- 4. The Committee report herewith the testimony of the witnesses examined and all documents, papers and instruments referred to the Committee by the Senate or received in evidence by the Committee.
- 5. The Committee recommend that a Bill be passed dissolving the Petitioner's said marriage.
- 6. Herewith is submitted a draft, approved by the Committee, of a Bill to that effect.
- 7. The Committee recommend that the fee paid upon the petition be refunded to the petitioner, less the cost of printing and translation.
- 8. The Committee beg to report that they have accepted in evidence a Certificate of the Supreme Court of Saskatchewan of the Judicial District of Prince Albert, under the Seal of the Court, and being a record of the conviction of that Court reading, as follows:—

"CANADA:
"Province of Saskatchewan)

"IN THE SUPREME COURT OF SASKATCHEWAN.

"Judicial District of Prince Albert.

"I certify that Fred. Farera was, on the 22nd day of April, 1914, at Prince Albert, Saskatchewan, convicted before the Honourable Mr. Justice Newlands, for that he at Shellbrook, in Saskatchewan, on the 23rd day of January 1914, did carnally know Lizzie Daly, a girl under the age of fourteen years, not being his wife, contrary to Section 301 of the Criminal Code, and was this day sentenced for such offence to be imprisoned in the Penitentiary at Prince Albert, and there kept at hard labour for the term of two years."

"Given at Prince Albert, this 23rd day of April, 1914.

"(L.S.)

"J. McMILLAN, Local Registrar."

It was considered unnecessary to require in evidence the testimony of the said Lizzie Daly in confirmation of the finding of the Jury as certified in the foregoing conviction, among other reasons owing to the fact that she is at present an inmate of a Reformatory in the Province of Saskatchewan, and that the expense of securing her attendance would be very heavy and would necessarily fall upon the Petitioner, who is without financial means.

The Committee furthermore consider that the evidence of the conviction produced sufficiently established the act of adultery on the part of the Respondent.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAMES A. LOUGHEED, Acting Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Tuesday, the 22nd instant.

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

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