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# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

# THE SENATE OF CANADA

## Thursday, 7th January, 1926

The Senate met this day at half-past two of the clock in the afternoon, being the first session of the fifteenth Parliament of Canada, as summoned by Proclamation.

The Members convened were:---

## The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

## The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth	Foster,	McCormick	Schaffner,
(Sir Allen),	Foster (Sir George)	McDonald	Sharpe,
Barnard,		McHugh,	Smith,
Béland,	Girroir,	McLean,	Stanfield,
Belcourt,	Gordon,	McLennan,	Tanner,
Bénard,	Green,	McMeans,	
Black,	Hardy,	Michener,	Taylor,
Blondin,	Harmer,		Tessier,
Bourque,	Haydon,	Molloy,	Thibaudeau,
Boyer,	Hughes,	Mulholland,	Todd,
Buchanan,		Murphy,	Turgeon,
	Kemp	Pardee,	Turriff,
Bureau,	(Sir Edward),	Planta,	Watson,
Calder,	Lavergne,	Poirier,	Webster
Casgrain,	Legris,	Pope,	(Brockville),
Copp,	L'Espérance,	Prowse,	Webster
Crowe,	Lessard,	Rankin,	(Stadacona),
Dandurand,	Lewis,	Reid,	White
Daniel,	Macdonell,		(Inkerman),
Donnelly,	Martin,	Robinson,	White
Farrell,	McArthur,	Ross (Middleton),	
Fisher,	McCoig,	Ross (Moose Jaw),	Willoughby
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## PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that he had received a communication from the Governor General's Secretary, as follows:-

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S SECRETARY

CANADA

## OTTAWA, 23rd December, 1925.

Sir,-

I am commanded by His Excellency the Governor General to inform you that the Chief Justice of Canada, in his capacity as Deputy Governor General, will proceed to the Senate Chamber to open the Session of the Dominion Parliament on Thursday, 7th January, 1926, at three o'clock.

I have the honour to be,

Sir.

Your obedient servant.

## A. F. SLADEN, Governor General's Secretary.

The Honourable

The Speaker of the Senate, Ottawa.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that he had received a certified copy of an Order-in-Council showing that Major Andrew Ruthven Thompson has been appointed Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod:

#### PRIVY COUNCIL

#### CANADA

P.C. 1027.

Certified copy of a Minute of a Meeting of the Committee of the Privy Council, approved by the Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General on the 29th June, 1925.

The Committee of the Privy Council, on the recommendation of the Right Honourable W. L. Mackenzie King, the Prime Minister, advise that Major Andrew Ruthven Thompson, of Ottawa, be appointed to the office of Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, in place of Colonel Ernest J. Chambers, deceased.

> E. J. LEMAIRE, Clerk of the Privy Council.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Clerk had received certificates from the Honourable the Secretary of State of Canada showing that—

> James Joseph Hughes, Esquire, Creelman MacArthur, Esquire, The Honourable Jacques Bureau, The Honourable Henri Séverin Béland, John Lewis, Esquire, The Honourable Charles Murphy, William Ashbury Buchanan, Esquire, Prosper Edmond Lessard, Esquire, The Honourable Arthur Bliss Copp, James Palmer Rankin, Esquire, and John Patrick Molloy, Esquire,

respectively, have been summoned to the Senate.

#### CANADA

## DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE ,

His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to summon to the Senate of Canada, by Commission under the Great Seal, bearing date the fifth September, 1925, James Joseph Hughes, Esquire, of the town of Souris, in the province of Prince Edward Island, as a Member of the Senate and a Senator for the said province of Prince Edward Island.

## W. E. FOSTER,

Secretary of State of Canada.

Ottawa, 26th October, 1925.

## CANADA

## DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to summon to the Senate of Canada, by Commission under the Great Seal, bearing date the fifth September, 1925, Creelman MacArthur, Esquire, of the city of Summerside, in the province of Prince Edward Island, as a Member of the Senate and a Senator for the said province of Prince Edward Island.

## W. E. FOSTER,

Secretary of State of Canada.

Ottawa, 26th October, 1925.

## CANADA

## DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to summon to the Senate of Canada, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal, bearing date the fifth September, 1925, The Honourable Jacques Bureau, of the City of Three Rivers, in the province of Quebec, a Member of the King's Privy Council for Canada, and one of His Majesty's Counsel learned-in-the-law, as a Member of the Senate and a Senator for the Division of La Salle in the said province of Quebec.

W. E. FOSTER.

Secretary of State of Canada.

Ottawa, 26th September, 1925.

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## CANADA

## DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to summon to the Senate of Canada, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal, bearing date the fifth September, 1925, The Honourable Henri Séverin Béland, M.D., of St. Joseph de Beauce, in the province of Quebec, a Member of the King's Privy Council for Canada, as a Member of the Senate and a Senator for the Division of Lauzon in the said province of Quebec.

#### W. E. FOSTER,

Secretary of State of Canada.

Ottawa, 26th September, 1925.

## CANADA

## DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to summon to the Senate of Canada, by Commission under the Great Seal, bearing date the fifth September, 1925, John Lewis, Esquire, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, as a Member of the Senate and a Senator for the said province of Ontario.

W. E. FOSTER,

Secretary of State of Canada.

Ottawa. 26th September, 1925.

## CANADA

## DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to summon to the Senate of Canada, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal, bearing date the fifth September, 1925, The Honourable Charles Murphy, of the city of Ottawa, in the province of Ontario, a Member of the King's Privy Council for Canada, and one of His Majesty's Counsel learned-in-the-law for the province of Ontario, as a Member of the Senate and a Senator for the said province of Ontario.

## W. E. FOSTER,

Secretary of State of Canada.

Ottawa, 26th September, 1925.

## CANADA

## DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to summon to the Senate of Canada, by Commission under the Great Seal, bearing date the fifth September, 1925, William Ashbury Buchanan, Esquire, of the city of Lethbridge, in the province of Alberta, as a Member of the Senate and a Senator for the said province of Alberta.

W. E. FOSTER, Secretary of State of Canada.

Ottawa, 26th October, 1925.

#### CANADA

#### DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to summon to the Senate of Canada, by Commission under the Great Seal, bearing date the fifth September, 1925, Prosper Edmond Lessard, Esquire, of the city of Edmonton, in the province of Alberta, as a Member of the Senate and a Senator for the said province of Alberta.

## W. E. FOSTER,

Secretary of State of Canada.

Ottawa, 26th October, 1925.

## CANADA

## DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to summon to the Senate of Canada, by Commission under the Great Seal, bearing date the twenty-fifth September, 1925, The Honourable Arthur Bliss Copp, of Sackville, in the province of New Brunswick, a Member of the King's Privy Council for Canada, as a Member of the Senate and a Senator for the said province of New Brunswick.

W. E. FOSTER.

Secretary of State of Canada.

Ottawa, 26th October, 1925.

## CANADA

#### DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to summon to the Senate of Canada, by Commission under the Great Seal, bearing date the ninth September, 1925, James Palmer Rankin, Esquire, of the city of Stratford, in the province of Ontario, as a Member of the Senate and a Senator for the said province of Ontario.

#### W. E. FOSTER,

Secretary of State of Canada.

Ottawa, 26th October, 1925.

## CANADA

## DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to summon to the Senate of Canada, by Commission under the Great Seal, bearing date the sixth October, 1925, John Patrick Molloy, M.D., of Morris, in the province of Manitoba, as a Member of the Senate and a Senator for the said province of Manitoba.

#### W. E. FOSTER,

Secretary of State of Canada.

Ottawa, 26th October, 1925.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that there were several Senators without, waiting to be introduced.

The Honourable Charles Murphy was introduced between the Honourable Mr. Dandurand and the Honourable Mr. Haydon, and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

## CANADA

## BYNG OF VIMY

[L.S.]

GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, KING Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To our Trusty and Well-beloved The Honourable Charles Murphy, of the city of Ottawa, in the province of Ontario, and one of His Majesty's Counsel learned-in-the-law for the said province of Ontario. Know You, that as well for the special trust and confidence We have

Know You, that as well for the special trust and confidence we have manifested in you as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion; and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear, for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS: Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved Julian Hedworth George, Baron Byng of Vimy, General on the retired list and in the reserve of officers of Our Army; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Member of Our Royal Victorian Order, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

At Our Government House, in Our city of OTTAWA, in Our Dominion of Canada, this fifth day of September, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five and in the sixteenth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

## A. B. COPP.

## Secretary of State of Canada.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable Mr. Murphy came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, one of the Commissioners appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Mr. Murphy had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act*, 1867, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, one of the Commissioners appointed to receive and witness the same. The Honourable Henri Séverin Béland was introduced between the Honourable Mr. Dandurand and the Honourable Mr. Tessier, and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

## CANADA

## BYNG OF VIMY [L.S.]

## GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, KING Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To our Trusty and Well-beloved The Honourable Henri Séverin Béland of St. Joseph de Beauce, in the province of Quebec, in our Dominion of Canada, Medical Doctor. GREETING:

Know You, that as well for the special trust and confidence We have manifested in you as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion; and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear, for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS: Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved Julian Hedworth George, Baron Byng of Vimy, General on the retired list and in the reserve of officers of Our Army; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Member of Our Royal Victorian Order, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

> At Our Government House, in Our city of OTTAWA, in Our Dominion of Canada, this fifth day of September, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five and in the sixteenth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

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## A. B. COPP,

Secretary of State of Canada.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable Mr. Béland came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, one of the Commissioners appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Mr. Béland had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act*, 1867, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, one of the Commissioners appointed to receive and witness the same.

The Honourable Jacques Bureau was introduced between the Honourable Mr. Dandurand and the Honourable Mr. Belcourt, and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

## CANADA

## BYNG OF VIMY [L.S.]

## GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, KING Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To our Trusty and Well-beloved The Honourable Jacques Bureau, of the city of Three Rivers, in the province of Quebec, in our Dominion of Canada, a Member of our Privy Council for Canada. GREETING:

Know You, that as well for the special trust and confidence We have manifested in you as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion; and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear, for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

- IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed.
- WITNESS: Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved Julian Hedworth George, Baron Byng of Vimy, General on the retired list and in the reserve of officers of Our Army; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Member of Our Royal Victorian Order, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.
  - At Our Government House, in Our city of OTTAWA, in Our Dominion of Canada, this fifth day of September, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five and in the sixteenth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

#### A. B. COPP,

Secretary of State of Canada.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable Mr. Bureau came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, one of the Commissioners appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Mr. Bureau had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act*, 1867, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, one of the Commissioners appointed to receive and witness the same. The Honourable Arthur Bliss Copp was introduced between the Honourable Mr. Dandurand and the Honourable Mr. Robinson, and having presented His Majesty's writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

## CANADA

## BYNG OF VIMY [L.S.]

## GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas,' KING Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To our Trusty and Well-beloved The Honourable Arthur Bliss Copp, of Sackville, in the province of New Brunswick, in our Dominion of Canada, GREETING:

Know You, that as well for the special trust and confidence We have manifested in you as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion; and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear, for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whenever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS: Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved Julian Hedworth George, Baron Byng of Vimy, General on the retired list and in the reserve of officers of Our Army; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Member of Our Royal Victorian Order, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

> At Our Government House, in Our city of OTTAWA, in Our Dominion of Canada, this twenty-fifth day of September, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, and in the sixteenth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

W. E. FOSTER,

Secretary of State of Canada.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable Mr. Copp came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, one of the Commissioners appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Mr. Copp had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act*, 1867, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, one of the Commissioners appointed to receive and witness the same.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

After a while the Right Honourbale Francis Alexander Anglin, Chief Justice of Canada, Deputy of the Governor General, having come and being seated at the foot of the Throne, and—

The Honourable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that—

It is the Right Honourable the Deputy Governor General's desire that they attend him immediately in the Senate Chamber, and—

The House of Commons being come,

The Honourable the Speaker said-

Honourable Gentlemen of the Senate: Gentlemen of the House of Commons:

I have it in command to let you know that His Excellency the Governor General does not see fit to declare the causes of his summoning the present Parliament of Canada, until a Speaker of the House of Commons shall have been chosen, according to law; but to-morrow, at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon, His Excellency will declare the causes of his calling this Parliament.

The Right Honourable the Deputy Governor General was pleased to retire.

The Commons withdrew.

The Senate was resumed.

The Honourable James Joseph Hughes was introduced between the Honourable Mr. Dandurand and the Honourable Mr. Watson, and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

## CANADA

## BYNG OF VIMY [L.S.]

GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, KING Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To our Trusty and Well-beloved James Joseph Hughes, of Souris, in the province of Prince Edward Island, in our Dominion of Canada, Esquire.

GREETING:

Know You, that as well for the special trust and confidence We have manifested in you as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion; and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear, for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS: Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved Julian Hedworth George, Baron Byng of Vimy, General on the retired list and in the reserve of officers of Our Army; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Member of Our Royal Victorian Order, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

> At Our Government House, in Our city of OTTAWA, in Our Dominion of Canada, this fifth day of September, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twentyfive and in the sixteenth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

## A. B. COPP,

## Secretary of State of Canada

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable Mr. Hughes came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, one of the Commissioners appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Mr. Hughes had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act*, 1867, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, one of the Commissioners appointed to receive and witness the same.

. The Honourable William Ashbury Buchanan was introduced between the Honourable Mr. Dandurand and the Honourable Mr. Ross (Moose Jaw), and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

## CANADA

## BYNG OF VIMY

[L.S.]

## GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, KING Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To our Trusty and Well-beloved William Ashbury Buchanan, of the city of Lethbridge, in the province of Alberta, in our Dominion of Canada, Esquire. GREETING:

Know You, that as well for the special trust and confidence We have manifested in you as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion; and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear, for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate

of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS: Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved Julian Hedworth George, Baron Byng of Vimy, General on the retired list and in the reserve of officers of Our Army; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Member of Our Royal Victorian Order, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

At Our Government House, in Our city of OTTAWA, in Our Dominion of Canada, this fifth day of September, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twentyfive and in the sixteenth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

## A. B. COPP,

## Secretary of State of Canada

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable Mr. Buchanan came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, one of the Commissioners appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Mr. Buchanan had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act*, 1867, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, one of the Commissioners appointed to receive and witness the same.

The Honourable Creelman MacArthur was introduced between the Honourable Mr. Dandurand and the Honourable Mr. Prowse, and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

#### CANADA

## BYNG OF VIMY

[L.S.]

GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, KING Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To our Trusty and Well-beloved Creelman MacArthur, of Summerside, in the province of Prince Edward Island, in our Dominion of Canada, Esquire.

GREETING:

Know You, that as well for the special trust and confidence We have manifested in you as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion; and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses what-

soever laying aside, you be and appear, for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS: Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved Julian Hedworth George, Baron Byng of Vimy, General on the retired list and in the reserve of officers of Our Army; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Member of Our Royal Victorian Order, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

> At Our Government House, in Our city of OTTAWA, in Our Dominion of Canada, this fifth day of September, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twentyfive and in the sixteenth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

## A. B. COPP,

## Secretary of State of Canada.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable Mr. MacArthur came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, one of the Commissioners appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Mr. MacArthur had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act*, 1867, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, one of the Commissioners appointed to receive and witness the same.

The Honourable Prosper Edmond Lessard was introduced between the Honourable Mr. Dandurand and the Honourable Mr. Harmer, and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

#### CANADA

## BYNG OF VIMY [L.S.]

GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, KING Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To Our Trusty and Well-beloved Prosper Edmond Lessard, of the city of Edmonton, in the province of Alberta, in our Dominion of Canada, Esquire.

GREETING:

Know You, that as well for the special trust and confidence We have manifested in you as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of our Dominion of Oanada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our

said Dominion; and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear, for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS: Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved Julian Hedworth George, Baron Byng of Vimy, General on the retired list and in the reserve of officers of Our Army; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Member of Our Royal Victorian Order, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

At Our Government House, in Our city of OTTAWA, in Our Dominion of Canada, this fifth day of September, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twentyfive and in the sixteenth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

#### A. B. COPP,

## Secretary of State of Canada.

## Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable Mr. Lessard came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, one of the Commissioners appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Mr. Lessard, had made and subscribed the Declaration and Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act*, 1867, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, one of the Commissioners appointed to receive and witness the same.

The Honourable John Lewis was introduced between the Honourable Mr. Dandurand and the Honourable Mr. Haydon, and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

## CANADA

## BYNG OF VIMY [L.S.]

GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, KING Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To our Trusty and Well-beloved John Lewis, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, in our Dominion of Canada, Journalist. GREETING:

Know You, that as well for the special trust and confidence We have manifested in you as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our

said Dominion; and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear, for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS: Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved Julian Hedworth George. Baron Byng of Vimy, General on the retired list and in the reserve of officers of Our Army; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Member of Our Royal Victorian Order, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

> At Our Government House, in Our city of OTTAWA, in Our Dominion of Canada, this fifth day of September, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five and in the sixteenth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

## A. B. COPP.

## Secretary of State of Canada.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable Mr. Lewis came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, one of the Commissioners appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Mr. Lewis had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act*, 1867, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, one of the Commissioners appointed to receive and witness the same.

The Honourable James Palmer Rankin was introduced between the Honourable Mr. Dandurand and the Honourable Mr. Watson, and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

## CANADA

# BYNG OF VIMY

GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, KING Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To our Trusty and Well-beloved James Palmer Rankin, of the city of Stratford, in the province of Ontario, in our Dominion of Canada, Esquire.

GREETING:

Know You, that as well for the special trust and confidence We have manifested in you as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion

of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion; and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear, for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS: Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved Julian Hedworth George, Baron Byng of Vimy, General on the retired list and in the reserve of officers of Our Army; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Member of Our Royal Victorian Order, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

At Our Government House, in Our city of OTTAWA, in Our Dominion of Canada, this ninth day of September, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twentyfive and in the sixteenth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

## A. B. COPP,

## Secretary of State of Canada.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable Mr. Rankin came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, one of the Commissioners appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Mr. Rankin had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act*, 1867, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, one of the commissioners appointed to receive and witness the same.

The Honourable John Patrick Molloy was introduced between the Honourable Mr. Dandurand and the Honourable Mr. Watson, and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

## CANADA

FRANK A. ANGLIN, Deputy Governor General. [L.S.]

GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, KING Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To our Trusty and Well-beloved John Patrick Molloy, of Morris, in the province of Manitoba, in our Dominion of Canada, Doctor of Medicine.

GREETING:

Know You, that as well for the special trust and confidence We have manifested in you as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion

of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion; and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear, for the purpose aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS: Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved Julian Hedworth George, Baron Byng of Vimy, General on the retired list and in the reserve of officers of Our Army; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Member of Our Royal Victorian Order, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

> At Our Government House, in Our city of OTTAWA, in Our Dominion of Canada, this sixth day of October, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five and in the sixteenth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

## W. E. FOSTER,

## Secretary of State of Canada.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable Mr. Molloy came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, one of the Commissioners appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

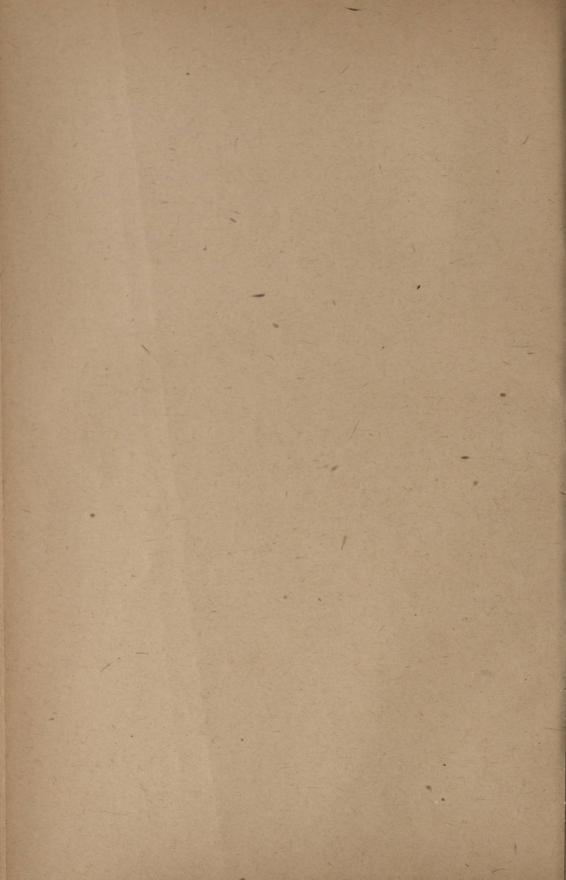
The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Mr. Molloy had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act*, 1867, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, one of the Commissioners appointed to receive and witness the same.

#### With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until to-morrow, at two-thirty o'clock in the afternoon.

The Senate adjourned.

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## No. 2

## MINUTES OF THE -PROCEEDINGS

OF

# THE SENATE OF CANADA

## Friday, 8th January, 1926

2.30 p.m.

The Members convened were:-

Foster,

## The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard, Béland, Belcourt, Bénard, Black, Blondin, Bourque, Boyer, Buchanan, Bureau, Calder, Casgrain, Copp, Crowe, Dandurand, Daniel, Dessaulles. Donnelly, Farrell, Fisher,

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Foster (Sir George), Gillis, Girroir, Gordon, Green, Hardy, Harmer, Haydon, Hughes, Kemp (Sir Edward), King, Laird. Lavergne, Legris, L'Espérance, Lessard, Lewis, Macdonell. Martin,

McArthur, McCoig, McCormick, McDonald, McHugh, McLean, McLennan, McMeans, Michener, Mollov. Mulholland, Murphy, Pardee, Planta, Poirier, Pope, Prowse, Rankin, Reid, Robertson, Robinson,

Ross (Moose Jaw), Schaffner, Sharpe, Smith, Stanfield, Tanner, Taylor, Tessier, Thibaudeau, Todd, Turgeon, Turriff. Watson, Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Ross (Middleton), Willoughby.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that he had received the following communication from the Governor General's Secretary:---

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S SECRETARY CANADA

OTTAWA, 23rd December, 1925.

Sir.-

I have the honour to inform you that His Excellency the Governor General will proceed to the Senate Chamber to formally open the Session of the Dominion Parliament on Friday, 8th-January, 1926, at three o'clock.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant.

A. F. SLADEN, Governor General's Secretary.

The Honourable

The Speaker of the Senate, Ottawa.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Senate was adjourned during pleasure.

After a while, His Excellency the Governor General having come, and being seated on the Throne,—

The Honourable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that,—

It is His Excellency the Governor General's pleasure that they attend him immediately in the Senate Chamber.

The House of Commons being come,

Their Speaker, the Honourable Rodolphe Lemieux, said:-

May it please Your Excellency,-

The House of Commons has elected me their Speaker, though I am but little able to fulfil the important duties thus assigned to me.

If, in the performance of those duties, I should at any time fall into error, I pray that the fault may be imputed to me, and not to the Commons, whose servant I am, and who, through me, the better to enable them to discharge their duty to their King and Country, humbly claim all their undoubted rights and privileges, especially that they may have freedom of speech in their debates, access to Your Excellency's person at all seasonable times, and that their proceedings may receive from Your Excellency the most favourable interpretation.

The Honourable the Speaker of the Senate answered:-

Mr. SPEAKER,—I am commanded by His Excellency the Governor General to declare to you that he freely confides in the duty and attachment of the House of Commons to His Majesty's Person and Government, and not doubting that their proceedings will be conducted with wisdom, temper and prudence he

grants and upon all occasions will recognize and allow their constitutional privileges. I am commanded also to assure you that the Commons shall have ready access to His Excellency upon all seasonable occasions, and that their proceedings as well as your words and actions, will constantly receive from him the most favourable construction.

His Excellency the Governor General was then pleased to open the Session by a Gracious Speech to both Houses, as follows:—

## Honourable Members of the Senate:

Members of the House of Commons:

It gives me pleasure to welcome you to your important duties in this first session of the fifteenth Parliament of Canada.

Since our last meeting, the Empire has been called on to lament the demise of Queen Alexandra. In our Dominion the memory of the late Queen will ever be held in affectionate remembrance. At the earliest opportunity a resolution will be submitted to you expressing the deep sympathy of the Parliament and people of Canada with His Majesty the King and other members of the Royal Family in their bereavement.

Canada has been signally honoured by the selection of a member of its Government as President of the sixth assembly of the League of Nations.

I congratulate you on the growing prosperity of this favoured land. The products of our agricultural and other basic industries have greatly increased. Our export trade shows remarkable expansion. Our manufacturing and related industries throughout the Dominion have experienced a development not enjoyed in many years. Further evidence of industrial progress is reflected in the greatly improved earnings of the railways.

This increased prosperity and advancement have been aided by the policies of the Government and the reductions in expenditures and taxation made from time to time. In the opinion of my Ministers the improved conditions warrant further substantial reductions in taxation.

Every effort will be made further to reduce expenditures. To aid in the reduction of expenditures in administration certain of the departments of the public service will be consolidated with others and government services more effectively co-ordinated.

Our revenue is derived partly from taxes made necessary by the war and partly from other sources. In order that the people of the Dominion may have an exact knowledge of the sources of their revenue and the objects of its expenditure simplified forms of account will be issued periodically.

With the improvement of conditions throughout the country the Government have formulated and put into operation a comprehensive immigration plan. My Ministers desire it to be known that the Dominion welcomes settlers of the classes which can be absorbed into our population. Regulations have been simplified, transportation rates greatly reduced, and the care of settlers to destination and during early settlement given every attention. Measures will be taken to further the retention on the land of our existing agricultural population to encourage the return to rural parts of urban dwellers possessed of agricultural experience, and the repatriation of Canadians now living in other countries. Special arrangements will be proposed for settlement on Crown Lands.

An agreement has been made between the Government and the railroad companies providing a larger measure of co-operation in immigration activities in the British Isles and on the continent of Europe. An agreement entered into with the British Government has already been instrumental in stimulating immigration from Great Britain. While it is of importance to attract new settlers it is equally, if not more important, to assist those who are already established on the land by reducing the cost of agricultural production. To this end a measure will be introduced offering wide facilities for rural credits.

My Ministers are of the opinion that a general increase in the Customs Tariff would prove detrimental to the country's continued prosperity and prejudicial to national unity. In their view the incidence of this form of taxation should bear as lightly as possible upon the necessaries of life and on agriculture and other primary industries. They believe that in the interest of industrial development every effort should be made to eliminate the element of uncertainty with respect to tariff changes; that changes in the tariff should be made only after the fullest examination of their bearing upon both primary and manufacturing industries and that representations requesting increase or decrease of duties should be made the subject of the most careful investigation and report by a body possessing the necessary qualifications to advise the Ministry with respect thereto. A Tariff Advisory Board will accordingly be appointed forthwith. This Board will be expected to make a careful study of the Customs Tariff, the revenue to be derived therefrom and the effect of the tariff and allied factors on industry and agriculture.

While recognizing the importance of the Canadian home market, the great value of markets in other countries for our natural and manufactured products must also be considered. In particular our trade within the Empire should be encouraged by all means consistent with our national welfare. In this connection a trade agreement entered into with the British West Indies, Bermuda, British Guiana and British Honduras will be submitted for your approval.

In pursuance of the fixed policy of the Government to encourage the movement of grain and other Canadian products through Canadian ports, the Board of Railway Commissioners has been instructed to include in the General Rate investigation now in progress, a special inquiry into the causes of diversion of Canadian grain and other products through other than Canadian ports, and to take such action under the Railway Act as it may deem efficient to ensure as far as possible the utilization of Canadian ports for Canadian traffic.

My Government propose to submit provisions for the completion forthwith of the Hudson Bay Railway.

With a view to affording such remedies as may appear to be practical and appropriate, the Government also propose to appoint a Royal Commission to inquire fully into the claims that the rights of the Maritime Provinces in regard to the operation of the Intercolonial Railway have not been observed, and that in regard to transportation, immigration, and other economic factors these provinces have suffered prejudicially, in their position under Confederation.

Your attention will be invited, among other measures, to a Bill to provide for the transfer to the Province of Alberta of its natural resources, and to a Bill amending the Dominion Elections Act.

#### Members of the House of Commons:

The accounts of the last fiscal year and the estimates for the coming year will be submitted for your consideration.

## Honourable Members of the Senate:

## Members of the House of Commons:

In the policies and measures I have outlined, a sincere effort has been made to take into account the diversified conditions and interests of our Dominion in a manner which will promote mutual understanding and closer co-operation between all parts. It is believed that these measures which, taken together,

form a co-ordinated plan of national progress, will ensure our common aim of a prosperous and united Canada.

In their consideration and in other of your public duties may Divine Providence guide and bless your deliberations.

His Excellency the Governor General was pleased to retire.

The Commons withdrew.

After some time the Senate was resumed.

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Mr. Dandurand presented to the Senate a Bill intituled: "An Act relating to Railways."

The said Bill was read the first time.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that a copy of the Speech of His Excellency the Governor General had been left in his hands.

The same was read by The Honourable the Speaker.

Ordered, That the Speech of His Excellency the Governor General be taken into consideration on Tuesday, next.

<sup>#</sup>The Honourable the Speaker presented to the Senate the following communication from the Clerk with respect to the vacancies in the positions of First Clerk Assistant and Second Clerk Assistant:—

## OTTAWA, 8th January, 1926.

Sir,-

Owing to death of Mr. J. C. Young, and Mr. Siméon Lelièvre, First Clerk Assistant and Second Clerk Assistant, vacancies have occurred on the Senate Staff.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

A. E. BLOUNT, Clerk of the Senate.

The Honourable, The Speaker of the Senate, The Senate, Ottawa. Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Dandurand, it was-

Ordered, That all the Senators present during this Session be appointed a Committee to consider the Orders and Customs of the Senate and Privileges of Parliament, and that the said Committee have leave to meet in the Senate Chamber when and as often as they please.

With leave of the Senate, and-

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Dandurand, it was-

Ordered, That pursuant to Rule 77 the following Senators, to wit: The Honourable Messieurs Belcourt, Daniel, Prowse, Robertson, Ross (Middleton), Sharpe, Tanner, Watson, Willoughby and the mover, be appointed a Committee of Selection to nominate Senators to serve on the several Standing Committees during the present Session; and to report with all convenient speed the names of the Senators so nominated. The Honourable the Speaker presented to the Senate the Report of the Joint Librarians of Parliament, for the year 1925.

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

## LIBRARY OF PARLIAMENT

#### Report of the Librarians for 1925

To the Honourable the Speaker of the Senate,

The Joint Librarians have the honour to submit their Report for the year 1925.

The Supplementary Catalogue of books purchased during the past year, and the list of those books donated to the Library are in the hands of the printers, and will shortly be presented to Parliament.

The Carnegie Endowment for International Peace has again presented to the Library many valuable works. The United Daughters of the Confederacy have donated many books and pamphlets concerned with the Civil War and with the Southern States.

Colonel A. H. Todd, who was appointed to the Library in 1869, has retired on superannuation after an exceptionally long and valuable service. The Civil Service Commission has filled the position he occupied, that of Assistant-Librarian, by the promotion of Mr. M. C. MacCormac who first entered the service of the Library in 1885. Other changes which may be involved will be considered later.

Parliament last year sanctioned a vote of \$1,000 for the erection of a Tablet to the memory of Dr. Alpheus Todd, long Librarian of Parliament, whose works on the Constitution are regarded as authoritative wherever constitutional government obtains. The form of the tablet and its location are now being dealt with by a Committee. It is worthy of note that the continuous service rendered to the Library by Dr. Todd and his son, Colonel A. H. Todd, extended over a period of ninety years.

Special attention has been given during the Recess to the condition of the vaults in which during past years many thousands of books have been stored. The Undersigned beg to report that excellent work has been accomplished by those members of the staff who have been engaged in this task. A record of the volumes is now placed on the door of each vault and a card index made of the various contents.

The cataloguing and systematic arrangement of the pamphlets, referred to in previous Reports, have now reached a point when the binding, suspended in 1922, has been resumed.

The floor of the Library, damaged in the fire of 1916, is gradually getting into worse condition. It is respectfully suggested that a covering, such as has been used on the floor of the House and in the Archives building, would not only improve the appearance of the Library but be of great advantage in reducing noise.

The Librarians still have to report difficulties owing to congested space which they are meeting in such ways as are possible. They venture, however,

to think that the Library itself is now, in respect to arrangement of the books and accessibility, in a better condition than it has been for many years.

Respectfully submitted,

M. BURRELL, J. de L. TACHÉ. Joint Librarians.

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Library of Parliament, Ottawa, January 7, 1926.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable Mr. Dandurand laid on the Table:-Report of the Commissioner of Patents for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1925. (English and French Editions.)

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Fifty-Eighth Annual Report of the Department of Marine and Fisheries for the fiscal year 1924-25. (Marine Branch.) (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Annual Report of the Minister of Agriculture for the year, ended 31st March, 1925. (English Edition.) )

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Report of the Director of Experimental Farms for the year ended 31st March, 1925.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Orders and Regulations passed under authority of the Destructive Insect and Pest Act, for the year ended 31st March, 1925. (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

With leave of the Senate, it was,-

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next.

The Senate adjourned.

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# ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

## Tuesday, 12th January, 1926

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

## ORDER OF THE DAY

Note.-The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed : E. printed in English, F. in French.

## For Tuesday, 12th January, 1926

## No. 1.

8th January-Consideration of His Excellency the Governor General's Speech on the opening of the first Session of the fifteenth Parliament .-- (Hon. Mr. Lewis.)

# No. 3

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

# THE SENATE OF CANADA

## Tuesday, 12th January, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:-

Fisher,

## The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard, Béland, Belcourt, Bénard, Black, Blondin, Bourque, Buchanan, Bureau, Calder, Casgrain, Chapais, Copp, Crowe, Dandurand, Daniel, David, Dessaulles, Donnelly, Farrell,

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Foster, Foster (Sir George), Gillis, Girroir, Green, Hardy, Harmer, Haydon, Hughes, Kemp (Sir Edward), King, Laird, Lavergne, L'Espérance, Lessard, Lewis, Macdonell, Martin, MacArthur,

McCoig, McCormick, McDonald, McHugh, McLean, McLennan, McMeans, Michener, Molloy, Montplaisir, Mulholland, Murphy, Planta, Poirier, Pope, Prowse, Rankin, Reid, Robertson, Robinson, Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw),

Schaffner, Sharpe, Smith, Stanfield, Tanner, Taylor, Tessier, Thibaudeau, Todd, Turgeon, Turriff. Watson, Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby.

## PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally presented:-

By the Honourable Mr. Mulholland:-

Of Charles Davidson, of Toronto, Ontario, labourer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Helen Davidson;

Of Doris Selina Irvin, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Walter Irvin;

Of Edith Marion Byam, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Edgar Otto Byam;

Of Joseph R. Crow, of Chatham, Ontario, retired farmer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Lizzie Crow;

Of Morgan Hart, of Toronto, Ontario, mechanic; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Mabel Alice Hart;

Of Frank John Davis, of Toronto, Ontario, civil servant; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Ethel May Davis.

## By the Honourable Mr. Willoughby:-

Of Elizabeth Gertrude Orr, of Windsor, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Charles Marshall Orr;

Of Melville James Andrews, of Toronto, Ontario, advertising salesman; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Eva Frances Andrews:

Of Harry Reginald Oddy, of Toronto, Ontario, labourer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Annie Oddy;

Of Ada Toms, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Henry Toms.

#### By the Honourable Mr. Haydon:-

Of Bertha Viola Lidkea, of the town of Mount Dennis, in the county of York, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Clifford William Lidkea;

Of Bernard Ernest Sleeth, of Toronto, Ontario, dentist; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Margaret Glover Sleeth;

Of Cecilia Marrie Peters Kendall, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Harry Kendall;

Of Margaret Alexina Forbes, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Alexander Forbes;

Of Paul Hugh Turnbull, of London, Ontario, trusts officer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Alice Beatrice Turnbull;

Of James Thomas Young, of the town of Goderich, in the county of Huron, Ontario, machinist; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Leona Christena Young;

Of Alexander Stewart, of Toronto, Ontario, labourer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Christina Violet Stewart;

Of Alice Marion McGinley, of London, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Alfred Emison McGinley

Of May Crumplin, of London, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Henry Thomas Crumplin;

Of Yetta Selma Trachsell, of the township of South Easthope, in the county of Perth, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Robert J. Trachsell, By the Honourable Mr. Schaffner:-

Of Ethel Gildea Nye Brown, of the town of Dorval, in the district of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Arthur Edward Brown;

Of Vera Sanderson, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Francis Harold Sanderson;

Of Robert Stewart McIntyre, of the township of Bathurst, in the county of Lanark, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Annie McIntyre;

Of Annie Hazel McCausland, of the town of Alliston, in the county of Simcoe, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Frederick James McCausland;

Of Ethel Alberta Barker, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with William Barron Barker.

By the Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton) :--

Of Gladys Orme, of London, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Wilfred Harry Orme;

Of James Arthur Breadon, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Annie Marjory Breadon.

By the Honourable Mr. Ross (Moose Jaw):-

Of Gertrude Burnside, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Kenneth Stewart Burnside.

By the Honourable Mr. Robertson:-

Of Beatrice Isobel Lamontagne, of Ottawa, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Walter Miller Lamontagne;

Of Max Gertler, of Montreal, Quebec, locksmith; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Sarah Litman Gertler;

Of Charles Douglas Palmer, of Toronto, Ontario, merchant; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Lela May Palmer.

By the Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke) :--

Of Vera Catherine Searle, of Fort William, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Charles William Searle;

Of Jessie McLean, of Fort William, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with George Daniel McLean,

By the Honourable Mr. Smith:-

Of Caroline Elizabeth Risbridger, of Hamilton, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Ernest Henry Risbridger;

Of Jeremiah Gibbs, of Hamilton, Ontario, merchandise broker; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Deedie Gibbs.

By the Honourable Mr. White (Inkerman):-

Of Lillian DuBord Bulloch, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Alexander Bulloch,

By the Honourable Mr. Michener:-

Of Charles Day, of Toronto, Ontario, cutter; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Barbara Frances Day,

By the Honourable Mr. Turriff:----

Of George Guthrie, of the town of Almonte, Ontario, insurance agent; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Elizabeth L. Guthrie.

By the Honourable Mr. Fisher:-

Of John Norman Smith McMurray, of Toronto, Ontario, salesman; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Minnie Dake McMurray.

By the Honourable Mr. Pope:-

Of Mabel Elizabeth Harcourt, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Frederick Harcourt.

By the Honourable Mr. Belcourt:-

Of the Jno. E. Russell Company, Limited, of Toronto, Ontario (Patent No. 113,760).

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of His Excellency the Governor General's Speech on the opening of the first session of the fifteenth Parliament, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Dandurand laid on the Table:-

Fifty-eighth Annual Report of the Fisheries Branch, for the year 1924-25. (Department of Marine and Fisheries.)

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Report of the Department of Customs and Excise for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1925. (Shipping Report.)

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Report of the Department of Customs and Excise for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1925—Accounts of Revenue. (English and French Editions.) (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.)

•Public Accounts of Canada for the year ended 31st March, 1925. (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.)

Thirty-third Annual Report of the Department of Trade and Commerce for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1925.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Report of the Board of Grain Commissioners for Canada, for the crop year ended 31st August, 1924.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Regulations of the Board of Grain Commissioners for Canada. (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.)

Annual Report of the Weights and Measures, Electricity and Gas Inspection Services, for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1925. (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.)

Annual Report of the Department of Indian Affairs, for the year ended 31st March, 1925.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

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Annual Report of the Department of Mines, for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1925.

## (Sessional Papers, 1926, No. )

Report for Parliament under section seven of *The Reclamation Act*, showing the money received in connection with leasing of Dominion Lands. (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.)

List showing the Leases, Licenses, Permits or other authorities cancelled under the provisions of section three of chapter twenty-one of the statutes of 1922.

## (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Amended Regulations enacted under the provisions of section five of chapter five of *The Reclamation Act*.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No. )

Return showing that no regulations have been enacted covering Dominion Lands in the Railway Belt under the provisions of the Order in Council of 7th September, 1889.

## (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

List of Permits issued to take intoxicants into the Northwest Territories during the year ended the 31st December, 1925, in accordance with section eighty-eight of chapter sixty-two of *The Revised Statutes of Canada*. (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.)

Statement showing lands sold by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company during the year ended 30th September, 1923.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Return showing that no Irrigation Regulations have been enacted under the provisions of section fifty-seven of chapter sixty-one of *The Revised Statutes of Canada*.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Return showing that no Remissions on Sales of Indian Lands have been made during the past year.

## (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Statement showing the Indians enfranchised during the period from 1st April, 1925, to 15th November, 1925.

## (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Return showing that no Regulations respecting Indians have been made during the past year.

## (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

List of Land Sales cancelled during the period from 1st February, 1925, to 15th November, 1925.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Annual Report of the Department of the Interior for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1925.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

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Return showing the Orders in Council passed since the last return under the provisions of the-

Dominion Lands Act,

Forest Reserves and Parks Act,

Migratory Birds Convention Act,

Dominion Lands Survey Act,

Regulations for the survey, administration, disposal and management of Dominion Lands in the Railway Belt, in the province of British Columbia and a summary of these Orders. (1st January, 1925-23rd November, 1925.)

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No. )

The Honourable Mr. Murphy laid on the Table:---

Report of the Postmaster General for the year ended 31st March, 1925. (English and French Editions.)

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

The Senate adjourned.

## ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

## Wednesday, 13th January, 1926

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

## MOTIONS

## For Thursday, 14th January, 1926

No. 1.

By Honourable Mr. Willoughby:-

12th January-That the Committee on Divorce be authorized to consider and report upon an application for refund of the parliamentary fees paid, during the last session of Parliament, upon the petition of Ethel Foster, praying for a Bill of Divorce.

# ORDER OF THE DAY

NOTE.—The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed; E. printed in English, F. in French.

## For Thursday, 14th January, 1926

### No. 1.

12th January—Consideration of His Excellency the Governor General's Speech on the opening of the first Session of the fifteenth Parliament.—(Hon. Mr. Lewis.)

## No. 4

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE SENATE OF CANADA

## Wednesday, 13th January, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:---

Foster,

The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard, Béland, Belcourt, Bénard, Black. Blondin, Bourque, Buchanan, Bureau, Calder, Chapais, Copp, Crowe, Dandurand. Daniel, David, Dessaulles, Donnelly, Farrell, Fisher,

Foster (Sir George), Gillis, Girroir, Gordon, Green, Hardy, Harmer, Haydon, Hughes, Kemp (Sir Edward), King, Laird, Lavergne, Legris, L'Espérance, Lessard, Lewis, Macdonell, Martin,

MacArthur, McCoig, McCormick, McDonald, McHugh, McLean, McLennan, McMeans, Michener, Molloy, Montplaisir, Mulholland, Murphy, Pardee, Planta, Poirier, Pope, Prowse, Rankin, Reid, Robertson, Robinson.

Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw), Schaffner. Sharpe, Smith, Stanfield. Tanner, Taylor, Tessier, Thibaudeau, Todd, Turgeon, Turriff, Watson, Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby.

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## PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally presented:-

By the Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke):-

Of Sidney Charles Frost, of North Bay, Ontario, bridge and building inspector, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Edith Agatha Frost.

By the Honourable Mr. Pardee:-

Of Cora Mae Murray, of the town of Wiarton, in the county of Bruce, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Isaac Murray.

By the Honourable Mr. Mulholland:-

Of Ethel Clementina Craig-Williams, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Thomas Craig-Williams.

By the Honourable Mr. Willoughby:-

Of Mildred Roxie Horner, of the town of Aurora, in the county of York, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Elmer Horner.

By the Honourable Mr. Haydon:-

Of Hendel Tuerner Lubrinetsky, Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Samuel Lubrinetsky.

By the Honourable Mr. Gordon:-

Of the Interprovincial and James Bay Railway Company.

The Honourable Mr. Dandurand, from the Committee of Selection, appointed to nominate the Senators to serve on the several Standing Committees for the present Session, presented their First Report.

WEDNESDAY, 13th January, 1926.

The Committee of Selection appointed to nominate Senators to serve on the several Standing Committees for the present Session, have the honour to report herewith the following list of Senators selected by them to serve on each of the following Standing Committees, namely:—

#### Joint Committee on the Library

The Honourable the Speaker, the Honourable Messieurs Beaubien, Chapais, David, Gillis, Gordon, Griesbach, Hardy, Laird, Lewis, McHugh, McLennan, Poirier, Taylor, Thibaudeau, Turriff, Webster (Brockville).—17.

#### Joint Committee on Printing

The Honourable Messieurs Aylesworth, Sir Allen, Buchanan, Chapais, Dessaulles, Donnelly, Farrell, Green, Legris, McDonald, McLean, McLennan, Murphy, Pardee, Pope, Robertson, Sharpe, Taylor, Thibaudeau, Todd, White (Inkerman) and White (Pembroke).—21.

## Standing Orders

The Honourable Messieurs Buchanan, Hardy, Haydon, Lavergne, Macdonell, Martin, Schaffner, Tanner, Tessier.—9.

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#### Banking and Commerce

The Honourable Messieurs Aylesworth, Sir Allen, Beaubien, Béique, Belcourt, Black, Casgrain, Curry, Dandurand, Daniel, Fisher, Foster (Alma), Haydon, Hughes, Laird, L'Espérance, McLennan, McMeans, Planta, Reid, Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw), Schaffner, Smith, Tanner, Taylor, Tessier, Todd, Turriff, Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), Willoughby.—32.

## Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours

The Honourable Messieurs Barnard, Beaubien, Béique, Béland, Blain, Bourque, Calder, Casgrain, Crowe, Dandurand, David, Daniel, Donnelly, Farrell, Foster (Alma), Foster, Sir George, Gillis, Girroir, Gordon, Green, Hardy, Kemp, Sir Edward, King, Laird, Lavergne, Legris, L'Espérance, Lynch-Staunton, McDonald, McHugh, McLennan, Michener, Mitchell, Molloy, Murphy, Pardee, Poirier, Pope, Prowse, Reid, Robertson, Robinson, Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw), Sharpe, Stanfield, Turgeon, Watson, Webster (Stadacona), Willoughby.—50.

### Miscellaneous Private Bills

The Honourable Messieurs Barnard, Belcourt, Bénard, Bureau, Black, Boyer, Calder, Cloran, David, Farrell, Girroir, Griesbach, Harmer, Legris, Lynch-Staunton, McCoig, McCormick, McHugh, Mulholland, McLean, Pardee, Planta, Tanner, Todd, Wilson.—25.

#### Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts

The Honourable Messieurs Bostock (Speaker), Chapais, Copp, Crowe, Daniel, Farrell, Fisher, Gordon, L'Espérance, Legris, Lessard, McCoig, McLean, Michener, Montplaisir, Pope, Prowse, Robertson, Ross (Middleton), Sharpe, Stanfield, Tessier, Turriff, Watson, Webster (Brockville).—25.

## Finance -

The Honourable Messieurs Béique, Bureau, Dandurand, Foster (Alma), Foster, Sir George, Hardy, Kemp, Sir Edward, L'Espérance, Martin, Mac-Arthur, McLean, Michener, Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw), Smith, Turgeon, White (Inkerman).--17.

## Debates and Reporting

The Honourable Messieurs Béland, Blondin, Boyer, Chapais, Gillis, Hardy, L'Espérance, Poirier, White (Inkerman).—9.

### Divorce

The Honourable Messieurs Barnard, Fisher, McCoig, McMeans, Mulholland, Rankin, Robinson, Schaffner, Willoughby.-9.

## Agriculture and Forestry

The Honourable Messieurs Béique, Black, Bøyer, Crowe, Donnelly, King, McCoig, Webster (Brockville), Smith.—9.

#### Immigration and Labour

The Honourable Messieurs Calder, Dessaulles, Donnelly, Macdonell, MacArthur, McDonald, McMeans, Prowse, Robertson.—9.

## Commerce and Trade Relations of Canada

The Honourable Messieurs Foster, Sir George, Girroir, Lewis, McCormick, McLean, Mitchell, Schaffner, Stanfield, Thibaudeau.—9.

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## Public Health and Inspection of Foods

The Honourable Messieurs Béland, Belcourt, Bourque, Daniel, David, Mollov, Reid, Schaffner, Wilson.-9.

## Civil Service Administration

The Honourable Messieurs Belcourt, Bénard, Dessaulles, Donnelly, Foster (Alma), Griesbach, L'Espérance, Rankin, Robinson.-9.

## Public Buildings and Grounds

The Honourable Messieurs Black, Casgrain, Foster (Alma), Harmer, Havdon, McLennan, Mulhelland, Robertson, Watson.-9.

