The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that, in conformity with Rule 103, the Clerk had laid on the Table the Accounts and Vouchers of the Senate for the fiscal year ended the 31st March, 1938.

Ordered, That the said Accounts and Vouchers be referred to the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts of the Senate.

The following petition was read and received:—

Of Ancient Foresters' Mutual Life Insurance Company; praying for the passing of an Act to change the name of the Company to " Toronto Mutual Life Insurance Company."

The Honourable Senator Rhodes, from the Standing Committee on Finance, presented their first Report:—

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

WEDNESDAY, 18th January, 1939.

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

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to seven (7) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

E. N. RHODES,
Chairman.

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

The Honourable Senator McRae, from the Standing Committee on External Relations, presented their first Report.

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

WEDNESDAY, 18th January, 1939.

The Standing Committee on External Relations beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to seven (7) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. D. McRAE,
Chairman.

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

The Honourable Senator McLennan, from the Standing Committee on Commerce and Trade Relations of Canada, presented their first Report.

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

WEDNESDAY, 18th January, 1939.

The Standing Committee on Commerce and Trade Relations of Canada beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to three (3) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

J. S. McLENNAN,
Chairman.

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