THE SENATE.

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 69,

FRIDAY, February 11, 1916.

The Standing Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds beg leave to make their First Report.

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to three (3) members. All which is respectfully submitted.

ROBT. WATSON.

Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was Ordered, That Rule 24a and h be suspended in respect to the said Report. The said Report was then adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Boyer, from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, presented their First Report.

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

THE SENATE,

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 69,

FRIDAY, February 11, 1916.

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills beg leave to make their First Report.

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

A. BOYER.

Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was Ordered, That Rule 24a and h be suspended in respect to the said Report. The said Report was then adopted.

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

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

THE SENATE,

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 69.

Wednesday, February 9, 1916.

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

In the matter of the petition of Cecily Ethel Maude Farera, presently of the Town of West Selkirk, Manitoba; praying for the passing of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Frederick Farera, of the said Town, 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.