## Joint Committee on the Restaurant

The Honourable the Speaker, the Honourable Messieurs Blain, Green, Hardy, Sharpe, Taylor, Watson.-7.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### R. DANDURAND, Chairman.

Ordered. That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Dandurand laid on the Table:-

Annual Report of the Secretary of State of Canada, for the year ended 31st March, 1925.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Ordinances of the Yukon Territory, passed by the Yukon Council in the year 1925.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

The Honourable Mr. Béland laid on the Table:-

Annual Report of the Department of Health, for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1925.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Order in Council, dated 26th November, 1925 (P.C. 2089), by which a regulation was made under The Proprietary or Patent Medicine Act. (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Statement in respect of Sick and Distressed Mariners-Receipts and Expenditures, for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1925. (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Report on Health on Public Works, for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1925.

## (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Report of the work of the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, for the year ended 31st March, 1925.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

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Copies of Orders in Council, respecting Pensions to Returned Soldiers, as follows:---

P.C. 848, dated 29th May, 1925, respecting medical treatment and hospitalization to former members of the permanent forces of Canada or the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

## (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

P.C. 1300, dated 20th August, 1925, amending certain regulations established by Order in Council, P.C. 580, dated the 10th March, 1922, as amended by Order in Council 1127, dated the 26th June, 1923.

## (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

P.C. 1525, dated 5th September, 1925, respecting the formation of a Rehabilitation Committee with a view to the placement in industry of disabled exmembers of the forces.

## · (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

P.C. 1526, dated 7th September, 1925, respecting compensation in respect of pensioners of 20 per cent and upwards who are engaged in industry, and the issuing of the Governor General's warrant therefor.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

The Senate adjourned.



## ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

## Thursday, 14th January, 1926

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

## MOTIONS

## For Thursday, 14th January, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Willoughby:-

12th January—That the Committee on Divorce be authorized to consider and report upon an application for refund of the parliamentary fees paid, during the last session of Parliament, upon the petition of Ethel Foster, praying for a Bill of Divorce.

## **INQUIRIES** ·

## For Friday, 15th January, 1926

#### No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Black:-

13th January-That he will inquire from the Government:-

1. How many Preventive Officers, or other officials, have been appointed in Excise Department, by the Minister of Customs, or his Department, independent of and without reference to the Civil Service Commission, since 1st January, 1925, up to this date?

2. What is the total amount salaries paid to such officials?

3. Have the services of any of such appointees been used in the Department at Ottawa? If so, how many and what is the total amount of salaries paid to such appointees?

## ORDERS OF THE DAY

Note.—The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed; E. printed in English, F. in French.

## For Thursday, 14th January, 1926

#### No. 1.

13th January—Consideration of the Report of the Committee of Selection appointed to nominate Senators to serve on the several Standing Committees for the present session.—(Hon. Mr. Dandurand.)

#### No. 2.

12th January—Consideration of His Excellency the Governor General's Speech on the opening of the first Session of the fifteenth Parliament.—(Hon. Mr. Lewis.)

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# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

# THE SENATE OF CANADA

## Thursday, 14th January, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:---

Fisher,

## The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Martin,

Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard, Béland, Belcourt, Bénard, Black, Blondin, Bourque, Buchanan, Bureau, Calder, Casgrain, Chapais, Copp, Crowe, Dandurand, Daniel, David, Dessaulles, Donnelly, Farrell,

Foster, Foster (Sir George), Gillis, Girroir, Gordon, Green, Hardy, Harmer, Haydon, Hughes, Kemp (Sir Edward), King, Laird, Lavergne, Legris, L'Espérance, Lessard, Lewis, Macdonell,

MacArthur, McCoig, McCormick, McDonald, - McHugh, McLean, McLennan, McMeans, Michener, Molloy, Montplaisir, Mulholland, Murphy, Pardee. Planta, Poirier, Pope, Prowse, Rankin, Reid, Robertson,

Robinson, Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw), Schaffner. Sharpe, Smith, Stanfield, Tanner, Taylor, Tessier, Thibaudeau, Todd, Turgeon, Turriff, Watson, Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby.

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### PRAYERS.

The Honourable Mr. Dandurand laid on the Table:-

Return showing that no Orders in Council relative to water in the Railway Belt have been passed under the provisions of section four, chapter forty-five, of the statutes of 1913.

### (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Copies of ordinances in the Northwest Territories, passed for the period ending 7th January, 1926, in accordance with the provisions of section eleven, chapter sixty-two, of the statutes of 1906.

## (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Statement of Bonds and Securities registered in the Department of the Secretary of State of Canada, since last return submitted to Parliament of Canada, under section thirty-two, chapter nineteen, of *The Revised Statutes of Canada*, 1906.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

The Honourable Mr. Béland laid on the Table:---

Report of the Board of Pension Commissioners for Canada, for the year ended 31st March, 1925.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

The following petition was presented:-

By the Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton) :---

Of Archie Claire McIntyre, of the village of Hagersville, in the county of Haldimand, Ontario, merchant; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Phoebe Elizabeth Alberta McIntyre.

The following petition was read and received:-

Of the John E. Russell Company, Limited, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act providing that the term of duration of patent No. 113,760, dated 25th August, 1908, and terminating 25th August, 1926, for a lock-joint for concrete pipe, be extended for ten years.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Willoughby, it was-

Ordered, That the Committee on Divorce be authorized to consider and report upon an application for refund of the parliamentary fees paid, during the last session of Parliament, upon the petition of Ethel Foster, praying for a Bill of Divorce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the Report of the Committee of Selection, appointed to nominate Senators to serve on the several Standing Committees for the present Session.

The said Report was adopted.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of His Excellency the Governor General's Speech on the opening of the first session of the fifteenth Parliament, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Dandurand, it was-

Ordered,—That the Senators mentioned in the Report of the Committee of Selection as having been chosen to serve on the several Standing Committees during the present Session, be and they are hereby appointed to form part of and constitute the several Committees with which their respective names appear in said Report, to inquire into and report upon such matters as may be referred to them from time to time; and that the Committee on Standing Orders is authorized to send for persons, papers and records whenever required; and also that the Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts have power, without special reference by the House, to consider any matter affecting the Internal Economy of the Senate, as to which The Honourable the Speaker is not called upon to act by *The Civil Service Act*, and such Committee shall report the result of such consideration to the House for action.

### On motion of the Honourable Mr. Dandurand, it was-

Ordered,—That a Message be sent to the House of Commons, by one of the Clerks at the Table, to inform that House that The Honourable the Speaker, The Honourable Messieurs Beaubien, Chapais, David, Gillis, Gordon, Griesbach, Hardy, Laird, Lewis, McHugh, McLennan, Poirier, Taylor, Thibaudeau, Turriff and Webster (Brockville), have been appointed a Committee to assist The Honourable the Speaker in the direction of the Library of Parliament, so far as the interests of the Senate are concerned, and to act on behalf of the Senate as Members of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the said Library.

#### On motion of the Honourable Mr. Dandurand, it was-

Ordered,—That a Message be sent to the House of Commons, by one of the Clerks at the Table, to inform that House that the Honourable Messieurs Aylesworth, Sir Allen, Buchanan, Chapais, Dessaulles, Donnelly, Farrell, Green, Legris, McDonald, McLean, McLennan, Murphy, Pardee, Pope, Robertson, Sharpe, Taylor, Thibaudeau, Todd, White (Inkerman) and White (Pembroke), have been appointed a Committee to superintend the printing of the Senate during the present Session, and to act, on behalf of the Senate as Members of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the subject of the Printing of Parliament.

### On motion of the Honourable Mr. Dandurand, it was-

Ordered,—That a Message be sent to the House of Commons, by one of the Clerks at the Table, to inform that House that The Honourable the Speaker, The Honourable Messieurs Blain, Green, Hardy, Sharpe, Taylor and Watson, have been appointed a Committee to assist The Honourable the Speaker in the direction of the Restaurant of Parliament, so far as the interests of the Senate are concerned, and to act on behalf of the Senate as Members of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the said Restaurant.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion, it was-

Ordered, That Rule 105A of the Rules of the Senate be repealed; and that Rules 24a and 23a be suspended.

The Senate adjourned.



## ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

## Friday, 15th January, 1926

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

## **INOUIRIES**

## For Friday, 15th January, 1926

No. 1. By the Honourable Mr. Black:-

13th January-That he will inquire from the Government:-

1. How many Preventive Officers, or other officials, have been appointed in Excise Department, by the Minister of Customs, or his Department, independent of and without reference to the Civil Service Commission, since 1st January, 1925, up to this date?

2. What is the total amount salaries paid to such officials?

3. Have the services of any of such appointees been used in the Department at Ottawa? If so, how many and what is the total amount of salaries paid to such appointees?

## For Monday, 18th January, 1926

#### No. 2.

By the Honourable Mr. Black:-

14th January-That he will inquire from the Government:-

1. How many Preventive Officers, or other officials, have been appointed in Customs Department by the Minister of Customs, or his Department, independent of and without reference to the Civil Service Commission since 1st January, 1925, up to this date?

2. What is the total amount salaries paid to such officials?

3. Have the services of any such appointees been used in the Department at Ottawa? If so, how many and what is the total amount of salaries paid to such appointees?

## ORDERS OF THE DAY

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## For Friday, 15th January, 1926

#### No. 1.

14th January—Consideration of His Excellency the Governor General's Speech on the opening of the first Session of the fifteenth Parliament.—(Hon. Mr. Lewis.) A.D. 1926

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# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

# THE SENATE OF CANADA

## Friday, 15th January, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:---

Farrell,

The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard, Béland. Belcourt, Bénard, Black, Blondin, Bourque, Buchanan, Bureau, Calder. Casgrain, Chapais, Copp, Crowe, Curry, Dandurand, Daniel, David, Dessaulles. Donnelly,

Fisher, Foster, Foster (Sir George), Gillis, Girroir, Gordon. Green. Hardy, Harmer, Haydon, Hughes, King, Laird, Lavergne, Legris, L'Espérance, Lessard, Lewis, Macdonell, Martin,

MacArthur, McCoig, McCormick, McDonald, McHugh, McLean, McLennan, McMeans, Michener, Molloy, Montplaisir, Mulholland, Murphy, Pardee, Planta, Poirier, Pope, Prowse, Rankin, Reid, Robertson, Robinson,

Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw), Schaffner, Sharpe, Smith, Stanfield, Tanner, Taylor, Tessier, Thibaudeau, Todd, Turgeon, Turriff, Watson, Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby.

### PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally presented:-

By the Honourable Mr. Taylor:-

Of Arthur Watson, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Robina Fegan Watson;

Of William George Darlington, of Toronto, Ontario, clerk; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Mildred May Darlington;

Of Richard Howard Buckley, of Toronto, Ontario, efficiency clerk; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Edith Buckley.

By the Honourable Mr. Haydon:-

Of Helen Seymour O'Connor, presently residing in the village of Peekskill, in the state of New York, one of the United States of America; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Austin Richard Michael O'Connor.

The following petitions were severally read and received:-

Of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company; praying for the passage of an Act granting them authority to issue securities for the construction and extension of the Bassano Easterly Branch in the province of Alberta; and for an extension of time within which to construct certain branch lines in the province of Saskatchewan.

Of the Interprovincial and James Bay Railway Company; praying for the passage of an Act to extend the time within which they may construct a line of railway between Angliers or Ville Marie to a point near the headwaters of the Nottaway River in the province of Quebec.

The Honourable Mr. Tessier, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their first Report.

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

FRIDAY, 15th January, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders 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.

#### JULES TESSIER,

Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That Rule 24 (a) and (h) be suspended in respect to the said Report.

The said Report was then adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton), from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, presented their first Report.

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

FRIDAY, 15th January, 1926.

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.

W. B. ROSS, Acting Chairman.

## 15TH JANUARY

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That Rule 24 (a) and (h) be suspended in respect to the said Report.

The said Report was then adopted.

The Honourable Mr. L'Esperance, from the Standing Committee on Civil Service Administration, presented their first Report.

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

FRIDAY, 15th January, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Civil Service Administration 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.

D. O. L'ESPERANCE.

Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was-Ordered, That Rule 24 (a) and (h) be suspended in respect to the said Report.

The said Report was then adopted.

The Honourable Mr. White (Inkerman), from the Standing Committee on Finance, presented their first Report.

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

FRIDAY, 15th January, 1926.

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.

## SMEATON WHITE.

Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That Rule 24 (a) and (b) be suspended in respect to the said Report.

The said Report was then adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Robertson, from the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, presented their first Report.

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

FRIDAY, 15th January, 1926.

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.

G. D. ROBERTSON.

Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That Rule 24 (a) and (h) be suspended in respect to the said Report.

The said Report was then adopted. S 6-11

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The Honourable Mr. Robertson, from the Standing Committee on Immigration and Labour, presented their first Report.

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

## FRIDAY, 15th January, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Immigration and Labour 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.

G. D. ROBERTSON. Acting Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That Rule 24 (a) and (h) be suspended in respect to the said Report.

The said Report was then adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Chapais, from the Standing Committee on Debates and Reporting, presented their first Report.

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

## FRIDAY, 15th January, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Debates and Reporting 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.

## THOS. CHAPAIS. Acting Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That Rule 24 (a) and (h) be suspended in respect to the said Report.

The said Report was then adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Black, from the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, presented their first Report. The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:-

## FRIDAY, 15th January, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry 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.

## F. B. BLACK.

Acting Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That Rule 24 (a) and (h) be suspended in respect to the said Report.

The said Report was then adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Daniel, from the Standing Committee on Public Health and Inspection of Foods, presented their first Report. The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:-

## FRIDAY, 15th January, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Public Health and Inspection of Foods 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. W. DANIEL. Actina Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That Rule 24 (a) and (h) be suspended in respect to the said Report.

The said Report was then adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Daniel, from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, presented their first Report.

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

## FRIDAY, 15th January, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts 

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

All which is respectfully submitted.

## J. W. DANIEL, Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That Rule 24 (a) and (h) be suspended in respect to the said Report.

The said Report was then adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Stanfield, 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:-

## FRIDAY, 15th January, 1926.

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.

## JOHN STANFIELD. Acting Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That Rule 24 (a) and (h) be suspended in respect to the said Report.

The said Report was then adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, \* presented their first Report.

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

## FRIDAY, 15th January, 1926.

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

1. Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to three (3) Members for all purposes, including the taking of evidence upon oath as to the matters set forth in petitions for Bills of Divorce.

2. In view of the large number of applications for Bills of Divorce of which Notice has been given, your Committee recommend that leave be given them to sit during all adjournments of the Senate, and also during sittings of the Senate.

All which is respectfully submitted.

### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That Rule 24 (a) and (h) be suspended in respect to the said Report.

The said Report was then adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their second Report.

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

FRIDAY, 15th January, 1926.

In the matter of the petition of Ethel Foster, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Arthur Franklin Foster.

The Committee have, under the authority of the Resolution of the Senate passed on the 14th January, instant, considered an application for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid under Rule 140 in connection with the above petition during the last Session of Parliament.

The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of forty dollars to apply on printing costs.

All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That Rule 24 (a) and (h) be suspended in respect to the said Report.

The said Report was then adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Watson, from the Standing Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, presented their first Report.

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

### FRIDAY, 15th January, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds' beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:---

### 15TH JANUARY

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

All which is respectfully submitted.

## ROBERT WATSON, Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That Rule 24 (a) and (h) be suspended in respect to the said Report.

The said Report was then adopted.

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, 1925.

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

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of His Excellency the Governor General's Speech from the Throne at the opening of the present Session of Parliament, and the Honourable Mr. Lewis, seconded by the Honourable Mr. Lessard, moved:—

That the following Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General to offer the humble thanks of this House to His Excellency for the gracious Speech which he has been pleased to make to both Houses of Parliament; namely:—

To General His Excellency the Right Honourable Julian Hedworth George, Baron Byng of Vimy, General on the Retired List and in the Reserve of Officers of the Army; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of the Dominion of Canada.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:

We, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Senate of Canada, in Parliament assembled, beg leave to offer our humble thanks to Your Excellency for the gracious Speech which Your Excellency has addressed to both Houses of Parliament.

After debate, and—

The question of concurrence being put on the said motion, it was resolved in the affirmative, and—

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General by such Members of this House as are Members of the Privy Council.

On motion, it was-

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, the sixteenth day of February, next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

The Senate adjourned.

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# ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

## Tuesday, 16th February, 1926

Presentation of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Reading of Petitions. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

## INQUIRIES

## For Tuesday, 16th February, 1926

No. 1.

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By the Honourable Mr. Black:-

13th January-That he will inquire from the Government:---

1. How many Preventive Officers, or other officials, have been appointed in Excise Department, by the Minister of Customs, or his Department, independent of and without reference to the Civil Service Commission, since 1st January, 1925, up to this date?

2. What is the total amount salaries paid to such officials?

3. Have the services of any of such appointees been used in the Department at Ottawa? If so, how many and what is the total amount of salaries paid to such appointees?

## For Tuesday, 16th February, 1926

No. 2.

By the Honourable Mr. Black:-

14th January-That he will inquire from the Government:-

1. How many Preventive Officers, or other officials, have been appointed in Customs Department by the Minister of Customs, or his Department, independent of and without reference to the Civil Service Commission since 1st January, 1925, up to this date?

2. What is the total amount salaries paid to such officials?

3. Have the services of any such appointees been used in the Department at Ottawa? If so, how many and what is the total amount of salaries paid to such appointees?

## MOTION

## For Tuesday, 16th February, 1926

No. 1.

The Honourable Mr. Taylor will move:-

15th January—That a humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General praying that His Excellency will cause to be laid before the Senate copy of any agreement between the Government of Canada, or any department thereof and the Government of the Province of British Columbia for the transfer to the Government of British Columbia or to any persons on their behalf or at their instance of vacant Dominion lands underlying or abutting upon Sumas Lake; together with all correspondence and all Orders in Council relating to said transfer or proposed transfer or to any matters arising therefrom. Also for a copy of any accounts received from said Provincial Government of the proceeds of any sales of Dominion lands so acquired and of any expense incurred by the Province in connection with the reclamation of lands included in the proposed transfer.

## No. 7

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

## OF

# THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 16th February, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:-

The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

## The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Beaubien, Béique, Béland, Belcourt, Blondin, Bureau, Calder, Casgrain, Dandurand, Farrell, Foster, Girroir, Hardy, Harmer, Haydon, Hughes, King, Legris, L'Espérance, Lewis, Macdonell, Martin, McDonald, 7 McLean, 7 Molloy, 7 Murphy, 7 Poirier, 7 Pope, 7 Prowse, 7 Rankin, 7 Robertson, 7 Ross (Middleton), 7 Schaffner, 7 Tanner, 7

Turgeon, Turriff, Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Wilson.

## PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally presented:-

By the Honourable Mr. Webster (Stadacona):-

Of Edith Annie Say, of Montreal, Quebec, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Conrad Say.

By the Honourable Mr. Lewis:-

Of Isabella Freeman, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Harry Freeman .

> By the Honourable Mr. Schaffner for the Honourable Sir Edward Kemp:-

Of Jane J. M. Wells, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Ralph C. Wells.

By the Honourable Mr. Turriff:-

Of Alice Grace Hopkins, of Hamilton, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with George Hopkins.

Of Lily Stead, of Hamilton, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Arthur Stead.

By the Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton):-

Of Samuel Wexler, of Montreal, Quebec, manufacturer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Matilda Lentzner Wexler.

By the Honourable Mr. Haydon for the Honourable Mr. Pardee:-

Of Janet Thronhill Gorrie, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Daniel Gorrie.

By the Honourable Mr. Pope:-

Of Ezillah Harriet Cole, of Ottawa, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Frederick James Cole.

Of David Joseph Potter, of Ottawa, Ontario, civil servant; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Emily Potter.

Of Stanley Bennett, of Toronto, Ontario, librarian; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Edith Louise Bennett.

Of Louise Gordon Pook, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Sidney Herbert Pook. Of Harold Wilfrid Vivian Vincent Turner, of Montreal, Quebec, wireless

operator; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Jeanette Bourbonnais Turner.

Of Walter Harold Bingley, of Toronto, Ontario, chauffeur; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Flossie Jane Bingley.

By the Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke) :---

Of Mabel Victoria Westerby, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Charles Westerby.

Of Amber May Wolfenden, of the town of Grimsby, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Hugh Wolfenden. Of Bleecker Foy Maidens, of Belleville, Ontario, clerk; praying for the

passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Henrietta Elmina Maidens.

Of Enda Beatrice Burley, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Oliver Burley.

Of George Almon Wickett, of Belleville, Ontario, labourer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Celia Maria Wickett.

By the Honourable Mr. Schaffner for the Honourable Mr. Taylor:-

Of Maude Elizabeth Gilroy, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Francis Gilroy.

Of Henrietta Schierholtz, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Frank Schierholtz.

Of Frances Marjorie Warren, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Erskine Douglas Warren.

By the Honourable Mr. Schaffner for the Honourable Mr. Green:— Of Samuel Pavelling, of Toronto, Ontario, postman; praying for the passage

of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Emma Elizabeth Pavelling.

By the Honourable Mr. Schaffner for the Honourable Mr. Willoughby:— Of Frances Muriel Burnet, of Cobourg, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Dinwoodie Burnet.

By the Honourable Mr. Schaffner:-

Of Katherine Landon Foley, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with George Nelson Foley.

Of William Thomas Charlton Spence, of Toronto, Ontario, automobile mechanic; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Eva Florence Spence.

Of Maxime Demers, of the town of Brownsburg, in the county of Chatham, Quebec, labourer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Alexina Courtemanche Demers.

Of Jessie Patterson, of Hamilton, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Howard Kingsley Patterson.

Of May Maud Mary Johnson, of Hamilton, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Edward Johnson.

Of Noel Leslie Deuxbury, of Hamilton, Ontario, machinist; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Florence Deuxbury.

Of Edward Thomas Faragher, of Hillsdale, in the county of Simcoe, Ontario, mail carrier; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marie Faragher.

Of Sterling LeRoy Spicer, of Toronto, Ontario, physician; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Amy Glenmore Spicer.

Of David Frank Crosier, of the village of Hannon, in the county of Wentworth, Ontario, farmer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Agnes Corona Crosier.

Of Amy Bell Corney, of Hamilton, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Arthur Corney.

Of Isabella Stewart Carmichael Wilson, of the town of New Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Almer Frederick Hamilton Wilson.

Of Sadie Joy Downey, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Morris Chester Downey.

Of Jean Victoria Dillane, of the township of Nichol, in the county of Wellington, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Adams Dillane.

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Of Lillian May O'Reilly, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with William Hewson O'Reilly.

Of John Andrew Reid, of Guelph, Ontario, railway engineer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Beatrice Evelyn Reid.

By the Honourable Mr. Haydon:-

Of Helen Elby Pollington, of Hamilton, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with George Norman Pollington.

Of William Melville Moore, of Toronto, Ontario, mechanic; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Emily Moore.

Of Benjamin Rapp, of Toronto, Ontario, druggist; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Katie Cutler Rapp.

Of Isadore Budner (otherwise known as Isadore Boadner) of Toronto, Ontario, driver; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Lena Budner or Boadner.

Of Marion Richardson, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with James Henry Richardson.

Of John Angus Darrach, of Dunedin, Queen's County, Prince Edward Island, farmer; praying for the passage of an Act to annul his marriage with Jane Darrach.

Of Alice Victoria McGibbon, of the town of Georgetown, in the county of Halton, Ontario, designer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Oswald McGibbon.

Of Hazel Pearle Clark Pearcy, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Gordon Montgomery Pearcy.

Of Elsie Fray, of Toronto, Ontario, clerk; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Ernest Arthur Fray.

Of Harold Edgar Perinchief, of Toronto, Ontario, interior decorator; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Winifred Perinchief.

Of Florence Burrell, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with George Frederick Burrell.

Of James Alfred McCabe, of Toronto, Ontario, painter; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Elizabeth Helen Ashton McCabe.

Of John Sydney Wright, of Toronto, Ontario, butcher; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Louisa Wright.

Of John Samuel Milligan, of Toronto, Ontario, barber; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Leta Noreen Milligan.

Of Cassie Woodley, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Harold Woodley.

Of John Lauron Garfield Evans, of Toronto, Ontario, clerk; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Audrey Evans.

Of Gertrude Clark, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Allie Clark.

Of William Albert Thomas, of the township of King, in the county of York, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Cora Jane Thomas.

Of Frederick Vinette, of the village of Thornloe, in the district of Temiskaming, Ontario, farmer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Rosa Anna Vinette.

Of Alexander Dewar, of Ottawa, Ontario, locomotive engineer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Johannah Dewar.

Of Mike Ayoub (otherwise known as Michael Ayoub) of Ansonville, Ontario, merchant; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Saude (Sadie) Ayoub.

#### 16TH FEBRUARY

By the Honourable Mr. Béique:-

Of the Quebec, Montreal and Southern Railway Company.

By the Honourable Mr. Robertson:-

Of the Grand Orange Lodge of British America.

By the Honourable Mr. Haydon:-

Of The Detroit and Windsor Sub-Way Company.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their second Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 16th February, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their second Report, as follows:—

The Committee recommend:-

1. That the time limited for receiving petitions for Private Bills be extended to Thursday, the 27th May, next.

2. That the time limited for receiving Private Bills be extended to Thursday, the 10th June, next.

3. That the time limited for receiving Reports of any Standing or Select Committee on Private Bills be extended to Thursday, the 24th June, next.

All which is respectfully submitted.

## F. L. SCHAFFNER,

Acting Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,—That Rule 24 (a) and (h) be suspended in respect to the said Report.

The said Report was then adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their third Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 16th February, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their third Report, as follows:—

The Committee have examined the following petitions and find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, viz:—

Of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company; praying for the passage of an Act to authorize the construction of a railway line from (a) Duchess or Rosemary, in the province of Alberta, and (b) from Rosetown to Keppel or Perdue, in the province of Saskatchewan; also to extend the time for the commencement and completion of a line from Asquith to Cloan, in the province of Saskatchewan.

Of the Interprovincial and James Bay Railway Company; praying for the passage of an Act to extend the time for commencement and completion of a line of railway from Angliers, or Ville Marie to the headwaters of the Nottaway River, in the province of Quebec.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### F. L. SCHAFFNER,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered,-That the said Report do lie on the Table.

The Honourable the Speaker presented to the Senate-

A Return by the Clerk of the Senate with reference to the Property Qualification of Senators.

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

Office of the Clerk,

Ottawa, 16th February, 1926.

Sir,—I have the honour to transmit to you herewith, for the information of the Honourable the Senate, a list of the names of the members of the Senate who have signed a renewed declaration of their property qualification during the first twenty days of the present Session of Parliament, in compliance with the 105th Rule of the House.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant.

A. E. BLOUNT, Clerk of the Senate.

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The Honourable Hewitt Bostock, P.C., Speaker of the Senate.

The Honourable Messieurs:

Aylesworth, Barnard. Beaubien. Béique. Belcourt, Benard, Black. Blondin, Bostock (Speaker). Bourque, Calder, Casgrain. Chapais. Cloran, Crowe. Curry, Dandurand, Daniel, David, Dessaulles. Donnelly, Farrell, Fisher, Foster (Alma). Foster (Ottawa), Gillis,

Girroir, Gordon, Green. Hardy, Harmer. Havdon, Kemp. King, Laird. Lavergne, Legris, L'Espérance, Macdonell, Martin. McCoig, McCormick. McDonald. McHugh, McLean, McLennan. McMean. Michener, Montplaisir. Mulholland, Pardee, Planta,

Pope, Prowse. Reid, Robertson, Robinson, Ross (Moose Jaw). Ross (Middleton), Schaffner. Sharpe, Smith. Stanfield. Tanner, Taylor, Tessier. Thibaudeau, Todd, Turgeon, Turriff. Watson, Webster (Brockville). Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby, and Wilson.

A. E. BLOUNT, Clerk of the Senate.

Ordered,-That the same do lie on the Table.

#### 16TH FEBRUARY

The Honourable the Speaker laid on the Table the following Report from The Civil Service Commission, exempting from the operation of *The Civil Ser*vice Act, in so far as appointments are concerned, the Senate positions of—

> First Clerk Assistant, and— Second Clerk Assistant:—

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF CANADA

#### OTTAWA, 18th January, 1926.

### To the Honourable the Senate of Canada:

The Honourable the Speaker of the Senate in accordance with a Resolution of the Senate, adopted on the 9th day of June, 1925, has submitted to the Civil Service Commission, through the Clerk of the Senate, a request that the positions of First Clerk Assistant and Second Clerk Assistant on the Senate Staff should be exempted from the operation of *The Civil Service Act*, and the Civil Service Commission having, upon a previous occasion, adopted the principle that it seemed fitting the right of appointment of those officers who have seats upon the floor of either Houses of Parliament should, if requested by such honourable body or bodies, be released from the operation of *The Civil Service Act*, 1918, as amended, and the right of appointment transferred from the Civil Service Commission to the House respectively concerned.

In pursuance of this decision, and upon request set out in the first paragraph thereof, the undersigned Civil Service Commissioners have the honour to recommend that under the provisions of section 38B of *The Civil Service Act*, 1918, as amended, the following positions on the staff of the Senate of Canada be excluded from the operation of *The Civil Service Act* in so far as the appointments thereto are concerned; but that in all other respects they should be subject to the provisions of the said *Civil Service Act*, 1918, and amendments, namely:—

First Clerk Assistant,

Second Clerk Assistant.

It is further recommended, as required by said section 38B that such positions are to be dealt with, as follows, namely:—

"That the said positions be filled by Resolution of the Honourable the Senate."

Respectfully submitted.

## HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker of the Senate.

C. JAMESON,

Commissioner.

- M. G. LA ROCHELLE, Commissioner.

Ordered,-That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable Mr. Dandurand laid on the Table:— Copy of Order in Council, P.C. 1237, containing Dress Regulations for the Royal Canadian Air Force, 1925.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

General Orders; Militia Orders; and Appointments, Promotions and Retirements, Canadian Militia, from 1st January, 1925, to 1st December, 1925. (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.)

## THE SENATE

Orders in Council Nos. 1064, 1065, 2055 and 2056 in connection with Officers and Men of the Royal Canadian Navy.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Report of the Department of National Defence of Canada, for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1925—Militia Service and Air Service. (English and French Editions.)

## (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Report of the Department of National Defence of Canada, for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1925. (Naval Service.) (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.)

Annual Report of the Department of Railways and Canals, for the fiscal year from 1st April, 1924, to 31st March, 1925. (English and French Editions.) (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.)

Annual Report of the Commissioner of Highways, from 1st April, 1924, to 31st March, 1925. (English and French Editions.) (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.)

Return showing statements of Remissions and Refunds in Tolls and Duties recorded in the Department of the Secretary of State of Canada, for the year ended 31st March, 1925, submitted to the Parliament of Canada under subsection five, section ninety-two, of chapter twenty-four of *The Revised Statutes* of *Canada*.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Annual Report of the Department of Immigration and Colonization, for the year ended 31st March, 1925.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Copy of the Joint Report of the International Boundary Commission upon the Survey and Demarcation of the boundary between the United States and Canada, from the source of the St. Croix River to the St. Lawrence River, and— Also,—Joint maps accompanying the said Report.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons, by their Clerk, in the following words:—

## TUESDAY, 19th January, 1926.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate informing their Honours that this House hath passed an Address to His Most Excellent Majesty the King, expressing the deep regret and heartfelt sorrow of the House at the demise of Her Majesty the late Queen Mother Alexandra and requesting their Honours to unite with this House in the said Address, hereto attached; and—

Ordered,-That the Clerk do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE, Clerk of the Commons. The said Address to His Majesty was then read by the Clerk, and is as follows:---

To the King's Most Excellent Majesty:-

Most Gracious Sovereign:-

We, Your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Commons of Canada, in Parliament assembled, approach Your Majesty with the expression of our deep and heartfelt sorrow at the demise of Her Majesty the Queen Mother.

We deplore the loss of Queen Alexandra whose manifold and exalted virtues have for three generations commanded the respect and admiration of the world, and there has come to each of us a sense of personal bereavement which, we say it with all possible respect and duty, makes Your Majesty's sorrow our own.

We pray that the God of consolation may comfort Your Majesty and the members of the Royal Family in their affliction, and that your Majesty may be long spared as the Sovereign of this great Empire.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Dandurand, it was moved,-

That the Senate doth agree with the House of Commons in the said Address and do fill in the blank space therein with the words "Senate and".

The question of concurrence being put on the said motion, it was-

Resolved in the affirmative, and-

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Dandurand, it was-

Ordered,—That the Honourable the Speaker do sign the said Address on behalf of the Senate, and it was further—

Ordered,—That a Message be sent to the House of Commons by one of the Clerks at the Table to acquaint that House that the Senate hath agreed to the said Address to His Most Excellent Majesty the King, and have filled in the blank space therein with the words "Senate and".

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Dandurand, it was-

Ordered,—That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, in the following words:—

To General His Excellency the Right Honourable Julian. Hedworth George, Baron Byng of Vimy, General on the Retired List and in the Reserve of Officers of the Army; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of the Dominion of Canada.

## MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:

We, the Senate and of Canada, in Parliament assembled, have agreed to an Address to His Most Excellent Majesty the King expressing our deep and heartfelt sorrow at the demise of Hor Majesty the Queen Mother, and respectfully request Your Excellency will be pleased to transmit the said Address in such a way as Your Excellency may see fit, in order that it may be laid at the foot of the Throne.

## On motion of the Honourable Mr. Dandurand, it was-

Ordered,—That the Honourable the Speaker do sign the said Address on behalf of the Senate, and it was furtherOrdered,—That a Message be sent to the House of Commons by one of the Clerks at the Table to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Address to which they desire their concurrence.

With leave of the Senate, it was— Ordered,—That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, the sixth day of April, next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate adjourned.

**16TH FEBRUARY** 

# ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

# Tuesday, 6th April, 1926

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# INQUIRIES

# For Tuesday, 6th April, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Black:-

16th February-That he will inquire from the Government:---

1. How many Preventive Officers, or other officials, have been appointed in Excise Department, by the Minister of Customs, or his Department, independent of and without reference to the Civil Service Commission, since 1st January, 1925, up to this date?

2. What is the total amount salaries paid to such officials?

3. Have the services of any of such appointees been used in the Department at Ottawa? If so, how many and what is the total amount of salaries paid to such appointees?

No. 2.

By the Honourable Mr. Black:-

16th February-That he will inquire from the Government:-

1. How many Preventive Officers, or other officials, have been appointed in Customs Department by the Minister of Customs, or his Department, independent of and without reference to the Civil Service Commission since 1st January, 1925, up to this date?

2. What is the total amount salaries paid to such officials?

3. Have the services of any such appointees been used in the Department at Ottawa? If so, how many and what is the total amount of salaries paid to such appointees?

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# MOTIONS

# For Tuesday, 6th April, 1926

# No. 1.

# The Honourable Mr. Taylor will move:-

16th February—That a humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General praying that His Excellency will cause to be laid before the Senate copy of any agreement between the Government of Canada, or any department thereof and the Government of the Province of British Columbia for the transfer to the Government of British Columbia or to any persons on their behalf or at their instance of vacant Dominion lands underlying or abutting upon Sumas Lake; together with all correspondence and all Orders in Council relating to said transfer or proposed transfer or to any matters arising therefrom. Also for a copy of any accounts received from said Provincial Government of the proceeds of any sales of Dominion lands so acquired and of any expense incurred by the Province in connection with the reclamation of lands included in the proposed transfer.

No. 2.

# The Honourable Mr. Girroir will move:--

16th February—For a copy of all papers on file in the Department of Immigration and Colonization, relating to the case of:

# The King vs. Jungo Lee

a Chinaman about to be deported.

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# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

# THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 6th April, 1926

8 p.m.

The Members convened were:---

The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

# The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth McHugh, Gordon, Smith, (Sir Allen), Griesbach, Stanfield. McLean, Béique, Haydon, McLennan, Tanner, Black, Hughes, McMeans, Tessier, Buchanan, King, Montplaisir, Todd, Bureau, Lavergne, Mulholland. Turgeon, Calder. Legris, Murphy, Turriff, Casgrain, L'Espérance, Pardee. Webster Dandurand, Lessard, Poirier. (Brockville). Daniel. Lewis. Pope, White Donnelly, Lynch-Staunton. Prowse. (Inkerman), Farrell, MacArthur, Rankin, White Macdonell, Fisher, Robertson, (Pembroke), Foster Martin. Robinson, Willoughby, (Sir George), McCoig, Ross (Middleton), Wilson. Gillis. McCormick, . Schaffner, Girroir. McDonald. Sharpe,

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#### PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Speaker presented to the Senate the following Message from His Excellency the Governor General, under His Sign Manual, reading as follows:—

#### Honourable Gentlemen of the Senate:

I have received with great pleasure the Address that you have voted in reply to my Speech at the Opening of Parliament and thank you for it sincerely.

#### BYNG OF VIMY.

#### GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

# OTTAWA, 9th March, 1926.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons, by their Clerk, in the following words:—

# MONDAY, 22nd February, 1926.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to acquaint their Honours that this House doth unite with the Senate in an Address to His Excellency the Governor General praying His Excellency to transmit the Joint Address of both Houses to His Most Excellent Majesty the King, expressing the deep regret and heartfelt sorrow at the demise of Her Majesty the late Queen Mother, in such a way as to His Excellency may seem fit, in order that the same may be laid at the foot of the Throne, and have filled in the blank space therein with the word "Commons".

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

## ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE, Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered,-That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable the Speaker presented to the Senate the following Message, from His Excellency the Governor General, under His Sign Manual, reading as follows:—

#### Honourable Gentlemen of the Senate:

I have the honour to thank you for the Resolution of the Senate forwarding an Address to His Most Excellent Majesty the King expressing the deep regret and heartfelt sorrow of the Senate and Commons of Canada at the demise of Her Majesty the Queen Mother. I have forwarded this Address to the Secretary of State for Dominion Affairs in order that it may be duly laid at the foot of the Throne.

## BYNG OF VIMY.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

OTTAWA, The 19th March, 1926.

Ordered,—That the same do lie on the Table.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons, by their Clerk, in the following words:—

WEDNESDAY, 24th March, 1926.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate informing Their Honours that this House has appointed Messieurs Baker, Bird, Bourassa, Cahan, Carmichael, Deslauriers, Fish, Forke, Garland (Carleton), Hatfield, King, Mac-

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kenzie (Prince Albert), McIntosh, Meighen, Neill, Pouliot, Prevost, Quinn, Rinfret, Sterling and Thompson, a Committee to assist His Honour the Speaker in the direction of the Library of Parliament so far as the interests of the House of Commons are concerned, and to act on behalf of the House of Commons as members of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the Library.

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

## ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,

Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered,-That the same do lie on the Table.

#### WEDNESDAY, 24th March, 1926.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to acquaint Their Honours that this House will unite with them in the formation of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the subject of the Printing of Parliament, and that the Members of the Select Standing Committee on Printing, viz:—Messieurs Baldwin, Charters, Donaghy, Edwards (Waterloo South), Embury, Esling, Evans, Hannesson, Hocken, Hubbs, Lapierre, McGibbon, McIntosh, Malcolm, Marcil, Prevost, Quinn, Raymond, Rinfret, St. Père, Speakman, Steedsman and White (Mount Royal), will act as members on the part of this House on the said Joint Committee on the Printing of Parliament.

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

#### ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,

Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered,-That the same do lie on the Table.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons, by their Clerk, in the following words:—

## . WEDNESDAY, 24th March, 1926.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to acquaint Their Honours that this House has appointed Messieurs Black (Yukon), Carmichael, Clark, Fiset (Sir Eugene), Howden, Kay, Ryckman, Stork and Wilson (Wentworth) to assist His Honour the Speaker in the direction of the Restaurant, as far as the interests of the Commons are concerned, and to act as Members of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the Restaurant.

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

## ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,

Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered,—That the same do lie on the Table.

The following petitions were severally presented:-

By the Honourable Mr. Schaffner:-

Of Ernest Love, of Hamilton, Ontario, machinist; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Florrie Underwood Love.

Of Margaret Lambert, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Edgar Lambert.

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Of Goldie Luella Russell, of Ottawa, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Orville Russell.

Of Gladys Lucie White, of London, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Harold Charles White.

Of Bertha Amelia Bartelet, of Kitchener, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Henry Eugene Bertelet.

Of Ernest Ashton, of Toronto, Ontario, tobacconist; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Jennie Ashton.

Of Ernest Johnson, of Toronto, Ontario, decorator; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Annie Johnson.

Of Agnes Seeds, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with David McIntyre Seeds.

Of Robert Douglas Ian McLeod, of Toronto, Ontario, lumber salesman; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Meda Grace McLeod.

Of Mary Margaret McColgan Vinette Graydon, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Thomas Graydon.

Of Daisie Hawkey, of the town of Burlington, in the county of Wentworth, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Thomas David Hawkey.

By the Honourable Mr. Haydon:-

Of Lillie May Brown Nichols, of Guelph, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with William Charles Nichols.

Of Charles Stanley Reed Riches, of Toronto, Ontario, solicitor; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Violet Halling Riches.

Of John Wilson, of Toronto, Ontario, builder; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Sarah Wilson.

Of Ethel Beatrice Walker, of Hamilton, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Frank Thomas Walker.

Of Robert Edward Greig, of Toronto, Ontario, plumber; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Edith May Hardy Greig.

Of Bernard Thomas Graham, of the township of York, Ontario, vegetable dealer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Lillian Jane Graham.

Of James Gibb Erskine, of Ottawa, Ontario, salesman; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Gladys Muriel Hall Erskine.

Of Mabel Anne Dixon, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with George Robert Brown Dixon.

Of George Elgie Dulyea, of Brockville, Ontario, commercial traveller; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Jean Dulyea.

Of Copland William Evans, of Toronto, Ontario, agent; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Mary Anna Evans.

Of John Jones, of the township of Sombra, in the county of Lambton, Ontario, farmer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Edna Jones.

Of Edith Swartz, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Louis Swartz.

Of Elias Malky, of the town of Beauceville, in the county of Beauce, Quebec, dry goods merchant; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Zohran Malky.

Of Arthur John Harman, of Toronto, Ontario, truck driver; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Gladys Elizabeth Harman. Of Ethel Maud Hargraft, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Ross Hargraft.

Of Olivia Maud Graham, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with William Henry Graham.

Of Mary Booth, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Almer Ernest Booth.

Of Frederick William Orr, of St. Thomas, Ontario, railroad employee; praying for the passage of an Act to annul his marriage with Grace Florence Orr.

By the Honourable Mr. Willoughby:-

Of Olive Mary Mead, of Guelph, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Arthur William Mead.

Of Margaret Ann Higgins, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with William Clarence Higgins.

Of Alice Elizabeth Blakely, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Frederick Harold Blakely.

By the Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke) :---

Of Bessie Hyde Lanyon Calhoun, of London, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to annul her marriage with Gordon Wilkinson Calhoun.

Of Edward Barker, of the village of Arden, in the county of Frontenac, Ontario, telephone operator; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Ruth Coral Barker.

By the Honourable Mr. Gordon:--

Of Mabel Ellen Barrett, of Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Harry Charles Barrett.

By the Honourable Mr. Robertson:-

Of Ethel Harriet Little, of Belleville, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Thomas Henry James Little.

Of Frederick George Jones, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Isabell Jones.

By the Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton):-

Of Marjorie Esther Splan, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with James Clifford Splan.

By the Honourable Mr. Pardee:-

Of Elizabeth Wright, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Kenneth Wycott Wright.

The following petitions were severally read and received:---

Of the Quebec, Montreal and Southern Railway Company; praying for the passage of an Act to extend the time within which to complete the construction of its railway as authorized by sections eight and nine of chapter 150 of the statutes of 1906.

Of the Grand Orange Lodge of British America; praying for the passage of an Act to authorize them to increase the amount which it may undertake to pay to the beneficiaries out of the Benefit Fund and for other purposes.

Of William Johnston, and others of Ottawa, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act of incorporation under the name of Detroit and Windsor Subway Company. The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their third Report.

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

## TUESDAY, 23rd March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their third Report, as follows:-

1. The Committee recommend that the time limited for receiving petitions for Bills of Divorce be extended to Friday, 30th April, 1926.

All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY.

Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,—That Rule 24 (a) and (h) be suspended in respect to the said Report.

The said Report was then adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fourth Report.

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

## TUESDAY, 23rd March, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Cora Mae Murray, presently of the city of Windsor, Ontario, stewardess, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Isaac Murray, of the town of Wiarton, Ontario, sailor, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$105.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY.

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifth Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 23rd March, 1926.

1. With respect to the petition of Mike Ayoub, otherwise known as Michael Ayoub, of Ansonville, Ontario, merchant, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Saude (Sadie) Ayoub, of the city of Akron, Ohio, U.S.A., the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects. 2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. B. WILLOUGHBY.

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixth Report.

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

TUESDAY, 23rd March, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Vera Catherine Searle, of the city of Fort William, Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Charles William Searle, grain inspector, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY.

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventh Report.

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

## TUESDAY, 23rd March, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of George Guthrie, of the town of Almonte, Ontario, insurance agent, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Elizabeth Lowe Guthrie, of the city of Toronto, in the said province, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY.

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next. The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighth Report.

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

## TUESDAY, 23rd March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eighth Report, as follows:----

1. With respect to the petition of Sidney Charles Frost, presently residing in the township of Chapleau, in the province of Outario, bridge and building inspector, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Edith Agatha Frost, presently residing in the city of Doncaster, England, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY.

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their ninth Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 23rd March, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Jean Victoria Dillane, of the township of Nichol, in the county of Wellington, Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Adams Dillane, of the city of Toronto, Ontario, contractor, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY.

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next,

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their tenth Report.

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

## WEDNESDAY, 24th March, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Beatrice Isobel Lamontagne, of the city of Ottawa, Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Walter Miller Lamontagne, of the city of Montreal, Quebec, sign writer, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eleventh Report.

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

WEDNESDAY, 24th March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eleventh Report as follows:----

1. With respect to the petition of Elizabeth Gertrude Orr, of the city of Windsor, Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Charles Marshall Orr, of the city of Windsor, Ontario, automobile dealer, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

. 2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twelfth Report.

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

WEDNESDAY, 24th March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twelfth Report as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Edith Marion Byam, of the city of Toronto, Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Edgar Otto Byam, of the said city, merchant, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirteenth Report.

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

## WEDNESDAY, 24th March, 1926.

1. With respect to the petition of Melville James Andrews, of the city of Toronto, Ontario, advertising salesman, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with

Eva Frances Andrews, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

. The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fourteenth Report.

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

# WEDNESDAY, 24th March, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Bertha Viola Lidkea, of the town of Mount Dennis, in the county of York, Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Clifford William Lidkea, of the city of North Bay, Ontario, labourer, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifteenth Report.

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

# WEDNESDAY, 24th March, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Alice Marion McGinley, of the city of London, Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Alfred Emison McGinley, of the city of Montreal, Quebec, journalist, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.
 The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees be refunded to

the petitioner, less the sum of \$75.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next. The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixteenth Report.

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

## WEDNESDAY, 24th March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their sixteenth Report, as follows:--

1. With respect to the petition of Ethel Alberta Barker, of the city of Toronto, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with William Barron Barker, of the said city, salesman, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventeenth Report.

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

#### WEDNESDAY, 24th March, 1926.

1. With respect to the petition of Harold Edgar Perinchief, of the city of Toronto. Ontario, interior decorator, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Winifred Perinchief, presently of New York, N.Y., U.S.A., the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighteenth Report

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

# WEDNESDAY, 24th March, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Hendel Tuerner Lubrinetsky, of the city of Montreal, Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Samuel Lubrinetsky, of the said city, tavern keeper, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects. 2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their nineteenth Report.

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

# WEDNESDAY, 24th March, 1926.

1. With respect to the petition of Janet Thornhill Gorrie, of the city of Toronto, Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Daniel Gorrie, of the said city, accountant, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twentieth Report.

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

## WEDNESDAY, 24th March, 1926.

1. With respect to the petition of Paul Hugh Turnbull, of the city of London, Ontario, trusts officer, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Alice Beatrice Turnbull, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-first Report.

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

# TUESDAY, 23rd March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-first Report, as follows:-

1. With respect to the petition of Lillian DuBord Bulloch, of the city of Montreal, Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Alexander Bulloch,

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of the said city, chauffeur, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$105.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

# Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-second Report.

# TUESDAY, 23rd March, 1926.

1. With respect to the petition of Isabella Freeman, of Toronto, Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Harry Freeman, of the said city, labourer, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.
 The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees be refunded to

the petitioner, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-third Report.

