Of Lyall Gibson Hodges, of Montreal, Quebec, clerk; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Doris Muriel Fergusson Hodges.

Of Ada Alice Burns, of the city of Sherbrooke, in the province of Quebec, and at present residing at the town of Perth, in the province of Ontario, textile worker; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Joseph George Burns, of the said city of Sherbrooke.

Of Kathleen Helen Frances Penfold Findlay, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Douglas Grier Findlay.

Of Kathleen Barnsley Prichard Hartney, of St. Lambert, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with James Rowan Hartney.

Of Gerda Ellen Morrison, of the town of Summerside, in the county of Prince, in the province of Prince Edward Island; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Reginald Knight Morrison.

Of Mary Esther Wahl Watt, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage

of an Act to dissolve her marriage with William Wallace Watt.

Of Kathryn Chronis Briggs, of Thetford Mines, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Stanley James Briggs.

The following petitions were severally read and received:—

Of Central Finance Corporation; praying for the passing of an Act changing its name to Household Finance Corporation of Canada, increasing its capital stock, and varying and clarifying its powers in certain respects.

Of The Dominion Association of Chartered Accountants; praying for the passing of an Act to provide that its affairs be managed by a council of not less

than six and not more than thirty members.

The Honourable Senator Black, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce presented their first Report.

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

THURSDAY, 3rd February, 1938.

The Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to nine (9)

Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

F. B. BLACK, Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, The said Report was adopted.

The Right Honourable Senator Graham, from the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, presented their first Report.

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

THURSDAY, 3rd February, 1938.

The Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to nine (9) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

GEO. P. GRAHAM, Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, The said Report was adopted.