, Belcourt, P.C., Bénard, Bostock, Boyer, Cloran, Domville, Edwards, Farrell, Girroir, Godbout, Harmer, Legris, Lynch-Staunton, McHugh, Mulholland, Murphy, Planta, Prince, Pringle, Tanner, Todd, Wilson.—25.