# THURSDAY, 25th March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-third Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Harry Reginald Oddy, of the city of Toronto, Ontario, labourer, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Annie Oddy, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2: The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. 3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under

Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next. The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-fourth Report.

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

# THURSDAY, 25th March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-fourth Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Alice Grace Hopkins, of the city of Hamilton, Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with George Hopkins, of the said city, railway employee, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY, Chairman,

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-fifth Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 23rd March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-fifth Report, as follows:-

1. With respect to the petition of Mildred Roxie Horner, of the town of Aurora, Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Elmer Horner, of the township of Whitchurch, in the county of York, Ontario, labourer, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.
 The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-sixth Report.

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

#### THURSDAY, 25th March, 1926.

1. With respect to the petition of John Norman Smith McMurray, of the city of Toronto, Ontario, moulder, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Minnie Dake McMurray, of the city of Chicago, Illinois, U.S.A., the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been compiled with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

W. B. WILLOUGHBY. Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce. presented their twenty-seventh Report.

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

THURSDAY, 25th March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-seventh Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Doris Selina Irvin, of the city of Toronto. Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Walton Irvin, of the said city, commercial traveller, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY, Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-eighth Report.

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

## THURSDAY, 25th March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-eighth Report, as follows:-

1. With respect to the petition of Charles Davidson, of the city of Toronto, Ontario, labourer, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Helen Davidson, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

 The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.
 The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-ninth Report.

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

# THURSDAY, 25th March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-ninth Report, as follows: $\rightarrow$ 

1. With respect to the petition of Annie Hazel McCausland, of the town of Alliston, in the county of Simcoe, Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Frederick James McCausland, of the town of Burwash, Ontario, labourer, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

 The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.
 The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.-

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirtieth Report.

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

## THURSDAY, 25th March, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Lily Stead, of the city of Hamilton, Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Arthur Stead, of the said eity, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

> W. B. WILLOUGHBY, Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-first Report.

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

## THURSDAY, 25th March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-first Report, as follows:----

1. With respect to the petition of Helen Elby Pollington, of the city of Hamilton, Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with George Norman Pollington, of the said city, clerk, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

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2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-second Report.

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

THURSDAY, 25th March, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Jane Johnston Mitchell Wells, of the city of Toronto, Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Ralph Custeod Wells, formerly of the said city, book-keeper, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-third Report.

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

#### THURSDAY, 25th March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-third Report, as follows:-

1. With respect to the petition of Frances Marjorie Warren, of the city of Toronto, Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Erskine Douglas Warren, formerly of the said city, financial agent, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-fourth Report.

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

FRIDAY, 26th March, 1926

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-fourth Report, as follows:--

1. With respect to the petition of Arthur Watson, of the city of Toronto. Ontario, metal worker, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Robina Fegan

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Watson, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

 The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.
 The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY, Chairman.

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

.The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-fifth Report.

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

## FRIDAY, 26th March, 1926

1. With respect to the petition of Gertrude Burnside, of the city of Montreal, Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Kenneth Stewart Burnside, of the said city, secretary, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, , presented their thirty-sixth Report.

## FRIDAY, 26th March, 1926

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

1. With respect to the petition of Sterling LeRoy Spicer, of the city of Toronto, Ontario, physician, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Amy Glenmore Spicer, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

. Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-seventh Report.

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

# FRIDAY, 26th March, 1926

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-seventh Report, as follows:-

1. With respect to the petition of Frances Muriel Burnet, presently of the city of Toronto, Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Dinwoodie Burnet, of the town of Cobourg, Ontario, merchant, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-eighth Report.

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

FRIDAY, 26th March, 1926

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-eighth Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of William George Darlington, of the city of Toronto, Ontario, clerk, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Mildred May Darlington, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY, Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-ninth Report.

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

# FRIDAY, 26th March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-ninth Report, as follows:-

1. With respect to the petition of Richard Howard Buckley, of the city of Toronto, Ontario, efficiency clerk, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Edith Buckley, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40. All which is respectfully submitted.

W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fortieth Report.

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

FRIDAY, 26th March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fortieth Report, as follows:-

1. With respect to the petition of Charles Douglas Palmer, of the city of Toronto, Ontario, merchant, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Lela May Palmer, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their forty-first Report.

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

TUESDAY, 30th March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their forty-first Report, as follows:-

1. With respect to the petition of Cassie Woodley, of the city of Toronto, Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Harold Woodley, of the said city, accountant, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their forty-second Report.

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

# TUESDAY, 30th March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their forty-second Report, as follows:-

1. With respect to the petition of Amy Bell Corney, of Hamilton, Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Arthur Corney, of the said city,

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trucker, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

W. B. WILLOUGHBY, Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their forty-third Report.

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

# TUESDAY, 30th March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their forty-third Report, as follows:--

1. With respect to the petition of Alexander Stewart, of the city of Toronto, Ontario, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Christina Violet Stewart, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

 The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.
 The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$105.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their forty-fourth Report.

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

## TUESDAY, 30th March, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of David Frank Crosier, of the village of Hannon, Ontario, farmer, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Agnes Corona Crosier, of the city of Hamilton, Ontario, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

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The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their forty-fifth Report.

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

# TUESDAY, 30th March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their forty-fifth Report, as follows:-

1. With respect to the petition of William Melville Moore, of Toronto, Ontario, mechanic, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Emily Moore, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

 The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.
 The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$105.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

# Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their forty-sixth Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 30th March, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Louise Gordon Pook, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Sidney Herbert Pook, of the said city, accountant, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees paid under Rule 140 be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

# Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their forty-seventh Report.

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

## TUESDAY, 30th March, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Caroline Elizabeth Risbridger, of the city of Hamilton, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage

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with Ernest Henry Risbridger, of the said city, woodworker, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

# Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce. presented their forty-eighth Report.

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

# TUESDAY, 30th March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their forty-eighth Report, as follows:----

1. With respect to the petition of Jeremiah Gibbs, of the city of Hamilton, in the province of Ontario, tobacconist, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Deedie Gibbs, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their forty-ninth Report.

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

## WEDNESDAY, 31st March, 1926.

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

1: With respect to the petition of Ethel Gildea Nye Brown, of the town of Dorval, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Arthur Edward Paul Brown, of the city of Montreal, in the said province, steward, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

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The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fiftieth Report.

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

## WEDNESDAY, 31st March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fiftieth Report, as follows:--

1. With respect to the petition of John Samuel Milligan, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, barber, for an act to dissolve his marriage with Leta Noreen Milligan, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$105.

All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifty-first Report.

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

#### WEDNESDAY 31st March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their Fifty-first Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Frank John Davis, of the eity of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, civil servant, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Ethel May Davis, of the city of Hamilton, in the said province, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$105.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifty-second Report.

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

WEDNESDAY, 31st March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fifty-second

Report, as follows:— 1. With respect to the petition of Edward Thomas Faragher, of Hillsdale, in the county of Simcoe, province of Ontario, mail carrier, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marie Faragher, of the city of Winnipeg, in the province

of Manitoba, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.
 The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees paid under Rule
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It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifty-third Report.

# WEDNESDAY, 31st March, 1926.

1. With respect to the petition of Marion Richardson, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with James Henry Richardson, of the said city, yardman, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY, Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifty-fourth Report.

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

# WEDNESDAY, 31st March, 1926.

1. With respect to the petition of Vera Sanderson, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, hairdresser, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Francis Harold Sanderson, of the said city, salesman, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY, Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next. The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifty-fifth Report.

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

# WEDNESDAY, 31st March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fifty-fifth Report, as follows:-

1. With respect to the petition of Ada Toms, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, domestic servant, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Henry Toms, of the said city, salesman, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifty-sixth Report.

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

# WEDNESDAY, 31st March, 1926.

1. With respect to the petition of Florence Burrell, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, book-keeper, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with George Frederick Burrell, of the said city, sailor, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

#### Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifty-seventh Report.

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

# WEDNESDAY, 31st March, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Isadore Boadner, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, driver, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Lena Boadner, formerly of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements

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of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$105.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifty-eighth Report.

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

THURSDAY, 1st April, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Noel Leslie Deuxbury, of the city of Hamilton, in the province of Ontario, machinist, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Florence Deuxbury, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Dandurand laid on the Table-

Twenty-first Report of the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada, for the year ended 31st December, 1925, and-

Also,—Certified copy of Order in Council, P.C. No. 392, of the 13th March, 1926, covering the said Report.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Report of the Department of National Defence of Canada for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1925, Naval Service (French Edition).

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No. )

Fourth Report of the Soldier Settlement Board of Canada for the fiscal year ended 31st December, 1925.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

Annual Report of the Department of Labour for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1925, including the reports of proceedings under the following statutes— Combines Investigation Act;

Employment Offices Co-ordination Act;

Government Annuities Act;

Industrial Disputes. Investigation Act; and-

Technical Education Act.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No. )

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A Message was brought from the House of Commons, by their Clerk, with a Bill (14) intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty a certain sum of money for the public service of the financial year, ending the 31st March, 1927," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,—That Rules 23 (f) and 24 (a) be suspended in so far as they relate to the said Bill.

The said Bill was then read the second time.

Ordered,—That the Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

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# ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

# Wednesday, 7th April, 1926

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

# INOUIRIES

# For Thursday, 8th April, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Tanner:-

6th April-Will enquire of the Government:---

1. Is there a contract of any kind existing between the Canadian National Railways and any person or Company in respect to the delivery by the National Railways of tonnage for export at Portland, Maine?

2. With whom is said contract made?3. What is the date of the contract, and when will it expire?

4. Does the contract cover tonnage in general or only relate to specific classes of goods or products? If to specific classes of goods or products, what are the classes?

No. 2.

By the Honourable Mr. Tanner:-

6th April-Will inquire of the Government:--

1. What quantities of grain were hauled over the National Transcontinental Railway during each of the last five years?

2. From what points and to what destinations was the grain hauled?

3. What were the rates of freight charged in respect to such grain?

No. 3.

By the Honourable Mr. Tanner:-

6th April-Will inquire of the Government:--

1. In respect to what matters were Royal Commissions appointed by the Government of Canada during the period 1921 until 1926, inclusive?

2. What was the total cost to the country of each Royal Commission?

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# MOTIONS

# For Wednesday, 7th April, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Taylor:-

6th April—That a humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General praying that His Excellency will cause to be laid before the Senate copy of any agreement between the Government of Canada, or any department thereof and the Government of the Province of British Columbia for the transfer to the Government of British Columbia or to any persons on their behalf or at their instance of vacant Dominion lands underlying or abutting upon Sumas Lake; together with all correspondence and all Orders in Council relating to said transfer or proposed transfer or to any matters arising therefrom. Also for a copy of any accounts received from said Provincial Government of the proceeds of any sales of Dominion lands so acquired and of any expense incurred by the Province in connection with the reclamation of lands included in the proposed transfer.

#### No. 2.

By the Honourable Mr. Girroir:-

6th April—For a copy of all papers on file in the Department of Immigration and Colonization, relating to the case of:

The King vs. Jungo Lee

a Chinaman about to be deported.

# For Thursday, 8th April, 1926

#### No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Willoughby:-

6th April—That the Committee on Divorce be authorized to consider and report upon an application for the return of Exhibits Nos. 4 and 5 filed at the hearing and enquiry into the petition of Albert Plue Jessop praying for a Bill of Divorce.

#### No. 2.

By the Honourable Mr. Tanner:-

6th April—That an order of the House do issue for a return in respect to the Cruiser *Grib*, employed in the service of the Department of Customs and Excise, showing for each month respectively of the period since January 1, 1925:—

(a) The sea district which said Cruiser patrolled.

(b) The ports which she entered, and the time she remained in each port.

(c) The number of seizures made, and generally what each consisted of.

(d) The locality in which each seizure was made, and the name of the vessel carrying the goods seized, and the port of registry of such vessel.

(e) How the matter of each seizure was disposed of—this to state what was done in regard to vessel and goods, respectively.

2. The cost of the said cruiser to the country during each of the said months.

# ORDERS OF THE DAY

Nore.—The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed; E. printed in English, F. in French.

#### For Wednesday, 7th April, 1926

#### No. 1.

6th April—Third Reading (Bill 14): "An Act for granting to His Majesty a certain sum of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1927,"—(Hon. Mr. Dandurand.)

#### For Thursday, 8th April, 1926

## No. 1.

6th April—Consideration of the fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Cora Mae Murray, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 2.

6th April—Consideration of the fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mike Ayoub (otherwise known as Michael Ayoub), together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 3.

6th April—Consideration of the sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Vera Catherine Searle, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 4.

6th April—Consideration of the seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of George Guthrie, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 5.

6th April—Consideration of the eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Sidney Charles Frost, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 6.

6th April—Consideration of the ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Jean Victoria Dillane, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 7.

6th April—Consideration of the tenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Beatrice Isobel Lamontagne, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughoy.)

#### No. 8.

6th April—Consideration of the eleventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Elizabeth Gertrude Orr, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 9.

6th April—Consideration of the twelfth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Edith Marion Byam, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

# No. 10.

6th April—Consideration of the thirteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Melville James Andrews, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 11.

6th April—Consideration of the fourteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Bertha Viola Lidkea, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 12.

6th April—Consideration of the fifteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Alice Marion McGinley, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 13.

6th April—Consideration of the sixteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ethel Alberta Barker, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 14.

6th April—Consideration of the seventeenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Harold Edgar Perinchief, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 15.

6th April—Consideration of the eighteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Hendel Tuerner Lubrinetsky, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 16.

6th April—Consideration of the nineteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Janet Thornhill Gorrie, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 17.

6th April—Consideration of the twentieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Paul Hugh Turnbull, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

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#### No. 18.

6th April-Consideration of the twenty-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lillian DuBord Bulloch, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.-(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 19.

6th April-Consideration of the twenty-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Isabella Freeman, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.--(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 20.

6th April-Consideration of the twenty-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Harry Reginald Oddy, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.- (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 21.

6th April-Consideration of the twenty-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Alice Grace Hopkins, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.--(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 22.

6th April-Consideration of the twenty-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mildred Roxie Horner, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee .-- (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 23.

6th April-Consideration of the twenty-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of John Norman Smith McMurray, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee,-(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 24.

6th April-Consideration of the twenty-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Doris Selina Irvin, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee .-- (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 25.

6th April-Consideration of the twenty-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Charles Davidson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.--(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 26.

6th April-Consideration of the twenty-ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Annie Hazel McCausland, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee .-- (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 27.

6th April-Consideration of the thirtieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lily Stead, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee .- (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 28.

6th April—Consideration of the thirty-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Helen Elby Pollington, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 29.

6th April—Consideration of the thirty-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Jane Johnston Mitchell Wells, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 30.

6th April—Consideration of the thirty-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Frances Marjorie Warren, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

# No. 31.

6th April—Consideration of the thirty-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Arthur Watson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 32.

6th April—Consideration of the thirty-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Gertrude Burnside, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 33.

6th April—Consideration of the thirty-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Sterling LeRoy Spicer, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 34.

6th April—Consideration of the thirty-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Frances Muriel Burnet, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

# No. 35.

6th April—Consideration of the thirty-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of William George Darlington, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 36.

6th April—Consideration of the thirty-ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Richard Howard Buckley, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 37.

6th April—Consideration of the fortieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Charles Douglas Palmer, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

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## No. 38.

6th April—Consideration of the forty-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Cassie Woodley, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 39.

6th April—Consideration of the forty-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Amy Bell Corney, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 40.

6th April—Consideration of the forty-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Alexander Stewart, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 41.

6th April—Consideration of the forty-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of David Frank Crosier, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 42.

6th April—Consideration of the forty-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of William Melville Moore, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 43.

6th April—Consideration of the forty-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Louise Gordon Pook, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 44.

6th April—Consideration of the forty-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Caroline Elizabeth Risbridger, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 45.

6th April—Consideration of the forty-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Jeremiah Gibbs, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 46.

6th April—Consideration of the forty-ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ethel Gildea Nye Brown, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 47.

6th April—Consideration of the fiftieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of John Samuel Milligan, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 48.

6th April—Consideration of the fifty-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Frank John Davis, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 49.

6th April—Consideration of the fifty-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Edward Thomas Faragher, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 50.

6th April—Consideration of the fifty-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Marion Richardson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 51.

6th April—Consideration of the fifty-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Vera Sanderson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 52.

6th April—Consideration of the fifty-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ada Toms, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 53.

6th April—Consideration of the fifty-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Florence Burrell, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 54.

6th April—Consideration of the fifty-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Isadore Boadner, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 55.

6th April—Consideration of the fifty-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Noel Leslie Deuxbury, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

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# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF

# THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 7th April, 1926

The Members convened were:---

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## The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

## The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Béique, Béland. Black, Bourque, Buchanan, Bureau. Calder. Casgrain, Copp, Dandurand, Daniel. Donnelly, Farrell, Fisher, Foster,

Girroir. Gordon, Griesbach, Haydon, Hughes, King, Laird, Lavergne, Legris, L'Espérance, Lessard, Lewis. Lynch-Staunton, MacArthur, Macdonell, Martin.

McCoig, McCormick. McHugh, McLean, McLennan, McMeans, Montplaisir, Mulholland. Murphy, Pardee, Poirier, Pope, Prowse, Rankin, Robertson, Robinson, Ross (Middleton),

Schaffner. Sharpe, Smith, Stanfield, Tanner, Tessier, Todd, Turgeon, Turriff, Webster (Brockville), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby, Wilson.

3 p.m.

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## PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally presented:-

By the Honourable Mr. Foster (Alma):-

Of the Dominion Electric Protection Company.

By the Honourable Mr. Buchanan:-

Of Heber Jeddy Grant and others (President of the Lethbridge Stake of the Church of Latter-Day Saints).

By the Honourable Mr. Robinson:-

Of Dexter Parshall Cooper, and others (The Canadian Dexter P. Cooper Company).

By the Honourable Mr. Schaffner:-

Of Cecil Chester Richardson, of Toronto, Ontario, solicitor; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Mary Evelyn Richardson.

Of Alexander Charles Boyd, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Frances Elizabeth Boyd.

Of Evelyn Christine Stewart, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Roy Ferguson Stewart.

Of Arthur Atkinson, of Toronto, Ontario, street car conductor; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Elizabeth Atkinson.

Of Jean Victoria Dillane, of the township of Nichol, in the county of Wellington, Ontario; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon her petition for a Bill of Divorce.

By the Honourable Mr. Smith:-

Of Annie Rebecca Herbert, of London, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Henry James Herbert.

Of Marjorie Durham Morgan, of Hamilton, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Charles Reuben Morgan.

By the Honourable Mr. Robertson:-

Of Dorothy Terry, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Henry Irving Terry.

By the Honourable Mr. Haydon:-

Of Manford York, of Toronto, Ontario, labourer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Dora York.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifty-ninth Report.

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

## WEDNESDAY, 24th March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fifty-ninth Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of William Albert Thomas, of the township of King, in the county of York, Ontario, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Cora Jane Thomas, of the village of Acton, Ontario, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

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. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixtieth Report.

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

## TUESDAY, 30th March, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Gertrude Clark, of Toronto, Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Allie Clark, of the village of Birch Cliff, in the said province, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

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. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixty-first Report.

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

## THURSDAY, 1st April, 1926.

1. With respect to the petition of Ezillah Harriet Cole, of the city of Ottawa, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Frederick James Cole, formerly of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

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. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixty-second Report.

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

## THURSDAY, 1st April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their sixty-second Report, as follows:---

Report, as follows:— 1. With respect to the petition of Yetta Selma Trachsell, of the township of South Easthope, in the county of Perth, Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Robert James Trachsell, of the township of North Easthope, in the said province, farmer, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

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2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. 3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees paid under Rule 140 be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honcurable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixty-third Report.

## TUESDAY. 6th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their sixty-third. Report, as follows:-

1. With respect to the petition of Helen Seymour O'Connor, presently residing at the village of Peekskill, in the state of New York, one of the United States of America, lady's maid, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Austin Richard Michael O'Connor, of the city of Ottawa, in the province of Ontario, barristerat-law, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. 3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$75.

All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

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. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixty-fourth Report.

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

## TUESDAY, 6th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their sixty-fourth Report, as follows:-----

1. With respect to the petition of Mabel Elizabeth Harcourt, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Frederick Harcourt, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, merchant, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. 3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees paid under Rule 140 be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY.

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. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixty-fifth Report.

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

## TUESDAY, 6th April, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Archie Claire McIntyre, of Hagersville, in the province of Ontario, general merchant, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Phoebe Elizabeth Alberta McIntyre, of the city of Hamilton, in the said province, clerk, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY, 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. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixty-sixth Report.

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

## TUESDAY, 6th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their sixty-sixth Report, as follows:----

1. With respect to the petition of Alexander Dewar, of the city of Ottawa, in the province of Ontario, locomotive engineer, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Johannah Dewar, of Westboro, in the said province, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

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. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixty-seventh Report.

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

## TUESDAY, 6th April, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Maude Elizabeth Gilroy, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, switch board operator, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Francis Gilroy, of the said city, mechanic, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects. 2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

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. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixty-eighth Report.

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

## TUESDAY, 6th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their sixty-eighth Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Henrietta Schierholtz, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Frank Schierholtz, of the said city, film inspector, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY, 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. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixty-ninth Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 6th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their sixty-ninth-Report, as follows:--

1. With respect to the petition of Lillian May Allardyce O'Reilly, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, dentist's assistant, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with William Hewson O'Reilly, of the said city, chemical engineer, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees paid under Rule 140 be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (14), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty a certain sum of money for the public service of the financial year, ending the 31st March, 1927," was read the third time. The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered,—That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that he had received a communication from the Governor General's Secretary.

The same was read by the Honourable the Speaker, as follows:-

## OTTAWA, 31st March, 1926.

SIR,-I have the honour to inform you that the Right Honourable F. A. Anglin, acting as Deputy of the Governor General, will proceed to the Senate Chamber at 4.15 o'clock, on Wednesday, the 7th April, for the purpose of giving the Royal Assent to an Interim Supply Bill.

I have the honour to be.

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

A. F. SLADEN, Governor General's Secretary.

The Honourable

The Speaker of the Senate.

Ordered,-That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable Mr. Béique presented to the Senate a Bill (A), intituled: "An Act to provide for changing the names of certain Pension Fund Societies." The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Tuesday, next.

On motion, it was-

Ordered,-That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, the thirteenth day of April, next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate was adjourned during pleasure.

After a while, the Right Honourable Francis Alexander Anglin, Chief Justice of Canada, Deputy of the Governor General, having come and being seated at the foot of the Throne,

The Honourable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that,-" It is the Right Honourable the Deputy of the Governor General's desire they attend him immediately in the Senate Chamber."

Who being come, The Honourable the Speaker of the Commons then addressed the Right Honourable the Deputy of the Governor General, as follows:-----

"MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:-

The Commons of Canada have voted Supplies required to enable the Government to defray certain expenses of the Public Service;

In the name of the Commons, I present to Your Honour the following Bill: 'An Act for granting to His Majesty a certain sum of money for the public service of the financial year, ending the 31st March, 1927.'

To which Bill I humbly request Your Honour's assent."

After the Clerk had read the title of this Bill,

To this Bill the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:--

"In His Majesty's name, the Right Honourable the Deputy of the Governor General thanks His Loyal Subjects, accepts their benevolence, and assents to this Bill."

After which the Right Honourable the Deputy of the Governor General was pleased to retire.

The Commons withdrew.

The Senate was resumed.

The Senate adjourned.

# ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

# Tuesday, 13th April, 1926

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

## INOUIRIES

## For Tuesday, 13th April, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Tanner:---

6th April-Will enquire of the Government:-

1. Is there a contract of any kind existing between the Canadian National Railways and any person or Company in respect to the delivery by the National Railways of tonnage for export at Portland, Maine?

2. With whom is said contract made?

3. What is the date of the contract, and when will it expire?

4. Does the contract cover tonnage in general or only relate to specific classes of goods or products? If to specific classes of goods or products, what are the classes?

#### No. 2.

By the Honourable Mr. Tanner:---

6th April-Will inquire of the Government:-

1. What quantities of grain were hauled over the National Transcontinental Railway during each of the last five years?

2. From what points and to what destinations was the grain hauled?

3. What were the rates of freight charged in respect to such grain?

#### No. 3.

By the Honourable Mr. Tanner:-

6th April-Will inquire of the Government:-

1. In respect to what matters were Royal Commissions appointed by the Government of Canada during the period 1921 until 1926, inclusive?

2. What was the total cost to the country of each Royal Commission?

## MOTIONS

## For Tuesday, 13th April, 1926

## No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Willoughby:----

6th April—That the Committee on Divorce be authorized to consider and report upon an application for the return of Exhibits Nos. 4 and 5 filed at the hearing and enquiry into the petition of Albert Plue Jessop praying for a Bill of Divorce.

No. 2.

## By the Honourable Mr. Tanner:-

6th April—That an order of the House do issue for a return in respect to the Cruiser *Grib*, employed in the service of the Department of Customs and Excise, showing for each month respectively of the period since January 1, 1925:—

(a) The sea district which said Cruiser patrolled.

(b) The ports which she entered, and the time she remained in each port.

(c) The number of seizures made, and generally what each consisted of.

(d) The locality in which each seizure was made, and the name of the vessel carrying the goods seized, and the port of registry of such vessel.

(e) How the matter of each seizure was disposed of—this to state what was done in regard to vessel and goods, respectively.

2. The cost of the said cruiser to the country during each of the said months.

#### No. 3.

By the Honourable Mr. Taylor:---

7th April—That a humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General praying that His Excellency will cause to be laid before the Senate copy of any agreement between the Government of Canada, or any department thereof and the Government of the Province of British Columbia for the transfer to the Government of British Columbia or to any persons on their behalf or at their instance of vacant Dominion lands underlying or abutting upon Sumas Lake; together with all correspondence and all Orders in Council relating to said transfer or proposed transfer or to any matters arising therefrom. Also for a copy of any accounts received from said Provincial Government of the proceeds of any sales of Dominion lands so acquired and of any expense incurred by the Province in connection with the reclamation of lands included in the proposed transfer.

No. 4.

#### By the Honourable Mr. Girroir:-

7th April—For a copy of all papers on file in the Department of Immigration and Colonization, relating to the case of:

The King vs. Jungo Lee

a Chinaman about to be deported.

# ORDERS OF THE DAY

Nore.-The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed; E. printed in English, F. in French.

## For Tuesday, 13th April, 1926

#### No. 1.

6th April-Consideration of the fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Cora Mae Murray, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee .- (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 2.

6th April-Consideration of the fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mike Ayoub (otherwise known as Michael Ayoub), together with the evidence taken before the said Commit-tee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 3.

6th April-Consideration of the sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Vera Catherine Searle, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee .- (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 4.

6th April-Consideration of the seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of George Guthrie, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee .--- (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 5.

6th April-Consideration of the eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Sidney Charles Frost, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.- (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 6.

6th April—Consideration of the ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Jean Victoria Dillane, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee .-- (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 7.

6th April-Consideration of the tenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Beatrice Isobel Lamontagne, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee .- (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 8.

6th April-Consideration of the eleventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Elizabeth Gertrude Orr, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

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6th April—Consideration of the twelfth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Edith Marion Byam, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 10.

6th April—Consideration of the thirteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Melville James Andrews, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 11.

6th April—Consideration of the fourteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Bertha Viola Lidkea, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 12.

6th April—Consideration of the fifteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Alice Marion McGinley, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 13.

6th April—Consideration of the sixteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ethel Alberta Barker, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 14.

6th April—Consideration of the seventeenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Harold Edgar Perinchief, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 15.

6th April—Consideration of the eighteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Hendel Tuerner Lubrinetsky, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 16.

6th April—Consideration of the nineteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Janet Thornhill Gorrie. together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 17.

6th April—Consideration of the twentieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Paul Hugh Turnbull, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 18.

6th April—Consideration of the twenty-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lillian DuBord Bulloch, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

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## No. 19.

6th April—Consideration of the twenty-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Isabella Freeman, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No: 20.

6th April—Consideration of the twenty-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Harry Reginald Oddy, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 21.

6th April—Consideration of the twenty-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Alice Grace Hopkins, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 22.

6th April—Consideration of the twenty-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mildred Roxie Horner, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 23.

6th April—Consideration of the twenty-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of John Norman Smith McMurray, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 24.

6th April—Consideration of the twenty-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Doris Selina Irvin, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 25.

6th April—Consideration of the twenty-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Charles Davidson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 26.

6th April—Consideration of the twenty-ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Annie Hazel McCausland, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 27.

6th April—Consideration of the thirtieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lily Stead, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 28.

6th April—Consideration of the thirty-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Helen Elby Pollington, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 29.

6th April—Consideration of the thirty-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Jane Johnston Mitchell Wells, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 30.

6th April—Consideration of the thirty-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Frances Marjorie Warren, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 31.

6th April—Consideration of the thirty-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Arthur Watson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 32.

6th April—Consideration of the thirty-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Gertrude Burnside, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 33.

6th April—Consideration of the thirty-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Sterling LeRoy Spicer, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 34.

6th April—Consideration of the thirty-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Frances Muriel Burnet, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 35.

6th April—Consideration of the thirty-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of William George Darlington, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 36.

6th April—Consideration of the thirty-ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Richard Howard Buckley, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 37.

6th April—Consideration of the fortieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Charles Douglas Palmer, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 38.

6th April—Consideration of the forty-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Cassie Woodley, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

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## No. 39.

6th April-Consideration of the forty-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Amy Bell Corney, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.- (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 40.

6th April-Consideration of the forty-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Alexander Stewart, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.--(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 41.

6th April-Consideration of the forty-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of David Frank Crosier, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.- (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 42.

6th April--Consideration of the forty-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of William Melville Moore, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.--(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 43.

6th April-Consideration of the forty-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Louise Gordon Pook, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.--(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 44.

6th April-Consideration of the forty-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Caroline Elizabeth Risbridger, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee .--(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 45.

6th April-Consideration of the forty-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Jeremiah Gibbs, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.-(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 46.

6th April-Consideration of the forty-ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ethel Gildea Nye Brown, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee .--- (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 47.

6th April-Consideration of the fiftieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of John Samuel Milligan, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee .- (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 48.

6th April-Consideration of the fifty-first report of the 'Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Frank John Davis, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee .-- (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 49.

6th April—Consideration of the fifty-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Edward Thomas Faragher, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 50.

6th April—Consideration of the fifty-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Marion Richardson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 51.

6th April—Consideration of the fifty-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Vera Sanderson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 52.

6th April—Consideration of the fifty-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ada Toms, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 53.

6th April—Consideration of the fifty-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Florence Burrell, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 54.

6th April—Consideration of the fifty-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Isadore Boadner, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 55.

6th April—Consideration of the fifty-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Noel Leslie Deuxbury, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 56.

7th April—Consideration of the fifty-ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of William Albert Thomas, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 57.

7th April—Consideration of the sixtieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Gertrude Clark, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 58.

7th April—Consideration of the sixty-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ezillah Harriet Cole, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

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## No. 59.

7th April—Consideration of the sixty-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Yetta Selma Trachsell, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 60.

7th April—Consideration of the sixty-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Helen Seymour O'Connor, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 61.

7th April—Consideration of the sixty-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mabel Elizabeth Harcourt, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 62.

7th April—Consideration of the sixty-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Archie Claire McIntyre, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 63.

7th April—Consideration of the sixty-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Alexander Dewar, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 64.

7th April—Consideration of the sixty-seventh'report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Maude Elizabeth Gilroy, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 65.

7th April—Consideration of the sixty-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Henrietta Schierholtz, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 66.

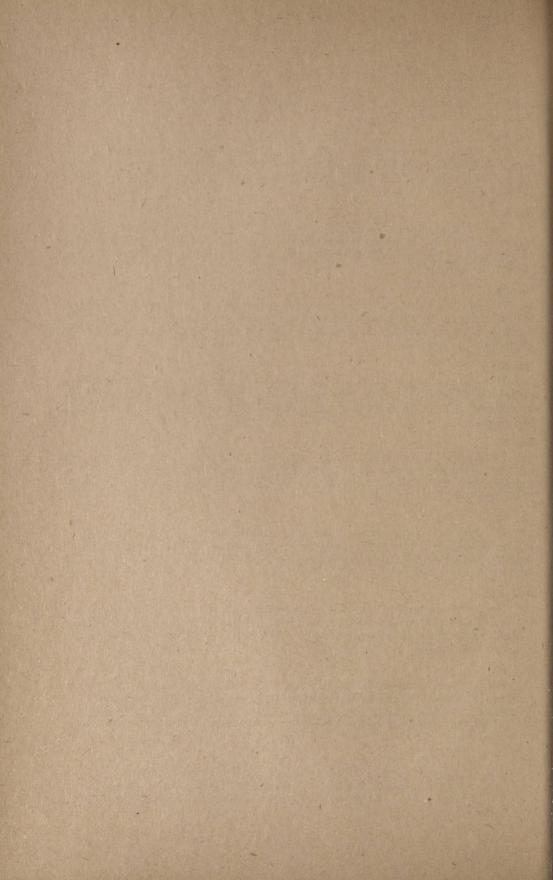
7th April—Consideration of the sixty-ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lillian May Allardyce O'Reilly, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 67.

7th April—Second Reading (Bill A): "An Act to provide for changing the names of Certain Pension Fund Societies."—(Honourable Mr. Beique.)

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# No. 10

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS of THE SENATE OF CANADA

## Tuesday, 13th April, 1926

8 p.m.

The Members convened were:-

The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Avlesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard. Béique, Béland, Belcourt, Black, Blondin, Bourque, Buchanan, Bureau, Calder, Chapais, Copp, Crowe. Dandurand, Daniel. Donnelly, Farrell, S 10-1

Fisher. Foster, Foster (Sir George), Gillis, Girroir. Gordon. Griesbach, Hardy, Haydon, Hughes, King, Laird, Lavergne, Legris, L'Espérance, Lessard, Lewis. Lynch-Staunton, MacArthur. Macdonell. Martin, McCoig, McCormick, McDonald, McHugh, McLean, McLennan, McMeans, Molloy, Montplaisir, Mulholland, Murphy, Pardee. Poirier, Pope, Prowse, Rankin,

Robertscn. Robinson, Ross (Middleton), Schaffner, Sharpe, Stanfield. Tanner. Tessier. Todd, Turgeon, Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby, Wilson.

#### PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally presented:-

By the Honourable Mr. Haydon:-

Of Ruth May Harrington, of Galt, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Harrington.

Of Lillie Torrance Cascadden, of Windsor, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Harry Blake Cascadden.

Of Edith Maude Bull, of Oshawa, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Frederick Bull.

Of Edward Saville, of Toronto, Ontario, machinist; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Nina Saville.

Of Mona Aileen Davies, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Arthur Henderson Davies.

Of George Frederick Adams, of the town of Bala, Ontario, boathouse-keeper; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marjory Sarah Adams.

Of Joseph Bernard Hoodless, of Guelph, Ontario, agriculturist; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Anna Linnea Charlotte Hoodless.

Of Helen Elby Pollington, of Hamilton, Ontario; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon her petition for a Bill of Divorce.

Of Samuel Stanley McNeely, of Toronto, Ontario, accountant; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Edythe Victoria McNeely.

Of Gladys Kerneghan, of Toronto, Ontario, housekeeper; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Herbert Kerneghan.

Of Leslie Ellis Noble, of Toronto, Ontario, instructor; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Jessie Matilda Noble.

Of Joseph Azarie Handfield, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Pauline Fréchette Handfield.

By the Honourable Mr. Schaffner:---

Of Jessie Evis, of Hamilton, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with William George Evis.

Of Harriett Louise Gates, of the village of Godfrey, in the county of Frontenac, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Charles Arthur Gates.

Of Mabel Wilson, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Robert Pearson Wilson.

Of Albert Wilson Denning, of Toronto, Ontario, musician; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Myrtle Denning.

By the Honourable Mr. Willoughby:-

Of Aimee Young, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with David Douglas Young.

By the Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke):-

Of Gladys Andrea Boyle, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Charles Joseph Boyle.

By the Honourable Mr. Laird:-

Of Lillian Edith Hudgin, of Regina, Saskatchewan; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Ernest Gilbert Hudgin.

By the Honourable Mr. Pardee:-

Of Gwendolen McLachlin, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Eric Harrington McLachlin.

By the Honourable Mr. Haydon:-

Of the Dominion Express Company.

Of the Red Lake and Northwestern Railway Company.

By the Honourable Mr. Gordon:-

Of the Joliette and Northern Ontario Railway Company.

By the Honourable Mr. Crowe:-

Of the Pacific Coast Fire Insurance Company.

By the Honourable Mr. McMeans:-

Of the Agents Insurance Company.

The following petitions were severally read and received:-

Of the Dominion Electric Protection Company; praying for the passage of an Act to increase its capital stock and for other purposes.

Of Dexter Parshall Cooper, and others; praying for the passage of an Act to incorporate a company to be known as The Canadian Dextor P. Cooper Company with power to construct, maintain and operate a hydro-electric power development.

Of Heber Jeddy Grant, and others; praying for the passage of an Act for the incorporation of the President of the Lethbridge Stake of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventieth Report.

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

TUESDAY, 6th April, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Stanley Bennett, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, librarian, for an Act to annul his marriage with Edith Louise Bennett, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

 The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to annul the said marriage.
 The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventy-first Report.

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

## TUESDAY, 6th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their seventy-first Report, as follows:— 1. With respect to the petition of Amber May Wolfenden, of the town of

1. With respect to the petition of Amber May Wolfenden, of the town of Grimsby, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Hugh Wolfenden, of the said town, actuary, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

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2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

W. B. WILLOUGHBY.

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce. presented their seventy-second Report.

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

FRIDAY, 9th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their seventy-second Report, as follows:----

With respect to the petition of Jean Victoria Dillane, of the township of Nichol, in the county of Wellington, in the province of Ontario; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon her petition for a Bill of Divorce.

1. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees paid under Rule 140 be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce. presented their seventy-third Report.

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

## THURSDAY, 1st April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their seventy-third Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of May Maud Mary Johnson, of the city of Hamilton, in the province of Ontario, looper, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Edward Johnson, of the city of Toronto, in the said province, clerk, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

 The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.
 The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees paid under Rule 140 be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventy-fourth Report.

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

FRIDAY, 9th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their seventy-fourth Report, as follows:--

1. With respect to the petition of Charles Stanley Reed Riches, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, barrister-at-law, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Violet Halling Riches, formerly of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventy-fifth Report.

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

#### FRIDAY, 9th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their seventy-fifth Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of John Sydney Wright, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, butcher, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Louisa Wright, of Niagara Falls, in the said province, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventy-sixth Report.

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

## FRIDAY, 9th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their seventy-sixth Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of John Wilson, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, builder, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Sarah Wilson, presently of the city of New York, in the State of New York, one of the United States of America, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules. of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventy-seventh Report.

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

## FRIDAY, 9th April, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Marjorie Durham Morgan, of the city of Hamilton, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Charles Reuben Morgan, formerly of the said city, agent, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventy-eighth Report.

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

FRIDAY, 9th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their seventyeighth Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Ethel Beatrice Walker, of the city of Hamilton, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Frank Thomas Walker, of the said city, sawmaker, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventy-ninth Report.

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

#### FRIDAY, 9th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their seventyninth Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of George Elgie Dulyea, of the town of Brockville, in the province of Ontario, traveller, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Jean Dulyea, of the village of Finch, in the said province, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects. 2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

> W. B. WILLOUGHBY, Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eightieth Report.

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

FRIDAY, 9th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eightieth Report as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Elias Malky, of the town of Beauceville, in the county of Beauce, in the province of Quebec, peddler, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Zohran Malky, of the said town, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighty-first Report.

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

THURSDAY, 1st April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eighty-first Report as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Cecilia Marrie Peters Kendall, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Harry Kendall, of the said city, stage employee, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighty-second Report.

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

## TUESDAY, 6th April, 1926.

1. With respect to the petition of Roland George Wickens, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, traveller, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Edith Emily Wickens, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$105.

All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY, Chairman.

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

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Willoughby, it was-

Ordered,—That the Committee on Divorce be authorized to consider and report upon an application for the return of Exhibits numbers four and five filed at the hearing and inquiry into the petition of Albert Plue Jessop; praying for a Bill of Divorce.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Tanner, it was-

Ordered,—That an Order of the Senate do issue for a return in respect to the Cruiser *Grib*, employed in the service of the Department of Customs and Excise, showing for each month respectively of the period since January 1, 1925:—

(a) The sea district which said Cruiser patrolled.

(b) The ports which she entered, and the time she remained in each port.

(c) The number of seizures made, and generally what each consisted of.

(d) The locality in which each seizure was made, and the name of the vessel carrying the goods seized, and the port of registry of such vessel.

(e) How the matter of each seizure was disposed of—this to state what was done in regard to vessel and goods, respectively.

2. The cost of the said cruiser to the country during each of the said months.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Girroir, it was-

Ordered,-That an Order of the Senate do issue for a return-

For a copy of all papers on file in the Department of Immigration and Colonization, relating to the case of:

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a Chinaman about to be deported.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Cora Mae Murray, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mike Ayoub, otherwise known as Michael Ayoub, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the sixth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Vera Catherine Searle, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of George Guthrie, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Sidney Charles Frost, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Jean Victoria Dillane, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the tenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Beatrice Isobel Lamontagne, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the elèventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Elizabeth Gertrude Orr, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the twelfth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Edith Marion Byam, together with the evidence taken before said Committee.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the thirteenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Melville James Andrews, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fourteenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Bertha Viola Lidkea, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fifteenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Alice Marion McGinley, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the sixteenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ethel Alberta Barker, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the seventeenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Harold Edgar Perinchief, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the eighteenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Hendel Tuerner Lubrinetsky, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the nineteenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Janet Thornhill Gorrie, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the twentieth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Paul Hugh Turnbull, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the twenty-first Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lillian DuBord Bulloch, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the twenty-second Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Isabella Freeman, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the twenty-third Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Harry Reginald Oddy, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the twenty-fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Alice Grace Hopkins, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the twenty-fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mildred Roxie Horner, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the twenty-sixth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of John Norman Smith McMurray, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the twenty-seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Doris Selina Irvin, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the twenty-eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Charles Davidson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the twenty-ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Annie Hazel McCausland, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the thirtieth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lily Stead, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the thirty-first Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Helen Elby Pollington, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the thirty-second Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Jane Johnston Mitchell Wells, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the thirty-third Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Frances Marjorie Warren, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the thirty-fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Arthur Watson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the thirty-fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Gertrude Burnside, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the thirty-sixth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Sterling LeRoy Spicer, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the thirty-seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Frances Muriel Burnet, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the thirty-eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of William George Darlington, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the thirty-ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Richard Howard Buckley, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fortieth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Charles Douglas Palmer, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the forty-first Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Cassie Woodley, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the forty-second Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Amy Bell Corney, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the forty-third Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Alexander Stewart, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the forty-fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of David Frank Crosier, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the forty-fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of William Melville Moore, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the forty-sixth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was-referred the petition of Louise Gordon Pook, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the forty-seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Caroline Elizabeth Risbridger, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the forty-eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Jeremiah Gibbs, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the forty-ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ethel Gildea Nye Brown, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fiftieth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of John Samuel Milligan, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fifty-first Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Frank John Davis, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fifty-second Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Edward Thomas Faragher, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fifty-third Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Marion Richardson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fifty-fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Vera Sanderson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fifty-fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ada Toms, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fifty-sixth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Florence, Burrell, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fifty-seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Isadore Boadner, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fifty-eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Noel Leslie Deuxbury, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fifty-ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of William Albert Thomas, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the sixtieth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Gertrude Clark, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the sixty-first Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ezillah Harriet Cole, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the sixty-second Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Yetta Selma Trachsell, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the sixty-third Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Helen Seymour O'Connor, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the sixty-fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mabel Elizabeth Harcourt, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the sixty-fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Archie Claire McIntyre, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the sixty-sixth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Alexander Dewar, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the sixty-seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Maude Elizabeth Gilroy, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the sixty-eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Henrietta Schierholtz, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the sixty-ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lillian May Allardyce O'Reilly, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (A), intituled: "An Act to provide for changing the names of certain Pension Fund Societies," was read the second time, and-

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole to-morrow.

On motion, it was-

Ordered.—That Rule 23 (f) be suspended in so far as it relates to the following Divorce Bills:-

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby presented to the Senate a Bill (B), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elizabeth Gertrude Orr."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby presented to the Senate a Bill (C), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Melville James Andrews."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby presented to the Senate a Bill (D), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Harry Reginald Oddy."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby presented to the Senate a Bill (E), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mildred Roxie Horner."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and— Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby presented to the Senate a Bill (F), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frances Muriel Burnet."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

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The Honourable Mr. Willoughby presented to the Senate a Bill (G), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ada Toms."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (H), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vera Sanderson."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (I), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Noel Leslie Deuxbury."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (J), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillian May O'Reilly."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (K) intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jean Victoria Dillane."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (L), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Alberta Barker."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (M), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Hazel McCausland."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (N), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sterling LeRoy Spicer."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (O), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Amy Bell Corney."

The said P'll was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

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The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (P), intituled: "An Act for the relief of David Frank Crosier."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (Q), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Gildea Nye Brown."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (R), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edward Thomas Faragher."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (S), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bertha Viola Lidkea."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (T); intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mike Ayoub, otherwise known as Michael Ayoub."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (U), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alice Marion McGinley."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (V), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Harold Edgar Perinchief."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (W), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Hendel Tuerner Lubrinetsky."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (X), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Paul Hugh Turnbull."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (Y), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Helen Elby Pollington."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (Z), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alexander Stewart."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (A2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Melville Moore."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (B2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Samuel Milligan."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (C2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marion Richardson."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (D2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Isadore Boadner."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

<sup>(1)</sup> The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (E2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Albert Thomas."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (F2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gertrude Isabel Clark."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (G2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Helen Seymour O'Connor."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

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The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (H2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Yetta Selma Trachsell."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (I2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alexander Dewar."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (J2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Florence Burrell."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

# ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

# Wednesday, 14th April, 1926

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

# **INOUIRIES**

# For Wednesday, 14th April, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Tanner:-

13th April-Will enquire of the Government:-

1. Is there a contract of any kind existing between the Canadian National Railways and any person or Company in respect to the delivery by the National Railways of tonnage for export at Portland, Maine?

2. With whom is said contract made?3. What is the date of the contract, and when will it expire?

4. Does the contract cover tonnage in general or only relate to specific classes of goods or products? If to specific classes of goods or products, what are the classes?

No. 2.

By the Honourable Mr. Tanner:-

13th April-Will enquire of the Government:--

1. In respect to what matters were Royal Commissions appointed by the Government of Canada during the period 1921 until 1926, inclusive?

2. What was the total cost to the country of each Royal Commission?

# For Thursday, 15th April, 1926

#### No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Griesbach:-

13th April-Will enquire of the Government:-

It is alleged that in 1915 the citizens of Edmonton subscribed the sum of \$5,000 for the purpose of purchasing Machine Guns for the 49th Battalion; that such funds were forwarded to the Department of Militia and Defence at Ottawa; and that the said Battalion was not supplied with any Machine Guns out of these funds.

What disposition was made of these funds by the Government?

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No. 2.

By the Honourable Mr. Pope:-

13th April-Will enquire of the Government:--

1. What is the annual expenditure and revenue of the Lennoxville Experimental Farm, and the St. Anns Experimental Farm, and the Pont Rouge Experimental Farm?

2. What salaries are paid annually on the Pont Rouge Experimental Farm, and to whom?

3. What is the auto service expense on each farm?

4. What amount of money was granted to Sherbrooke, Three Rivers and Quebec exhibitions?

5. Have the Government any representatives on any of those boards; if so, who and what salary do they receive, and is the salary paid by the exhibitions or by the Government?

# MOTIONS

#### For Wednesday, 14th April, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Taylor:-

7th April—That a humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General praying that His Excellency will cause to be laid before the Senate copy of any agreement between the Government of Canada, or any department thereof and the Government of the Province of British Columbia for the transfer to the Government of British Columbia or to any persons on their behalf or at their instance of vacant Dominion lands underlying or abutting upon Sumas Lake; together with all correspondence and all Orders in Council relating to said transfer or proposed transfer or to any matters arising therefrom. Also for a copy of any accounts received from said Provincial Government of the proceeds of any sales of Dominion lands so acquired and of any expense incurred by the Province in connection with the reclamation of lands included in the proposed transfer.

# For Thursday, 15th April, 1926

#### No. 1.

#### By the Honourable Mr. Belcourt:--

That the documents referred to as Exhibits "A", "B" and "C" to the statutory declaration of Albert Henry Yetman, secretary-treasurer, Manitoba Provincial Command of the Great War Veterans' Association, filed during the enquiry of the Special Committee on the Administration of the Canteen and Disablement Funds, etc., be returned to the said association.

