By the Honourable Mr. Ratz:-

Of Andrew Pepper of the Town of Neepawa, Province of Manitoba; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Alice Conaghy Pepper.

By the Honourable Mr. Talbot:-

Of David Jamieson, of the City of Toronto, Province of Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Vera Jamieson.

The Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton), from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their Sixteenth Report.

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

THE SENATE,

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 371.

Monday, 24th March, 1919.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their Sixteenth Report as follows:—

In the matter of the Petition of Gladys Agnes Wilson Hawkins, of the City of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec; praying for the passing of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Edmund John Edward Hawkins, of the said city, and for such further and other relief as to the Senate may seem meet.

1. The Committee have, in obedience to the Rules of the Senate, examined the notice of application to Parliament, the petition, the evidence of publication of the notice, the evidence of the service on the Respondent of a copy of the notice, and all other papers referred with the petition.

2. The Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been

complied with in all material respects.

3. The Committee have heard and inquired into the matters set forth in the petition and have taken evidence upon oath touching the right of the petitioner to the relief prayed for.

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.

Herewith is submitted a draft, approved by the Committee, of a Bill to that effect.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. B. ROSS,

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the day for consideration on Tuesday next.

The Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton), from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their Seventeenth Report.

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

THE SENATE,

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 371,

Monday, 24th March, 1919.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their Seventeenth Report as follows:—

In the matter of the Petition of Mary Jane Lyons, of the City of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario; praying for the passing of an Act to dissolve her marriage