# ORDERS OF THE DAY

Note.—The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed; E. printed in English, F. in French.

#### For Wednesday, 14th April, 1926

#### No. 1.

13th April—Committee of the Whole on the Bill (A), intituled: "An Act to provide for changing the names of certain Pension Fund Societies."—(Honourable Mr. Béique.)—E.F.

#### No. 2.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill B), "An Act for the relief of Elizabeth Gertrude Orr."—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)—E.F.

#### No. 3.

13th April-Second Reading (Bill C), "An Act for the relief of Melville James Andrews."-(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)-E.F.

#### No. 4.

13th April-Second Reading (Bill D), "An Act for the relief of Harry Reginald Oddy."-(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)-E.F.

#### No. 5.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill E), "An Act for the relief of Mildred Roxie Horner."—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)—E.F.

#### No. 6.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill F), "An Act for the relief of Frances Muriel Burnet."—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)—E.F.

#### No. 7.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill G), "An Act for the relief of Ada Toms." —(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)—E.F.

#### No. 8.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill H), "An Act for the relief of Vera Sanderson."—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 9.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill I), "An Act for the relief of Noel Leslie Deuxbury."—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 10.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill J), "An Act for the relief of Lillian May O'Reilly."—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 11.

13th April-Second Reading (Bill K), "An Act for the relief of Jean Victoria Dillane."--(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)-E.F.

#### No. 12.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill L), "An Act for the relief of Ethel Alberta Barker."—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 13.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill M), "An Act for the relief of Annie Hazel McCausland."—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

# No. 14.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill N), "An Act for the relief of Sterling Le Roy Spicer."—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 15.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill O), "An Act for the relief of Amy Bell Corney."—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 16.

13th April-Second Reading (Bill P), "An Act for the relief of David Frank Crosier."-(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)-E.F.

#### No. 17.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill Q), "An Act for the relief of Ethel Gildea Nye Brown."—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 18.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill R), "An Act for the relief of Edward Thomas Faragher."—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

### No. 19.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill S), "An Act for the relief of Bertha Viola Lidkea."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

### No. 20.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill T), "An Act for the relief of Mike Ayoub, otherwise known as Michael Ayoub."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 21.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill U), "An Act for the relief of Alice Marion McGinley."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 22.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill V), "An Act for the relief of Harold Edgar Perinchief."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 23.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill W), "An Act for the relief of Hendel Tuerner Lubrinetsky."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

# No. 24.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill X), "An Act for the relief of Paul Hugh Turnbull."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

# No. 25.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill Y), "An Act for the relief of Helen Elby Pollington."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 26,

13th April—Second Reading (Bill Z), "An Act for the relief of Alexander Stewart."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 27.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill A2), "An Act for the relief of William Melville Moore."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 28.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill B2), "An Act for the relief of John-Samuel Milligan."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 29.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill C2), "An Act for the relief of Marion Richardson."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

# No. 30.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill D2), "An Act for the relief of Isadore Boadner."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 31.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill E2), "An Act for the relief of William Albert Thomas."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 32.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill F2), "An Act for the relief of Gertrude Isabel Clark."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 33.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill G2), "An Act for the relief of Helen Seymour O'Connor."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 34.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill H2), "An Act for the relief of Yetta Selma Trachsell."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 35.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill 12), "An Act for the relief of Alexander Dewar."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 36.

13th April—Second Reading (Bill J2), "An Act for the relief of Florence Burrell."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### For Thursday, 15th April, 1926

### No. 1.

13th April—Consideration of the seventieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Stanley Bennett, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

# No. 2.

13th April—Consideration of the seventy-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Amber May Wolfenden, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 3.

13th April—Consideration of the seventy-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Jean Victoria Dillane, for a refund of the fees paid upon her petition for a Bill of Divorce.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 4.

13th April—Consideration of the seventy-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of May Maud Mary Johnson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr Willoughby.)

#### No. 5.

13th April—Consideration of the seventy-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Charles Stanley Reed Riches, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 6.

13th April—Consideration of the seventy-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of John Sydney Wright, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 7.

13th April—Consideration of the seventy-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of John Wilson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 8.

13th April—Consideration of the seventy-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Majorie Durham Morgan, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 9.

13th April—Consideration of the seventh-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ethel Beatrice Walker, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 10.

13th April—Consideration of the seventy-ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of George Elgie Dulyea, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 11.

13th April—Consideration of the eightieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Elias Malky, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 12.

13th April—Consideration of the eighty-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Cecilia Marrie Peters Kendall, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 13.

13th April—Consideration of the eighty-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Roland George Wickens, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

# No. 11

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF

# THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 14th April, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:-

# The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

# The Honourable Messieurs

Avlesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard, Béique, Béland, Belcourt. Black, Blondin, Bourque, Buchanan, Bureau, Calder, Casgrain, Chapais, Copp, Crowe. Dandurand. Daniel, Donnelly, S 11-1

Farrell, Fisher. Foster. Foster (Sir George), Gillis. Girroir, Gordon, Griesbach, Hardy, Haydon, Hughes, King, Laird, Lavergne, Legris, L'Espérance, Lessard, Lewis,

MacArthur, Macdonell, Martin, McCoig, McCormick, McDonald. McHugh, McLean. McLennan, McMeans, Molloy; Montplaisir, Mulholland, Murphy, Pardee, Poirier, Pope, Prowse,

Lynch-Staunton,

Rankin, Robinson. Ross (Middleton), Schaffner, Sharpe, Stanfield. Tanner. Tessier, Todd, Turgeon, Turriff, Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby, Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally presented:-

By the Honourable Mr. Schaffner:-

Of Vina Kennedy, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Thomas Mitchell Kennedy.

By the Honourable Mr. Haydon:-

Of Hannah Russell Royer, of Niagara Falls, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Wilfred Royer.

By the Honourable Mr. Gordon:-

Of J. M. Eagle, and others. (Executive Council of the Free Methodist Church in Canada.)

On motion, it was-

Ordered,—That Rule 23 (f) be suspended in so far as it relates to the following Divorce Bills:—

The Honourable Mr. Mulholland presented to the Senate a Bill (K2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edith Marion Byam."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Mulholland presented to the Senate a Bill (L2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Charles Davidson."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Mulholland presented to the Senate a Bill (M2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Doris Selina Irvin."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Mulholland presented to the Senate a Bill (N2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frank John Davis."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Fisher presented to the Senate a Bill (O2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Norman Smith McMurray."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton) presented to the Senate a Bill (P2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Archie Claire McIntyre."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Pope presented to the Senate a Bill (Q2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mabel Elizabeth Harcourt."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Pope presented to the Senate a Bill (R2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Louise Gordon Pook."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and- -

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Pope presented to the Senate a Bill (S2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ezillah Harriet Cole."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Pardee, for the Honourable Mr. Ross (Moose Jaw), presented to the Senate a Bill (T2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gertrude Burnside."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Pardee presented to the Senate a Bill (U2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Cora Mae Murray."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Pardee presented to the Senate a Bill (V2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Janet Thornhill Gorrie."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second readingto-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. White (Inkerman) presented to the Senate a Bill (W2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillian DuBord Bulloch."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, for the Honourable Mr. Taylor, presented to the Senate a Bill (X2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Henrietta Schierholtz."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, for the Honourable Mr. Taylor, presented to the Senate a Bill (Y2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Maude Elizabeth Gilrov."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

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The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, for the Honourable Mr. Taylor, presented to the Senate a Bill (Z2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Richard Howard Buckley."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, for the Honourable Mr. Taylor, presented to the Senate a Bill (A3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William George Darlington."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, for the Honourable Mr. Taylor, presented to the Senate a Bill (B3), initialed: "An Act for the relief of Arthur Watson." The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, for the Honourable Mr. Taylor, presented to the Senate a Bill (C3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frances Marjorie Warren."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, for the Honourable Mr. Robertson, presented to the Senate a Bill (D3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Charles Douglas Palmer."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, for the Honourable Mr. Robertson, presented to the Senate a Bill (E3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Beatrice Isobel Lamontagne."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, for the Honourable Sir Edward Kemp, presented to the Senate a Bill (F3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jane Johnston Mitchell Wells."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, for the Honourable Mr. Smith, presented to the Senate a Bill (G3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jeremiah Gibbs."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, for the Honourable Mr. Smith, presented to the Senate a Bill (H3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Caroline Elizabeth Risbridger."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. McMeans presented to the Senate a Bill (I3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canada Evidence Act as regards the evidence of persons charged with offences."

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (J3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Cassie Woodley."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Lewis presented to the Senate a Bill (K3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Isabella Freeman."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighty-third Report.

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

TUESDAY, 13th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eighty-third Report, as follows:---

With respect to the petition of Margaret Ann Higgins, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario; praying for a Bill of Divorce from William Clarence Higgins, of Manchester, England.

Counsel for the petitioner having applied for leave to withdraw the petition, the Committee recommend that leave be granted accordingly.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighty-fourth Report.

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

# TUESDAY, 30th March, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eighty-fourth Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Elsie Fray, of Toronto, Ontario, tailoress, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Ernest Arthur Fray, of the said city, printer, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighty-fifth Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 13th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eighty-fifth Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Enda Beatrice Burley, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Oliver Burley, of the said city, chauffeur, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighty-sixth Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 13th April, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Bernard Ernest Sleeth, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, dentist, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Margaret Glover Sleeth, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (A), intituled: "An Act to provide for changing the names of certain Pension Fund Societies."

### (In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and-

The Honourable Mr. Robinson, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered,—That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (B), initialed: "An Act for the relief of Elizabeth Gertrude Orr," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

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Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (C), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Melville James Andrews," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (D), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Harry Reginald Oddy," was, on division, read the second time, and— Ordered. That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading

to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (E), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mildred Roxie Horner," was, on division, read the second time, and— Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading

to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (F), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frances Muriel Burnet," was, on division, read the second time, and— Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (G), intituled: "An Act for the

relief of Ada Toms," was, on division, read the second time, and— Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading

to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (H), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vera Sanderson," was, on division, read the second time, and— Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading

to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (I), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Noel Leslie Deuxbury," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (J), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillian May O'Reilly," was, on division, read the second time, and— Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (K), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jean Victoria Dillane," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (L), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Alberta Barker," was, on division, read the second time, and— Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (M), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Hazel McCausland," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (N), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sterling LeRoy Spicer," was, on division, read the second time, and-Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading

to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (O), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Amy Bell Corney," was, on division, read the second time, and— Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading

to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (P), intituled: "An Act for the relief of David Frank Crosier," was, on division, read the second time, and-

Ordered. That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Q), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Gildea Nye Brown," was, on division, read the second time,

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (R), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edward Thomas Faragher," was, on division, read the second time,

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (S), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bertha Viola Lidkea," was, on division, read the second time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (T), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mike Ayoub, otherwise known as Michael Ayoub," was, on division, read the second time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (U), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alice Marion McGinley," was, on division, read the second time,

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (V), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Harold Edgar Perinchief," was, on division, read the second time,

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (W), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Hendel Tuerner Lubrinetsky," was, on division, read the second time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

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Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (X), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Paul Hugh Turnbull," was, on division, read the second time, and—Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Y), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Helen Elby Pollington," was, on division, read the second time, and—Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Z), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alexander Stewart." was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (A2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Melville Moore," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (B2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Samuel Milligan," was, on division, read the second time, and— Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (C2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marion Richardson," was, on division, read the second time, and— Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (D2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Isadore Boadner," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (E2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Albert Thomas," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading - to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (F2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gertrude Isabel Clark," was, on division, read the second time, and— Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (G2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Helen Seymour O'Connor," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (H2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Yetta Selma Trachsell," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (12), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alexander Dewar," was, on division, read the second time, and— Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (J2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Florence Burrell," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Daniel, from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts of the Senate, presented their second Report. The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

#### WEDNESDAY, 14th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts beg leave to make their second Report, as follows:—

The Committee recommend that Mr. L. P. Gauthier, M.D., be appointed First Clerk Assistant.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### J. W. DANIEL,

Chairman.

Ordered,—That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Daniel, from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts of the Senate, presented their third Report. The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

#### WEDNESDAY, 14th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts beg leave to make their third Report, as follows:—

The Committee recommend that an allowance at the rate of six hundred dollars (\$600) per annum be paid Major A. R. Thompson, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, in lieu of living quarters, effective from the commencement of the present fiscal year, namely first April, A.D. 1926.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# J. W. DANIEL,

Chairman.

Ordered,—That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

# ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

# Thursday, 15th April, 1926

Presentation of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Reading of Petitions. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

# INQUIRIES

# For Thursday, 15th April, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Griesbach:-

13th April-Will enquire of the Government:-

It is alleged that in 1915 the citizens of Edmonton subscribed the sum of \$5,000 for the purpose of purchasing Machine Guns for the 49th Battalion; that such funds were forwarded to the Department of Militia and Defence at Ottawa; and that the said Battalion was not supplied with any Machine Guns out of these funds.

What disposition was made of these funds by the Government?

No. 2.

By the Honourable Mr. Tanner:-

13th April-Will enquire of the Government:--

1. In respect to what matters were Royal Commissions appointed by the Government of Canada during the period 1921 until 1926, inclusive?

2. What was the total cost to the country of each Royal Commission?

No. 3.

By the Honourable Mr. Pope:-

13th April-Will enquire of the Government:----

1. What is the annual expenditure and revenue of the Lennoxville Experimental Farm, and the St. Anns Experimental Farm, and the Pont Rouge Experimental Farm?

2. What salaries are paid annually on the Pont Rouge Experimental Farm, and to whom?

3. What is the auto service expense on each farm?

4. What amount of money was granted to Sherbrooke, Three Rivers and Ouebec exhibitions?

5. Have the Government any representatives on any of those boards; if so, who and what salary do they receive, and is the salary paid by the exhibitions or by the Government?

#### For Friday, 16th April, 1926

#### No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Foster (Alma) :--

14th April—Will enquire of the Government as to whether they have secured the advice of the President and competent officials of the Government Railways with regard to the building of the Hudson Bay Railway, and if so who were such officials, and what was the advice given.

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# MOTIONS

#### For Thursday, 15th April, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Taylor:-

7th April—That a humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General praying that His Excellency will cause to be laid before the Senate copy of any agreement between the Government of Canada, or any department thereof and the Government of the Province of British Columbia for the transfer to the Government of British Columbia or to any persons on their behalf or at their instance of vacant Dominion lands underlying or abutting upon Sumas Lake; together with all correspondence and all Orders in Council relating to said transfer or proposed transfer or to any matters arising therefrom. Also for a copy of any accounts received from said Provincial Government of the proceeds of any sales of Dominion lands so acquired and of any expense incurred by the Province in connection with the reclamation of lands included in the proposed transfer.

#### No. 2.

By the Honourable Mr. Dandurand:-

14th April—That when the Senate adjourns to-morrow it do stand adjourned until May 4th next, at 8 p.m.

#### For Friday, 16th April, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Tanner:-

14th April-That an order of the House do issue;

For a return in respect to grain hauled over the National Transcontinental

Railway during each of the years (crop years) 1923-4, and 1924-5, showing (a) From what points and to what destinations the grain was hauled, and

(b) The rates of freight charged in respect to such grain.

#### No. 2.

By the Honourable Mr. Lewis:-

Resolved, that it is expedient that preparations be made for the celebration of the Sixtieth Anniversary of the Confederation of the Provinces of Canada.

# ORDERS OF THE DAY

Note.—The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed; E. printed in English, F. in French.

#### For Thursday, 15th April, 1926

#### No. 1.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill B), "An Act for the relief of Elizabeth Gertrude Orr."—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)—E.F.

#### No. 2.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill C), "An Act for the relief of Melville James Andrews."—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)—E.F.

#### No. 3.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill D), "An Act for the relief of Harry Reginald Oddy."—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)—E.F.

#### No. 4.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill E), "An Act for the relief of Mildred Roxie Horner."—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)—E.F.

#### No. 5.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill F), "An Act for the relief of Frances Muriel Burnet."—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)—E.F.

#### No. 6.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill G), "An Act for the relief of Ada Toms." —(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)—E.F.

#### No. 7.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill H), "An Act for the relief of Vera Sanderson."—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 8.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill I), "An Act for the relief of Noel Leslie Deuxbury."—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 9.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill J), "An Act for the relief of Lillian May O'Reilly."—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 10.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill K), "An Act for the relief of Jean Victoria Dillane."—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 11.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill L), "An Act for the relief of Ethel Alberta Barker."—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 12.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill M), "An Act for the relief of Annie Hazel McCausland."—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 13.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill N), "An Act for the relief of Sterling LeRoy Spicer."—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 14.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill O), "An Act for the relief of Amy Bell Corney."—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 15.

14th April-Third Reading (Bill P), "An Act for the relief of David Frank Crosier."-(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)-E.F.

### No. 16.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill Q), "An Act for the relief of Ethel Gildea Nye Brown."—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 17.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill R), "An Act for the relief of Edward Thomas Faragher."—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 18.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill S), "An Act for the relief of Bertha Viola Lidkea."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 19.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill T), "An Act for the relief of Mike Ayoub, otherwise known as Michael Ayoub."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 20.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill U), "An Act for the relief of Alice Marion McGinley."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 21.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill V), "An Act for the relief of Harold Edgar Perinchief."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 22.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill W), "An Act for the relief of Hendel Tuerner Lubrinetsky."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 23.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill X), "An Act for the relief of Paul Hugh Turnbull."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 24.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill Y), "An Act for the relief of Helen Elby Pollington."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

### No. 25.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill Z), "An Act for the relief of Alexander Stewart."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

# No. 26.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill A2), "An Act for the relief of William Melville Moore."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 27.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill B2), "An Act for the relief of John Samuel Milligan."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

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#### No. 28.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill C2), "An Act for the relief of Marion Richardson."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 29.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill D2), "An Act for the relief of Isadore Boadner."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 30.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill E2), "An Act for the relief of William Albert Thomas."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 31.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill F2), "An Act for the relief of Gertrude Isabel Clark."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 32.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill G2), "An Act for the relief of Helen Seymour O'Connor."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 33.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill H2), An Act for the relief of Yetta Selma Trachsell."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 34.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill 12), "An Act for the relief of Alexander Dewar."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 35.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill J2), "An Act for the relief of Florence Burrell."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 36.

14th April—Third Reading (Bill A), "An Act to provide for changing the names of certain Pension Fund Societies."—(Honourable Mr. Béique.)

#### No. 37.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill K2), "An Act for the relief of Edith Marion Byam."—(Honourable Mr. Mulholland.)—E.F.

#### No. 38.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill L2), "An Act for the relief of Charles Davidson."—(Honourable Mr. Mulholland.)—E.F.

#### No. 39.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill M2), "An Act for the relief of Doris Selina Irvin."—(Honourable Mr. Mulholland.)—E.F.

#### No. 40.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill N2), "An Act for the relief of Frank John Davis."—(Honourable Mr. Mulholland.)—E.F.

#### No. 41.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill O2), "An Act for the relief of John Norman Smith McMurray."—(Honourable Mr. Fisher.)—E.F.

#### No. 42.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill P2), "An Act for the relief of Archie Claire McIntyre."—(Honourable Mr. Ross Middleton).)—E.F.

#### No. 43.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill Q2), "An Act for the relief of Mabel Elizabeth Harcourt."—(Honourable Mr. Pope.)—E.F.

#### No. 44.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill R2), "An Act for the relief of Louise Gordon Pook."—(Honourable Mr. Pope.)—E.F.

#### No. 45.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill S2), "An Act for the relief of Elizabeth Harriet Cole."—(Honourable Mr. Pope.)—E.F.

# No. 46.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill T2), "An Act for the relief of Gertrude Burnside."—(Honourable Mr. Ross (Moose Jaw).)—E.F.

#### No. 47.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill U2), "An Act for the relief of Cora Mae Murray."—(Honourable Mr. Pardee.)—E.F.

#### No. 48.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill V2), "An Act for the relief of Janet Thornhill Gorrie."—(Honourable Mr. Pardee.)—E.F.

#### No. 49.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill W2), "An Act for the relief of Lillian DuBord Bulloch."—(Honourable Mr. White (Inkerman).)—E.F.

#### No. 50.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill X2), "An Act for the relief of Henrietta Schierholtz."—(Honourable Mr. Taylor.)—E.F.

#### No. 51.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill Y2), "An Act for the relief of Maude Elizabeth Gilroy."—(Honourable Mr. Taylor.)—E.F.

#### No. 52.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill Z2), "An Act for the relief of Richard Howard Buckley."—(Honourable Mr. Taylor.)—E.F.

#### No. 53.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill A3), "An Act for the relief of William George Darlington."—(Honourable Mr. Taylor.)—E.F.

#### No. 54.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill B3), "An Act for the relief of Arthur Watson."—(Honourable Mr. Taylor.)—E.F.

#### No. 55.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill C3), "An Act for the relief of Frances Marjorie Warren."—(Honourable Mr. Taylor.)—E.F.

#### No. 56.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill D3), "An Act for the relief of Charles Douglas Palmer."—(Honourable Mr. Robertson.)—E.F.

#### No. 57.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill E3), "An Act for the relief of Beatrice Isobel Lamontagne."—(Honourable Mr. Robertson.)—E.F.

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#### No. 58.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill F3), "An Act for the relief of Jane Johnston Mitchell Wells."—(Honourable Sir Edward Kemp.)—E.F.

#### No. 59.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill G3), "An Act for the relief of Jeremiah Gibbs."—(Honourable Mr. Smith.)—E.F.

### No. 60.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill H3), "An Act for the relief of Caroline Elizabeth Risbridger."—(Honourable Mr. Smith.)—E.F.

#### No. 61.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill J3), "An Act for the relief of Cassie - Woodley."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 62.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill K3), "An Act for the relief of Isabella Freeman."—(Honourable Mr. Lewis.)—E.F.

#### No. 63.

14th April—Consideration of the second report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.—(Honourable Mr. Daniel.)

### No. 64.

14th April—Consideration of the third report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.—(Honourable Mr. Daniel.)

#### For Friday, 16th April, 1926

#### No. 1.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill 13), "An Act to amend The Canada Evidence Act as regards the evidence of persons charged with offences."—(Honourable Mr. McMeans.)

#### No. 2.

14th April—Consideration of the eighty-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Margaret Ann Higgins, praying for leave to withdraw her petition for a Bill of Divorce.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 3.

14th April—Consideration of the eighty-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Elsie Fray, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 4.

14th April—Consideration of the eighty-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Enda Beatrice Burley, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 5.

14th April—Consideration of the eighty-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Bernard Ernest Sleeth, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

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# No. 12

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

# OF

# THE SENATE OF CANADA

# Thursday, 15th April, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:--

# The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Avlesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard, Béique, Béland. Belcourt, Black, Blondin, Bourque, Buchanan, Bureau. Calder. Casgrain, Chapais, Copp, Crowe, Dandurand, Daniel, Donnelly,

Farrell, Fisher, Foster, Gillis. Girroir, Gordon, Griesbach, Hardy, Haydon, Hughes, King, Laird, Lavergne, Legris, L'Espérance, Lessard. Lewis, Lynch-Staunton, MacArthur,

Macdonell, Martin. McCoig, McCormick, McDonald, McHugh, McLean, McLennan, McMeans, Molloy, Montplaisir, Mulholland, Murphy, Pardee, Poirier, Pope, Prowse, Rankin, Robertson,

Robinson, Ross (Middleton), Schaffner, Sharpe, Stanfield, Tanner. Tessier, Todd. Turgeon, Turriff. Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby.

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#### PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally presented:-

By the Honourable Mr. Haydon:-

Of Amy Humphrey Lowe, of Hamilton Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Lawrence Wilson Lowe.

Of Alberta Lutz, of the village of Stony Creek, in the county of Wentworth, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Norman Alva Lutz.

The following petitions were severally read and received:-

Of J. H. Cassidy, and others; praying for the passage of an Act incorporating the Red Lake and Northwestern Railway Company;

Of The Dominion Express Company; praying for the passage of an Act changing the name of the Company to "Canadian Pacific Express Company"; Of The Joliette and Northern Ontario Railway Company; praying for the

Of The Joliette and Northern Ontario Railway Company; praying for the passage of an Act to extend the time for the commencement and completion of its line of railway;

Of The Pacific Coast Fire Insurance Company; praying for the passage of an Act increasing the classes of insurance contracts it may enter into.

Of James Stewart, and others; praying for the passage of an Act incorporating The Agents Insurance Company.

The Honourable Mr. Fisher, for the Honourable Mr. White (Inkerman), from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the printing of Parliament, presented the following as their first Report.

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

# 15th April, 1926.

The Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, beg leave to present the following as their first Report:—

The Committee recommend, as follows:-

1. That the following documents be printed:-

For distribution to Members and Senators only.

36. Statement covering Dominion Lands in the Railway Belt under the provisions of Order in Council of September 17, 1889.

84. Copies of Orders in Council passed during the past two years respecting the release of alcohol from distilleries within a shorter period of time than that set forth in the Inland Revenue Act, R.S.C., 1906, Chapter 51, Section 171.

88. Copy of Report for the year 1925 of positions excluded under the provisions of Section 38B from the operation of the Civil Service Act, 1918, as amended by Chapter 22, 11-12 Geo. V.

102. Correspondence between the Government of Canada and the Government of the United States in regard to the Diversion of Water from Lake Michigan by the Sanitary District of Chicago.

110. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1925, for a Return showing:-

1. Capital expenditure on each of the following parts of the Canadian National Railways during the years 1922, 1923, 1924 and 1925:---

(a) On that part formerly known as the Intercolonial Railway of Canada;

(b) On that part formerly known as the National Transcontinental Railway;

(c) On that part formerly known as the Grand Trunk Railway of Canada; (d) On that part of the Grand Trunk Railway of Canada within United States territory;

(e) On that part formerly known as the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway;

(f) On that part formerly known as the Canadian Northern Railway including branches and subsidiaries in each case.

2. Capital expenditure on the Canadian National Railways during the years 1922, 1923, 1924 and 1925 for-

(a) Permanent improvement to roadbed in replacement of temporary bridges or culverts with concrete, stone or steel;

(b) Ballasting and widening of permanent way, including fills made in replacing temporary bridges or trestles;

(c) Replacement of light by heavy rail, specifying the manner in which the charge against capital was made;

(d) Terminal facilities including additional trackage, roundhouses, coal chutes, machine shops, station buildings, and freight sheds;

(e) Passing tracks, trackmen's houses, main line water tanks and services;
 (f) Branch lines with mileage and location;

(g) Rolling stock, including locomotives, main line and switching, freight cars of all descriptions, ballast and service cars, snow plows, conductors' vans, passenger coaches, first and second class, tourist, dining, sleeping and parlour cars:

(h) Office buildings wherever located.

2. That the following documents be not printed:-

1. Report of the Commissioner of Patents for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1925.

2. Fifty-Eighth Annual Report of the Department of Marine and Fisheries for the fiscal year 1924-25. (Marine Branch.)

3. Annual Report of the Minister of Agriculture for the year ended 31st March, 1925.

4. Report of the Director of Experimental Farms for the year ended 31st March, 1925.

5. Orders and Regulations passed under authority of the Destructive Insect and Pest Act, for the year ended 31st March, 1925.

6. Report of the Joint Librarians of Parliament, for the year 1925.

7. Report of the proceedings of the Commissioners of Internal Economy of the House of Commons for 1925, pursuant to Rule 9.

8. Report of the Chief Electoral Officer, in conformity with Section 74 of the Dominion Elections Act.

9. Report of the Chief Electoral Officer under Section 4 of the Representation Act, 1924.

10. Report of the Postmaster General for the year ended March 31, 1925.

11. Annual Report of the Department of Customs and Excise, containing accounts of revenue with statements relative to the Imports, Exports and Excise of the Dominion of Canada, for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1925, as compiled from official returns.

12. The Public Accounts of Canada, for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1925.

13. (A) Statement of allowances granted to Civil Servants under the Civil Service Superannuation Act, 1924, during the fiscal year 1924/25—Statutes of 1924, C. 69, S. 14 (a);

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(B) Statement of allowances granted to dependents of Civil Servants under the Civil Service Superannuation Act, 1924, during the fiscal year 1924/25— Statutes of 1924, C. 69, S. 14 (b);

(C) Statement showing amount of contributions and payments under the Civil Service Superannuation Act, 1924, during the fiscal year 1924/25—Statutes of 1924, C. 69, S. 14 (c);

(D) Statement of superannuation allowances to Civil Servants during the year ended December 31st, 1925, under Chap. 17, R.S.C. 1906-R.S., C. 17, S. 25.

14. Statement of Governor General's Warrants issued since last session of Parliament; also Statement of the Auditor General respecting overrulings by the Treasury Board on decisions of the Auditor General.

15. Statement of Returned Soldiers' Insurance, for the year ended 31st March, 1925.

16. Statement of Expenditure on account of "Miscellaneous Unforeseen Expenses," from the 8th May, 1925, to the 21st December, 1925, in accordance with the Appropriation Act, 1925.

17. Statement of Receipts and Expenditures of the National Battlefields Commission for the year ended 31st March, 1925.

18. Statement of the Receipts and Expenditures of the Royal Society of Canada, for the year ended April 30, 1925.

19. Report of the Superintendent of Insurance of the Dominion of Canada for the year ended 31st December, 1924—Volume I, Insurance Companies other than Life; Volume II, Life Insurance Companies.

20. Abstract of Statements of Loan and Trust Companies in Canada, for the year ended 31st December, 1924.

20a. Report of the Superintendent of Insurance of the Dominion of Canada for the year ended December 31, 1924,—Loan and Trust Companies.

21. Interim Report of amounts paid to certain creditors of the Home Bank of Canada under the Home Bank Creditors' Relief Act, 1925.

22. Thirty-third Annual Report of the Department of Trade and Commerce, for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1925.

23. Report of the Board of Grain Commissioners for Canada, for the crop year ended August 31, 1924.

24. Copy of Rules and Regulations of the Board of Grain Commissioners, for crop year ending August 31, 1926.

25. Annual Report of the Weights and Measures, Electricity and Gas Inspection Services of the Department of Trade and Commerce for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1925.

26. Copy of the List of Lands Sales cancelled by the Department of Indian Affairs during the period from February 1st, 1925, to November 15th, 1925, in accordance with section 61 of The Indian Act.

27. Report of the Department of Indian Affairs, for the year ended March 31, 1925.

28. Statement showing the number-of Enfranchisements under the Indian Act, from 1st April, 1925, to 15th November, 1925.

29. Statement in respect to Irrigation Regulations under the provisions of chapter 61, section 57 of the Revised Statutes.

**30.** Annual Report of the Department of the Interior, for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1925.

31. Annual Report of the Department of Mines, for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1925.

**32.** Statement in respect to Remissions on sales of Indian lands during the fiscal year ended March 31, 1925.

33. Statement in regard to Regulations respecting Indians during the fiscal year ended March 31, 1925.

**34.** Report of the Minister of Public Works on the works under his control for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1925.

35. Annual Report of the Department of Public Printing and Stationery for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1925.

**37.** Return of Orders in Council which have been published in the *Canada Gazette*, between 1st January, 1925, and the 23rd November, 1925, in accordance with the provisions of section 77 of "The Dominion Lands Act," chapter 20, 7-8 Edward VII.

**38.** Return of Orders in Council which have been published in the *Canada Gazette* between the 1st January, 1925, and the 23rd November, 1925, in accordance with the provisions of section 19, chapter 10, 1-2 George V,—" The Dominion Forest Reserves and Parks Act."

**39.** Copies of Orders in Council which have been published in the *Canada Gazette* between the 1st January, 1925, and the 23rd November, 1925, in accordance with the provisions of section 4, chapter 18, 1917, "Migratory Birds Convention Act."

40. Return of Orders in Council which have been published in the *Canada Gazette* between the 1st January, 1925, and the 23rd November, 1925, in accordance with the provisions of Section 5 of "The Dominion Lands Survey Act," Chapter 21, 7-8 Edward VII.

41. Return of Orders in Council which have been published in the *Canada Gazette* and in the *British Columbia Gazette*, between 1st January, 1925, and the 23rd November, 1925, in accordance with provisions of subsection (d) of section 38 of the regulations for the survey, administration, disposal and management of Dominion Lands within the 40-mile Railway Belt in the Province of British Columbia.

42. Return showing the number of permits granted to take intoxicants into the North West Territories, for the year ended December 31, 1925, in accordance with the provisions of the Revised Statutes, chapter 62, section 88.

43. List of Leases, Licenses, Permits or other authorities cancelled since 31st January, 1925, under the provisions of section 3, chapter 21, of the Statutes of 1922, An Act respecting Notices of Cancellation of Leases of Dominion Lands.

44. Report under section 7, of the Reclamation Act, 9-10 George V, showing the drainage works constructed, the area of land reclaimed, the expenditure and money received from the sale or lease of Dominion Lands.

45. Return showing all lands sold by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company during the year ended 30th September, 1925, together with the names of the purchasers, in accordance with 49 Victoria, chapter 9, section 8.

46. Statement in respect to Reclamation Act Regulations, under the provisions of section 5, chapter 5, Statutes of 1919.

47. Shipping Report of the Department of Customs and Excise, containing the Statements of Navigation and Shipping of the Dominion of Canada for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1925, as compiled from official returns.

48. Fifty-eighth Annual Report of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, for the fiscal year 1924-25—Marine.

49. Report of the Secretary of State of Canada for the year ended March 31, 1925.

50. Ordinances of the Yukon Territory passed by the Yukon Council in the year 1925.

51. Report of the Department of Health for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1925.

52. Copy of Order in Council, P.C. 2089, dated November 26, 1925, in respect to further Regulations made under the Proprietary or Patent Medicine Act, as amended by section 5, of chapter 66, of the Statutes of 1919.

53. Statement of Receipts and Expenditures for Sick and Distressed Mariners for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1925.

54. Report of Health on Public Works for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1925.

55. Report of the Work of the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1925.

58. Annual Report of the Department of Railways and Canals, for the fiscal year from April 1, 1924, to-March 31, 1925.

59. A detailed statement of all bonds and securities registered in the Department of the Secretary of State of Canada, since last return, submitted to the Parliament of Canada under section 32 of chapter 19, of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906.

60. Annual Report of the Commissioner of Highways for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1925, in accordance with clause 6, chap. 54, 9-10 George V.

61. Statement relative to water in the Railway Belt, under the provisions of the Statutes of 1913, chapter 45, section 4.

62. Ordinances passed for the period ending the 7th January, 1926, in accordance with provisions of section 11, chapter 62, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, Northwest Territories Act.

63. Return of leases of wharves, piers and breakwaters for the year 1925.

64. Return of tolls and dues of Government harbours, etc., for the year 1924-25.

65. Orders in Council respecting Fish Bounty Regulations.

66. Statement respecting International Fishery Regulations.

67. Copy of Order in Council, P.C. 1947, dated 10th November, 1925, re issue of licenses to United States fishing vessels on the Pacific Coast of Canada.

68. Copy of the Radiotelegraph Act and Regulations issued thereunder, with Amendments to The Radio Regulations in respect thereto.

69. Report of the Board of Pension Commissioners for Canada for the year ending March 31, 1925.

71. Annual Report of the Department of Labour for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1925.

72. Statement in pursuance of section 17 of the Civil Service Insurance Act, for the year ended March 31, 1925.

74. Final Protocol of the Locarno Conference, 1925 (and annexes); together with Treaties between France and Poland and France and Czechoslovakia.

75. Memorandum of Agreement made on the ninth day of January, 1926, between the Dominion of Canada and the Province of Alberta on the subject of the transfer to the province of its natural resources.

76. Copy of the Joint Report of the International Boundary Commission upon the survey and demarcation of the boundary between the United States and Canada from the source of the St. Croix River to the St. Lawrence River; also copy of the accompanying Atlas, and Triangulation and Precise Traverse Sketches.

77. Report of the Department of National Defence, for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1925—Militia Service and Air Services.

78. Report of the Department of National Defence, for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1925-Naval Service.

79. Copies of General Orders promulgated to the Militia for the period between January 15, 1925, and December 1, 1925.

80. Copies of Militia Orders promulgated between February 1, 1925, and December 1, 1925.

**81.** Appointments, Promotions and Retirements, Canadian Militia (Permanent and Non-Permanent), Royal Canadian Air Force, and Royal Canadian Navy, from February 1, 1925, to December 1, 1925.

82. Copies of Orders in Council passed between June 19, 1925, and November 23, 1925, in respect to the Department of National Defence under the provisions of section 47, chapter 43, 9-10 Edward VII—Naval Service.

83. Copy of Order in Council, P.C. 1237, dated 29th July, 1925—Dress Regulations for the Royal Canadian Air Force, 1925, passed under the provisions of section 47, chapter 43, 9-10 Edward VII.

85. Report of the Auditor General for the year ended March 31, 1925— Vol. I, Parts "a" to "d" and Volume II, Parts A to N; Volume III, Parts O to ZZ.

86. Report of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police for the year ended September 30, 1925.

87. Report of the Secretary of State of External Affairs for the year ended March 31, 1925.

89. Report of the Canadian Delegates to the Sixth Assembly of the League of Nations, Geneva, September 7 to 26, 1925.

90. List of Shareholders in the Chartered Banks of the Dominion of Canada as on December 31, 1925, in accordance with section 114, chapter 32, Act of 1923 (The Bank Act).

93. Lists of Unclaimed Balances, etc., in Quebec Savings Banks—made in accordance with section 59, of chapter 42, Act of 1913 (Quebec Savings Bank Act).

94. Annual Report of the Department of Immigration and Colonization, for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1925.

95. Copy of communications between O. M. Biggar, K.C., Chief Electoral Officer, and Messrs. Robert Young and T. D. Agnew, in respect to the Byelection in the Electoral District of Prince Albert, Saskatchewan.

96. Copy of Order in Council, P.C. 225, dated 13th February, 1926, respecting the shipment of coal mined in Western Canada to the large consuming centres of Ontario and requesting the Board of Railway Commissioners to report on the cost of transportation of the same.

Copy of Order in Council, P.C. 226, dated 13th February, 1926, respecting the shipment of coal mined in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick to consuming points in Ontario and Quebec and requesting the Board of Railway Commissioners to report on the cost of transportation of the same.

97. Estimate of the Work done and Expenditures made to December 31, 1925, also Estimate of Work that will be done and Expenditures made in year 1926, on Canadian National Railways Branch Lines, authorized by Parliament (chapters 14 to 32 inclusive of 14-15 George V, and chapters 5 and 7 of 15-16 George V).

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97a. Report of Work done and Expenditures made to end of year 1925, also calendar year 1925, in connection with Acts (Chapters 14 to 32 inclusive of 14-15 George V) and (Chapters 5 and 7 of 15-16 George V) respecting construction of Canadian National Railway Branch Lines; also Detail of Expenditures incurred and Work done, as well as estimate of Expenditure proposed during 1926.

98. Report of the President and Financial Statement of the Honorary Advisory Council for Scientific and Industrial Research, for the year ending March 31, 1925.

100. Copy of correspondence between Rt. Hon. George P. Graham, and Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Prime Minister, concerning the former's resignation as Minister of Railways and Canals.

101. Copy of Order in Council, P.C. 1939, dated October 28, 1925, empowering the Minister of Railways and Canals to enter into an agreement with the Inverness Railway and Coal Company to lease, with an option of purchase, the Inverness Railway and Coal Company.

103. Annual Report of the Board of Trustees of the National Gallery of Canada, for the fiscal year ending the 31st March, 1925.

104. Estimates of sums required for the service of the Dominion for the year ending on the 31st March, 1927, and, in accordance with the provisions of "The British North America Act, 1867."

104a. Supplementary Estimates of sums required for the service of the Dominion for the year ending on the 31st March, 1927, and, in accordance with the provisions of "The British North America Act, 1867."

105. Copy of lease from Rouyn Mines Railway Company to His Majesty the King, executed 10th February, 1926.

106. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1925, for a Return showing:---

1. The out-turns of overages in weights and grades for the year 1924-25 for the Reliance Terminal Elevator Company at Fort William.

2. The out-turns of overages in weights and grades for the year 1924-25 for the Northland Terminal Elevator Company at Fort William.

3. The out-turns of overages in weights and grades for the year 1924-25 for the Government Elevator at Fort William.

4. The out-turns of overages in weights and grades for the year 1924-25 for the Government Elevator at Saskatoon.

5. The out-turns of overages in weights and grades for the year 1924-25 for the Government Elevator at Vancouver, British Columbia.

107. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1925, for a Return showing:—

Having reference to Order in Council P.C. No. 886, dated June 5, 1925, instructing the Board of Railway Commissioners to consider the problem of equalization of freight rates East and West.

1. What steps have been taken to give effect to this Order in Council.

2. Whether any public hearings have been held by the Board of Railway Commissioners.

3. If so, where and on what dates.

4. When a decision may be expected, and what steps the Government have taken to expedite the hearing of the case and the reaching of a decision.

108. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1925, for a Return showing:—

1. Total number of multigraph machines operated by the various departments.

2. Total number in each department.

3. Total number of impressions made by these machines, by departments.

4. Cost of operation of these machines.

5. Whether these machines are under the jurisdiction of the Department of Public Printing and Stationery, and subject to the censorship of the editorial committee.

6. Whether multigraph operators are classified as such and appointments made by the Civil Service Commission.

7. Their classification and salary.

8. What departments, other than the Department of Public Printing and Stationery, if any, operate printing machinery.

9. For what purpose said machinery is used.

109. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1925, for a Return showing:-

1. Amount of Dominion notes advanced under the Finance Act, 1914 (with amendments), and outstanding at the end of March, June, September and December of each year from 1914 until the present time.

2. Amounts of securities accepted as a basis for the foregoing issues of Dominion notes, given for the same periods.

111. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1926, for a Return showing:-

1. How many eggs were exported to the United States of America, Australia and China respectively, during 1924.

2. How many eggs were imported from the United States of America, Australia and China respectively, during 1924.

3. How many eggs were exported to the United States of America, Australia and China respectively, during 1925.

4 How many eggs were imported from the United States of America, Australia and China respectively, during 1925.

5. Exports and imports of eggs to and from the said several countries respectively during December, 1925.

6 Tariff duties of Canada, United States of America, Australia and China respectively, on eggs.

112. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1926, for a Return showing:-

1. What immigration offices the Canadian Government has in the following countries and where they are situated: United States; Great Britain; Denmark; Norway and Sweden, and Italy.

2 Whether any have been closed during the years 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925.

3. If so, what ones.

4. Cost of each office.

5. How many immigrants during the same years have come to Canada from each office.

112a. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1926, for a Return showing:-

1. Number of immigration offices maintained by the Government in the United States.

2 Gross cost of each office for the year 1925.

3 Amount spent by each office on Fairs and Exhibitions.

4. Total number of settlers secured by each office for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1925.

5. Cost per head of each settler from each office territory.

113. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1926, for a Return showing:-

1. On what date the "comprehensive immigration plan" referred to in the Speech from the Throne was put into operation.

2. Number of settlers brought into Canada monthly thereunder, giving country of birth, and province of destination.

114. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1926, for a Return showing:---

1. Number of trucks and automobiles seized by officers of Customs and Excise, or other officers of the Federal Government at the ports of Huntingdon and Abbotsford, British Columbia, during the years 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924,

2. How these cars were disposed of.

3. Amount realized in each case.

4. Name of officer making seizure.

5. Amount to officer, in each case, making seizure.

6. Name appearing as informant on seizure reports, in each case.

7. Amount to informant in each case.

8. Amount to the Department in each case.

115. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1926, for a Return showing:---

1. Number of vessels still comprising what is known as the Canadian Government Merchant Marine and the name and tonnage of each.

2. When and where the vessels of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine were constructed and at what cost.

3. Names and tonnage of the Government Merchant Marine vessels disposed of and whether they were sold by tender or private sale, and to whom, at what price and on what terms of payment.

4. Cost of each of the vessels referred to in question No. 3.

5. Annual revenue from and the annual cost of maintenance of each of the vessels of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine since construction to the end of the year 1925 or disposal of vessels.

116. Return showing:-

1. Whether Prince Rupert elevator has been completed.

If so, when.
 Total cost.
 Whether the elevator is now being operated.

5. Number of bushels of grain received at this elevator.6. Number of bushels of grain shipped out of the said elevator.

7. What the charges are in detail, connected with the handling of grain in said elevator.

Number of persons employed in said elevator.
 Names, salaries and duties of such employees, respectively.

10. Who recommended the said employees, respectively, for appointment. 117. Fourth Report of the Soldier Settlement Board on its activities and operations from January 1, 1925, to December 31, 1925.

118. Copy of correspondence between the Governments of Great Britain and Canada relative to the proposal to hold an Imperial Conference in October, 1926.

119. Return to an Order of the House of the 17th March, 1926, for a 

spent prior to Confederation.

2. Whether any allowances were made by the Dominion Government at the time of Confederation to Upper or Lower Canada for expenditures on canals by those provinces prior to Confederation.

3. The actual cost of each canal system in Canada.

119a. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1926, for a Return showing:---

1. What revenues have been derived from the canal systems of Canada since Confederation, giving the individual earnings of each canal.

2. The outlay for maintenance in each year since Confederation on each canal system.

120. Copy of Trade Agreement between the Government of the Dominion of Canada and the Governments of British West Indies, Bermuda, British Guiana, British Honduras, signed at Ottawa, Canada, July 6, 1925.

121. Return to an Order of the House, March 22nd, 1926, for a Return showing what appointments, if any, have been made by authority of the vote to the Auditor General's Office under contingencies, set out at page 71 of the Estimates for the year ending March 31, 1926, reading as follows,—

"Extra help including expert assistance in connection with reorganization and systematization of the office of the Auditor General. Appointments for this purpose and increases of salary to be made without reference to and notwithstanding the provisions of the Civil Service Act, \$10,000."

122. Return to an Order of the House, March 22nd, 1926, for a Copy of all papers, reports, letters, telegrams and other documents of every nature and description relative to the appointment of Mr. Eccles J. Gott as an official of the Department of Immigration in the years 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, and relative to the dismissal of said Mr. Eccles J. Gott from said appointment and the reasons and evidence and other documents relative thereto.

123. Return to an Order of the House, March 22nd, 1926, for a return showing :--

1. Amount paid out under the heads of Salaries, Bonuses and Expenses to officials of the Department of Agriculture in each province from the vote in the Estimates entitled, Health of Animals, for the years ending March 31, 1922, 1923, 1924 and 1925.

2. Total sum paid under these heads in each year mentioned.

3. Amount paid out in compensation for animals slaughtered in each province during the years mentioned in question one for cattle, horses, sheep and hogs.

4. Amount paid out of the vote entitled Live Stock, in Salaries, Bonuses and Expenses of the officials of the Department of Agriculture, in each province, in each of the years 1922, 1923, 1924 and 1925.

124. Return to an Order of the House, March 22nd, 1926, for a copy of the report made by Lt.-Col. H. A. Machin to the Minister of Justice, in connection with the trouble which occurred in Quebec at the beginning of April, 1918.

125. Return to an Order of the House, March 22nd, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams, petitions, etc., and other documents between the Department of Marine and Fisheries, the Inspector of Fisheries, and other individuals in connection with the fishing of smelt by the means of boxnets in the waters of Buctouche Bay, N.B.

126. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence between the Prime Minister and any and all other persons during the year 1925, having reference to the prevention of smuggling.

127. Twenty-first Annual Report of the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada, for the year ended 31st December, 1925. 128. Return to an Order of the House, March 24th, 1926, for a return showing:-

1. The number of cords of pulpwood exported during 1925.

2. The amount from each province.

3. The number of cords of each of the following classes of pulpwood exported from each province: spruce, poplar, balsam and jack pine.

131. Return to an Order of the House, March 25th, 1926, for a copy of all papers, letters, telegrams, memoranda, correspondence, reports, and other documents with reference to an investigation into the oil industry at Petrolia, Ontario, and Oil Springs, Ontario, made by Mr. Russell of the Finance Department in the year 1924.

132. Return to an Order of the House, March 25th, 1926, for a return showing a statement of all grants of land, money, or other franchise in any form granted by the Canadian Government to (1) The Canadian Northern Railway or any of its subsidiaries, (2) The Grand Trunk Pacific Railway or any of its subsidiaries.

133. Return to an Order of the House, March 25th, 1926, for a return showing whether the Government or the National Railways have an office, or offices, in the City of New York for the sale of tickets or for any other purpose. If so, where located, the annual cost, including rent, taxes, insurance, salaries, etc., in connection therewith.

134. Return to an Order of the House, March 25th, 1926, for a return showing a statement of all assets taken over by the Canadian Government and (or) the Canadian National Railways from (1) The Canadian Northern Railway or any of its subsidiaries, (2) The Grand Trunk Pacific Railway or any of its subsidiaries, including (a) land; (b) steamers; (c) hotels; (d) town sites; (e) industries; (f) traction systems; (g) any other property.

sites; (e) industries; (f) traction systems; (g) any other property. **136.** Return to an Order of the House, March 25th, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence exchanged between the Department of Marine and Fisheries and others with reference to a Salmon Fishing stand near Derby Junction on the southwest branch of the Miramichi in the County of Northumberland, New Brunswick, and known as the I. Wilson Stand.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### R. S. WHITE,

Chairman,

per J. H. F.

Ordered,—That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Tuesday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighty-seventh Report.

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

TUESDAY, 13th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eighty-seventh. Report, as follows:—

. 1. With respect to the petition of Edith Annie Say, of the city of Montreal. in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Conrad Say, of the said city, electrician, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

#### 15TH APRIL

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighty-eighth Report.

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

TUESDAY, 13th April, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Bessie Hyde Lanyon Calhoun, of the city of London, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to annul her marriage with Gordon Wilkinson Calhoun, of the said city, clerk, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to annul the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

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. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighty-ninth Report.

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

# TUESDAY, 13th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eighty-ninth Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Joseph Robert Crow, of the city of Chatham, in the province of Ontario, retired farmer, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Lizzie Crow, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

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. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their ninetieth Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 13th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their ninetieth Report, as follows:--

1. With respect to the petition of Bleecker Foy Maidens, of the city of Belleville, in the province of Ontario, customs and excise officer, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Henrietta Elmina Maidens, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

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. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their ninety-first Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 13th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their ninety-first Report, as follows:----

1. With respect to the petition of Isabella Stewart Carmichael Wilson, of the town of New Toronto, in the province of Ontario, clerk, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Almer Frederick Hamilton Wilson, of the city of Toronto, in the said province, clerk, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.
 The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under

Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

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. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their ninety-second Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 13th April, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Mabel Ellen Barrett, of the town of Simcoe, in the county of Norfolk, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Harry Charles Barrett, formerly of the city of Sault Ste. Marie, in the said province, baker, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

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. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their ninety-third Report.

# THURSDAY, 1st April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their ninety-third Report, as follows:— 1. With respect to the petition of George Almon Wickett, of the city of

1. With respect to the petition of George Almon Wickett, of the city of Belleville, in the province of Ontario, labourer, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Celie Marie Wickett, formerly of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects. 2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY, 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. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their ninety-fourth Report.

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

### TUESDAY, 13th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their ninety-fourth Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Mary Booth, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, machine finisher, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Almer Ernest Booth, of the said city, furniture finisher, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY, 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. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their ninety-fifth Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 13th April, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Katherine Landon Foley, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, housekeeper, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with George Nelson Foley, of the town of Smiths Falls, in the said province, railway station agent, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

 The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.
 The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Tuesday, next. On motion of the Honourable Mr. Dandurand, it was-

Ordered,—That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, the fourth day of May, next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

With leave of the Senate, the motion standing in the name of the Honourable Mr. Tanner, for Friday, 16th April, was called, and on motion, it was-

Ordered,-That an Order of the Senate do issue:-

For a return in respect to grain hauled over the National Transcontinental Railway during each of the years (crop years) 1923-24, and 1924-25, showing

(a) From what points and to what destinations the grain was hauled, and

(b) The rates of freight charged in respect to such grain.

On motion, it was-

Ordered,—That Rules 23 (f), 24 (a), (b) and 63 be suspended in so far as they relate to the following Divorce Bills:—

The Honourable Mr. Fisher, for the Honourable Mr. Turriff, presented to the Senate a Bill (L3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Guthrie."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first, second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Honourable Mr. Fisher, for the Honourable Mr. Turriff, presented to the Senate a Bill (M3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lily Stead."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first, second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Honourable Mr. Fisher, for the Honourable Mr. Turriff, presented to the Senate a Bill (N3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alice Grace Hopkins."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first, second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House. The Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke) presented to the Senate a Bill (O3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vera Catherine Searle."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first, second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke) presented to the Senate a Bill (P3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sidney Charles Frost."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first, second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (B), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elizabeth Gertrude Orr," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (C), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Melville James Andrews," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (D), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Harry Reginald Oddy," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

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Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (E), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mildred Roxie Horner," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (F), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frances Muriel Burnet," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (G), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ada Toms," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (H), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vera Sanderson," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (I), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Noel Leslie Deuxbury," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (J), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillian May O'Reilly," was, on division, read the third time. The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (K), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jean Victoria Dillane," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (L), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Alberta Barker," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative. Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (M), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Hazel McCausland," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (N), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sterling LeRoy Spicer," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

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Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (O), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Amy Bell Corney," was, on division, read the third time. The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (P), intituled: "An Act for the relief of David Frank Crosier," was, on division, read the third time. The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Q), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Gildea Nye Brown," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (R), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edward Thomas Faragher," was, on division, read the third time. The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (S), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bertha Viola Lidkea," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative. Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (T), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mike Ayoub, otherwise known as Michael Ayoub," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (U), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alice Marion McGinley," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (V), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Harold Edgar Perinchief," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (W), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Hendel Tuerner Lubrinetsky," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (X), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Paul Hugh Turnbull," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint-that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House. Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Y), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Helen Elby Pollington," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Z), initialed: "An Act for the relief of Alexander Stewart," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (A2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Melville Moore," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (B2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Samuel Milligan," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (C2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marion Richardson," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (D2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Isadore Boadner," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (E2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Albert Thomas," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered. That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (F2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gertrude Isabel Clark," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (G2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Helen Seymour O'Connor," was, on division, read the third time. The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (H2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Yetta Selma Trachsell," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (I2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alexander Dewar," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (J2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Florence Burrell," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (A), intituled: "An Act to provide for changing the names of certain Pension Fund Societies," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

On motion, it was-

Ordered,—That Rules 24 (a), (b) and 63, be suspended in so far as they relate to the following Divorce Bills:—

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (K2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edith Marion Byam," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (L2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Charles Davidson," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same the request that House. Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (M2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Doris Selina Irvin," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (N2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frank John Davis," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (O2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Norman Smith McMurray," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass. \*

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (P2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Archie Claire McIntyre," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Q2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mabel Elizabeth Harcourt," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (R2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Louise Gordon Pook," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (S2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ezillah Harriet Cole," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (T2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gertrude Burnside," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (U2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Cora Mae Murray," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (V2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Janet Thornhill Gorrie," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass. It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

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Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (W2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillian DuBord Bulloch," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (X2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Henrietta Schierholtz," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Y2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Maude Elizabeth Gilroy," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Z2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Richard Howard Buckley," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (A3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William George Darlington," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative. Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (B3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Arthur Watson," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (C3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frances Marjorie Warren," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (D3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Charles Douglas Palmer," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative. Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (E3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Beatrice Isobel Lamontagne," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass. -

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (F3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jane Johnston Mitchell Wells," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (G3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jeremiah Gibbs," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (H3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Caroline Elizabeth Risbridger," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (J3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Cassie Woodley," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative. Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

· Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (K3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Isabella Freeman," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House

# THE SENATE

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the second Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.

The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the third Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.

The said Report was adopted.

The Senate adjourned until Tuesday, the fourth day of May, next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

Tuesday, 4th May, 1926

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

Reports of Committees.

# INQUIRIES

# For Tuesday, 4th May, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Griesbach:-

13th April-Will enquire of the Government:-

It is alleged that in 1915 the citizens of Edmonton subscribed the sum of \$5,000 for the purpose of purchasing Machine Guns for the 49th Battalion; that such funds were forwarded to the Department of Militia and Defence at Ottawa; and that the said Battalion was not supplied with any Machine Guns out of these funds.

What disposition was made of these funds by the Government?

No. 2.

By the Honourable Mr. Tanner:-

13th April-Will enquire of the Government:-

1. In respect to what matters were Royal Commissions appointed by the Government of Canada during the period 1921 until 1926, inclusive?

2. What was the total cost to the country of each Royal Commission?

#### No. 3.

By the Honourable Mr. Pope:-

13th April-Will enquire of the Government:--

1. What is the annual expenditure and revenue of the Lennoxville Experimental Farm, and the St. Anns Experimental Farm, and the Pont Rouge Experimental Farm?

2. What salaries are paid annually on the Pont Rouge Experimental Farm, and to whom?

3. What is the auto service expense on each farm?

4. What amount of money was granted to Sherbrooke, Three Rivers and Quebec exhibitions?

5. Have the Government any representatives on any of those boards; if so, who and what salary do they receive, and is the salary paid by the exhibitions or by the Government?

No. 4.

By the Honourable Mr. Foster (Alma):-

14th April—Will enquire of the Government as to whether they have secured the advice of the President and competent officials of the Government Railways with regard to the building of the Hudson Bay Railway, and if so who were such officials, and what was the advice given.

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# MOTIONS

#### For Tuesday, 4th May, 1926

No. 1.

## By the Honourable Mr. Taylor:-

7th April—That a humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General praying that His Excellency will cause to be laid before the Senate copy of any agreement between the Government of Canada, or any department thereof and the Government of the Province of British Columbia for the transfer to the Government of British Columbia or to any persons on their behalf or at their instance of vacant Dominion lands underlying or abutting upon Sumas Lake; together with all correspondence and all Orders in Council relating to said transfer or proposed transfer or to any matters arising therefrom. Also for a copy of any accounts received from said Provincial Government of the proceeds of any sales of Dominion lands so acquired and of any expense incurred by the Province in connection with the reclamation of lands included in the proposed transfer.

#### No. 2.

#### By the Honourable Mr. Lewis:-

14th April—Resolved, that it is expedient that preparations be made for the celebration of the sixtieth anniversary of the Confederation of the provinces of Canada.

# ORDERS OF THE DAY

Note.-The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed; E. printed in English, F. in French.

# For Tuesday, 4th May, 1926

#### No. 1.

13th April-Consideration of the seventieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Stanley Bennett, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 2.

13th April-Consideration of the seventy-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Amber May Wolfenden, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.-(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 3.

13th April-Consideration of the seventy-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Jean Victoria Dillane, for a refund of the fees paid upon her petition for a Bill of Divorce.-(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 4.

13th April-Consideration of the seventy-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of May Maud Mary Johnson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.--(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 5.

13th April-Consideration of the seventy-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Charles Stanley Reed Riches, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 6.

13th April-Consideration of the seventy-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of John Sydney Wright, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.-(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 7.

13th April—Consideration of the seventy-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of John Wilson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.-(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 8.

13th April—Consideration of the seventy-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Marjorie Durham Morgan, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee .- (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

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#### No. 9.

13th April—Consideration of the seventy-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ethel Beatrice Walker, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 10.

13th April—Consideration of the seventy-ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of George Elgie Dulyea, together wih the evidence taken before the said Committee—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 11.

13th April—Consideration of the eightieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce to whom was referred the petition of Elias Malky, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 12.

13th April—Consideration of the eighty-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Cecilia Marrie Peters Kendall, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 13.

13th April—Consideration of the eighty-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Roland George Wickens, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 14.

14th April—Consideration of the eighty-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Margaret Ann Higgins, praying for leave to withdraw her petition for a Bill of Divorce.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 15.

14th April—Consideration of the eighty-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Elsie Fray, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 16.

14th April—Consideration of the eighty-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Enda Beatrice Burley, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 17.

14th April—Consideration of the eighty-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Bernard Ernest Sleeth, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 18.

14th April—Second Reading (Bill I3), "An Act to amend The Canada Evidence Act as regards the evidence of persons charged with offences."—(Honourable Mr. McMeans.)

# 15TH APRIL

#### No. 19.

15th April—Consideration of the eighty-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Edith Annie Say, praying for leave to withdraw her petition for a Bill of Divorce.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

# No. 20.

15th April—Consideration of the eighty-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Bessie Hyde Lanyon Calhoun, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 21.

15th April—Consideration of the eighty-ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Joseph Robert Crow, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

# No. 22.

15th April—Consideration of the ninetieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Bleecher Foy 'Maidens, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 23.

15th April—Consideration of the ninety-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Isabella Stewart Carmichael Wilson, praying for leave to withdraw her petition for a Bill of Divorce.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 24.

15th April—Consideration of the ninety-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mabel Ellen Barrett, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 25.

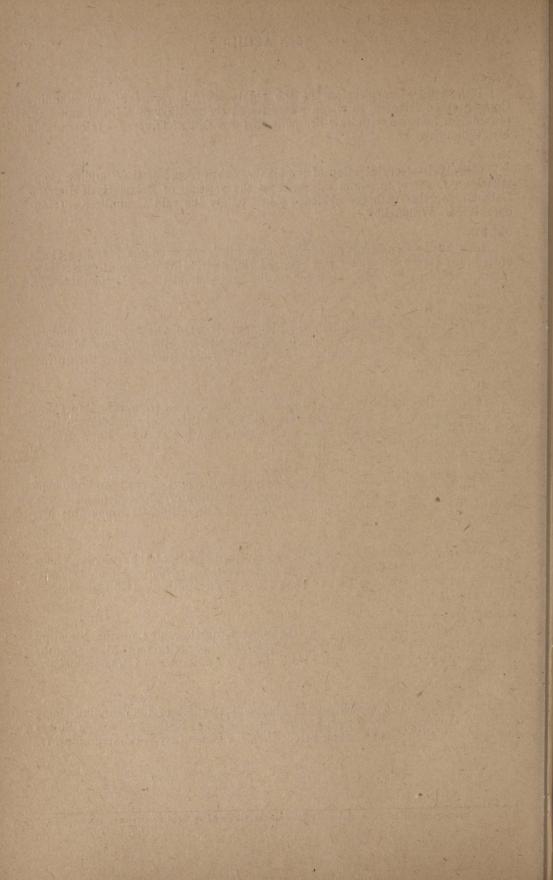
15th April—Consideration of the ninety-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of George Almon Wickett, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 26.

15th April—Consideration of the ninety-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mary Booth, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 27.

15th April—Consideration of the ninety-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Katherine Landon Foley, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)



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# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF

# THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 4th May, 1926

8 p.m.

The Members convened were:--

Foster

# The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

# The Honourable Messieurs

Avlesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard, Beaubien, Béique, Belcourt, Black. Blondin, Bourque, Calder, Casgrain, Copp, Crowe, Dandurand, Daniel. Farrell, Fisher; Foster.

(Sir George), Gillis. Girroir, Green, Griesbach, Hardy, Harmer, Hughes, King, Lavergne, Legris, L'Espérance, Lessard, Lewis, Lynch-Staunton, MacArthur, Macdonell,

Martin. McCormick, McDonald, McLean, McLennan, Michener, Mulholland, Murphy, Pardee. Planta, Poirier, Pope, Robertson, Robinson, Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw), Schaffner. Stanfield,

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Tanner, Taylor, Tessier, Todd, Turgeon, Turriff, Watson, Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby, Wilson.

# PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally presented:-

By the Honourable Mr. Willoughby:-

Of James E. Barnaby, of Hull, Quebec, hotel keeper; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Mary Florence Barnaby.

Of Samuel Lehman Stouffer, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Elizabeth Anne Stouffer.

By the Honourable Mr. Willoughby for the Honourable Mr. McMeans:---

Of Joan Henderson, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Joseph Henderson.

Of Florence May Hicks, of Toronto, Ontario, school teacher; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Alfred Hicks.

By the Honourable Mr. Schaffner:-

Of May Elizabeth Chambers, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of An Act to dissolve her marriage with James Lockhart Chambers.

Of Annie Sophia Gordonsmith, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Wilfred Gordonsmith.

By the Honourable Mr. Green:-

Of Ida Lula Dupuis Murchison, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with William Arthur Murchison.

The following petitions were severally read and received:-

Of The Bronson Company; praying for the passage of an Act to increase the capital stock of the Company, and for other purposes.

Of J. M. Eagle, of Sarnia, Ontario, and others; praying for the passage of an Act to incorporate the Executive Council of the Free Methodist Church in Canada.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their ninety-sixth Report.

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

FRIDAY, 16th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their ninety-sixth Report, as follows:---

1. The Committee recommend that the time limited for receiving petitions for Bills of Divorce be extended to Friday, 14th May, 1926.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That Rule 24 (a) and (h) be suspended in respect to the said Report.

The said Report was then adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their ninety-seventh Report.

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

FRIDAY, 16th April, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Alice Victoria McGibbon, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, designer, for an Act to dissolve her marriage

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with John Oswald McGibbon, of the town of Georgetown, in the said province, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their ninety-eighth Report.

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

#### FRIDAY, 16th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their ninety-eighth Report, as follows:----

1. With respect to the petition of Annie Rebecca Herbert, of the city of London, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Henry James Herbert, of the city of North Bay, in the said province, electrical engineer, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

 The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.
 The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees paid under Rule 140 be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their ninety-ninth Report.

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1. With respect to the petition of Gladys Orme, of the city of London, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Wilfred Harry Orme, formerly of the city of Toronto, in the said province, photographer, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundredth Report.

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

#### FRIDAY, 16th April, 1926.

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

1. With respect to the petition of Marjorie Esther Splan, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, model, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with James Clifford Splan, of the said city, mechanic, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees paid under Rule 140 be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and first Report.

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

#### FRIDAY, 16th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and first Report as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of James Arthur Breadon, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, civic employee, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Annie Marjory Breadon, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and second Report.

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

### TUESDAY, 20th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and second Report, as follows:—

The Committee have, under the authority of the Resolution of the Senate of the 13th April, 1926, considered an application for the return of Exhibits numbers four and five, filed at the hearing and inquiry into the petition of Albert Plue Jessop; praying for a Bill of Divorce.

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The Committee recommend that the said Exhibits be returned to Counsel for the respondent.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and third Report.

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

# TUESDAY, 20th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and third Report, as follows:—

With respect to the petition of Helen Elby Pollington, of Hamilton, Ontario; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon her petition for a Bill of Divorce.

The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees paid under Rule 140 be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and fourth Report.

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

# TUESDAY, 20th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and fourth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Mabel Victoria Westerby, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, cashier, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Charles Westerby, formerly of the city of Saskatoon, in the province of Saskatchewan, labourer, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next. The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and fifth Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 20th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and fifth Report, as follows:—

With respect to the petition of Olivia Maud Graham, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario; praying for a Bill of Divorce from William Henry Graham, of the said city.

Counsel for the petitioner having applied for leave to withdraw the petition, and for refund of the Parliamentary fees, the Committee recommend that leave be granted accordingly, and that the Parliamentary fees be refunded to the petitioner, less printing costs.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and sixth Report.

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

# TUESDAY, 20th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and sixth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of John Andrew Reid, of the city of Guelph, in the province of Ontario, locomotive engineer, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Beatrice Evelyn Reid, of the city of Toronto, in the said province, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and seventh Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 20th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and seventh Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Morgan Hart, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, pressman, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Mabel Alice Hart, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

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The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and eighth Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 20th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and eighth Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of William Thomas Charlton Spence, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, automobile mechanic, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Eva Florence Spence, formerly of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and ninth Report.

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

# TUESDAY, 20th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and ninth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Arthur John Harman, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, truck-driver, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Gladys Elizabeth Harman, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and tenth Report.

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

# TUESDAY, 20th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and tenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Ethel Harriet Little, of the city of Belleville, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Thomas Henry James Little, of the city of Toronto, in the said province, salesman, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects. 2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce. presented their one hundred and eleventh Report.

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

#### FRIDAY, 23rd April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and eleventh Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Robert Stewart McIntyre, of the township of Bathurst, in the county of Lanark, in the province of Ontario, farmer, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Annie McIntyre, of the said township, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and twelfth Report.

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

### FRIDAY, 23rd April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and twelfth Report, as follows:----

1. With respect to the petition of Lillian Edith Hudgin, of the city of Regina, in the province of Saskatchewan, hairdresser, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Ernest Gilbert Hudgin, of the city of Kingston, in the province of Ontario, automobile salesman, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees paid under Rule 140 be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and thirteenth Report.

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

## TUESDAY, 27th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and thirteenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Lillie Torrance Cascadden, of the city of Windsor, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Harry Blake Cascadden, of the said city, carpenter, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and fourteenth Report.

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

## TUESDAY, 27th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and fourteenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Arthur Atkinson, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, street car conductor, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Elizabeth Atkinson, presently of the city of Detroit, in the state of Michigan, one of the United States of America, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and fifteenth Report.

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

## TUESDAY, 27th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and fifteenth Report, as follows:--

1. With respect to the petition of Gladys Lucie White, of the city of London, England, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Harold Charles White, of the city of London, in the province of Ontario, manager of rolling mills, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects. 2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and sixteenth Report.

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

## TUESDAY, 27th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and sixteenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Walter Harold Bingley, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, chauffeur, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Flossie Jane Bingley, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and seventeenth Report.

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

### TUESDAY, 27th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and seventeenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Goldie Luella Russell, of the city of Ottawa, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Orville Allan Russell, of the town of Arnprior, in the said province, farm labourer, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and eighteenth Report.

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

## TUESDAY, 27th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and eighteenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of James Thomas Young, of the town of Goderich, in the province of Ontario, machinist, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Leona Christina Young, formerly of the said town, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and nineteenth Report.

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

## TUESDAY, 27th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and nineteenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Copland William Evans, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, broker, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Mary Anna Evans, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY, Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and twentieth Report.

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

## TUESDAY, 27th April, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and twentieth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of David Joseph Potter, of the city of Ottawa, in the province of Ontario, labourer, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Emily Potter, formerly of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee sumbit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (B), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elizabeth Gertrude Orr."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (C), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Melville James Andrews."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (D), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Harry Reginald Oddy."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (E), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mildred Roxie Horner."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (F), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frances Muriel Burnet."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (G), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ada Toms."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (H), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vera Sanderson."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (I), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Noel Leslie Deuxbury."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (J), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillian May O'Reilly."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (K), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jean Victoria Dillane."

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A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (L), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Alberta Barker."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (M), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Hazel McCausland."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (N), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sterling LeRoy Spicer."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (O), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Amy Bell Corney."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (P), intituled: "An Act for the relief of David Frank Crosier."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (Q), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Gildea Nye Brown."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (R), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edward Thomas Faragher."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (S), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bertha Viola Lidkea."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (T), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mike Ayoub, otherwise known as Michael Ayoub."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (U), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alice Marion McGinley." And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any

amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (V), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Harold Edgar Perinchief."

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (W), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Hendel Tuerner Lubrinetsky."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (X), initialed: "An Act for the relief of Paul Hugh Turnbull."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (Y), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Helen Elby Pollington."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (Z), initialed: "An Act for the relief of Alexander Stewart."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (A2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Melville Moore."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (B2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Samuel Milligan."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (C2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marion Richardson."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (D2), initiale: "An Act for the relief of Isadore Boadner."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (E2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Albert Thomas."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (F2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gertrude Isabel Clark."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (G2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Helen Seymour O'Connor."

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (H2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Yetta Selma Trachsell."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (I2), initialed: "An Act for the relief of Alexander Dewar."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (J2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Florence Burrell."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (K2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edith Marion Byam."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (L2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Charles Davidson."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (M2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Doris Selina Irvin."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (N2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frank John Davis."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (O2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Norman Smith McMurray."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (P2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Archie Claire McIntyre."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (Q2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mabel Elizabeth Harcourt."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (R2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Louise Gordon Pook."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (S2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ezillah Harriet Cole."

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (T2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gertrude Burnside."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (U2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Cora Mae Murray."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (V2), initialed: "An Act for the relief of Janet Thornhill Gorrie."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (W2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillian DuBord Bulloch."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (X2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Henrietta Schierholtz."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (Y2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Maude Elizabeth Gilroy."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (Z2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Richard Howard Buckley."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (A3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William George Darlington."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (B3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Arthur Watson."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (C3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frances Marjorie Warren."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (D3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Charles Douglas Palmer."

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A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (E3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Beatrice Isobel Lamontagne."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (F3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jane Johnston Mitchell Wells."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (G3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jeremiah Gibbs."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (H3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Caroline Elizabeth Risbridger."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (J3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Cassie Woodley."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (K3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Isabella Freeman."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (L3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Guthrie."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (M3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lily Stead."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (N3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alice Grace Hopkins."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (O3), initialed: "An Act for the relief of Vera Catherine Searle."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (P3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sidney Charles Frost."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

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A Message was received from the House of Commons by their Clerk in the following words:-

FRIDAY, 30th April, 1926.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to return to that House the evidence, etc., taken before the Standing Committee of the Senate on Divorce, to whom were referred the petitions on which the following Bills were founded:—

Bill No. 25 (Letter B of the Senate) intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elizabeth Gertrude Orr."

Bill No. 26 (Letter C of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Melville James Andrews."

Bill No. 27 (Letter D of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Harry Reginald Oddy."

Bill No. 28 (Letter E of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mildred Roxie Horner."

Bill No. 29 (Letter F of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frances Muriel Burnet."

Bill No. 30 (Letter G of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ada Toms."

Bill No. 31 (Letter H of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vera Sanderson."

Bill No. 32 (Letter I of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Noel Leslie Deuxbury."

Bill No. 33 (Letter J of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillian May O'Reilly.",

Bill No. 34 (Letter K of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jean Victoria Dillane."

Bill No. 35 (Letter L of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Alberta Barker."

Bill No. 36 (Letter M of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Hazel McCausland."

Bill No. 37 (Letter N of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sterling LeRoy Spicer."

Bill No. 38 (Letter O of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Amy Bell Corney."

Bill No. 39 (Letter P of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of David Frank Crosier."

Bill No. 40 (Letter Q of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Gildea Nye Brown."

Bill No. 41 (Letter R of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edward Thomas Faragher."

Bill No. 42 (Letter S of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bertha Viola Lidkea."

Bill No. 43 (Letter T of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mike Ayoub, otherwise known as Michael Ayoub."

Bill No. 44 (Letter U of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alice Marion McGinley."

Bill No. 45 (Letter V of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Harold Edgar Perinchief."

Bill No. 46 (Letter W of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Hendel Tuerner Lubrinetsky."

Bill No. 47 (Letter X of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Paul Hugh Turnbull."

Bill No. 48 (Letter Y of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Helen Elby Pollington."

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Bill No. 49 (Letter Z of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of
Alexander Stewart." [Bill No. 50 (Letter A2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of
William Melville Moore."
Bill No. 51 (Letter B2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of
John Samuel Milligan."
Bill No. 52 (Letter C2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of
Marion Richardson." Bill No. 53 (Letter D2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of
Isadore Boadner."
Bill No. 54 (Letter E2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of
William Albert Thomas."
Bill No. 55 (Letter F2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of
Gertrude Isabel Clark." Bill No. 56 (Letter G2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of
Helen Seymour O'Connor."
Bill No. 57 (Letter H2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of
Yetta Selma Trachsell."
Bill No. 58 (Letter I2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alexander Dewar."
Bill No. 59 (Letter J2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of
Florence Burrell."
Bill No. 60 (Letter K2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of
Edith Marion Byam." Bill No. 61 (Letter L2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of
Charles Davidson."
Bill No. 62 (Letter M2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of
Doris Selina Irvin."
Bill No. 63 (Letter N2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frank John Davis."
Bill No. 64 (Letter O2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of
John Norman Smith McMurray."
Bill No. 65 (Letter P2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of
Archie Claire McIntyre."
Bill No. 66 (Letter Q2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mabel Elizabeth Harcourt."
Bill No. 67 (Letter R2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of
Louise Gordon Pook."
Bill No. 68 (Letter S2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of
Ezillah Harriet Cole." Bill No. 69 (Letter T2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of
Gertrude Burnside."
Bill No. 70 (Letter U2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of
Cora Mae Murray."
Bill No. 71 (Letter V2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Janet Thornhill Gorrie."
Bill No. 72 (Letter W2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of
Lillian DuBord Bulloch."
Bill No. 73 (Letter X2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Henricitte Schierholtz."
Henrietta Schierholtz." Bill No. 74 (Letter Y2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of
Maude Elizabeth Gilroy."
Bill No. 75 (Letter Z2 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of
Richard Howard Buckley." Bill No. 76 (Letter A3 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of
William George Darlington."

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Bill No. 77 (Letter B3 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Arthur Watson."

Bill No. 78 (Letter C3 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frances Marjorie Warren."

Bill No. 79 (Letter D3 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Charles Douglas Palmer."

Bill No. 80 (Letter E3 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Beatrice Isobel Lamontagne."

Bill No. 81 (Letter  $\overline{F}3$  of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jane Johnston Mitchell Wells."

Bill No. 82 (Letter G3 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jeremiah Gibbs."

Bill No. 83 (Letter H3 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Caroline Elizabeth Risbridger."

Bill No. 84 (Letter J3 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Cassie Woodley."

Bill No. 85 (Letter K3 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Isabella Freeman."

Bill No. 86 (Letter L3 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Guthrie."

Bill No. 87 (Letter M3 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lily Stead."

Bill No. 88 (Letter N3 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alice Grace Hopkins."

Bill No. 89 (Letter O3 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vera Catherine Searle."

Bill No. 90 (Letter P3 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sidney Charles Frost."

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

## ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,

Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered,—That the same do lie on the Table.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons, by their Clerk, in the following words:—

## TUESDAY, 27th April, 1926.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to acquaint Their Honours that this House has substituted the name of Mr. Elliott for that of Mr. Prévost on the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament.

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

### ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,

Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered,-That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Assistant Clerk and the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod had to-day before him subscribed to the Oath of Allegiance and the Oath of Office.

On Motion of the Honourable Mr. Taylor, it was-

Resolved, That a humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General praying that His Excellency will cause to be laid before the

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Senate copy of any agreement between the Government of Canada, or any department thereof and the Government of the province of British Columbia for the transfer to the Government of British Columbia or to any persons on their behalf or at their instance of vacant Dominion lands underlying or abutting upon Sumas Lake; together with all correspondence and all Orders in Council relating to said transfer or proposed transfer or to any matters arising Also for a copy of any accounts received from said Provincial therefrom. Government of the proceeds of any sales of Dominion lands so acquired and of any expense incurred by the province in connection with the reclamation of lands included in the proposed transfer.

On Motion of the Honourable Mr. Lewis, it was-

Resolved,-That it is expedient that preparations be made for the celebration of the sixtieth anniversary of the Confederation of the provinces of Canada.

The Honourable Mr. Belcourt presented to the Senate a Bill (Q3), intituled: "An Act to amend certain provisions of the Criminal Code respecting the possession of weapons."

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered,-That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the seventieth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Stanley Bennett, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the seventy-first Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Amber May Wolfenden, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the seventy-second Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Jean Victoria Dillane; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon her petition for a Bill of Divorce.

The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration. of the seventy-third Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of May Maud Mary Johnson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the seventyfourth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Charles Stanley Reed Riches, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee, it was-

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Willoughby, Ordered,—That the said Report be referred back to the Standing Committee on Divorce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the seventy-fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of John Sydney Wright, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the seventy-sixth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of John Wilson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the seventy-seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Marjorie Durham Morgan, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the seventy-eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ethel Beatrice Walker, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the seventy-ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of George Elgie Dulyea, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the eightieth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Elias Malky, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the eighty-first Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Cecilia Marrie Peters Kendall, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the eighty-second Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Roland George Wickens, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the eighty-third Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, with respect to the petition of Margaret Ann Higgins.

The said Report was adopted.

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Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the eighty-fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Elsie Fray, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the eighty-fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Enda Beatrice Burley, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the eighty-sixth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Bernard Ernest Sleeth, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

The Order of the Day being called for the Second Reading of the Bill (I3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canada Evidence Act as regards the evidence of persons charged with offences," it was—

Ordered,-That the said Order of the Day be postponed till Tuesday, next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the eighty-seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Edith Annie Say, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the eighty-eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Bessie Hyde Lanyon Calhoun, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the eighty-ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Joseph Robert Crow, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the ninetieth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Bleecker Foy Maidens, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the ninety-first Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Isabella Stewart Carmichael Wilson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the ninety-second Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mabel Ellen Barrett, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the ninety-third Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of George Almon Wickett, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the ninety-fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mary Booth, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the ninety-fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Katherine Landon Foley, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Dandurand laid on the Table:-

Report of Work done and Expenditures made to end of year 1925, also calendar year 1925, in connection with Acts (chapters fourteen to thirty-two, inclusive, of 14-15 George V, and chapters five and seven of 15-16 George V) respecting the construction of Canadian National Branch Lines.

## (Sessional Papers, 1926, No. 97a)

Return to an Order of the Senate, dated the 13th April, 1926, for a Return in respect to the Cruiser *Grib*, employed in the service of the Department of Customs and Excise, showing for each month respectively of the period since January 1, 1925:—

(a) The sea district which said cruiser patrolled;

(b) The ports which she entered, and the time she remained in each port;

(c) The number of seizures made, and generally what each consisted of;

(d) The locality in which each seizure was made, and the name of the vessel carrying the goods seized, and the port of registry of such vessel; and

(e) How the matter of each seizure was disposed of—this to state what was done in regard to vessel and goods, respectively.

2. The cost of the said cruiser to the country during each of the said months.

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The Senate adjourned until three o'clock to-morrow (Daylight-Saving time).

## Wednesday, 5th May, 1926

Presentation of Petitions. Reports of Committees.

Reading of Petitions. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

## **INOUIRIES**

## For Wednesday, 5th May, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Tanner:---

13th April-Will enquire of the Government:-

1. In respect to what matters were Royal Commissions appointed by the Government of Canada during the period 1921 until 1926, inclusive?

2. What was the total cost to the country of each Royal Commission?

## MOTIONS

## For Wednesday, 5th May, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Belcourt:-

4th May-That the documents referred to as Exhibits A, B and C to the statutory declaration of Albert Henry Yetman, secretary-treasurer, Manitoba Provincial Command of the Great War Veterans' Association, filed during the enquiry of the Special Committee on the Administration of the Canteen and Disablement Funds, etc., be returned to the said association.

#### No. 2.

By the Honourable Mr. Dandurand:-

4th May-That the name of the Honourable Mr. Béique be substituted for the name of the Honourable Mr. Boyer on the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

# ORDERS OF THE DAY

Note.—The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed; E. printed in English, F. in French.

## For Wednesday, 5th May, 1926

### No. 1.

15th April—Consideration of the first report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament.—(Honourable Mr. White, Inkerman.)

## For Thursday, 6th May, 1926

## No. 1.

4th May—Consideration of the ninety-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Alice Victoria McGibbon, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 2.

4th May—Consideration of the ninety-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Annie Rebecca Herbert, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 3.

4th May—Consideration of the ninety-ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Gladys Orme, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 4.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundredth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Marjorie Esther Splan, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 5.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of James Arthur Breadon, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 6.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, with respect to the return of exhibits 4 and 5 filed at the hearing of the petition of Albert Plue Jessop.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 7.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Helen Elby Pollington, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

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### No. 8.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mabel Victoria Westerby, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 9.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Olivia Maud Graham praying for leave to withdraw her petition for a bill of divorce and refund of the fees.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 10.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of John Andrew Reid, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 11.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Morgan Hart, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 12.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of William Thomas Charlton Spence, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 13.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Arthur John Harman, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 14.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and tenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ethel Harriet Little, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 15.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and eleventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Robert Stewart McIntyre, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee. —(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 16.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and twelfth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lillian Edith Hudgin, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 17.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and thirteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lillie Torrance Cascadden, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 18.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and fourteenth report of the -Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Arthur Atkinson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 19.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and fifteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Gladys Lucie White, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 20.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and sixteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Walter Harold Bingley, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 21.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and seventeenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Goldie Luella Russell, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 22.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and eighteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of James Thomas Young, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 23.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and nineteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Copland William Evans, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 24.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and twentieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of David Joseph Potter, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 25.

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# No. 14

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

# THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 5th May, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:---

# The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

## The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth	Foster	Macdonell,	Schaffner,
(Sir Allen),	(Sir George),	Martin,	Stanfield,
Barnard,	Gillis,	McCoig,	Tanner,
Beaubien,	Girroir,	McCormick,	Taylor,
Belcourt,	Gordon,	McDonald,	Tessier,
Black,	Green,	.McLean,	Todd,
Blondin,	Griesbach,	McLennan,	Turgeon,
Bourque,	Hardy,	Michener,	Turriff,
Bureau,	Harmer,	Mulholland,	Watson,
Calder,	Hughes,	Murphy,	Webster
Cloran,	King,	Pardee,	(Brockville),
Copp,	Lavergne,	Planta,	Webster
Crowe,	Legris,	Poirier,	(Stadacona),
Dandurand,	L'Espérance,	Pope,	White (Inkerman)
Daniel,	Lessard,	Robertson,	White (Pembroke)
Farrell,	Lewis,	Robinson,	Willoughby,
Fisher,	Lynch-Staunton,	Ross (Middleton),	Wilson.
Foster,	MacArthur,	Ross (Moose Jaw),	
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### PRAYERS.

The Honourable Mr. Tessier, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their fourth Report.

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

WEDNESDAY, 5th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their fourth Report, as follows:—

The Committee have examined the following petitions and find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, viz:—

Of William Johnston and others, of Ottawa, Ontario; praying to be incorporated under the name of "The Detroit and Windsor Subway Company."

Of the Joliette and Northern Ontario Railway Company; praying for the passage of an Act to extend the time for the commencement and completion of its line of railway.

Of The Quebec, Montreal and Southern Railway Company; praying for the passage of an Act extending the time for the construction of its lines of railway.

Of The Grand Orange Lodge of British America; praying for the passage of an Act to amend its Act of incorporation.

Of Dexter Parshall Cooper and others, of the county of Charlotte, in the province of New Brunswick, and others of elsewhere; praying to be incorporated under the name of "The Canadian Dexter P. Cooper Company."

Of The Dominion Express Company; praying for the passage of an Act changing the name of the Company to "Canadian Pacific Express Company."

Of the Dominion Electric Protection Company; praying for the passage of an Act to amend its Act of incorporation.

Of The Pacific Coast Fire Insurance Company; praying for the passage of an Act increasing the classes of insurance contracts it may enter into.

Of James Stewart and others, of Winnipeg, Manitoba; praying to be incorporated under the name of "The Agents Insurance Company."

Of Heber Jeddy Grant and others; praying for the passage of an Act to incorporate the President of the Lethbridge Stake of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints as a corporation sole.

Of The John E. Russell Company, Limited, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to extend the duration of Patent Number 113,760.

Of J. H. Cassidy and others, of Montreal, Quebec; and others of elsewhere; praying to be incorporated under the name of the "Red Lake and Northwestern Railway Company."

All which is respectfully submitted.

JULES TESSIER,

Chairman.

Ordered,-That the said Report do lie on the Table.

The Honourable Mr. Mulholland presented to the Senate a Bill (R3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Joseph Robert Crow."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Pope presented to the Senate a Bill (S3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Stanley Bennett."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (T3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Katherine Landon Foley."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Webster (Stadacona) presented to the Senate a Bill (U3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edith Annie Say."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (V3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Isabella Stewart Carmichael Wilson."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (W3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of May Maud Mary Johnson."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, for the Honourable Mr. McMeans, presented to the Senate a Bill (X3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Roland George Wickens."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered. That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (96), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty a certain sum of money for the public service of the financial year, ending the 31st March, 1927," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was-Ordered,-That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (4), intituled: "An Act respecting The Canadian Pacific Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered. That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

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A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (5), intituled: "An Act respecting The Interprovincial and James Bay Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

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The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Belcourt, it was-

Ordered,-That the documents referred to as Exhibits A, B and C to the statutory declaration of Albert Henry Yetman, secretary-treasurer, Manitoba Provincial Command of the Great War Veterans' Association, filed during the enquiry of the Special Committee on the Administration of the Canteen and Disablement Funds, etc., be returned to the said association.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Dandurand, it was-Ordered,--That the name of the Honourable Mr. Béique be substituted for the name of the Honourable Mr. Boyer on the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the first Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament.

The said Report was adopted.

The Senate adjourned.

# ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

# Thursday, 6th May, 1926

Presentation of Petitions. Reports of Committees.

Reading of Petitions. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

# INOUIRIES

# For Thursday, 6th May, 1926

#### No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Tanner:-

13th April-Will enquire of the Government:-

1. In respect to what matters were Royal Commissions appointed by the Government of Canada during the period 1921 until 1926, inclusive? 2. What was the total cost to the country of each Royal Commission?

# MOTIONS

# For Friday, 7th May, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Willoughby:-

5th May-That an Order of the House do issue for a return showing:-

1. All correspondence from January 1st, 1915, until present time between the Government of the Province of Saskatchewan and the Dominion Government dealing with a return by the latter to the former of the natural resources of the Province of Saskatchewan.

2. What verbal negotiations, if any, are now being held, or have been heldduring the years 1921-26, relating to same matter.

3. What offer, if any, has been made by the Government of Canada to the Government of Saskatchewan to return said natural resources, 1921-26.

4. What basis of settlement, if any, has been offered by the Province of Saskatchewan to the Government of Canada, 1921-26.

No. 2.

By the Honourable Mr. Willoughby:-

5th May-That an Order of the House do issue for a return of all resolutions on the part of the Legislative Assembly or Government of Saskatchewan from January 1st, 1912, to present time in reference to the fiscal policy of Canada and transmitted to the Government of Canada and the replies, if any, thereto.

# ORDERS OF THE DAY

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## No. 2.

4th May—Consideration of the ninety-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Annie Rebecca Herbert, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 3.

4th May—Consideration of the ninety-ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Gladys Orme, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 4.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundredth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Marjorie Esther Splan, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 5.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of James Arthur Breadon, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 6.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, with respect to the return of exhibits 4 and 5 filed at the hearing of the petition of Albert Plue Jessop.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 7.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Helen Elby Pollington for refund of the fees paid upon her petition for a Bill of Divorce.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 8.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mabel Victoria Westerby, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 9.

4th May-Consideration of the one hundred and fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Olivia Maud Graham praying for leave to withdraw her petition for a bill of divorce and refund of the fees.-(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 10.

4th May-Consideration of the one hundred and sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of John Andrew Reid, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 11.

4th May-Consideration of the one hundred and seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Morgan Hart, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee .- (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 12.

4th May-Consideration of the one hundred and eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of William Thomas Charlton Spence, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee .--(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 13.

4th May-Consideration of the one hundred and ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Arthur John Harman, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee .-- (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 14.

4th May-Consideration of the one hundred and tenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ethel Harriet Little, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.-(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 15.

4th May-Consideration of the one hundred and eleventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Robert Stewart McIntyre, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee. ---(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 16.

4th May-Consideration of the one hundred and twelfth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lillian Edith Hudgin, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee .--(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 17.

4th May-Consideration of the one hundred and thirteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lillie Torrance Cascadden, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee .- (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 18.

4th May--Consideration of the one hundred and fourteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Arthur Atkinson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 19.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and fifteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Gladys Lucie White, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 20.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and sixteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Walter Harold Bingley, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 21.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and seventeenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Goldie Luella Russell, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 22.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and eighteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of James Thomas Young, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 23.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and nineteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Copland William Evans, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 24.

4th May—Consideration of the one hundred and twentieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of David Joseph Potter, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 25.

4th May—Second Reading (Bill Q3), intituled: "An Act to amend certain provisions of the Criminal Code respecting the possession of weapons."—(Honourable Mr. Belcourt.)

## No. 26.

5th May-Second Reading (Bill 96), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty a certain sum of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1927."—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)

## For Friday, 7th May, 1926

## No. 1.

Second Reading (Bill R3), An Act for the relief of Joseph Robert Crow.- (Honourable Mr. Mulholland.)

### No. 2.

### No. 3.

Second Reading (Bill T3), An Act for the relief of Katherine Landon Foley. --- (Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)

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### No. 4.

Second Reading (Bill U3), An Act for the relief of Edith Annie Say.-(Honourable Mr. Webster (Stadacona).)

#### No. 5.

Second Reading (Bill V3), An Act for the relief of Isabella Stewart Carmichael Wilson.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)

#### No. 6.

Second Reading (Bill W3), An Act for the relief of May Maud Mary Johnson.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)

### No. 7.

Second Reading (Bill X3), An Act for the relief of Roland George Wickens. ---(Honourable Mr. McMeans.)

#### No. 8.

Second Reading (Bill 4), An Act respecting The Canadian Pacific Railway Company.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 9.

Second Reading (Bill 5), An Act respecting The Interprovincial and James Bay Railway Company.—(Honourable Mr. Gordon.)

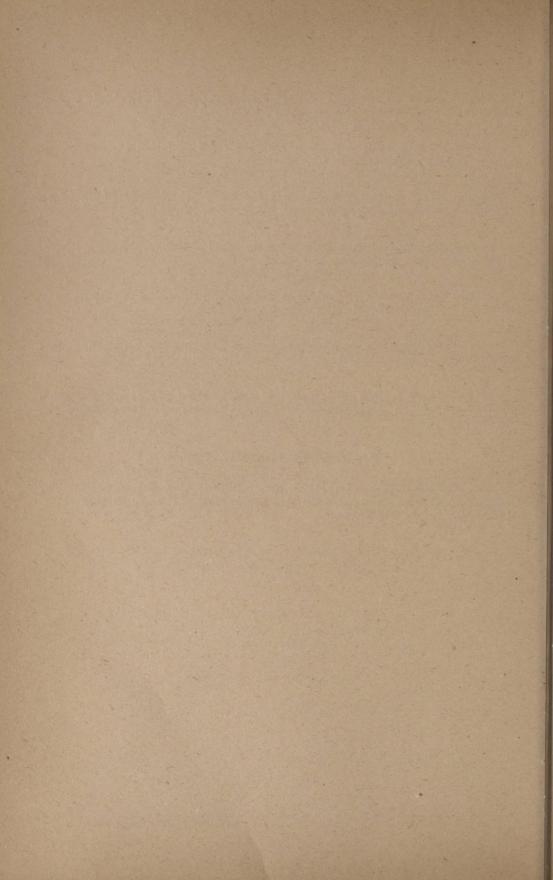
## No. 10.

Second Reading (Bill 18), An Act to change the name of the Dominion Express Company to "Canadian Pacific Express Company."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)

## For Tuesday, 11th May, 1926

## No. 1.

4th May—Second Reading (Bill I3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canada Evidence Act as regards the evidence of persons charged with offences." —(Honourable Mr. McMeans.)



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# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

## OF

# THE SENATE OF CANADA

## Thursday, 6th May, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:-

## The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

## The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard, Beaubien, Belcourt. Black, Blondin, Bureau, Calder, Casgrain, Chapais, Copp, Crowe, Curry, Dandurand, Daniel, Farrell. . Fisher,

Foster. Foster (Sir George), Gillis, Girroir, Gordon, Green, Griesbach, Hardy, Harmer, Hughes, King, Lavergne, Legris, L'Espérance, Lessard, Lewis, Lynch-Staunton, MacArthur, Macdonell, Martin. McCoig, McCormick, McLean, McLennan, Michener, Molloy, Mulholland, Murphy, Pardee, Planta, Poirier, Pope, Robertson, Robinson, Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw), Schaffner, Stanfield. Tanner, Taylor, Tessier, Todd, Turgeon, Turriff, Watson. Webster (Brockville), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby, Wilson.

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## PRAYERS.

The Honourable Mr. Foster (Alma) presented to the Senate a Bill (Y3), intituled: "An Act respecting Dominion Electric Protection Company."

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Tuesday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Fisher, for the Honourable Mr. Smith, presented to the Senate a Bill (Z3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marjorie Durham Morgan."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Tuesday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, for the Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke), presented to the Senate a Bill (A4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Amber May Wolfenden."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Tuesday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, for the Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke), presented to the Senate a Bill (B4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Enda Beatrice Burley."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Tuesday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, for the Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke), presented to the Senate a Bill (C4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bessie Hyde Lanyon Calhoun."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Tuesday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, for the Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke), presented to the Senate a Bill (D4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bleecker Foy Maidens."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Tuesday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, for the Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke), presented to the Senate a Bill (E4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Almon Wickett."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Tuesday, next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the ninety-seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Alice Victoria McGibbon, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the ninety-eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Annie Rebecca Herbert, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the ninety-ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Gladys Orme, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundredth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Marjorie Esther Splan, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and first Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of James Arthur Breadon, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and second Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, with respect to the petition of Albert Plue Jessop.

The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and third Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Helen Elby Pollington; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon her petition for a Bill of Divorce.

The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mabel Victoria Westerby, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, with respect to the petition of Olivia Maud Graham.

The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and sixth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of John Andrew Reid, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Morgan Hart, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of William Thomas Charlton Spence, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Arthur John Harman, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and tenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ethel Harriet Little, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and eleventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Robert Stewart McIntyre, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and twelfth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lillian Edith Hudgin, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and thirteenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lillie Torrance Cascadden, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and fourteenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Arthur Atkinson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and fifteenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Gladys Lucie White, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

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Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and sixteenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Walter Harold Bingley, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and seventeenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Goldie Luella Russell, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and eighteenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of James Thomas Young, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and nineteenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Copland William Evans, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and-twentieth Report of the Standing Committée on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of David Joseph Potter, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (Q3), intituled: "An Act to amend certain provisions of the Criminal Code respecting the possession of weapons," it was—

Ordered,-That the said Order of the Day be postponed till Tuesday, next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (96), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty a certain sum of money for the public service of the financial year ending 31st March, 1927," was read the second time, and—

Ordered,—That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading on Tuesday, next.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,—That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate adjourned.

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# ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

# Tuesday, 11th May, 1926

Presentation of Petitions. Reports of Committees. Reading of Petitions. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

## **INQUIRIES**

## For Tuesday, 11th May, 1926

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### For Tuesday, 11th May, 1926

### No. 1.

6th May—Third Reading (Bill 96), intituled: "An Act for the granting to His Majesty a certain sum of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1927."—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

### No. 2.

5th May—Second Reading (Bill R3), An Act for the relief of Joseph Robert Crow.—(Honourable Mr. Mulholland.)—E.F.

### No. 3.

5th May—Second Reading (Bill S3), An Act for the relief of Stanley Bennett.—(Honourable Mr. Pope.)—E.F.

### No. 4.

5th May-Second Reading (Bill T3), An Act for the relief of Katherine Landon Foley.--(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)--E.F.

### No. 5.

5th May—Second Reading (Bill U3), An Act for the relief of Edith Annie Say.—(Honourable Mr. Webster (Stadacona).)—E.F.

### No. 6.

5th May-Second Reading (Bill V3), An Act for the relief of Isabella Stewart Carmichael Wilson.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

### No. 7.

5th May—Second Reading (Bill W3), An Act for the relief of May Maud Mary Johnson.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

### No. 8.

5th May-Second Reading (Bill X3), An Act for the relief of Roland George Wickens.-(Honourable Mr. McMeans.)-E.F.

### No. 9.

5th May-Second Reading (Bill 4), An Act respecting The Canadian Pacific Railway Company.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)—E.F.

### No. 10.

5th May—Second Reading (Bill 5), An Act respecting The Interprovincial and James Bay Railway Company.—(Honourable Mr. Gordon.)—E.F.

### No. 11.

5th May—Second Reading (Bill 18), An Act to change the name of the Dominion Express Company to "Canadian Pacific Express Company."—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

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### No. 12.

4th May—Second Reading (Bill I3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canada Evidence Act as regards the evidence of persons charged with offences." —(Honourable Mr. McMeans.)—E.F.

### No. 13.

4th May—Second Reading (Bill Q3), intituled: "An Act to amend certain provisions of the Criminal Code respecting the possession of weapons."—(Honourable Mr. Belcourt.)—E.F.

### No. 14.

6th May-Second Reading (Bill Y3), An Act respecting Dominion Electric Protection Company.-(Honourable Mr. Foster (Alma).)-E.F.

### No. 15.

6th May-Second Reading (Bill Z3), An Act for the relief of Marjorie Durham Morgan.-(Honourable Mr. Smith.)-E.F.

### No. 16.

6th May-Second Reading (Bill A4), An Act for the relief of Amber May Wolfenden.--(Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke).)-E.F.

### No. 17.

6th May—Second Reading (Bill B4), An Act for the relief of Enda Beatrice Burley.—(Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke).)—E.F.

## No. 18.

6th May—Second Reading (Bill C4), An Act for the relief of Bessie Hyde Lanyon Calhoun.—(Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke).)—E.F.

### No. 19.

6th May—Second Reading (Bill D4), An Act for the relief of Bleecker Foy Maidens.—(Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke).)—E.F.

### No. 20.

6th May-Second Reading (Bill E4), An Act for the relief of George Almon Wickett.--(Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke).)-E.F.

# No. 16

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS of THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 11th May, 1926

8 p.m.

The Members convened were:-

Foster,

The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Barnard, Beaubien, Béique, Belcourt. Black, Blondin, Bourque, Bureau, Calder, Casgrain, Chapais, Copp, Crowe, Curry, Dandurand, Daniel, Donnelly, Farrell,

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Gillis, Girroir, Gordon, Green, Griesbach, Hardy, Harmer, Haydon, Hughes, King, Laird, Lavergne, Legris, L'Espérance, Lessard, Lewis, Lynch-Staunton, MacArthur, Macdonell, Martin, McCoig, McCormick, McLean, McLennan, McMeans, Michener, Molloy, Mulholland, Murphy, Planta, Poirier, Prowse, Rankin, Robertson, Robinson,

Ross (Middleton), Schaffner, Stanfield, Tanner, Taylor, Tessier, Todd, Turgeon, Watson. Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby.

## PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Speaker presented to the Senate the following communication from the Governor General's Secretary :----

### OTTAWA, 6th May, 1926.

SIR,-I am desired by His Excellency the Governor General to inform you that the Address of the Senate and House of Commons expressing their profound regret and deep sorrow at the death of Her Majesty the Queen Mother was duly laid at the foot of the Throne. His Majesty the King was profoundly gratified at its terms and commanded that his most sincere thanks should be communicated to the Members of the Senate and House of Commons for the sympathy expressed with him and with the Royal Family in their sad loss.

I have the honour to be,

Sir

Your obedient servant, A. F. SLADEN. Governor General's Secretary.

The Honourable

The Speaker of the Senate. Ottawa.

Ordered.-That the same do lie on the Table.

The following petitions were severally presented:-

By the Honourable Mr. Haydon:-

Of Robert Fisher, of Ottawa, Ontario, furrier; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Lena Fisher.

By the Honourable Mr. Gordon:-

Of Charles William John Walker, of Kingston, Ontario, labourer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marion Marie Walker.

By the Honourable Mr. Schaffner:-

Of Goldie Luella Russell, of Ottawa, Ontario; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon her petition for a Bill of Divorce.

By the Honourable Mr. Haydon:-

Of James McCutcheon Coleman, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act extending the duration of patents numbers 148,735, 148,736 and 147,594.

The Honourable Mr. Gordon presented to the Senate a Bill (F4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mabel Ellen Barrett."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke) presented to the Senate a Bill (G4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mabel Victoria Westerby."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Mulholland presented to the Senate a Bill (H4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Morgan Hart."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton) presented to the Senate a Bill (I4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James Arthur Breadon."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton) presented to the Senate a Bill (J4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marjorie Esther Splan."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton) presented to the Senate a Bill (K4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gladys Orme."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (L4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Andrew Reid."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Béique presented to the Senate a Bill (M4), intituled: "An Act respecting The Quebec, Montreal and Southern Railway Company."

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (N4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Thomas Charlton Spence."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (O4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gladys Lucie White."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (P4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Robert Stewart McIntyre."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

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The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (Q4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Goldie Luella Russell."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (R4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Arthur Atkinson."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Laird presented to the Senate a Bill (S4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillian Edith Hudgin."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (T4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Booth."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (U4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bernard Ernest Sleeth."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (V4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elsie Fray."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (W4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Cecilia Marrie Peters Kendall."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (X4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elias Malky."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (Y4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Beatrice Walker."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (Z4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Elgie Dulyea."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (A5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Wilson."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (B5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Sydney Wright."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (C5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alice Victoria McGibbon."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (D5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillie Torrance Cascadden."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (E5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James Thomas Young."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (F5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Copland William Evans."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (G5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Arthur John Harman."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (H5), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Detroit and Windsor Subway Company."

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next. The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, again presented their seventy-fourth Report.

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

### FRIDAY, 7th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to again present their seventy-fourth Report, as follows:-

1. With respect to the petition of Charles Stanley Reed Riches, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, solicitor, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Violet Halling Riches, formerly of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. No evidence has been adduced before the Committee sustaining the allegation made in clause 8 of the petition that the respondent, Violet Halling Riches, committed adultery with one McNeill.

3. The Committee find that the allegations made in clauses 7 and 9 of the petition, that the said Violet Halling Riches committed adultery in the month of June, 1923, and that she acquired a venereal disease, have been sustained by the evidence, and they recommend that a Bill be passed dissolving the petitioner's marriage on these grounds.

4. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and twenty-first Report.

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

# FRIDAY, 7th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and twenty-first Report, as follows:—

With respect to the petition of Mabel Wilson, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario; praying for a Bill of Divorce from Robert Pearson Wilson, of the city of Regina, in the province of Saskatchewan, real estate agent.

Counsel for the petitioner having applied for leave to withdraw the petition, and for refund of the Parliamentary fees, the Committee recommend that leave be granted accordingly, and that the Parliamentary fees be refunded to the petitioner, less printing costs.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

### Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and twenty-second Report.

### FRIDAY, 7th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and twenty-second Report, as follows:--

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1. With respect to the petition of Robert Douglas Ian McLeod, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, lumber salesman, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Meda Grace Hodgson McLeod, of the town of Bracebridge, in the said province, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and twenty-third Report.

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

## FRIDAY, 7th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and twenty-third Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Ernest Love, of the city of Hamilton, in the province of Ontario, machinist, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Florrie Underwood Love, of the city of Nottingham, England, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and twenty-fourth Report.

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

### FRIDAY, 7th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and twenty-fourth Report, as follows:--

1. With respect to the petition of Mary Margaret McColgan Vinnette Graydon, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Thomas Graydon, of the said city, accountant, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and twenty-fifth Report.

# FRIDAY, 7th May, 1926.

1. With respect to the petition of Samuel Wexler, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, manufacturer, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Matilda Lentzner Wexler, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and twenty-sixth Report.

# FRIDAY, 7th May, 1926.

1. With respect to the petition of Evelyn Christine Stewart, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Roy Ferguson Stewart, of the said city, advertising agent, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and twenty-seventh Report.

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

# FRIDAY, 7th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and twenty-seventh Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Ernest Ashton, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, tobacconist, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Jennie Ashton, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

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2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and twenty-eighth Report.

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

FRIDAY, 7th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and twenty-eighth Report, as follows:----

1. With respect to the petition of Jessie Patterson, of the city of Hamilton, in the province of Ontario, clerk, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Howard Kingsley Patterson, formerly of the said city, clerk, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

 The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.
 The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees paid under Rule 140 be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and twenty-ninth Report.

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

### FRIDAY, 7th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and twenty-ninth Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Margaret Lambert, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, waitress, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Edgar Lambert, of the said city, elevator operator, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. 3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Willoughby, it was-

Ordered,-That an Order of the Senate do issue for a return showing:-

1. All correspondence from 1st January, 1915, until present time between the Government of the province of Saskatchewan and the Dominion Government dealing with a return by the latter to the former of the natural resources of the province of Saskatchewan.

2. What verbal negotiations, if any, are now being held, or have been held during the years 1921-26, relating to same matter.

3. What offer, if any, has been made by the Government of Canada to the Government of Saskatchewan to return said natural resources, 1921-26.

4. What basis of settlement, if any, has been offered by the province of Saskatchewan to the Government of Canada, 1921-26.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Willoughby, it was-

Ordered,—That an Order of the Senate do issue for a return of all resolutions on the part of the Legislative Assembly or Government of Saskatchewan from 1st January, 1912, to present time in reference to the fiscal policy of Canada and transmitted to the Government of Canada and the replies, if any, thereto.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (96), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty a certain sum of money for the public service of the financial year ending 31st March, 1927," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered,—That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,—That Rules 24 (a), (b) and 63, be suspended in so far as they relate to the following Divorce Bills:—

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (R3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Joseph Robert Crow," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (S3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Stanley Bennett," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together, with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

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Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (T3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Katherine Landon Foley," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (U3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edith Annie Say," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (V3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Isabella Stewart Carmichael Wilson," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (W3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of May Maud Mary Johnson," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (X3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Roland George Wickens," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (4), intituled: "An Act respecting The Canadian Pacific Railway Company," was read the second time, and-Referred to the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours,

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (5), intituled: "An Act respecting The Interprovincial and James Bay Railway Company," was read the second time, and-

Referred to the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (18), intituled: "An Act to change the name of the Dominion Express Company to Canadian Pacific Express Company," was read the second time.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,-That Rules 24 (a), 119, 117, and 129 be suspended in so far as they relate to this Bill.

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative. Ordered,—That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (I3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canada Evidence Act as regards the evidence of persons charged with offences," was read the second time, and-

On motion of the Honourable Mr. McMeans, it was-

Referred to a Special Committee of the Senate composed of the Honourable Messieurs: Barnard, Beaubien, Béique, Belcourt, Dandurand, Girroir, Haydon, Murphy, Pardee, Robinson, Ross (Middleton), Tanner, Willoughby and the mover. .

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Q3), intituled: "An Act to amend certain provisions of the Criminal Code respecting the possession of weapons," was read the second time, and-

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Belcourt, it was-

Referred to a Special Committee of the Senate composed of the Honourable Messieurs: Barnard, Beaubien, Béique, Bureau, Dandurand, Girroir, Haydon, McMeans, Murphy, Pardee, Robinson, Ross (Middleton), Tanner, Willoughby and the mover.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Y3), intituled: "An Act respecting Dominion Electric Protection Company," was read the second time, and-Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,-That Rules 24 (a), (b) and 63, be suspended in so far as they relate to the following Divorce Bills:-

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Z3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marjorie Durham Morgan," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (A4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Amber May Wolfenden," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative. Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence: also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (B4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Enda Beatrice Burley," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (C4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bessie Hyde Lanyon Calhoun," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (D4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bleecker Foy Maidens," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (E4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Almon Wickett," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that he had received a communication from the Governor General's Secretary.

The same was read by the Honourable the Speaker, as follows:-

# OTTAWA, 10th May, 1926.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that the Right Honourable F. A. Anglin, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, will proceed to the Senate Chamber on Wednesday, the 12th instant, at 5.00 p.m., for the purpose of giving the Royal Assent to certain Bills.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant, A. F. SLADEN, Governor General's Secretary.

The Honourable

The Speaker of the Senate, Ottawa.

Ordered,-That the same do lie on the Table.

The Senate adjourned.

# ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

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# **INQUIRIES**

### For Wednesday, 12th May, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Tanner:-

13th April-Will enquire of the Government:-

1. In respect to what matters were Royal Commissions appointed by the Government of Canada during the period 1921 until 1926, inclusive?

2. What was the total cost to the country of each Royal Commission?

### For Thursday, 13th May, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Macdonell:---

11th May-Will inquire of the Government:-

1. Is it the intention of this Government to appoint a so-called Ambassador, or Minister Plenipotentiary, to the United States of America?

2. If so, when?

3. If so, what will be the annual cost to the taxpayer, of this Dominion, in salaries, allowances, rentals, etc., in connection with such Embassy?

4. Has the Government any information as to any possibility of the United States appointing an Ambassador to Canada?

5. Has there been any correspondence exchanged between this Government and the Imperial Authorities with regard to representation at Washington?

# MOTIONS

## For Wednesday, 12th May, 1926

### No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Dandurand:-

11th May—That when he lays on the Table to-morrow the report of the Canadian Delegates to the 6th Assembly of the League of Nations he will draw the attention of the Senate to the convening of the Special Assembly of the League on the 7th of March last to consider the German Government's request for admission to the League of Nations.

# ORDERS OF THE DAY

Nore.—The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed; E. printed in English, F. in French.

### For Thursday, 13th May, 1926

### No. 1.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill F4), An Act for the relief of Mabel Ellen Barrett.—(Honourable Mr. Gordon.)

### No. 2.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill G4), An Act.for the relief of Mabel Victoria Westerby.—(Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke).)

### No. 3.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill H4), An Act for the relief of Morgan Hart.—(Honourable Mr. Mulholland.)

### No. 4.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill I4), An Act for the relief of James Arthur Breadon.—(Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton).)

### No. 5.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill J4), An Act for the relief of Marjorie Esther Splan.—(Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton).)

### No. 6.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill K4), An Act for the relief of Gladys Orme.—(Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton).)

### No. 7.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill L4), An Act for the relief of John Andrew Reid.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)

### No. 8.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill M4), An Act respecting The Quebec, Montreal and Southern Railway Company.—(Honourable Mr. Beique.)

### No. 9.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill N4), An Act for the relief of William Thomas Charlton Spence.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)

### No. 10.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill O4), An Act for the relief of Gladys Lucie White.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)

### No. 11.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill P4), An Act for the relief of Robert Stewart McIntyre.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)

### No. 12.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill Q4), An Act for the relief of Goldie Luella Russell.-(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)

### No. 13.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill R4), An Act for the relief of Arthur Atkinson.- (Honourable Mr. Haydon.)

### No. 14.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill S4), An Act for the relief of Lillian Edith Hudgin .-- (Honourable Mr. Haydon.)

### No. 15.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill T4), An Act for the relief of Mary Booth.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)

### No. 16.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill U4), An Act for the relief of Bernard Ernest Sleeth .-- (Honourable Mr. Haydon.)

### No. 17.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill V4), An Act for the relief of Elsie Fray. -(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)

### No. 18.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill W4), An Act for the relief of Cecilia Marrie Peters Kendall .- (Honourable Mr. Haydon.)

### No. 19.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill X4), An Act for the relief of Elias Malky.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)

### No. 20.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill Y4), An Act for the relief of Ethel Beatrice Walker .- (Honourable Mr. Haydon.)

### No. 21.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill Z4), An Act for the relief of George Elgie Dulyea.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)

### No. 22.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill A5), An Act for the relief of John Wilson.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)

### No. 23.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill B5), An Act for the relief of John Sydney Wright .- (Honourable Mr. Haydon.)

### No. 24.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill C5), An Act for the relief of Alice Victoria McGibbon .- (Honourable Mr. Haydon.)

### No. 25.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill D5), An Act for the relief of Lillie Torrance Cascadden .-- (Honourable Mr. Haydon.)

### No. 26.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill E5), An Act for the relief of James Thomas Young .--- (Honourable Mr. Haydon.)

### No. 27.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill F5), An Act for the relief of Copland William Evans.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)

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### No. 28.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill G5), An Act for the relief of Arthur John Harman.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)

### No. 29.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill H5), An Act to incorporate The Detroit and Windsor Subway Company.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)

### No. 30.

11th May—Further consideration of the seventy-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Charles Stanley Reed Riches, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 31.

11th May—Consideration of the one hundred and twenty-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mabel Wilson, praying for leave to withdraw her petition for a bill of divorce and refund of the fees.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 32.

11th May—Consideration of the one hundred and twenty-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Robert Douglas Ian McLeod, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 33.

11th May—Consideration of the one hundred and twenty-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ernest Love, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 34.

11th May—Consideration of the one hundred and twenty-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mary Margaret McColgan Vinnette Graydon, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 35.

11th May—Consideration of the one hundred and twenty-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Samuel Wexler, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 36.

11th May—Consideration of the one hundred and twenty-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Evelyn Christine Stewart, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 37.

11th May—Consideration of the one hundred and twenty-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ernest Ashton, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

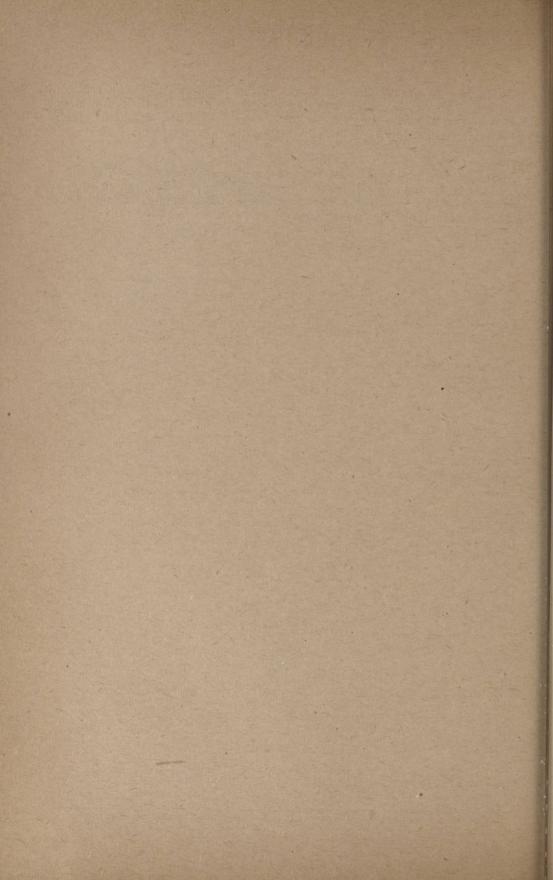
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### No. 38.

11th May—Consideration of the one hundred and twenty-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Jessie Patterson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 39.

11th May—Consideration of the one hundred and twenty-ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Margaret Lambert, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)



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# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

# OF

# THE SENATE OF CANADA

# Wednesday, 12th May, 1926

3 p.m

The Members convened were:--

## The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

### The Honourable Messieurs

Barnard, Beaubien, Béique, Belcourt. Black, Blondin, Bourque, Bureau, Calder. Casgrain, Chapais, Copp, Crowe, Curry, -Dandurand, Daniel, Donnelly, Farrell, Fisher, Foster, S 17-1

Foster (Sir George), Gillis, Girroir, Gordon, Green, Griesbach, Hardy, Harmer, Haydon, Hughes, King, Laird. Lavergne, Legris, L'Espérance, Lessard, Lewis, Lynch-Staunton, MacArthur,

Macdonell, Martin, McCoig, McCormick, McLean, McLennan, McMeans, Michener, Molloy, Mulholland, Murphy, Pardee, Planta, Pope, Prowse, Rankin, Robertson, Robinson, Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw),

Schaffner, Sharpe, Stanfield, Tanner, Taylor, Tessier, Todd. Turgeon, Turriff, Watson, Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby, Wilson.

## PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally presented.

By the Honourable Mr. Schaffner:-

Of Llewlyn Chubb, of Toronto, Ontario, clerk; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Merle Chubb.

By the Honourable Mr. Haydon:-

Of The Kenora and English River Railway Company; praying for the passage of an Act extending the time for the commencement and completion of the company's lines of railway.

The Honourable Mr. Daniel, from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts of the Senate, presented their fourth Report.

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

WEDNESDAY, 12th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts beg leave to make their fourth Report, as follows:—

The Committee recommend that the present plan of Organization of the Senate be cancelled and the following substituted therefor:—

1. Clerk of the Senate; Clerk of the Parliaments.

- 2. Assistant Clerk.
- 3. Law Clerk.
- 4. Second Assistant Clerk.
- 5. Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod.
- 6. Chief Accountant, Senate.
- 7. Chief Clerk of Committees.
- 8. Head Clerk of Committees.
- 9. Clerk of Minutes and Journals (English).
- 10. Clerk of Minutes and Journals (French).
- 11. Departmental Accountant, Grade 2.
- 12. Chief of Stationery Division (Senate).
- 13. Clerk, Grade 3.
- 14. Secretary, Law Clerk's Branch (Senate).
- 15. Editor of Debates and Chief of Reporting Branch.
- 16. Reporter (Parliamentary).
- 17. Reporter (Parliamentary).
- 18. Reporter (Parliamentary).
- 19. Chief Translator and Chief of French Journals.
- 20. Head Translator.
- 21. Postmaster.
- 22. Assistant Postmaster.
- 23. Mace Bearer.
- 24. Curator Reading Room.
- 25. Joint Curator Reading Room.
- 26. Chief Parliamentary Messenger.
- 27. Assistant Chief Parliamentary Messenger.
- 28. Speaker's Steward.
- 29. Confidential Messenger.
- 30. Confidential Messenger.
- All which is respectfully submitted.

### J. W. DANIEL,

Chairman.

Ordered,-That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Tuesday, 25th May, next.

The Honourable Mr. Daniel, from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts of the Senate, presented their fifth Report. The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

### WEDNESDAY, 12th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts beg leave to make their fifth Report, as follows:----

The Committee recommend that Mr. Adrien Potvin be appointed Second Clerk Assistant, to perform such duties as may be assigned to him by the Clerk of the Senate.

All which is respectfully submitted.

### J. W. DANIEL,

Chairman.

- Ordered,-That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Tuesday, 25th May, next.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and thirtieth Report.

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

### TUESDAY, 11th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and thirtieth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Samuel Lehman Stouffer, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Elizabeth Anne Stouffer, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

### Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Tuesday, 25th May, next.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and thirty-first Report.

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

### TUESDAY, 11th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and thirty-first Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Albert Wilson Denning, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, musician, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Myrtle Muriel Denning, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Tuesday, 25th May, next.

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The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and thirty-second Report. The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

# - TUESDAY, 11th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred presented their one hundred and thirty-second Report.

1. With respect to the petition of Charles Day, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, cutter, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Barbara Frances Day, formerly of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY, Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Tuesday, 25th May, next.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and thirty-third Report.

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

# TUESDAY, 11th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and thirty-third Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Alexander Charles Boyd, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, painter, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Frances Elizabeth Boyd, of Montreal, Quebec, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

# W. B. WILLOUGHBY, Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Tuesday, 25th May, next.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and thirty-fourth Report.

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

# TUESDAY, 11th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and thirty-fourth Report, as follows:----

1. With respect to the petition of Elizabeth Wright, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Kenneth Wycott Wright, of the said city, solicitor, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

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2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Tuesday, 25th May, next.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and thirty-fifth Report.

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

### TUESDAY, 11th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and thirty-fifth Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Mona Aileen Davies, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Arthur Henderson Davies, formerly of the said city, real estate salesman, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Tuesday, 25th May, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (19), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Pioneer Insurance Company," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Tuesday, 25th May, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (20), intituled: "An Act respecting The Pacific Coast Fire Insurance Company," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Tuesday, 25th May, next.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, for the Honourable Mr. Smith, presented to the Senate a Bill (15), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Rebecca Herbert."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Tuesday, 25th May, next.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, for the Honourable Mr. Pope, presented to the Senate a Bill (J5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of David Joseph Potter."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Tuesday, 25th May, next.

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The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, for the Honourable Mr. Pope, presented to the Senate a Bill (K5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Walter Harold Bingley."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Tuesday, 25th May, next.

The Honourable Mr. Robertson presented to the Senate a Bill (L5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Harriet Little."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Tuesday, 25th May, next.

The Honourable Mr. Dandurand laid upon the Table:---

Report of the Canadian Delegates to the Sixth Assembly of the League of Nations.

# (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.

The Honourable Mr. Dandurand drew the attention of the Senate to the convening of the Special Assembly of the League of Nations on the 7th of March last to consider the request of the German Government for admission to the League of Nations.

On motion, it was-

Ordered,—That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, the twenty-fifth day of May, next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate was adjourned during pleasure.

After a while, the Right Honourable Francis Alexander Anglin, Chief Justice of Canada, Deputy of the Governor General, having come and being seated at the foot of the Throne,—

The Honourable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that,—. "It is the Right Honourable the Deputy of the Governor General's desire they attend him immediately in the Senate Chamber."

The House of Commons being come,

The Clerk read the titles of the Bills to be assented to, as follows:--

An Act for the relief of Elizabeth Gertrude Orr.

An Act for the relief of Melville James Andrews.

An Act for the relief of Harry Reginald Oddy.

An Act for the relief of Mildred Roxie Horner.

An Act for the relief of Frances Muriel Burnet,

An Act for the relief of Ada Toms.

An Act for the relief of Vera Sanderson.

An Act for the relief of Noel Leslie Deuxbury.

An Act for the relief of Lillian May O'Reilly.

An Act for the relief of Jean Victoria Dillane.

An Act for the relief of Ethel Alberta Barker.

An Act for the relief of Annie Hazel McCausland.

An Act for the relief of Sterling LeRoy Spicer.

An Act for the relief of Amy Bell Corney.

An Act for the relief of David Frank Crosier.

An Act for the relief of Ethel Gildea Nye Brown.

An Act for the relief of Edward Thomas Faragher.

An Act for the relief of Bertha Viola Lidkea. An Act for the relief of Mike Ayoub (otherwise known as Michael Ayoub). An Act for the relief of Alice Marion McGinley. An Act for the relief of Harold Edgar Perinchief. An Act for the relief of Hendel Tuerner Lubrinetsky. An Act for the relief of Paul Hugh Turnbull. An Act for the relief of Helen Elby Pollington. An Act for the relief of Alexander Stewart. An Act for the relief of William Melville Moore. An Act for the relief of John Samuel Milligan. An Act for the relief of Marion Richardson. An Act for the relief of Isadore Boadner. An Act for the relief of William Albert Thomas. An Act for the relief of Gertrude Isabel Clark. An Act for the relief of Helen Seymour O'Connor. An Act for the relief of Yetta Selma Trachsell. An Act for the relief of Alexander Dewar. An Act for the relief of Florence Burrell. An Act for the relief of Edith Marion Byam. An Act for the relief of Charles Davidson. An Act for the relief of Doris Selina Irvin. An Act for the relief of Frank John Davis. An Act for the relief of John Norman Smith McMurray. An Act for the relief of Archie Claire McIntyre. An Act for the relief of Mabel Elizabeth Harcourt. An Act for the relief of Louise Gordon Pook. An Act for the relief of Ezillah Harriet Cole. An Act for the relief of Gertrude Burnside. An Act for the relief of Cora Mae Murray. An Act for the relief of Janet Thornhill Gorrie. An Act for the relief of Lillian DuBord Bulloch. An Act for the relief of Henrietta Schierholtz. An Act for the relief of Maude Elizabeth Gilroy. An Act for the relief of Richard Howard Buckley. An Act for the relief of William George Darlington. An Act for the relief of Arthur Watson. An Act for the relief of Frances Marjorie Warren. An Act for the relief of Charles Douglas Palmer. An Act for the relief of Beatrice Isobel Lamontagne. An Act for the relief of Jane Johnston Mitchell Wells. An Act for the relief of Jeremiah Gibbs. An Act for the relief of Caroline Elizabeth Risbridger. An Act for the relief of Cassie Woodley. An Act for the relief of Isabella Freeman. An Act for the relief of George Guthrie. An Act for the relief of Lily Stead. An Act for the relief of Alice Grace Hopkins. An Act for the relief of Vera Catherine Searle. An Act for the relief of Sidney Charles Frost. An Act to change the name of the Dominion Express Company to "Canadian Pacific Express Company".

To these Bills the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:—

"In His Majesty's name, the Right Honourable the Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General doth assent to these Bills." The Honourable the Speaker of the Commons then addressed the right Honourable the Deputy of the Governor General, as follows:—

# " MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

"The Commons of Canada have voted supplies required to enable the Government to defray certain expenses of the Public Service.

"In the name of the Commons, I present to Your Honour the following Bill:

"An Act for granting to His Majesty a certain sum of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1927.

"To which Bill I humbly request Your Honour's assent."

After the Clerk had read the title of this Bill,

To this Bill the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:--

"In His Majesty's name, the Right Honourable the Deputy of the Governor General thanks His Loyal Subjects, accepts their benevolence, and assents to this Bill."

After which the Right Honourable the Deputy of the Governor General was pleased to retire.

# The Commons withdrew.

The Senate was resumed.

The Senate then adjourned until Tuesday, the twenty-fifth May, next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

# ORDERS OF THE DAY

Nore.—The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed; E. printed in English, F. in French.

### For Tuesday, 25th May, 1926

### No. 1.

12th May—Second Reading (Bill 19), An Act to incorporate The Pioneer Insurance Company.—(Honourable Mr. McMeans.)—E.F.

### No. 2.

12th May—Second Reading (Bill 20), An Act respecting The Pacific Coast Fire Insurance Company,—(Honourable Mr. Crowe.)—E.F.

### No. 3.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill F4), An Act for the relief of Mabel Ellen Barrett.—(Honourable Mr. Gordon.)—E.F.

### No. 4.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill G4), An Act for the relief of Mabel Victoria Westerby.—(Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke).)—E.F.

### No. 5.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill H4), An Act for the relief of Morgan Hart.—(Honourable Mr. Mulholland.)—E.F.

### No. 6.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill I4), An Act for the relief of James Arthur Breadon.—(Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton).)—E.F.

### No. 7.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill J4), An Act for the relief of Marjorie Esther Splan.—(Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton).)—E.F.

### No. 8.

. 11th May—Second Reading (Bill K4), An Act for the relief of Gladys Orme.—(Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton).)—E.F.

### No. 9.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill L4), An Act for the relief of John Andrew Reid.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

### No. 10.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill M4), An Act respecting The Quebec, Montreal and Southern Railway Company.—(Honourable Mr. Beique.)—E.F.

### No. 11.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill N4), An Act for the relief of William Thomas Charlton Spence.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

### No. 12.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill O4), An Act for the relief of Gladys Lucie White.--(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)--E.F.

### No. 13.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill P4), An Act for the relief of Robert Stewart McIntyre.--(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)-E.F.

### No. 14.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill Q4), An Act for the relief of Goldie Luella Russell.-(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)-E.F.

# No. 15.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill R4), An Act for the relief of Arthur Atkinson.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

### No. 16.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill S4), An Act for the relief of Lillian Edith Hudgin.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

### No. 17.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill T4), An Act for the relief of Mary Booth.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

### No. 18.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill U4), An Act for the relief of Bernard Ernest Sleeth.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

### No. 19.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill V4), An Act for the relief of Elsie Fray. ---(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

### No. 20.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill W4), An Act for the relief of Cecilia Marrie Peters Kendall.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

### No. 21.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill X4), An Act for the relief of Elias Malky.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

### No. 22.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill Y4), An Act for the relief of Ethel Beatrice Walker.--(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

### No. 23.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill Z4), An Act for the relief of George Elgie Dulyea.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

### No. 24.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill A5), An Act for the relief of John Wilson.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

### No. 25.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill B5), An Act for the relief of John Sydney Wright.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

### No. 26.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill C5), An Act for the relief of Alice Victoria McGibbon.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

### No. 27.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill D5), An Act for the relief of Lillie Torrance Cascadden.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

### No. 28.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill E5), An Act for the relief of James Thomas Young.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

### No. 29.

11th May-Second Reading (Bill F5), An Act for the relief of Copland William Evans.--(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

### No. 30.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill G5), An Act for the relief of Arthur John Harman.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

### No. 31.

11th May—Second Reading (Bill H5), An Act to incorporate The Detroit and Windsor Subway Company.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

### No. 32.

12th May—Second Reading (Bill I5), An Act for the relief of Annie Rebecca Herbert.—(Honourable Mr. Smith.)—E.F.

### No. 33.

12th May—Second Reading (Bill J5), An Act for the relief of David Joseph Potter.—(Honourable Mr. Pope.)—E.F.

### No. 34.

12th Māy—Second Reading (Bill K5), An Act for the relief of Walter Harold Bingley.—(Honourable Mr. Pope.)—E.F.

### No. 35.

12th May—Second Reading (Bill L5), An Act for the relief of Ethel Harriett Little.—(Honourable Mr. Robertson.)—E.F.

### No. 36.

12th May—Consideration of the fourth report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.—(Honourable Mr. Daniel.)

### No. 37.

12th May—Consideration of the fifth report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.—(Honourable Mr. Dapiel.)

### No. 38.

12th May—Further consideration of the seventy-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Charles Stanley Reed Riches, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

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### No. 39.

12th May—Consideration of the one hundred and twenty-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mabel Wilson, praying for leave to withdraw her petition for a bill of divorce and refund of the fees.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 40. \*

12th May—Consideration of the one hundred and twenty-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Robert Douglas Ian McLeod, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 41.

12th May—Consideration of the one hundred and twenty-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ernest Love, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 42.

12th May—Consideration of the one hundred and twenty-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mary Margaret McColgan Vinnette Graydon, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 43.

12th May—Consideration of the one hundred and twenty-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Samuel Wexler, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 44.

12th May—Consideration of the one hundred and twenty-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Evelyn Christine Stewart, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 45.

12th May—Consideration of the one hundred and twenty-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ernest Ashton, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 46.

12th May—Consideration of the one hundred and twenty-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Jessie Patterson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 47.

12th May—Consideration of the one hundred and twenty-ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Margaret Lambert, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

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### No. 48.

12th May—Consideration of the one hundred and thirtieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Samuel Lehman Stouffer, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 49.

12th May—Consideration of the one hundred and thirty-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Albert Wilson Denning, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 50.

12th May—Consideration of the one hundred and thirty-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Charles Day, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 51.

12th May—Consideration of the one hundred and thirty-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Alexander Charles Boyd, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 52.

12th May—Consideration of the one hundred and thirty-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Elizabeth Wright, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

### No. 53.

12th May—Consideration of the one hundred and thirty-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mona Aileen Davies, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.---(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)



## No. 18

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 25th May, 1926

8 p.m.

The Members convened were:-

The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Beaubien. Béique, Belcourt, Buchanan, Bureau, Casgrain, Chapais, Crowe, Dandurand, Daniel, Farrell, Fisher. Foster (Sir George), Gillis,

Girroir, Gordon, Griesbach. Hardy, Haydon, King, Laird, Lavergne, Legris, L'Espérance, Lessard, Lewis, Lynch-Staunton, MacArthur, Martin, McCormick, McLean,

McLennan, McMeans, Molloy, Mulholland, Murphy, Pardee. Planta. Poirier, Pope. Prowse, Rankin, Reid. Robertson, Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw), Schaffner, Sharpe,

Stanfield, Taylor, Tessier, Todd, Turgeon, Turriff, Watson, Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), Willoughby, Wilson.

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#### PRAYERS.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and thirty-sixth Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 11th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and thirty-sixth Report, as follows:-

1. With respect to the petition of Annie Sophia Gordonsmith, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, stenographer, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Wilfred Gordonsmith, of the said city, travelling salesman, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.
 The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under

Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce. presented their one hundred and thirty-seventh Report. The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:-

#### FRIDAY, 14th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and thirty-seventh Report, as follows:-

With respect to the petition of Goldie Luella Russell, of Ottawa, Ontario; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon her petition for a Bill of Divorce.

The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

#### Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and thirty-eighth Report.

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

#### FRIDAY, 14th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and thirty-eighth Report, as follows:-

1. With respect to the petition of Samuel Paveling, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, letter carrier, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Emma Elizabeth Paveling, of the city of St. John, in the province of New Brunswick, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and thirty-ninth Report.

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

#### FRIDAY, 14th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and thirty-ninth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Robert Edward Greig, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, plumber, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Edith May Greig, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and fortieth Report.

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

#### FRIDAY, 14th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and fortieth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Bernard Thomas Graham, of the township of York, in the county of York, in the province of Ontario, fruit and vegetable dealer, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Lillian Jane Graham, of the city of Toronto, in the said province, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and forty-first Report.

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

#### FRIDAY, 14th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and forty-first Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Benjamin Rapp, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, druggist, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with

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Katie Cutler Rapp, formerly of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

W. B. WILLOUGHBY, Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and forty-second Report.

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

#### FRIDAY, 14th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and forty-second Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of John Jones, of the township of Sombra, in the county of Lambton, province of Ontario, farmer, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Edna Jones, presently residing in the city of Detroit, in the state of Michigan, one of the United States of America, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and forty-third Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 11th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and forty-third Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Daisie Hawkey, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Thomas David Hawkey, of the said city, waiter, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

 The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.
 The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

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Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (19), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Pioneer Insurance Company," was read the second time, and— Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (20), intituled: "An Act respecting The Pacific Coast Fire Insurance Company," was read the second time, and— Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (F4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mabel Ellen Barrett," was, on division, read the second time, and---

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (G4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mabel Victoria Westerby," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (H4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Morgan Hart," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (I4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James Arthur Breadon," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (J4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marjorie Esther Splan," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (K4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gladys Orme," was, on division, read the second time, and— Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading

to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (L4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Andrew Reid," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (M4), intituled: "An Act respecting The Quebec, Montreal and Southern Railway Company," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (N4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Thomas Charlton Spence," was, on division, read the second time, and

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (O4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gladys Lucie White," was, on division, read the second time, and----

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (P4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Robert Stewart McIntyre," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Q4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Goldie Luella Russell," was, on division, read the second time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (R4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Arthur Atkinson," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (S4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillian Edith Hudgin," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third, reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (T4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Booth," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (U4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bernard Ernest Sleeth," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (V4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elsie Fray," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (W4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Cecilia Marrie Peters Kendall," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (X4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elias Malky," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Y4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Beatrice Walker," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Z4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Elgie Dulyea," was, on division, read the second time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (A5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Wilson," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (B5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Sydney Wright," was, on division, read the second time, and— Ordered. That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading

to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (C5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alice Victoria McGibbon," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (D5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillie Torrance Cascadden," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (E5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James Thomas Young," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (F5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Copland William Evans," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (G5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Arthur John Harman," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (H5), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Detroit and Windsor Subway Company," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (I5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Rebecca Herbert," was, on division, read the second time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (J5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of David Joseph Potter," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (K5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Walter Harold Bingley," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (L5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Harriet Little," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed till to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed till to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the further consideration of the seventy-fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Charles Stanley Reed Riches, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and twenty-first Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, with respect to the petition of Mabel Wilson.

The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and twenty-second Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce to whom was referred the petition of Robert Douglas Ian McLeod, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and twenty-third Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ernest Love, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and twenty-fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mary Margaret McColgan Vinnette Graydon, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and twenty-fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Samuel Wexler, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and twenty-sixth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Evelyn Christine Stewart, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and twenty-seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ernest Ashton, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and twenty-eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Jessie Patterson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and twenty-ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Margaret Lambert, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and thirtieth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Samuel Lehman Stouffer, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and thirty-first Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Albert Wilson Denning, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and thirty-second Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Charles Day, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and thirty-third Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Alexander Charles Boyd, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and thirty-fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Elizabeth Wright, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and thirty-fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mona Aileen Davies, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee. The said Report was, on division, adopted.

The Senate adjourned.

## ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

## Wednesday, 26th May, 1926

Presentation of Petitions. Reports of Committees. Reading of Petitions. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

## INQUIRIES

## For Wednesday, 26th May, 1926

No. 1. By the Honourable Mr. Macdonell:---

11th May-Will inquire of the Government:-

1. Is it the intention of this Government to appoint a so-called Ambassador, or Minister Plenipotentiary, to the United States of America?

2. If so, when?

3. If so, what will be the annual cost to the taxpayer, of this Dominion, in salaries, allowances, rentals, etc., in connection with such Embassy?

4. Has the Government any information as to any possibility of the United States appointing an Ambassador to Canada?

5. Has there been any correspondence exchanged between this Government and the Imperial Authorities with regard to representation at Washington?

#### MOTIONS

#### For Thursday, 27th May, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Taylor:-

That a humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying that His Excellency will cause to be laid before this House a return showing copy of all rules and regulations made by the Governor-in-Council respecting the sittings, practices and procedure of the Federal Appeal Board.

## ORDERS OF THE DAY

Note.—The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed; E. printed in English, F. in French.

## For Wednesday, 26th May, 1926

#### No. 1.

25th May—Third Reading (Bill F4), An Act for the relief of Mabel Ellen Barrett.—(Honourable Mr. Gordon.)—E.F.

#### No. 2.

25th May—Third Reading (Bill G4), An Act for the relief of Mabel Victoria Westerby.—(Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke).)—E.F.

#### No. 3.

25th May—Third Reading (Bill H4), An Act for the relief of Morgan Hart.—(Honourable Mr. Mulholland.)—E.F.

#### No. 4.

25th May—Third Reading (Bill I4), An Act for the relief of James Arthur Breadon.—(Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton).)—E.F.

#### No. 5.

25th May-Third Reading (Bill J4), An Act for the relief of Marjorie Esther Splan.-(Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton).)-E.F.

#### No. 6.

25th May—Third Reading (Bill K4), An Act for the relief of Gladys Orme.—(Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton).)—E.F.

#### No. 7.

25th May—Third Reading (Bill L4), An Act for the relief of John Andrew Reid.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 8.

25th May—Third Reading (Bill N4), An Act for the relief of William Thomas Charlton Spence.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 9.

25th May-Third Reading (Bill O4), An Act for the relief of Gladys Lucie White.--(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)--E.F.

#### No. 10.

25th May—Third Reading (Bill P4), An Act for the relief of Robert Stewart McIntyre.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 11.

25th May-Third Reading (Bill Q4), An Act for the refief of Goldie Luella Russell.-(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)-E.F.

#### No. 12.

25th May-Third Reading (Bill R4), An Act for the relief of Arthur Atkinson.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 13.

25th May—Third Reading (Bill S4), An Act for the relief of Lillian Edith Hudgin.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 14.

25th May-Third Reading (Bill T4), An Act for the relief of Mary Booth.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 15.

25th May—Third Reading (Bill U4), An Act for the relief of Bernard Ernest Sleeth.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 16.

25th May—Third Reading (Bill V4), An Act for the relief of Elsie Fray. --(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-EF.

#### No. 17.

25th May-Third Reading (Bill W4), An Act for the relief of Cecilia Marrie Peters Kendall.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 18.

25th May—Third Reading (Bill X4), An Act for the relief of Elias Malky.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 19.

25th May—Third Reading (Bill Y4), An Act for the relief of Ethel Beatrice Walker.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 20.

25th May—Third Reading (Bill Z4), An Act for the relief of George Elgie Dulyea.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 21.

25th May—Third Reading (Bill A5), An Act for the relief of John Wilson.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 22.

25th May—Third Reading (Bill B5), An Act for the relief of John Sydney Wright.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 23.

25th May—Third Reading (Bill C5), An Act for the relief of Alice Victoria McGibbon.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 24.

25th May—Third Reading (Bill D5), An Act for the relief of Lillie Torrance Cascadden.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 25.

25th May—Third Reading (Bill E5), An Act for the relief of James Thomas Young.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 26.

25th May-Third Reading (Bill F5), An Act for the relief of Copland William Evans.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 27.

25th May-Third Reading (Bill G5), An Act for the relief of Arthur John Harman.--(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 28.

25th May-Third Reading (Bill I5), An Act for the relief of Annie Rebecca Herbert.-(Honourable Mr. Smith.)-E.F.

#### No. 29.

25th May-Third Reading (Bill J5), An Act for the relief of David Joseph Potter.--(Honourable Mr. Pope.)-E.F.

#### No. 30.

25th May-Third Reading (Bill K5), An Act for the relief of Walter Harold Bingley.-(Honourable Mr. Pope.)-E.F.

#### No. 31.

25th May—Third Reading (Bill L5), An Act for the relief of Ethel Harriett Little.—(Honourable Mr. Robertson.)—E.F.

#### No. 32.

25th May-Consideration of the fourth report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.--(Honourable Mr. Daniel.)

#### No. 33.

25th May-Consideration of the fifth report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.-(Honourable Mr. Daniel.)

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## MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

## THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 26th May, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:-

The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Beaubien, Béique, Belcourt, Bénard, Bourque, Buchanan, Bureau, Casgrain, Chapais, Crowe, Dandurand, Daniel, Farrell, Fisher, Foster (Sir George), Martin,

Gillis, Girroir, Gordon, Griesbach. Hardy, Haydon, Hughes, King. · Laird, Lavergne, Legris, L'Espérance, Lessard, Lewis, Lynch-Staunton, MacArthur,

McCoig, McCormick, McDonald, McLennan, McMeans, Molloy, Mulholland, Murphy, Pardee. Planta, Poirier, Pope, Prowse, Rankin, Reid. Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw),

Schaffner, Sharpe, Stanfield, Taylor, Tessier, Todd. Turgeon, Turriff. Watson, Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), Willoughby, Wilson.

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#### PRAYERS.

The following petition was presented. By the Honourable Mr. Tessier:---

Of The Commercial Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

The following petitions were severally read and received:-

Of The Kenora and English River Railway Company; praying for the passage of an Act extending the time for the commencement and completion of the Company's lines of railway.

Of James McCutcheon Coleman, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act extending the duration of patents numbers 148735, 148736 and 147594.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and forty-fourth Report.

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

WEDNESDAY, 26th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and forty-fourth Report, as follows:---

1. The Committee recommend that the time limited for receiving petitions for Bills of Divorce be extended to Tuesday, 1st June, 1926.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,—That Rule 24 (a) and (h) be suspended in respect to the said Report.

The said Report was then adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton) presented to the Senate a Bill (M5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Samuel Wexler."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby presented to the Senate a Bill (N5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Samuel Lehman Stouffer."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (O5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Robert Douglas Ian McLeod."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (P5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Margaret McColgan Vinnette Graydon."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

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The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (Q5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alexander Charles Boyd."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (R5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Charles Day."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (S5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Albert Wilson Denning."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (T5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaret Lambert."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (U5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jessie Patterson."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (V5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ernest Ashton."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (W5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Evelyn Christine Stewart."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and--

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (X5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ernest Love."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Lewis, for the Honourable Mr. Haydon, presented to the Senate a Bill (Y5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Charles Stanley Reed Riches."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

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The Honourable Mr. Lewis, for the Honourable Mr. Haydon, presented to the Senate a Bill (Z5), initialed: "An Act for the relief of Mona Aileen Davies." The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Pardee presented to the Senate a Bill (A6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elizabeth Wright."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (A), intituled: "An Act to provide for changing the names of certain Pension Fund Societies."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (11), intituled: "An Act to incorporate the President of the Lethbridge Stake," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (13), intituled: "An Act respecting a patent owned by The John E. Russell Company, Limited," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (92), intituled: "An Act respecting the Grand Orange Lodge of British America," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (F4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mabel Ellen Barrett," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (G4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mabel Victoria Westerby," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (H4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Morgan Hart," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (I4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James Arthur Breadon," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (J4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marjorie Esther Splan," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

- Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (K4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gladys Orme," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (L4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Andrew Reid," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (N4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Thomas Charlton Spence," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (O4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gladys Lucie White," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (P4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Robert Stewart McIntyre," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Q4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Goldie Luella Russell," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (R4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Arthur Atkinson," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (S4), intituled: "An Act for the relici of Lillian Edith Hudgin," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (T4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Booth," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (U4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bernard Ernest Sleeth," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (V4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elsie Fray," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (W4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Cecilia Marrie Peters Kendall," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (X4), intituled: "Ar Act for the relief of Elias Malky," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Y4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Beatrice Walker," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Z4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Elgie Dulyea," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said cvidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (A5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Wilson," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (B5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Sydney Wright," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (C5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alice Victoria McGibbon," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative. Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (D5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillie Torrance Cascadden," was, on division, read the third time. The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (E5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James Thomas Young," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (F5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Copland William Evans," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative. Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (G5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Arthur John Harman," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (15); intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Rebecca Herbert," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (J5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of David Joseph Potter," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (K5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Walter Harold Bingley," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (L5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Harriet Little," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,-That the said Report be amended, as follows:-

That the said Report be amended by adding to position reference No. 4 the following:-

", Editor and Chief Translator French Debates"

The said Report, as amended, was then adopted.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts,

With leave of the Senate, it was-

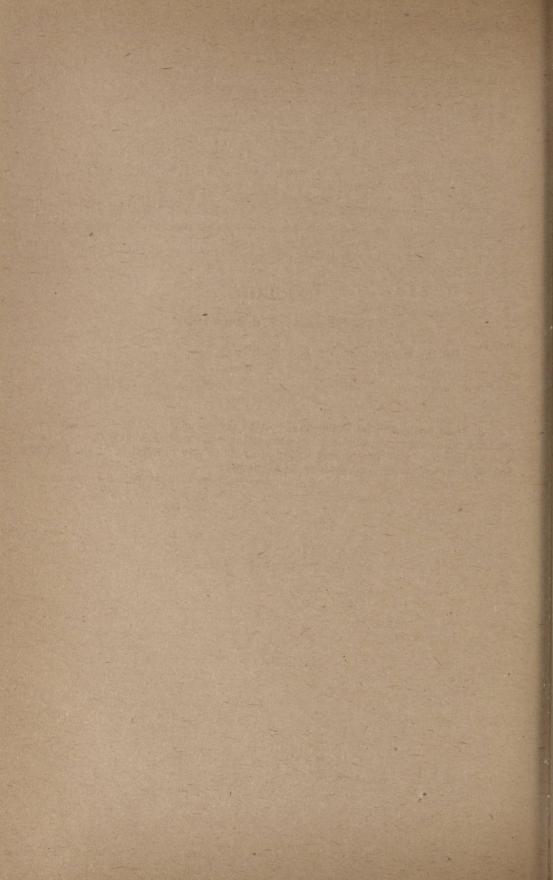
Ordered,-That the said Report be amended, as follows:-

That the said Report be amended by leaving out in the third and fourth lines thereof the words: "Second Clerk Assistant, to perform such duties", and substituting therefor the following:

"Second Clerk Assistant, Editor and Chief Translator French Debates, and to do such other work."

The said Report, as amended, was then adopted.

The Senate adjourned.



## ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

## Thursday, 27th May, 1926

Presentation of Petitions. Reports of Committees.

Reading of Petitions. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

## INQUIRIES

## For Thursday, 27th May, 1926

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11th May-Will inquire of the Government:-

1. Is it the intention of this Government to appoint a so-called Ambassador, or Minister Plenipotentiary, to the United States of America?

2. If so, when?

3. If so, what will be the annual cost to the taxpayer, of this Dominion, in salaries, allowances, rentals, etc., in connection with such Embassy?

4. Has the Government any information as to any possibility of the United States appointing an Ambassador to Canada?

5. Has there been any correspondence exchanged between this Government and the Imperial Authorities with regard to representation at Washington?

### MOTIONS

#### For Thursday, 27th May, 1926

#### No. 1.

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Taylor:-

25th May-That a humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying that His Excellency will cause to be laid before this House a return showing copy of all rules and regulations made by the Governor-in-Council respecting the sittings, practices and procedure of the Federal Appeal Board.

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#### For Thursday, 27th May, 1926

#### No. 1.

25th May—Consideration of the one hundred and thirty-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Annie Sophia Gordonsmith, praying for leave to withdraw her petition for a bill of divorce and refund of the fees.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 2.

25th May—Consideration of the one hundred and thirty-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Goldie Luella Russell, praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon her petition for a bill of divorce.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 3.

25th May—Consideration of the one hundred and thirty-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Samuel Paveling, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 4.

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#### No. 5.

25th May—Consideration of the one hundred and fortieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Bernard Thomas Graham, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 6.

25th May—Consideration of the one hundred and forty-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Benjamin Rapp, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 7.

25th May—Consideration of the one hundred and forty-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of John Jones, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 8.

25th May—Consideration of the one hundred and forty-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Daisie Hawkey, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## For Friday, 28th May, 1926

#### No. 1.

26th May-Second Reading (Bill 11), An Act to incorporate the President of the Lethbridge Stake .- (Honourable Mr. Buchanan.)

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26th May-Second Reading (Bill Z5), An Act for the relief of Mona Aileen Davies.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)

#### No. 18.

26th May-Second Reading (Bill A6), An Act for the relief of Elizabeth Wright.--(Honourable Mr. Pardee.)

## No. 20

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

## THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 27th May, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:---

#### The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

#### The Honourable Messieurs

Martin,

Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Beaubien, Béique, Béland, Belcourt, Bénard, Bourque, Buchanan, Bureau, Casgrain, Chapais, Crowe, Dandurand, Daniel, Farrell, Fisher, Gillis, Girroir, Gordon, Griesbach, Hughes, King, Laird, Lavergne, Legris, Lessard, Lewis, Lynch-Staunton, MacArthur,

McCoig, McCormick, McDonald, McLennan, McMeans, Molloy, Mulholland, Murphy, Planta, Poirier, Pope, Prowse, Rankin, Reid, Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw), Schaffner, Sharpe, Stanfield, Taýlor, Tessier, Todd, Turgeon, Watson, Webster (Brockville), White (Inkerman), Willoughby, Wilson.

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#### PRAYERS

The following petitions were severally presented.

By the Honourable Mr. Willoughby:-

Of Amelia Chester, of Ottawa, Ontario; praving for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Everett Osborne Chester.

By the Honourable Mr. Gordon:-

Of George Almon Wickett, of Belleville, Ontario; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon his petition for a Bill of Divorce.

The Honourable Mr. Béique, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (Y3), intituted: "An Act respecting Dominion Electric Protection Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading on Tuesday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Tessier, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their fifth Report.

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

THURSDAY, 27th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their fifth report, as follows:-

The Committee have examined the following petitions, and find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material 

the capital stock of the Company, and for other purposes.

Of J. M. Eagle, of Sarnia, Ontario, and others of elsewhere; praying for the passage of an Act to incorporate the Executive Council of the Free Methodist. Church in Canada.

Of James McCutcheon Coleman, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act extending the duration of Patents numbers 148735, 148736 and 147594.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### JULES TESSIER.

Chairman.

Ordered,-That the said Report do lie on the Table.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Special Committee on the Bill (13), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canada Evidence Act as regards the evidence of persons charged with offences," presented their first Report.

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

THURSDAY, 27th May, 1926.

The Special Committee to whom was referred the Bill, I3, intituled: "An Act to amend The Canada Evidence Act as regards the evidence of persons charged with offences," beg leave to make their first report, as follows:----

1. The Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to five Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That Rule 24 (a) and (h) be suspended in respect to the said Report.

The said Report was then adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and forty-fifth Report.

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

#### WEDNESDAY, 26th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and forty-fifth Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Olive Mary Mead, of the city of Guelph, in the province of Ontario, instructress in horsemanship, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Arthur William Mead, of the city of Toronto, in the said province, accountant, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

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. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and forty-sixth Report.

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

#### WEDNESDAY, 26th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and forty-sixth Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Alice Elizabeth Blakely, of the town of Brampton, in the county of Peel, in the province of Ontario, hair-dresser, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Frederick Harold Blakely, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, broker, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees paid under Rule 140 be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

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. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and forty-seventh Report.

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

#### WEDNESDAY, 26th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and forty-seventh Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Ethel Maud Hargraft, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, insurance agent, for an Act to dissolve her

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marriage with John Ross Hargraft, of the said city, insurance agent, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY.

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. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and forty-eighth Report. The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:-

### WEDNESDAY, 26th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and forty-eighth Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Frédéric Vinet, of the village of Thornloe, in the district of Timiskaming, in the province of Ontario, farmer, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Rose Anna Vinet, formerly of the said village, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

## W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

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. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and forty-ninth Report.

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

#### WEDNESDAY, 26th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and forty-ninth Report, as follows:-

1. With respect to the petition of Bertha Amelia Bertelet, of the city of Kitchener, in the province of Ontario, masseuse, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Henri Eugene Bertelet, of the said city, carpenter, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (17), intituled: "An Act to amend The Soldier Settlement Act, 1919," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Tuesday, next.

On Motion of the Honourable Mr. Taylor, it was-

Resolved,-That a humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying that His Excellency will cause to be laid before this House a return showing copy of all rules and regulations made by the Governor-in-Council respecting the sittings, practices and procedure of the Federal Appeal Board.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and thirty-sixth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Annie Sophia Gordonsmith, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and thirty-seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Goldie Luella Russell; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon her petition for a Bill of Divorce.

The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the considera-tion of the one hundred and thirty-eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Samuel Paveling, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and thirty-ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Robert Edward Greig, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the considera-tion of the one hundred and fortieth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Bernard Thomas Graham, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day; the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and forty-first Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Benjamin Rapp, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and forty-second Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of John Jones, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and forty-third Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Daisie Hawkey, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

With leave of the Senate, it was,— Ordered,—That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, the first day of June, next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate adjourned.

# ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

### Tuesday, 1st June, 1926

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27th May-Second Reading (Bill 17), An Act to amend The Soldier Settlement Act, 1919.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

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26th May-Second Reading (Bill R5), An Act for the relief of Charles Day.-(Honourable Mr. Michener.)-E.F.

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#### No. 12.

26th May—Second Reading (Bill S5), An Act for the relief of Albert Wilson Denning.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

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#### No. 21

27th May—Consideration of the one hundred and forty-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Olive Mary Mead, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee. —(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 22.

27th May—Consideration of the one hundred and forty-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Alice Elizabeth Blakely, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 23.

27th May—Consideration of the one hundred and forty-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ethel Maud Hargraft, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 24.

27th May—Consideration of the one hundred and forty-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Frederic Vinet, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 25.

27th May—Consideration of the one hundred and forty-ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Bertha Amelia Bertelet, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

# No. 21

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

# THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 1st June, 1926

8 p.m.

The Members convened were:--

The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Avlesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard, Beaubien, Béique, Béland. Belcourt. Bénard. Black, Blondin, Bourque, Buchanan, Bureau, Calder, Casgrain, Chapais, Crowe, Curry,

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Dandurand, Daniel. Donnelly, Farrell. Gillis. Gordon, Green. Griesbach, Harmer. Haydon, King, Laird, Lavergne, L'Espérance, Lessard, Lewis, Lynch-Staunton, MacArthur,

Macdonell. Martin, McCormick, McDonald, McLean, McLennan, McMeans, Mollov. Murphy, Planta, Poirier, Prowse. Rankin. Reid. Robertson, Robinson, Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw), Wilson.

Schaffner. Sharpe, Smith, Stanfield, Tanner. Taylor, Tessier. Turgeon, Turriff. Watson, Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby,

#### PRAYERS

The following petitions were severally presented.

By the Honourable Mr. White (Inkerman):-

Of Gordon Cameron Edwards, of the city of Ottawa, Ontario, and others (Gatineau Transmission Company).

By the Honourable Mr. Willoughby:-

Of Charles Day, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon his petition for a Bill of Divorce.

By the Honourable Mr. Lewis:-

Of Alice Victoria McGibbon, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon her petition for a Bill of Divorce.

The following petition was read:-

Of The Commercial Mutual Fire Insurance Company, of the city of St. Hyacinthe, in the province of Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act authorizing it to carry on business throughout Canada.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and fiftieth Report.

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

TUESDAY, 1st June. 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and fiftieth Report, as follows:-

With respect to the petition of George Almon Wickett, of the city of Belleville, in the province of Ontario, labourer; praying for refund of the Parlia-mentary fees paid upon his petition for a Bill of Divorce.

The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees paid under Rule 140 be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY.

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Green presented to the Senate a Bill (B6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Samuel Paveling."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Lewis, for the Honourable Mr. Haydon, presented to the Senate a Bill (C6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Jones."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Lewis, for the Honourable Mr. Haydon, presented to the Senate a Bill (D6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Benjamin Rapp." The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

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The Honourable Mr. Lewis, for the Honourable Mr. Haydon, presented to the Senate a Bill (E6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bernard Thomas Graham."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Lewis, for the Honourable Mr. Haydon, presented to the Senate a Bill (F6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Robert Edward Greig."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Lewis, for the Honourable Mr. Haydon, presented to the Senate a Bill (G6), intituled: "An Act respecting certain patents of James McCutcheon Coleman."

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (H6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Daisie Hawkey."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading \_ on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (16), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Sophia Gordonsmith."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (R3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Joseph Robert Crow."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (S3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Stanley Bennett."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (T3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Katherine Landon Foley."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (U3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edith Annie Say."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (V3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Isabella Stewart Carmichael Wilson."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

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A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (W3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of May Maud Mary Johnson."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (X3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Roland George Wickens."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (Z3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marjorie Durham Morgan."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (A4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Amber May Wolfenden."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (B4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Enda Beatrice Burley."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (C4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bessie Hyde Lanyon Calhoun."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (D4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bleecker Foy Maidens."

And fo acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (E4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Almon Wickett."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

#### FRIDAY, 28th May, 1926.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to return to that House the evidence, etc., taken before the Standing Committee of the Senate on Divorce, to whom were referred the petitions on which the following Bills were founded:—

Bill No. 98 (Letter R3 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Joseph Robert Crow."

Bill No. 99 (Letter S3 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Stanley Bennett."

Bill No. 100 (Letter T3 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Katherine Landon Foley."

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Bill No. 101 (Letter U3 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edith Annie Say."

Bill No. 102 (Letter V3 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Isabella Stewart Carmichael Wilson."

Bill No. 103 (Letter W3 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of May Maud Mary Johnson."

Bill No. 104 (Letter X3 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Roland George Wickens."

Bill No. 105 (Letter Z3 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marjorie Durham Morgan."

Bill No. 106 (Letter A4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Amber May Wolfenden."

Bill No. 107 (Letter B4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Enda Beatrice Burley."

Bill No. 108 (Letter C4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bessie Hyde Lanyon Calhoun."

Bill No. 109 (Letter D4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bleecker Foy Maidens."

Bill No. 110 (Letter E4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Almon Wickett."

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

#### ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,

Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered,-That the same do lie on the Table.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (21), intituled: "An Act respecting Old Age Pensions," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (93), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Canadian Dexter P. Cooper Company," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Dandurand laid on the Table:-

Return to an Order of the Senate, dated the 4th May, 1926, for a copy of any agreement between the Government of Canada, or any department thereof and the Government of the province of British Columbia for the transfer to the Government of British Columbia or to any persons on their behalf or at their instance of vacant Dominion lands underlying or abutting upon Sumas Lake; together with all correspondence and all Orders in Council relating to said transfer or proposed transfer or to any matters arising therefrom. Also for a copy of any accounts received from said Provincial Government of the proceeds of any sales of Dominion lands so acquired and of any expense incurred by the province in connection with the reclamation of lands included in the proposed transfer.

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Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Bill (Y3), intituled: "An Act respecting Dominion Electric Protection Company," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (17), intituled: "An Act to amend The Soldier Settlement Act, 1919," was read the second time, and-

With leave of the Senate, it was-Ordered,-That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole presently.

The Senate was accordingly adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the said Bill.

#### (In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and-

The Honourable Mr. Robinson, from the said Committee, reported that they had taken the said Bill into consideration, made some progress thereon, and asked leave to sit again, it was-

Ordered,-That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for further consideration in a Committee of the Whole to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (11), intituled: "An Act to incorporate the President of the Lethbridge Stake," was read the second time, and-

Referred to the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (13), intituled: "An Act respecting a patent owned by The John E. Russell Company, Limited," was read the second time, and-

Referred to the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (92), intituled: "An Act respecting the Grand Orange Lodge of British America," was read the second time, and-

On motion, it was-

Ordered,-That Rules 24 (a) and 119 be suspended in so far as they relate to this Bill, and-

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

On motion, it was-

Ordered,—That Rules 24 (a), (b) and 63, be suspended in so far as they relate to the following Divorce Bills:—

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (M5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Samuel Wexler," was, on division, read the second and third time. The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (N5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Samuel Lehman Stouffer," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this. House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (O5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Robert Douglas Ian McLeod," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (P5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Margaret McColgan Vinnette Graydon," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Q5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alexander Charles Boyd," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (R5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Charles Day," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House. Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (S5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Albert Wilson Denning," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (T5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaret Lambert," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (U5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jessie Patterson," was, on division, read the second and third time

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (V5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ernest Ashton," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before, the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (W5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Evelyn Christine Stewart," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House. Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (X5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ernest Love," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Y5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Charles Stanley Reed Riches," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Z5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mona Aileen Davies," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (A6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elizabeth Wright," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and forty-fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Olive Mary Mead, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and forty-sixth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Alice Elizabeth Blakely, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and forty-seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ethel Maud Hargraft, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and forty-eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Frédéric Vinet, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and forty-ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Bertha Amelia Bertelet, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

The Senate adjourned.

1st JUNE

# ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

### Wednesday, 2nd June, 1926

Presentation of Petitions. Reports of Committees. Reading of Petitions. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

# MOTION

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Willoughby:-

1st June—That the Third Reading and proceedings taken on May 25th on Bill (C5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alice Victoria McGibbon," be rescinded and that the said Bill be restored to the Order Paper for a Third Reading for the purpose of correcting an error.

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# ORDERS OF THE DAY

Note.-The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed; E. printed in English, F. in French.

#### For Wednesday, 2nd June, 1926

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#### No. 2.

1st June—House again in Committee of the Whole on Bill 17, intituled: "An Act to amend The Soldier Settlement Act, 1919."—(Honourable Mr.-Dandurand.)

### For Thursday, 3rd June, 1926

#### No. 1.

1st June—Second Reading Bill (93), An Act to incorporate The Canadian Dexter P. Cooper Company.—(Honourable Mr. Robinson.—E.F.

#### No. 2.

1st June-Second Reading Bill (B6), An Act for the relief of Samuel Paveling.-(Honourable Mr. Green.)-E.F.

#### No. 3.

1st June—Second Reading Bill (C6), An Act for the relief of John Jones.— (Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 4.

1st June-Second Reading Bill (D6), An Act for the relief of Benjamin Rapp.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 5.

1st June-Second Reading Bill (E6), An Act for the relief of Bernard Thomas Graham.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 6.

1st June-Second Reading Bill (F6), An Act for the relief of Robert Edward Greig.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 7.

1st June-Second Reading Bill (G6), An Act for the relief of James McCutcheon Coleman.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

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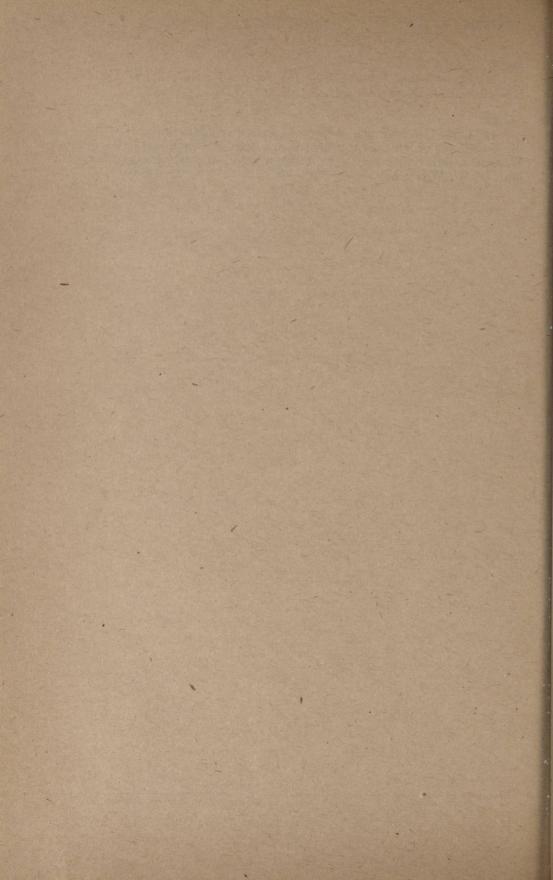
1st June-Second Reading Bill (H6), An Act for the relief of Daisie Hawkey.-(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)-E.F.

#### No. 9.

1st June—Second Reading Bill (16), An Act for the relief of Annie Sophia Gordonsmith.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 10.

1st June—Consideration of the one hundred and fiftieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce to whom was referred the petition of George Almon Wickett, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)



## No. 22

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

### OF

# THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 2nd June, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:----

Daniel,

### The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

#### The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth . (Sir Allen). Barnard, Beaubien, Béique, Béland, Belcourt, Bénard. Black, Blondin. Bourque, Buchanan, Bureau, Calder, Casgrain, Chapais, Crowe, Curry, Dandurand.

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Donnelly. Farrell. Foster (Sir George), Gillis, Girroir, Gordon, Green, Griesbach, · Harmer, Haydon, King, Laird. Lavergne, Lessard, Lewis, Lynch-Staunton, MacArthur,

Macdonell, Martin. McCoig. McCormick, McDonald, McLennan, McMeans, Mollov, Murphy, Pardee, Planta, Poirier, Prowse. Rankin, Reid, Robertson, Robinson, Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw).

Schaffner, Sharpe, Smith. Stanfield, Tanner, Taylor, Tessier, Turgeon, Turriff, Watson, Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby.

#### PRAYERS.

The following petition was presented.

By the Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton):-

Of The Sealright Company, Incorporated (Patents).

The Honourable Mr. Tessier, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their sixth Report.

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

WEDNESDAY, 2nd June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their sixth report, as follows:--

The Committee recommend:-

(1) That the time limited for receiving petitions for Private Bills be extended to Friday, the 18th June, 1926.

(2) That the time limited for receiving Private Bills be extended to Friday, the 25th June, 1926.

(3) That the time limited for receiving Reports of any Standing or Select Committee on Private Bills be extended to Wednesday, the 30th June, 1926.

All which is respectfully submitted.

### JULES TESSIER,

Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That Rule 24 (a) and (h) be suspended in respect to the said Report.

The said Report was then adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Béique, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (20), intituled: "An Act respecting The Pacific Coast Fire Insurance Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Béique, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (19), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Pioneer Insurance Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Béique, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (92), intituled: "An Act respecting the Grand Orange Lodge of British America," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Robertson, from the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, to whom was referred the Bill (4), intituled: "An Act respecting The Canadian Pacific Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

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The Honourable Mr. Robertson, from the Standing Committee on Railways. Telegraphs and Harbours, to whom was referred the Bill (5), intituled: "An Act respecting The Interprovincial and James Bay Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Robertson, from the Standing Committee on Railways. Telegraphs and Harbours, to whom was referred the Bill (M4), intituled: "An Act respecting The Quebec, Montreal and Southern Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Robertson, from the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, to whom was referred the Bill (H5), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Detroit and Windsor Subway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with one amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows:— Page 3, line 19. After "consolidation" insert ": Provided that no such amalgamation shall be valid or acted on until it has been approved by the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada."

Ordered, That the said amendment be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Belcourt, from the Special Committee on the Bill (Q3), intituled: "An Act to amend certain provisions of The Criminal Code respecting the possession of Weapons," presented their first Report.

WEDNESDAY, 2nd June, 1926.

The Special Committee to whom was referred the Bill (Q3), intituled: "An Act to amend certain provisions of The Criminal Code respecting the possession of Weapons," beg leave to make their first report, as follows:-

1. The Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to five members. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### N. A. BELCOURT.

#### Chairman.

Ordered,-That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Monday, next.

The Honourable Mr. White (Inkerman), from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the printing of Parliament, presented the following as their second Report.

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

The Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, beg leave to present the following as their second Report:-

The Committee recommend, as follows:---

1. That the following documents be printed:-

For distribution to Senators and Members.

145. Ctpy of Order in Council, P.C. 530, dated 7th April, 1926, establishing an Advisory Board on Tariff and Taxation.

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146. Copy of Order in Council, P.C. 505, dated 7th April, 1926, appointing a Royal Commission under Part I of the Inquiries Act, to inquire into the condition and claims of the people of the Maritime Provinces.

2. That the following documents be not printed:-

23a. Report of the Board of Grain Commissioners for Canada, for the crop year ended August 31, 1925.

56. Copies of Orders in Council, respecting Pensions to Returned Soldiers, as follows:—

P.C. 848, dated 29th May, 1925, respecting medical treatment and hospitalization to former members of the permanent forces of Canada or the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

P.C. 1300, dated 20th August, 1925, amending certain régulations established by Order in Council, P.C. 580, dated the 10th March, 1922, as amended by Order in Council 1127, dated the 16th June, 1923.

P.C. 1525, dated 5th September, 1925, respecting the formation of a Rehabilitation Committee with a view to the placement in industry of disabled exmembers of the forces.

P.C. 1526, dated 7th September, 1925, respecting compensation in respect of pensioners of 20 per cent and upwards who are engaged in industry, and the issuing of the Governor General's warrant therefor.

70. Statements of Remissions and Refunds in Tolls and Duties recorded in the Department of the Secretary of State of Canada, for the year ending March 31, 1925, submitted to the Parliament of Canada under subsection 5, section 92, chapter 24 of the Revised Statutes of Canada.

91. Lists of Unclaimed Balances, etc, in Canadian Chartered Banks, in accordance with section 114, chapter 32, Act of 1923 (The Bank Act).

93. Lists of Unclaimed Balances, etc., in Quebec Savings Banks, made in accordance with section 59 of chapter 42, Act of 1913 (Quebec Savings Bank Act).

99. Authentic text of a Recommendation adopted by the International Labour Council (League of Nations) at its Sixth Session, Geneva, 16th June to 5th July, 1924, concerning the Development of Facilities for the Utilization of Workers' Spare Time. Copy of Order in Council, P.C. 220, dated 15th February, 1926, concerning the same.

129. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1926, for a copy of all letters, telegrams or other documents between the Honourable the Minister of the Interior, or any official of the Department of the Interior, and the Honourable the Minister of Mines of the Province of Ontario, relating to or connected with the proposal of the Government of Ontario for co-operation between the Government of Canada and the Government of Ontario in a plan to encourage the development of the native iron resources of the Dominion.

130. Return to an Order of the House of the 22nd March, 1926, for a copy of the report or reports, finding or findings made by the late Honourable William Pugsley, in his capacity as Custodian of Enemy Property, or any other capacity while in the pay of the Government of Canada, since his retirement as Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of New Brunswick.

135. Return to an Order of the House of the 18th March, 1926, for a Return showing:—

1. Number of tons of grain and grain products the Canadian National Railways hauled in western territory to the head of the lakes during the calendar year 1925.

2. In making this haul, the resultant total of tons of this traffic carried one mile.

3. The average length of haul of this traffic.

4. What additional total gross revenues would have been earned had this traffic been carried under existing rates on similar traffic in the United States.
5. Number of tons of grain and grain products the Canadian National Railways hauled in western territory to Vancouver in the year 1925.

6. In making this haul, the resultant total of tons of this traffic carried one mile.

7. The average length of haul of this traffic.

8. What additional total gross revenues would have been earned had this traffic been carried under existing rates on similar traffic in the United States.

9. The total percentage of grain and grain products hauled in western territory to the entire tonnage of that territory in 1925.

10. What percentage of the entire ton-mileage in the western territory in the year 1925, the carriage of grain and grain products entailed.

11. The percentage of the total revenue earned in western territory in 1925 by the carriage of grain and grain products.

12. The average rate per ton-mile earned by such traffic in said territory and year.

137. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 15th March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence, letters, telegrams, or other records between the Governments of Canada and New Zealand relating in any way to the passing of an Order in Council by the Government of Canada under date of September the 26th, 1925, whereby the Canadian Customs Tariff on agricultural products from New Zealand, when imported into Canada, was greatly reduced, and in many instances entirely removed.

138. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence and papers in relation to the exemption from income tax of sums paid by the Government to any official or officials in the employ of the Department of the Interior for 1923 and 1924.

139. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1926, for a return showing all payments made by the Dominion Government from July 1, 1923, to November 30, 1925, to individuals, firms, corporations or superintendents, engaged in any capacity in connection with the dredging, excavating or erection of protection works on the Old Man River at Blairmore, Alberta, and through whom such payments were made.

140. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 15th March, 1926, for a copy of all Orders in Council, regulations, letters, telegrams, or other communications relating in any way to the discontinuance by the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment of unemployment relief to pensioners of the Great War who are classed as of less than 20% (twenty per cent) pensionable disability.

141. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence, letters, telegrams, affidavits and documents of all kinds passing between W. H. Morrison of Vancouver, B.C., and the Minister of Trade and Commerce or any officer of the Department of Trade and Commerce, and the Minister of Justice or any officer of the Department of Justice, and having relation to a certain statutory declaration filed by the said W. H. Morrison, in reference to the administration of the harbour of Vancouver. Also all correspondence between the aforementioned ministers or their departments and A. Manson, Attorney General of British Columbia, in relation to the said statutory declaration.

142. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1926, for a Return showing:--

1. Total amount of money received on account of freights, passenger traffic, mail and express carriage, and from all other sources within the Province representing the internal business of the Prince Edward Island branches of the Canadian National Railways during the year ending December 31, 1925.

2. Total amount of money received in the several offices of the Canadian National Railways within the Province of Prince Edward Island for all freight, passenger and other traffic from the mainland to points within the Island for the year ending December 31, 1925.

3. Total tonnage of express, mail and other freights carried by the Car Ferry from the Province outward to the mainland, and the total sum of money received therefor, during the year 1925.

4. Number of passengers travelling outward from the Province of Prince Edward Island, including auto cars and special baggage or appliance, via the Canadian Northern Railways during the year 1925, and the total cash receipts from this traffic.

5. Total-net cost of operating the Car Ferry *Prince Edward* for the year 1925, and what proportion of said cost has been charged up to the Prince Edward Island branch of the Government railway system.

6. Gross cost per mile, of operating the Canadian National Railways, and, the like cost of operating the Prince Edward Island branches of the railway system, per mile, for the year 1925.

142a. Order of the House for a Return showing:-

1. What train services were in operation on the Prince Edward Island branches of the Canadian National Railways during the month of February last between the following points: (a) Charlottetown and Borden, (b) Charlottetown and Summerside, (c) Charlottetown and Souris, (d) Mount Stewart and Georgetown, (e) Summerside and Tignish.

2. On how many days each of the above services were performed on schedule time, on how many days and on what dates the trains were late, and on how many days and on what dates they failed to reach their destinations, giving statement for each service respectively.

143. Return to an Order of the House of the 24th March, 1926, for a Return showing:-

1. Whether the Canadian National Railways is operating the Moncton and Buctouche Railway.

2. If so, under what arrangements.

3. If under a leasing arrangement the terms of the lease, and to whom the rent is payable.

4. Whether this railway is one of the branch lines in New Brunswick agreed to be purchased by the Government.

5. If so, the terms of the arrangement.

6. If so, why the purchase price has not been paid, and title taken to the railway.

7. Whether the Government is aware that numerous claims against this railway have been filed on behalf of creditors arising out of the operation of this line of railway by the owners.

8. Whether it is the intention of the Government to see that these claims are liquidated at or before the purchase price is paid to the foreign owners of this road.

9. Why the Government has not taken steps to see that these claims are properly liquidated out of the purchase price and the purchase concluded.

10. Whether representations have been made to the Government or any department thereof looking to the liquidation and payment of said claims.

11. If so, by whom, the names of each claimant and the respective amounts of each claim.

12. Whether the Government will undertake to see that these claimants are protected against loss by ordering the owners to liquidate such claims before payment of the purchase price or by other appropriate action.

144. Return to an Order of the House of the 17th March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams and other documents exchanged between railway employees of Mont-Joli, Quebec, and the Department of Railways, dating from May, 1923.

147. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 15th March, 1926, for a copy of all agreements, Orders in Council, correspondence, telegrams, contracts and other documents between the Government or the Canadian National Railways and any other person or persons or firms or corporations regarding the sale of lands and erection of a skyscraper on the northwest corner of King and Yonge streets, Toronto.

148. Report of the Chief Electoral Officer on the Fifteenth General Election for the House of Commons of Canada, 1925, pursuant to subsection 6 of section 72 of the Dominion Elections Act, 10-11 George V, Chapter 46.

149. Return to an Order of the House of the 29th March, 1926, for a return showing a statement of the expense accounts of Mr. R. C. Wright, Chief Architect, and Mr. T. W. Fuller, Assistant Chief Architect, Department of Public Works, for the fiscal years 1918-1919, 1919-1920, 1920-1921, 1921-1922, 1922-1923, 1923-1924 and 1924-1925.

150. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence and other documents relating to a shipment of whisky from Walkerville, Ontario, to one Watson, Ensenada, Mexico, and the cancellation of the bond given in connection therewith.

151. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1926, for a copy of all applications made to the Dominion Government or any department thereof since January 1st, 1912, asking for a suspension of the Canadian Coasting Regulations on the Great Lakes, and for a copy of all correspondence between any member of the Government or any of its officials, and any other person, in reference to the same matter.

152. Return to an Order of the House of the 7th April, 1926, for a Return showing:---

1. How many Canadian patents were issued during the year 1925.

2. How many were issued to (a) Canadian citizens, (b) citizens of the United States; and (c) citizens of other countries.

3. How many patents were cancelled during 1925.

4. How many patents were cancelled during 1925 because the patentee failed to have the article so patented manufactured in Canada.

5. Whether the Government has any system of investigation or check to ascertain if articles so patented are actually being manufactured in Canada to meet the reasonable Canadian demand.

153. Return to an Order of the House of the 7th April, 1926, for a Return showing:-

1. How much lumber was used in the construction of the Canadian National Railway cars during the years 1922 to 1925, inclusive.

2. How much of the total lumber used was purchased outside of the Dominion of Canada.

3. How many million feet, board measure, of Southern Pine were used for such purpose during the years 1922 to 1925, inclusive.

4. What percentage of lumber used was of Canadian origin.

5. What percentage of Douglas Fir or other British Columbia woods was used in the manufacture of cars for the Canadian National Railways.

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6. How many cars for the Canadian National Railways, during 1922 to 1925, inclusive, were manufactured in the United States; (a) How many are under construction in the United States at the present time; (b) How many are on order in United States at the present time.

7. The values of: (a) The cars manufactured in the United States for the Canadian National Railways, if any, during the years 1922 to 1925, inclusive; (b) Cars now under construction in the United States for the Canadian National Railways; (c) Cars now on order in United States for the Canadian National Railways.

8. Whether any United States built cars have been brought into Canada for use on the Canadian National Railways. If so, whether duty was paid upon

9. The value of cars constructed in Canada for the Canadian National Railways.

154. Return to an Order of the House of the 29th March, 1926, for a Return showing:-

1. Whether the Canadian Government Merchant Marine ship Canadian Navigator was burned at Barbadoes in or about the month of January, 1925.

2. If so, what insurance was carried on the said ship.

3. Whether any inquiry was held in Canada respecting the loss of the said ship and if not, why not. 4. What cargo the Canadian Navigator was carrying at the time of her

destruction.

5. If the cargo was of an inflammable character whether the Canadian Government Merchant Marine is still carrying cargoes of inflammable goods, and if so, whether such ships are insured.

6. What reduction of wages, if any, have been made since 1922 with regard to, (a) officers, (b) engineers, (c) crews of ships in the Canadian Government Merchant Marine sailing from Atlantic ports.

7. What reduction, if any, in wages since 1922 has been made with respect to the same classes of ships sailing out of Pacific ports.

8. What reductions or increases have been made in the salaries of the General Manager, the Assistant General Manager, the General Superintendent, the Marine Superintendent and the Assistant Marine Superintendent during the same period.

9. What new offices have been created during the same period in the Canadian Government Merchant Marine.

10. Whether it is true that two new assistants have been appointed to the General Manager.

11. What reduction in the number of able seamen has been made on the 8,000-ton class of ships since 1922.

12. What is the system of promotion in vogue on board the Canadian Government Merchant Marine ships.

 13. Whether the promotion is by seniority or pull with the management.
 14. Whether the ship Canadian Ranger was stranded in the St. Lawrence River in the summer of 1924.

15. If so, whether any inquiry was held into such stranding and when and where and by whom such inquiry was made.

16. Why Captain Gowdy was promoted to the position of Marine Superin-tendent over Captain Monk who had been in the service as Assistant Marine Superintendent for several years.

17. What Captain Gowdy's qualifications were for promotion over the heads of many of his seniors in the service.

18. Whether Captain Smeltzer of the ship Canadian Runner was dismissed from the service in or about the month of July, 1923.

19. If so, the reasons for the dismissal.

20. If so, the reasons for his reinstatement in or about the month of

January, 1924. 21. The cost of (a) temporary, (b) permanent, repairs to the ship Canadian Ranger due to the stranding of the said ship in the St. Lawrence River in the summer of 1924.

22. Whether this damage was covered by insurance.

23. The average cost per annum of operation of ships of the 8,000-ton class in the Canadian Government Merchant Marine.

155. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of March 15, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams, memoranda, communications, Orders in Council, reports of auditors or other documents relating in any way to the intention of the British Ministry of Pensions to take over from the Canadian Government or any department thereof the administration of Imperial Pensions in Canada and the United States of America or relating in any way to any claims of the British Government or the British Ministry of Pensions for alleged excessive charges by or overpayments to the Dominion of Canada or any department of the Government thereof or to any persons, firms or corporations in connection with the administration of British pensions in Canada or the United States of America or for any services connected therewith.

156. Return to an Order of the House of March 15, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams and other documents exchanged between Honourable G. S. Harrington, now of Halifax, Nova Scotia, and any department of the Government or of the House of Commons relative to a claim of said Honourable G. S. Harrington for special fees and allowances for appearing as a witness before a Committee of the House of Commons or of the Senate.

157. Order of the House for a Return showing:-

1. The names of the members and officers, including secretary, employed in connection with the Grain Commission and the amount given to each for his services.

2. The expense account of each of the said members or officials paid by the Government in connection with the said investigation.

3. The total amount paid to each counsel or solicitor for his services in connection with the said investigation. --

4. What payments were made for (a) rents of premises, (b) wages of stenographers, (c) all expenses other than those referred to under the preceding three questions in connection with said investigation.

158. Order of the House for a Return showing:-

1. The total quantity, value and amount of duty collected on the imports and exports of the following commodities during the four-year period ending March 31, 1925: wool, cattle and calf hides, meats, butter, eggs, apples,

2. The quantity and value, and amount of duty collected on each of the articles or commodities mentioned in question 1, for the year ending March 31, 1926.

159. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 15th March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence, Orders in Council and other documents exchanged between the Department of Marine and Fisheries, the Department of Public Works or the Department of Trade and Commerce or any other department of the Government or any person, firm or corporation in the County of Northumberland, New Brunswick, respecting a new steam ferry boat built at Chatham, New Brunswick, in the year 1925, and with respect to approval thereof and in respect to an application for a subsidy therefor.

160. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams, letters and other documents in the possession of the Government relative to the seizure and confiscation of the vessel *Pictonian* by the United States Government together with a copy of the vessel's register erew list, manifest and clearance papers on the last voyage of the said vessel.

161. Return to an Order of the House of the 17th March, 1926, for a Return showing:-

1. The number of motor cars purchased by the Government since January 1, 1922, and assigned to Members of the Government.

2. What department heads have been so supplied.

3. The date of purchase in each instance, make of car and purchase price.
4. The cost of maintenance or up-keep in (a) wages of employees; (b) cost for repair and (c) quantity of gasoline used by each.

5. How many of these cars were of American manufacture.

162. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th April, 1926, for a Return showing:-

1. The number of motor cars purchased by the Government from January 1, 1912, to January 1, 1922, and subsequently used by members of the Government.

2. How many cars were in the Mechanical Transport Branch on January 1, 1922, and being used by members of the Government.

3. The date of purchase of each car, and its purchase price.

4. The cost of maintenance of the said cars during the year 1921 in (a) wages of employees; (b) cost of repairs and (c) quantity of gasoline used by each.

5. How many of these cars were of American manufacture.

163. Return to an Order of the House of the 22nd March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence and reports made by the management of the Canadian National Railways or any officer or official thereof to the Government or any department or officer or official thereof, in relation to the construction, operation or financing of the Hudson Bay Railway.

164. Annual Report (English and French) of the Canadian National Railway System, for the year ended December 31, 1925.

165. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1926, for a Return showing number of persons, firms and companies in arrears in payment of the Sales Tax, and the amount of the arrears.

166. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 15th March, 1926, for a copy of all letters, orders in council, or other documents between the Government and the British Trade Commission, the Industrial Alcohol Company, or any other parties, dealing with restrictions on the import of spirituous liquors into Canada before such liquors are aged for a certain time.

167. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence passing between the Post Office Department or others, with reference to the resignation of Mr. Louis Gauthier, postmaster at Miscou Centre, County of Gloucester, New Brunswick.

168. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1926, for a Return showing:-

1. Quantity of coal imported into Canada during each of the calendar years 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924 and 1925 from the United States for the Canadian National Railways (a) exclusive of lines formerly known as the Grand Trunk Railway Company, and (b) including the said Grand Trunk Railway Company, and what quantity outside of the United States, and what quantity through Canadian ports and what quantity through United States ports.

2. Cost per ton of the said coal at the border.

3. Amount paid for such coal (a) exclusive of that used by the lines formerly known as the Grand Trunk Railway Company, and (b) including the said Grand Trunk Railway Company.

169. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1926, for a Return showing:-

1. Total amount of arrears on Soldiers' Settlement operations to December 31, 1925.

2. How many of the abandoned farms have been re-sold.

3. Total charges against these lands, including all costs.

4. The sale price by the Board, when re-sold.

5. The sale price to the original settler, how many of these were Crown lands, how many loans, and how many purchases.

6. Number of farms still unsold and the total charges outstanding against them, how many are Crown lands, how many loans and how many purchases.

7. Number of abandoned farms rented during the past year, the total charges against them, the net return received by the Board as rent, and what per cent rate this shows on the Board's total investment therein.

8. How many soldier settlers are in arrears in whole or in part as of 31st of December, 1925, and how many of these are married.

9. How many have abandoned their holdings as of December 31, 1925, and how many abandoned their farms during the calendar years 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924 and 1925.

10. How many of those in arrears are settlers on homesteads or soldier grants, and what the arrears are.

11. How many of those in arrears are settlers on land owned by themselves on which the Board made loans for development work, and what the arrears are.

12. How many of those in arrears are settlers on land purchased for them by the Board and what the arrears are.

13. How many of those farms abandoned were homesteads or soldier grants and what the total charges against them are.

14. How many of those abandoned are lands owned by the settler and mortgaged to the Board, and what the total charges against them are.

15. How many of those abandoned are lands purchased by the Board for settlers and what the total charges against them are.

16. How many of those paid in full are settlers on homestead or soldier grants and what the amount paid by them is.

17. How many of those paid in full are on lands privately owned and mortgaged to the Board and what the amount paid by them is.

18. How many of those paid in full are on lands purchased by the Board for settlers and what the amount paid by them is.

19. How many abandoned farms have been disposed of to British settlers under the Land Settlement Scheme, the price paid by these settlers, the original sale price paid by these settlers, the original sale price of these lands to the soldier settlers, and the total liability of the Board in these lands at the time of sale to British settlers.

170. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 15th March, 1926, for a copy of all documents, correspondence, telegrams, orders in council, and other papers relating to the creation of the position of Exploration and Development Officer, Canadian Arctic, and the transfer thereto of Mr. George P. McKenzie, former Gold Commissioner for Yukon.

171. Return to an Order of the House of the 31st March, 1926, for a statement showing the annual leave, special leave, sick leave or absence on Government business of Mr. R. C. Wright, Chief Architect, T. W. Fuller, Assistant Chief Architect, and Messrs. Antonio Boucher, T. D. Rankin, A. J. Barclay, all of the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, for the fiscal years 1921-1922, 1922-1923, 1923-1924, 1924-1925, 1925-1926, giving date in each case.

172. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 15th March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence, letters, telegrams, recommendations, communications and other documents passing between the Government of the Province of Ontario, or the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario, and the Government of Canada, or the Joint International Waterways Commission, or any committee thereof, in connection with the development of Hydro-Electric Power on the St. Lawrence River, during the year 1925.

173. Return to an Order of the House of the 19th April, 1926, for a Return showing:-

1. How many employees are engaged by the Civil Service Commission.

2. How many appointments have been made by the Civil Service Commission.

3. How many men were appointed.

4. How many women were appointed.

5. The total amount of the annual salaries payable to the new appointees. 174. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence exchanged between the Government, the Department of Public Works and La Compagnie Co-operative Téléphonique des Comtés de St-Jean-Chicoutimi, since May 24, 1923, with reference to the lease or sale of the telephone lines between Chicoutimi and St-Ambroise and St-Ambroise and Peribonka in the constituency of Chicoutimi-Saguenay, Quebec.

175. Return to an Order of the House of the 14th April, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence, reports and other documents, regarding the retirement of John D. McMinn as collector of Customs and Excise of the Port of Richibucto and his subsequent superannuation.

176. Return to an Order of the House of the 14th April, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence, letters, telegrams, and other documents passing between the Chief Electoral Officer and any other person or persons relative to the payment of Election Officials in the Constituency of Athabaska.

177. Return to an Order of the House of the 29th March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence, letters, telegrams, affidavits, reports, communications and documents of all kinds passing between Henderson & Herridge, Ottawa, and the Honourable the Secretary of State or any officer of the Department of the Secretary of State or any other department of the Government or any officers of any other departments of the Government between the 11th November, 1919, and the present time, regarding the Electric Machinery Company, Limited, and a change of name from the Electric Machinery Company, Limited, to the H. G. Stewart Machinery Company, Limited. Return to an Order of the House of the 29th March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence, letters, telegrams, affidavits, reports communications and documents of all kinds passing between the Electric Machinery Company, Limited, and the Honourable the Secretary of State or any officer of the Department of the Secretary of State or any other departments of the Government or any officers of any other departments of the Government between the 11th November, 1919, and the present time, regarding the incorporation of the Electric Machinery Company, Limited, and a change of name from the Electric Machinery Company, Limited, to the H. G. Stewart Machinery Company, Limited.

177a. Return to an Order of the House of the 29th March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence, letters, telegrams, affidavits, reports communications and documents of all kinds passing between E. W. Bachus and Bachus-Brooks Company and the Honourable the Secretary of State or any officer of the Department of the Secretary of State or any other departments of the Government or any officers of any other departments of the Government between the 11th of November, 1919, and the present time, regarding a change of name from the Electric Machinery Company, Limited, to the H. G. Stewart Machinery Company, Limited.

177b. Return to an Order of the House of the 29th March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence, letters, telegrams, affidavits, reports, communications and documents of all kinds passing between the Electric Machinery Manufacturing Company, of Minneapolis. Minnesota, and the Honourable the Secretary of State or any officer of the Department of the Secretary of State or any other departments of the Government or any officers of any other departments of the Government tor any officers of any other departments of the I1th of November, 1919, and the present time, regarding the incorporation of the Electric Machinery Company, Limited, and the H. G. Stewart Machinery Company, Limited.

177c. Return to an Order of the House of the 29th March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence, letters, telegrams, affidavits, reports, communications and documents of all kinds passing between Canadian Minneapolis Electric Company, Limited (Subsidiary of Electric Machinery Manufacturing Company, Minneapolis), and the Honourable the Secretary of State or any officer of the Department of the Secretary of State or any other departments of the Government or any officers of any other departments of the Government between the 11th of November, 1919, and the present time, regarding a change of name from the Electric Machinery Company, Limited.

177d. Return to an Order of the House of the 29th March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence, letters, telegrams, affidavits, reports, communications and documents of all kinds passing between the Canadian Minneapolis Electric Company, Limited, and the Honourable the Secretary of State or any officer of the Department of the Secretary of State or any other departments of the Government or any officers of any other departments of the Government between the 11th of November, 1919, and the present time, regarding a change of name from the Electric Machinery Company, Limited, to the H. G. Stewart Machinery Company, Limited. Also a return showing the names of all directors of Canadian Minneapolis Electric Company, Limited.

178. Return to an Order of the House of the 29th March, 1926, for a copy of all telegrams, letters, and other documents passing between L. J. Camsusa, Wm. Duff, M.P., G. A. Wooten and the Minister of Marine and/or the Minister of Justice and/or the Prime Minister and/or any other Minister of the Crown, and having reference to negotiations or conferences regarding the purchase of certain ships of the Canadian Merchant Marine, and having reference to the case of Rex vs. Camsusa, and having reference to the case of Fong Quing vs. Camsusa, together with all records of conferences or any other documents or papers relative thereto.

179. Order of the House for a Return showing:-

1. What quantity of the following products have been imported from Australia and New Zealand since the Treaty between Canada and these two countries came into effect, and what was the total value of each of these products: beef, pork, mutton or lamb, canned meats, poultry and game, extracts of meat, lard, beeswax, eggs, cheese, butter, canned vegetables, canned fruits, comb or strained honey, fruit pulp, tallow, dried, evaporated or hydricated fruit, specifying kind. 2. Of the above importations, what amount has been cleared from Customs to date and what amount has not yet been cleared.

3. What amount of the above products have been exported from Canada to New Zealand and Australia to date since the coming into effect of the said Treaty.

180. Evidence taken before the Honourable Justice Walsh and jury, at the Supreme Court of Alberta, in the case of Rex vs. Robb, concerning the election for the electoral district of Peace River held the 29th October, 1925.

181. Copy of Order in Council, P.C. 668, dated 30th April, 1926, accepting the resignation of Mr. Clarence Jameson as Member of the Civil Service Commission, and correspondence in relation thereto.

182. Copy of Order in Council, P.C. 669, dated 30th April, 1926, accepting the resignation of Mr. M. G. LaRochelle as a Member of the Civil Service Commission, and correspondence in relation thereto.

183. Return to an Order of the House of the 19th April, 1926, for a Return showing;--

1. The amount of customs duty collected in each province of the Dominion during each of the years ending March 31, 1921, to 1925, inclusive.

2. The total of duties collected in each province for the years mentioned in question 1.

184. Return to an Order of the House of the 26th April, 1926, for a copy of the agreement between the Government and the Railway Companies regarding Immigration, referred to in the Speech from the Throne at the beginning of the present Session.

185. Seventh Annual Report of the Board of Directors of Canadian Government Merchant Marine, Limited, for the year ended 31st December, 1925.

186. Return to an Order of the House of the 14th April, 1926, for a Return showing the amounts of subsidy under each head paid to each province of the Dominion in each year since Confederation.

187. Return to an Order of the House of the 26th April, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence, letters, and other documents in the Departments of Justice and Immigration, relative to the case of the King vs. Douglas Stuart or Stewart, in connection with the Migratory Birds Convention Act, taken up in the year 1924, tried by Police Magistrate W. G. Scott and brought before the Manitoba Court of Appeal.

188. 'Return to an Order of the House of the 29th April, 1926; for a Return showing:-

1. Amount spent for the past eight years per annum, to maintain,--

(a) Department of External Affairs.

(b) The High Commissioner's office in England.

(c) The League of Nations, including salaries and contributions; and

(d) For expenses of delegates to the League of Nations, and to whom.

(e) Salaries now paid, and to whom, for the League.

2. The total cost to Canada of the Wembley Exhibition.

3. What sum was spent on the new site purchased, and on the building to house the High Commissioner's office in London, and the cost per annum for maintenance.

189. Order of the Senate, dated the 13th April, 1926, for a Return in respect to the Cruiser Grib, employed in the service of the Department of Customs and Excise, showing for each month respectively of the period since January 1, 1925:—

(a) The sea district which said cruiser patrolled;

(b) The ports which she entered, and the time she remained in each port:(c) The number of seizures made, and generally what each consisted of;

(d) The locality in which each seizure was made, and the name of the vessel carrying the goods seized, and the port of registry of such vessel; and

(e) How the matter of each seizure was disposed of—this to state what was done in regard to vessel and goods, respectively.2. The cost of the said cruiser to the country during each of the said

months.

190. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1926, for a copy of all reports made by Customs Inspector Munn of the British Columbia Inspecting Division regarding A. C. Salt and W. L. Blatchford, Customs officers at Huntingdon, British Columbia, and Abbotsford, British Columbia, including an affidavit made by H. J. Harding, the Chief of Police of the Municipality of Chilliwack, British Columbia, setting forth the details of a cheque for \$100 given by the said Blatchford to the said Harding, also to the sum of \$201.25 in cash handed to him by the said Blatchford; together with copy of the receipt dated December 14, 1921, given by the said Harding to said Customs Officer Blatchford.

191. Return to an Order of the House of the 22nd March, 1926, for a copyof all correspondence, telegrams, pay-lists and other documents relating to repairs made to the wharf at New Richmond, Quebec, in 1922, of which repairs Mr. John B. Cyr was foreman for the Department of Public Works.

192. Return to an Order of the House of 15th March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence exchanged between the Postmaster at Adamsville in the County of Kent, New Brunswick, the Post Office Department and the Divisional Superintendent with respect to the removal of the office from its former location to its present location on the outskirts of the village.

193. Return to an Order of the House of 29th March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams and other documents relating to the dismissal of Pierre Poirier from the postmastership of Little Cascapédia, Bonaventure County, Quebec, together with a copy of the evidence taken of the inquiry held and also the report of the investigator in such inquiry.

194. Return to an Order of the House of 24th March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence, reports and other documents exchanged between the Postmaster General, the Quebec Superintendent's office and others *re* complaint made against Mr. Francis L. Cullen; postmaster at Carleton, Bonaventure County, Quebec, together with a copy of the inquiry held.

195. Return to an Order of the House of 31st March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence exchanged between the Department of Public Works, the Deputy Minister and Chief of Legal Branch with the Civil Service Commission relating to reclassification of Mr. M. O. Durant, Miss Berthe Hébert, Miss Violet Becker and Miss Yvonne Parent, together with copy of report made by the investigator of the Commission, Mr. C. R. Medland.

196. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of 15th March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence, letters, telegrams and other documents passing between the Government of the Province of British Columbia, or any Minister or any officer thereof and the Prime Minister, or any other Minister of the Crown or any officer of the Government since December 6, 1921, and relating to the Dominion-Railway belt and lands in the Peace River District in British Columbia, held by the Dominion of Canada, in trust, under the terms of union between the Dominion of Canada and British Columbia.

197. Return to an Order of the House of 7th April, 1926, for a Return showing:—

1. The cost of newspapers and periodicals subscribed for by each department of Government during the year 1925, not including those for use in the general reading room of House of Commons or Senate. 2. The names of publications, the number of each subscribed for and the place of publication.

198. Return to an Order of the House of 12th April, 1926, for a Return showing:-

1. How many Commissions have been appointed by the Government since January, 1922.

2. What subjects were investigated by such Commissions.

3. What was the respective cost of each Commission: (a) in salaries or emolument, (b) in expenses.

4. Who composed each Commission.

199. Return to an Order of the House of 22nd March, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams and pay-lists in connection with all repairs made to wharf and port at Bic, Rimouski County, Quebec, during the financial years 1924-25 and 1925-26.

200. Return to an Order of the House of 5th May, 1926, for a copy of all correspondence between the Soldier Settlement Board and any of its officials or employees with reference to land purchased by the Board through the firm of Kennedy & Kennedy and for all orders and instructions issued by the Board with reference to any further transactions with that firm.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### SMEATON WHITE,

Chairman.

Ordered,-That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Monday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (J6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bertha Amelia Bertelet."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Monday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby presented to the Senate a Bill (K6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Olive Mary Mead."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Monday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby presented to the Senate a Bill (L6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alice Elizabeth Blakely."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day\_for a second reading on Monday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Lewis, for the Honourable Mr. Haydon, presented to the Senate a Bill (M6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Maud Hargraft."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Monday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Lewis, for the Honourable Mr. Haydon, presented to the Senate a Bill (N6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frédéric Vinet."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Monday, next.

#### 2ND JUNE

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (97), intituled: "An Act to amend The Dominion Forest Reserves and Parks Act." to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Tuesday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (148), intituled: "An Act for the purpose of establishing in Canada a system of Long Term Mortgage Credit for Farmers," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Monday, next.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Willoughby, it was,-

Ordered,—That the third reading and proceedings taken on May 25th on Bill (C5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alice Victoria McGibbon," be rescinded and that the said Bill be restored to the Order Paper for a third reading for the purpose of correcting an error.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate was adjourned during pleasure and again put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (17), intituled: "An Act to amend The Soldier Settlement Act, 1919."

#### · (In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and-

The Honourable Mr. Robinson, from the said Committee, reported that they had taken the said Bill into further consideration, made some progress thereon, and asked leave to sit again, it was-

Ordered,—That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for further consideration in a Committee of the Whole on Monday, next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day-

The Honourable Mr. Dandurand moved the second reading of the Bill (21), intituled: "An Act respecting Old Age Pensions."

After debate, and---

On motion, it was-

Ordered,-That further debate on the said Bill be adjourned until Tuesday, next.

On motion, it was-

Ordered,—That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Monday, the seventh day of June, next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Honourable Mr. Dandurand laid on the Table:--

Return to an Order of the Senate, dated 11th May, 1926, showing:-

1. All correspondence from 1st January, 1915, until present time between the Government of the province of Saskatchewan and the Dominion Government dealing with a return by the latter to the former of the natural resources of the province of Saskatchewan.

2. What verbal negotiations, if any, are now being held, or have been held during the years 1921-26, relating to same matter.

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3. What offer, if any, has been made by the Government of Canada to the Government of Saskatchewan to return said natural resources, 1921-26.

4. What basis of settlement, if any, has been offered by the province of Saskatchewan to the Government of Canada, 1921-26.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No. )

Return to an Order of the Senate, dated 11th May, 1926, showing:---

All resolutions on the part of the Legislative Assembly or Government of Saskatchewan from 1st January, 1912, to present time in reference to the fiscal policy of Canada and transmitted to the Government of Canada and the replies, if any, thereto.

(Sessional Papers, 1926, No. )

The Senate adjourned.

## ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

#### Monday, 7th June, 1926

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions. Reports of Committees. / Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

#### **INOUIRIES**

#### No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Reid:-

2nd June-Will enquire of the Government:---

1. Was a return as required by clause 10 of Act, chapter 45, 15-16 George V, for the relief of certain creditors of The Home Bank of Canada, laid on the table during the present session? If so, on what date? 2. If it has not been laid on the table, when will it be done?

.3. How many claims have still been unsettled?

4. What amount is still claimed by the unsettled claims?

#### No. 2.

By the Honourable Mr. Casgrain:-

2nd June-Will enquire of the Government:-

1. Are there any Norwegian vessels, or vessels of other foreign nations, plving on the Great Lakes for gain? -

2. How long are these vessels allowed to remain in Canadian waters, at one time, without paying duties?

3. Are there any customs regulations permitting these vessels to carry on business in this country without paying duties?

4. Do these vessels employ Canadian seamen?

5. Do these vessels contribute anything to Canada's treasury? If so, how . much?

6. Have these vessels paid duties?

7. Are the supplies (ship's stores) for the maintenance of the crew of these vessels dutiable?

8. If so, for what amount and for how long?

9. Is it the intention of the Government to stop this discrimination against our Canadian Mercantile Navigation Companies paying taxes, licenses, fees, and subject to Canadian regulations; also paying the higher wages to Canadian labour, using Canadian supplies, and paying, moreover, income tax on their profits, if any?

10. Is it the intention to tax these foreign vessels to put them on an equal footing with our own Canadian bottoms?

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#### **MOTIONS**

#### For Monday, 7th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Beique:-

2nd June—That upon the Third Reading of Bill (H5), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Detroit and Windsor Subway Company, he will move that the following be added at the end of Section 7—

(5) The company shall not commence its operations or incur any liability before a sum of at least \$..... has been paid into its treasury, and which sum shall not be withdrawn, except for the purposes of the undertaking of the company, or upon its dissolution.

#### For Tuesday, 8th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

By the Honourable Sir George Foster:-

2nd June-That an Order of the House do issue for a return showing,-

All correspondence between Dr. W. J. Riddel, Liaison officer of the Government at Geneva and the Department of Foreign Affairs with respect of the League of Nations and its relations to the Government of Canada.

## ORDERS OF THE DAY

Nore.—The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed; E. printed in English, F. in French.

#### For Monday, 7th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

2nd June—Third Reading Bill (20), An Act respecting The Pacific Coast Fire Insurance Company.—(Honourable Mr. Crowe.)—E.F.

#### No. 2.

2nd June—Third Reading Bill (19), An Act to incorporate The Pioneer Insurance Company.—(Honourable Mr. McMeans.)—E.F.

#### No. 3.

2nd June—Third Reading Bill (92), An Act respecting the Grand Orange Lodge of British America.—(Honourable Mr. Robertson.)—E.F.

#### No. 4.

2nd June—Third Reading Bill (4), An Act respecting The Canadian Pacific Railway Company.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)—E.F.

#### No. 5.

2nd June—Third Reading Bill (5), An Act respecting The Interprovincial and James Bay Railway Company.—(Honourable Mr. Gordon.)—E.F.

#### No. 6.

2nd June—Third Reading Bill (M4), An Act respecting The Quebec, Montreal and Southern Railway Company.—(Honourable Mr. Beique.)—E.F.

#### No. 7.

2nd June—Third Reading Bill (C5), An Act for the relief of Alice Victoria McGibbon.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 8.

1st June—Second Reading Bill (93), An Act to incorporate The Canadian Dexter P. Cooper Company.—(Honourable Mr. Robinson.—E.F.

#### No. 9.

1st June—Second Reading Bill (B6), An Act for the relief of Samue! Paveling.—(Honourable Mr. Green.)—E.F.

#### No. 10.

1st June—Second Reading Bill (C6), An Act for the relief of John Jones.— (Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 11.

1st June-Second Reading Bill (D6), An Act for the relief of Benjamin Rapp.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 12.

1st June-Second Reading Bill (E6), An Act for the relief of Bernard Thomas Graham.--(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 13.

1st June-Second Reading Bill (F6), An Act for the relief of Robert Edward Greig.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 14.

1st June-Second Reading Bill (G6), An Act respecting certain patents of James McCutcheon Coleman.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 15.

1st June-Second Reading Bill (H6), An Act for the relief of Daisie Hawkey.--(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)-E.F.

#### No. 16.

1st June—Second Reading Bill (16), An Act for the relief of Annie Sophia Gordonsmith.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 17.

Ist June—Consideration of the one hundred and fiftieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce to whom was referred the petition of George Almon James Wickett, for a refund of the fees paid upon his petition for a Bill of Divorce.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 18.

2nd June-Second Reading Bill (J6), An Act for the relief of Bertha Amelia Bertelet.--(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)-E.F.

#### No. 19.

2nd June—Second Reading Bill (K6), An Act for the relief of Olive Mary Mead.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)—E.F.

#### No. 20.

2nd June—Second Reading Bill (L6), An Act for the relief of Alice Elizabeth Blakely.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)—E.F.

#### No. 21.

2nd June—Second Reading Bill (M6), An Act for the relief of Ethel Maud Hargraft.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 22.

2nd June-Second Reading Bill (N6), An Act for the relief of Frederic Vinet.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 23.

2nd June-Consideration of the sixth report of the Committee on Standing Orders.-(Honourable Mr. Tessier.)

#### No. 24.

2nd June—Consideration of the amendment made by the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours on Bill (H5), An Act to incorporate The Detroit and Windsor Subway Company.—(Honourable Mr. Robertson.)

#### No. 25.

2nd June—Consideration of the second report of the Joint Committee on Printing.—(Honourable Mr. White (Inkerman).)

#### No. 26.

2nd June—Consideration of the first report of the Special Committee to whom was referred the Bill (Q3), An Act to amend certain provisions of the Criminal Code respecting the possession of weapons.—(Honourable Mr. Belcourt.)

#### No. 27.

2nd June—Second Reading Bill (148), An Act for the purpose of establishing in Canada a system of Long Term Mortgage Credit for Farmers.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

#### No. 28.

2nd June—House again in Committee of the Whole on Bill (17), intituled: "An Act to amend The Soldier Settlement Act, 1919."—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)

#### No. 29.

2nd June—Resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for the second reading of Bill (21), intituled: "An Act respecting Old Age Pensions."—(Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton).)

#### For Tuesday, 8th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

2nd June-Second Reading of Bill (97), An Act to amend The Dominion Forest Reserves and Parks Act.-(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)-E.F.



## No. 23

## MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE SENATE OF CANADA

#### Monday, 7th June, 1926

8 p.m.

The Members convened were:-

Daniel,

The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Avlesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard. Beaubien. Béique, Béland. Belcourt. Bénard, Black. Blondin, Bourque, Buchanan. Bureau, Calder, Casgrain, Chapais, Copp, Crowe, Dandurand, S 23-1

Farrell. Fisher. Foster. Foster (Sir George), Gillis, Girroir, Gordon. Green. Griesbach. Harmer, Haydon, Hughes, King, Lavergne, Legris, Lessard, Lewis,

Lynch-Staunton, MacArthur, Macdonell. Martin. McCormick, McDonald, McLean, McLennan. McMeans. Molloy, Mulholland, Murphy, Planta, Poirier, Pope, Prowse. Rankin. Reid. Robertson,

Robinson, Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw), Schaffner, Sharpe, Smith, Stanfield. Tanner. Taylor. Tessier, Todd. Turgeon, Watson. Webster (Brockville), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby.

#### PRAYERS.

The following petition was read:-

Of Gordon Cameron Edwards, of Ottawa, Ontario, and others of elsewhere; praying to be incorporated under the name "Gatineau Transmission Company."

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and fifty-first Report.

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

TUESDAY, 1st June, 1926.

1. With respect to the petition of Jessie Evis, of Hamilton, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with William George Evis, of the city of Toronto, in the said province, traveller, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and fifty-second Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 1st June, 1926.

1. With respect to the petition of Ruth May Harrington, of the city of Galt, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Thomas Harrington, of the city of Toronto, in the said province, labourer, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

#### 7TH JUNE

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and fifty-third Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 1st June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and fifty-third Report, as follows:-

1. With respect to the petition of Gwendolen McLachlin, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Eric Harrington McLachlin, of the said city, lumber merchant, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY.

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and fifty-fourth Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 1st June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and fifty-fourth Report, as follows:-

1. With respect to the petition of Edith Maude Bull, of the city of Oshawa, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Frederick Bull, of the city of Toronto, in the said province, manufacturer, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and fifty-fifth Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 1st June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and fifty-fifth Report, as follows:----

1. With respect to the petition of Max Gertler, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, locksmith, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Sarah Litman Gertler, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

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The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and fifty-sixth Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 1st June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and fifty-sixth Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Florence May Hicks, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, school teacher, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Alfred Hicks, of the said city, monumental sculptor, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and fifty-seventh Report.

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

TUESDAY, 1st June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and fifty-seventh Report, as follows:--

1. With respect to the petition of Amelia Chester, of the city of Kingston, in the province of Ontario, dressmaker, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Everett Osborne Chester, of the city of Ottawa, in the said province, salesman, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and fifty-eighth Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 1st June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and fifty-eighth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Joseph Bernard Hoodless, of the city of Guelph, in the province of Ontario, agriculturist, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Anna Linnéa Charlotte Hoodless, presently of the city of New York, in the state of New York, one of the United States of America, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

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2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage, All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (114), intituled: "An Act to amend The Customs Tariff, 1907," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Wednesday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (149), intituled: "An Act to amend The Railway Act, 1919," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Wednesday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (150), intituled: "An Act respecting the Chicoutimi Harbour Commissioners," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (151), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canadian Red Cross Society Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered. That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Wednesday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (153), intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Wednesday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (154), intituled: "An Act to amend The Yukon Quartz Mining Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and- '

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Wednesday, next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (20), intituled: "An Act respecting The Pacific Coast Fire Insurance Company," was read the third time. The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (19), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Pioneer Insurance Company," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (92), intituled: "An Act respecting the Grand Orange Lodge of British America," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Bill (4), intituled: "An Act respecting The Canadian Pacific Railway Company," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (5), intituled: "An Act respecting The Interprovincial and James Bay Railway Company," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Bill (M4), intituled: "An Act respecting The Quebec, Montreal and Southern Railway Company," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being called for the third reading of the Bill (C5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alice Victoria McGibbon,"

The Honourable Mr. Lewis moved that the Bill be now read the third time.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby moved, in amendment, that the said Bill be not now read the third time, but that it be amended by substituting the name "McInnis" for the name "McInnins" where it appears in the preamble and in clauses one and two of the Bill.

The said Bill as amended, was then, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

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Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (93), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Canadian Dexter P. Cooper Company," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,—That Rules 24 (a), (b) and 63, be suspended in so far as they relate to the following Divorce Bills:—

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (B6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Samuel Paveling," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (C6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Jones," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (D6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Benjamin Rapp," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (E6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bernard Thomas Graham," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House. Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (F6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Robert Edward Greig," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (H6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Daisie Hawkey," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (I6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Sophia Gordonsmith," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence-taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (J6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bertha Amelia Bertelet," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (K6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Olive Mary Mead," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

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Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (L6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alice Elizabeth Blakely," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (M6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Maud Hargraft," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (N6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frédéric Vinet," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (G6), intituled: "An Act respecting certain patents of James McCutcheon Coleman," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Haydon, it was-

Ordered,—That Rules 24 (a) and 119 be suspended in so far as they relate to the Bill (G6), initialed: "An Act respecting certain patents of James Mc-Cutcheon Coleman."

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and fiftieth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of George Almon Wickett; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon his petition for a Bill of Divorce.

The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the amendment made by the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours to the Bill (H5), initialed: "An Act to incorporate The Detroit and Windsor Subway Company." The said amendment was concurred in, and-

With leave of the Senate,

The Honourable Mr. Lewis, for the Honourable Mr. Haydon, moved that the said Bill be now read the third time.

The Honourable Mr. Béique moved, in amendment, that the said Bill be not now read the third time, but that it be amended, as follows:—

Page 2. After subsection four of section seven of the Bill, add the following as subsection five:-

"5. The company shall not commence its operations or incur any liability before a sum of at least \$50,000 has been paid into its treasury, and which sum shall not be withdrawn, except for the purposes of the undertaking of the company, or upon its dissolution."

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether the said Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the second Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament.

The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the first Report of the Special Committee to whom was referred the Bill (Q3), intituled: "An Act to amend certain provisions of The Criminal Code respecting the possession of weapons."

The said Report was adopted.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (148), intituled: "An Act for the purpose of establishing in Canada a system of Long Term Mortgage Credit for Farmers," it was\_\_\_

Ordered,-That the said Order of the Day be postponed till to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate was adjourned during pleasure and again put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (17), intituled: "An Act to amend The Soldier Settlement Act, 1919."

#### (In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and-

The Honourable Mr. Robinson, from the said Committee, reported that they had taken the said Bill into further consideration, made some progress thereon, and asked leave to sit again; it was—

Ordered,-That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for further consideration in a Committee of the Whole to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Dandurand laid on the Table:-

Return to an Order of the Senate, dated 27th May, 1926, showing,-

Copy of all rules and regulations made by the Governor in Council respecting the sittings, practices and procedure of the Federal Appeal Board.

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The Senate adjourned.

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## ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

#### Tuesday, 8th June, 1926

Presentation of Petitions. Reports of Committees.

Reading of Petitions. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

#### INQUIRIES

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Reid:-

2nd June-Will enquire of the Government:-

1. Was a return as required by clause 10 of Act, chapter 45, 15-16 George V, for the relief of certain creditors of The Home Bank of Canada, laid on the table during the present session? If so, on what date?2. If it has not been laid on the table, when will it be done?

3. How many claims have still been unsettled?

4. What amount is still claimed by the unsettled claims?

No. 2.

By the Honourable Mr. Casgrain:-

2nd June-That he will call the attention of the Senate to the question of shipping on the Great Lakes, and inquire:-

1. Are there any Norwegian vessels, or vessels of other foreign nations, plying on the Great Lakes for gain?

2. How long are these vessels allowed to remain in Canadian waters, at one time, without paying duties?

3. Are there any customs regulations permitting these vessels to carry on business in this country without paying duties?

4. Do these vessels employ Canadian seamen?

5. Do these vessels contribute anything to Canada's treasury? If so, how much?

6. Have these vessels paid duties?

7. Are the supplies (ship's stores) for the maintenance of the crew of these vessels dutiable?

8. If so, for what amount and for how long?

9. Is it the intention of the Government to stop this discrimination against our Canadian Mercantile Navigation Companies paying taxes, licenses, fees, and subject to Canadian regulations; also paying the higher wages to Canadian labour, using Canadian supplies, and paying, moreover, income tax on their profits, if any?

10. Is it the intention to tax these foreign vessels to put them on an equal footing with our own Canadian bottoms?

#### No. 3.

By the Honourable Sir George Foster:-

2nd June—That an Order of the House do issue for a return showing,— All correspondence between Dr. W. J. Riddel, Liaison officer of the Government at Geneva and the Department of Foreign Affairs with respect of the League of Nations and its relations to the Government of Canada.

#### No. 1.

#### For Wednesday, 9th June, 1926

By the Honourable Mr. Gillis:-

7th June-Will enquire of the Government:-

1. What was the total amount spent by the Government on immigration work during the years 1923, 1924 and 1925? In what countries was the work carried on?

2. As a result, what was the total number of immigrants brought to Canada during the said years, separate entirely from the colonization schemes carried on by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company and the Canadian National Railways?

3. Did the Government give any monetary, or other assistance, to said Railways for their colonization work during the said years?

## ORDERS OF THE DAY

Nore.—The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed; E. printed in English, F. in French.

#### For Tuesday, 8th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

2nd June—Second Reading of Bill (97), An Act to amend The Dominion Forest Reserves and Parks Act.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

#### No. 2.

2nd June—Resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for the second reading of Bill (21), intituled: "An Act respecting Old Age Pensions."—(Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton).)

#### No. 3.

2nd June—Second Reading Bill (148), An Act for the purpose of establishing in Canada a system of Long Term Mortgage Credit for Farmers.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

#### No. 4.

7th June—House again in Committee of the Whole on Bill (17), intituled: "An Act to amend The Soldier Settlement Act, 1919."—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)

#### For Wednesday, 9th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

7th June—Consideration of the one hundred and fifty-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Jessie Evis, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 2.

7th June—Consideration of the one hundred and fifty-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ruth May Harrington, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 3.

7th June—Consideration of the one hundred and fifty-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Gwendolen McLachlin, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 4.

7th June—Consideration of the one hundred and fifty-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Edith Maud Bull, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

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No. 5. '

7th June—Consideration of the one hundred and fifty-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Max Gertler, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 6.

7th June—Consideration of the one hundred and fifty-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Florence May Hicks, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 7.

7th June—Consideration of the one hundred and fifty-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Amelia Chester, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 8.

7th June—Consideration of the one hundred and fifty-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Joseph Bernard Hoodless, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 9.

7th June—Second Reading Bill (114), An Act to amend The Customs Tariff, 1907.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

#### No. 10.

7th June—Second Reading Bill (149), An Act to amend The Railway Act, 1919.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

#### No. 11.

7th June—Second Reading Bill (151), An Act to amend The Canadian Red Cross Society Act.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

#### No. 12.

7th June—Second Reading Bill (153), An Act to amend the Criminal Code. —(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

#### No. 13.

7th June-Second Reading Bill (154), An Act to amend The Yukon Quartz Mining Act.-(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)-E.F.

#### For Thursday, 10th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

7th June—Second Reading Bill (150), An Act respecting the Chicoutimi Harbour Commissioners—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

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## No. 24

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

## THE SENATE OF CANADA

#### Tuesday, 8th June, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:-

The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

#### The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth	Donnelly,	Lewis,	Reid,
(Sir Allen),	Farrell,	Lynch-Staunton,	Robertson, -
Barnard,	Fisher,	MacArthur,	Robinson,
Beaubien,	Foster,	Macdonell,	Ross (Middleton),
Béique,	Foster	Martin,	Ross (Moose Jaw),
Béland,	(Sir George),	McCoig,	Schaffner,
Belcourt,	Gillis,	McCormick,	Sharpe,
Bénard,	Girroir,	McDonald,	Smith,
Black,	Gordon,	McLean,	Stanfield,
Blondin,	Green,	McLennan,	Tanner,
Bourque,	Griesbach,	McMeans,	Taylor,
Buchanan,	Hardy,	Michener,	Tessier,
Bureau,	Haydon,	Molloy,	Todd,
Calder,	Hughes,	Mulholland,	Turgeon,
Casgrain,	Kemp	Pardee,	Turriff,
Chapais,	(Sir Edward),	Planta,	Watson,
Copp,	King,	Poirier,	Webster
Crowe,	Lavergne,	Pope,	(Brockville),
Dandurand,	Legris,	Prowse,	White (Inkerman),
Daniel, .	Lessard,	Rankin,	White (Pembroke), Willoughby.

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#### PRAYERS.

The following petition was read:-

Of the Sealright Company, Incorporated, of the city of Fulton, in the state of New York, one of the United States of America; praying for the passage of an Act to extend the duration of patents numbers 188,444 and 188,445.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (91), intituled: "An Act to amend The Immigration Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (172), intituled: "An Act to authorize the raising, by way of loan, of certain sums of money for the public service," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Casgrain called the attention of the Senate to the question of shipping on the Great Lakes, and inquired:—

1. Are there any Norwegian vessels, or vessels of other foreign nations, plying on the Great Lakes for gain?

2. How long are these vessels allowed to remain in Canadian waters, at one time, without paying duties?

3. Are there any customs regulations permitting these vessels to carry on business in this country without paying duties?

4. Do these vessels employ Canadian seamen?

5. Do these vessels contribute anything to Canada's treasury? If so, how much?

6. Have these vessels paid duties?

7. Are the supplies (ship's stores) for the maintenance of the crew of these vessels dutiable?

8. If so, for what amount and for how long?

9. Is it the intention of the Government to stop this discrimination against our Canadian Mercantile Navigation Companies paying taxes, licenses, fees, and subject to Canadian regulations; also paying the higher wages to Canadian labour, using Canadian supplies, and paying, moreover, income tax on their profits, if any?

10. Is it the intention to tax these foreign vessels to put them on an equal footing with our own Canadian bottoms?

Debated.

The Honourable Mr. Tessier, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their seventh Report.

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

TUESDAY, 8th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their seventh Report, as follows:—

1. The Committee have examined the following petition, namely:-

Of Gordon Cameron Edwards, of Ottawa, Ontario, and others of elsewhere; praying to be incorporated under the name of "Gatineau Transmission Company."

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2. The Committee find that the requirements of Rule 107 with respect to publication of Notice have not been fully complied with, and that the delay from the date of mailing a copy of the Notice to the various provincial and municipal authorities has not yet expired.

3. The Committee is satisfied that two weeks' publication of the Notice has been given and that complete publication will be made, and that a copy of the Notice has been duly mailed as required by the Rule.

4. The Committee recommend that what has been done be deemed and taken as sufficient compliance with the requirements of Rule 107.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### JULES TESSIER,

Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That Rule 24 (a) and (h) be suspended in respect to the said Report.

The said Report was then adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Tessier, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their eighth Report.

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

TUESDAY, 8th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their eighth Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of The Commercial Mutual Fire Insurance Company, of the city of St. Hyacinthe, in the province of Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act authorizing it to carry on business throughout Canada.

2. The promoters having applied for leave to withdraw the petition, the Committee recommend that leave be granted accordingly.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### JULES TESSIER,

Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That Rule 24 (a) and (h) be suspended in respect to the said Report.

The said Report was then adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Tessier, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their ninth Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 8th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their ninth Report, as follows:--

The Committee have examined the following petition, and find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, namely:—

Of the Sealright Company, Incorporated, of the city of Fulton, in the state of New York, one of the United States of America; praying for the passage of an Act to extend the duration of patents numbers 188,444 and 188,445.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JULES TESSIER,

Chairman.

Ordered,—That the same do lie on the Table. S  $24-1\frac{1}{2}$ 

#### THE SENATE

The Honourable Mr. White (Inkerman) presented to the Senate a Bill (06), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Gatineau Transmission Company."

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

With leave of the Senate,---

The said Bill was then read the second time, and-

Referred to the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. White (Inkerman), it was-

Ordered,—That Rules 24 (a) and 119 be suspended in so far as they relate to the Bill (O6), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Gatineau Transmission Company."

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (97), intituled: "An Act to amend The Dominion Forest Reserves and Parks Act," was read the second time, and—

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion for the second reading of the Bill (21), intituled: "An Act respecting Old Age Pensions."

It being six o'clock, the Honourable the Speaker left the Chair to resume the same at half-past seven o'clock.

7.30 p.m.

The Senate was resumed.

After debate, and-

The question being put on the said motion, the Senate divided and the names being called they were taken down, as follows:--

1	The Ho	Contents nourable Messieurs	
Béland, Belcourt,	Farrell, Hardy,	MacArthur, McCoig,	Robinson, Ross
Buchanan, Bureau, Copp,	Haydon, Lavergne, Lessard,	Molloy, Pardee, Rankin,	(Moose Jaw), Watson—21.
Dandurand,	Lewis,	Robertson,	

#### NON-CONTENTS

#### The Honourable Messieurs

Avlesworth	Foster	McCormick,	Stanfield,
(Sir Allen),	(Sir George),	McDonald,	Tanner,
Bénard,	Gillis,	McLean,	Taylor,
Black,	Girroir,	McLennan;	Todd,
Blondin,	Gordon,	McMeans,	Turriff,
Bourque,	- Green,	Mulholland,	Webster
Calder,	Griesbach,	Planta,	(Brockville),
Chapais,	Hughes,	Pope,	White (Inkerman),
Crowe,	Kemp	Reid,	White (Pembroke),
Daniel,	(Sir Edward),	Ross (Middleton),	Willoughby-45.
Donnelly.	Lynch-Staunton,	Schaffner,	
Fisher,	Macdonell,	Sharpe, '	
Foster,	Martin,	Smith,	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·

It was passed in the negative.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (148), intituled: "An Act for the purpose of establishing in Canada a system of Long Term Mortgage Credit for Farmers," it was—

Ordered,-That the said Order of the Day be postponed for the time being.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day,

The Honourable Mr. Dandurand moved that the Senate be again put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (17), intituled: "An Act to amend The Soldier Settlement Act, 1919."

With leave of the Senate,-

The Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton) moved, in amendment, that the said Bill be not now committed to a Committee of the Whole, but that it be referred to a Special Committee of the Senate composed of the Honourable Messieurs: Béique, Belcourt, Calder, Dandurand, Foster (Right Honourable Sir George), Griesbach, Macdonell, McMeans, Murphy, Robertson, Taylor, Watson, White (Inkerman) and the mover.

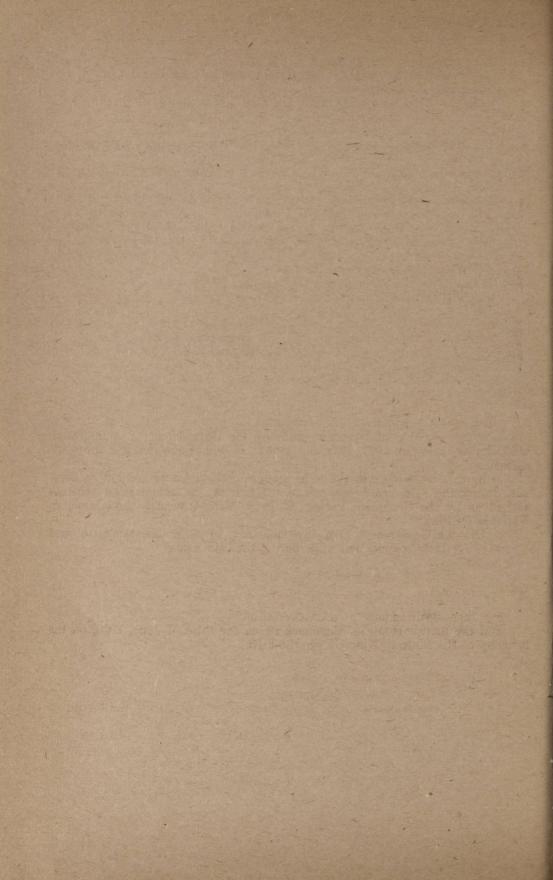
The question being put on the said amendment, it was-Resolved in the affirmative, and-

Ordered accordingly.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (148), intituled: "An Act for the purpose of establishing in Canada a system of Long Term Mortgage Credit for Farmers," was again read the second time, and—

Ordered,—That the said Bill be referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Senate adjourned.



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8TH JUNE

## ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

#### Wednesday, 9th June, 1926

Presentation of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Reading of Petitions. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

#### **INQUIRIES**

No. 1.

#### By the Honourable Mr. Reid:-

2nd June-Will enquire of the Government:--

1. Was a return as required by clause 10 of Act, chapter 45, 15-16 George V, for the relief of certain creditors of The Home Bank of Canada, laid on the table during the present session? If so, on what date?

2. If it has not been laid on the table, when will it be done?

3. How many claims have still been unsettled?

4. What amount is still claimed by the unsettled claims?

No. 2.

By the Honourable Mr. Gillis:-

7th June-Will enquire of the Government:-

1. What was the total amount spent by the Government on immigration work during the years 1923, 1924 and 1925? In what countries was the work carried on?

2. As a result, what was the total number of immigrants brought to Canada during the said years, separate entirely from the colonization schemes carried on by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company and the Canadian National Railways?

3. Did the Government give any monetary, or other assistance, to said Railways for their colonization work during the said years?

#### For Thursday, 10th June, 1926

No. 1. By the Honourable Mr. Casgrain:

8th June-Will enquire of the Government:-

Did the British House of Commons sit on the third of June, 1926, on the birthday of His Majesty King George the Fifth?

No. 2.

By the Honourable Mr. Pope:-

8th June-Will enquire of the Government:-

1. Where was the steam boat Lady Grey every day during the month of October, 1925?

2. At what places did she call, and how long did she remain at each and every place?

3. Did she carry any persons on board besides the crew?

4. What were the names of these persons, if any?

5. Where did they go on board and at what places did they disembark?

#### THE SENATE

#### MOTION

#### For Tuesday, 15th June, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Sir George Foster:-

2nd June-That an Order of the House do issue for a return showing,-

All correspondence between Dr. W. J. Riddel, Liaison officer of the Government at Geneva and the Department of Foreign Affairs with respect of the League of Nations and its relations to the Government of Canada.

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## ORDERS OF THE DAY

Note.—The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed; E. printed in English, F. in French.

#### For Wednesday, 9th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

7th June—Consideration of the one hundred and fifty-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Jessie Evis, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 2.

7th June—Consideration of the one hundred and fifty-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ruth May Harrington, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 3.

7th June—Consideration of the one hundred and fifty-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Gwendolen McLachlin, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 4.

7th June—Consideration of the one hundred and fifty-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Edith Maud Bull, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 5.

7th June—Consideration of the one hundred and fifty-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Max Gertler, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 6.

7th June—Consideration of the one hundred and fifty-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Florence May Hicks, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 7.

7th June—Consideration of the one hundred and fifty-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Amelia Chester, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 8.

7th June—Consideration of the one hundred and fifty-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Joseph Bernard Hoodless, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### THE SENATE

#### No. 9.

7th June-Second Reading Bill (114), An Act to amend The Customs Tariff, 1907.-(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)-E.F.

#### No.º 10.

7th June-Second Reading Bill (149), An Act to amend The Railway Act, 1919.-(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)-E.F.

#### No. 11.

7th June-Second Reading Bill (151), An Act to amend The Canadian Red Cross Society Act.-(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)-E.F.

#### No. 12.

7th June—Second Reading Bill (153), An Act to amend the Criminal Code. —(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

#### No. 13.

7th June-Second Reading Bill (154), An Act to amend The Yukon Quartz Mining Act.-(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)-E.F.

#### No. 14.

8th June-House in Committee of the Whole on Bill (97), An Act to amend The Dominion Forest Reserves and Parks Act.-(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)-E.F.

#### For Thursday, 10th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

7th June-Second Reading Bill (150), An Act respecting the Chicoutimi Harbour Commissioners-(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)-E.F.

#### No. 2.

8th June—Second Reading of Bill (172), An Act to authorize the raising, by way of loan, of certain sums of money for the Public Service.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

#### No. 3.

8th June—Second Reading of Bill (91), An Act to amend The Immigration Act.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

### No. 25

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF

## THE SENATE OF CANADA

#### Wednesday, 9th June, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:--

Farrell,

The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Avlesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard. Beaubien, Béique, Béland. Belcourt. Bénard. Black. Blondin, Bourque, Buchanan, Bureau, Calder. Casgrain, Chapais, Copp, Crowe, Dandurand, Daniel. Donnelly, . S 25-1

Fisher. Fester. Foster (Sir George), Gillis, Girroir, Gordon, Green, Griesbach, Hardy, Haydon, Hughes, Kemp (Sir Edward), King. Lavergne, Legris, Lessard, Lewis. Lynch-Staunton,

MacArthur, Macdonell. Martin. McCoig, McCormick, McDonald, McLean, McLennan. McMeans. Michener, Molloy, Montplaisir, Mulholland, Pardee. Planta, Poirier. Pope, Prowse, Rankin, Reid. Robertson.

Robinson, Ross (Middleton). Ross (Moose Jaw). Schaffner, Sharpe, Smith, Stanfield. Tanner, Taylor, Tessier. Todd. Turgeon, Turriff. Watson. Webster (Brockville), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby.

#### THE SENATE

#### PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Speaker presented to the Senate-

A further Return by the Clerk of the Senate with reference to the Property Qualification of Senators.

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

OFFICE OF THE CLERK,

OTTAWA, 9th June, 1926.

SIR,—I have the honour to transmit to you, herewith, for the information of the Honourable the Senate, a further return of names of members of the Senate who have signed a renewed declaration of their property qualifications in compliance with the 105th Rule of the House.

I have the honour to be.

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

A. E. BLOUNT, Clerk of the Senate.

The Honourable Hewitt Bostock, P.C., Speaker of the Senate.

The Honourable Messieurs:

79. Griesbach.

80. Lynch-Staunton.

#### A. E. BLOUNT, Clerk of the Senate.

Ordered,-That the same do lie on the Table.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (15), intituled: "An Act respecting trade relations with British West Indies, Bermuda, British Guiana and British Honduras," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (152), intituled: "An Act to amend The Opium and Narcotic Drug Act, 1923," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (112), intituled: "An Act respecting certain patents owned by the Sealright Company, Inc.," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (113), initialed: "An Act respecting the Bronson Company," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next. A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (F4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mabel Ellen Barrett."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (G4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mabel Victoria Westerby."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (H4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Morgan Hart."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (I4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James Arthur Breadon."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (J4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marjorie Esther Splan."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to • return the Bill (K4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gladys Orme."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (L4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Andrew Reid."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (N4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Thomas Charlton Spence."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (O4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gladys Lucie White."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (P4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Robert Stewart McIntyre."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (Q4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Goldie Luella Russell."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

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A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (R4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Arthur Atkinson."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (S4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillian Edith Hudgin."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (T4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Booth."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (U4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bernard Ernest Sleeth."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (V4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elsie Fray."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (W4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Cecilia Marrie Peters Kendall."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (X4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elias Malky."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (Y4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Beatrice Walker."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (Z4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Elgie Dulyea."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (A5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Wilson."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (B5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Sydney Wright."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (D5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillie Torrance Cascadden."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

#### 9TH JUNE

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (E5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James Thomas Young."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (F5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Copland William Evans."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (G5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Arthur John Harman."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (I5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Rebecca Herbert."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (J5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of David Joseph Potter."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (K5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Walter Harold Bingley."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (L5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Harriett Little."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was received from the House of Commons by their Clerk in the following words:---

#### TUESDAY, 8th June, 1926.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to return to that House the evidence, etc., taken before the Standing Committee of the Senate on Divorce, to whom were referred the petitions on which the following Bills were founded:—

Bill No. 117 (Letter F4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mabel Ellen Barrett."

Bill No. 118 (Letter G4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mabel Victoria Westerby."

Bill No. 119 (Letter H4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Morgan Hart."

Bill No. 120 (Letter I4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James Arthur Breadon."

Bill No. 121 (Letter J4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marjorie Esther Splan."

Bill No. 122 (Letter K4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gladys Orme."

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Bill No. 123 (Letter L4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Andrew Reid." Bill No. 124 (Letter N4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Thomas Charlton Spence." Bill No. 125 (Letter O4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gladys Lucie White." Bill No. 126 (Letter P4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Robert Stewart McIntyre." Bill No. 127 (Letter Q4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Goldie Luella Russell." Bill No. 128 (Letter R4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Arthur Atkinson." Bill No. 129 (Letter S4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillian Edith Hudgin." Bill No. 130 (Letter T4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Booth." Bill No. 131 (Letter U4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bernard Ernest Sleeth." Bill No. 132 (Letter V4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elsie Fray." Bill No. 133 (Letter W4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Cecilia Marrie Peters Kendall." Bill No. 134 (Letter X4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elias Malky." Bill No. 135 (Letter Y4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Beatrice Walker." Bill No. 136 (Letter Z4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Elgie Dulyea." Bill No. 137 (Letter A5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Wilson." Bill No. 138 (Letter B5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the-relief of John Sydney Wright." Bill No. 139 (Letter D5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillie Torrance Cascadden." Bill No. 140 (Letter E5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James Thomas Young." Bill No. 141 (Letter F5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Copland William Evans." Bill No. 142 (Letter G5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Arthur John Harman." Bill No. 143 (Letter I5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Rebecca Herbert." Bill No. 144 (Letter J5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of David Joseph Potter." Bill No. 145 (Letter K5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Walter Harold Binglev." Bill No. 146 (Letter L5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Harriett Little." Ordered,-That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate. Attest. ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE. Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered,—That the same do lie on the Table.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and fifty-first Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Jessie Evis, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and fifty-second Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ruth May Harrington, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and fifty-third Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Gwendolen McLachlin, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and fifty-fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Edith Maude Bull, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and fifty-fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Max Gertler, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and fifty-sixth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Florence May Hicks, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and fifty-seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Amelia Chester, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and fifty-eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Joseph Bernard Hoodless, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (114), intituled: "An Act to amend The Customs Tariff, 1907," was read the second time, and-

With leave of the Senate, it was— Ordered,—That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole presently.

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The Senate was, accordingly, adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the said Bill.

#### (In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and-

The Honourable Mr. McMeans, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (149), intituled: "An Act to amend The Railway Act, 1919," was read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,—That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole presently.

The Senate was, accordingly, adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the said Bill.

#### (In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and-

The Honourable Mr. Pardee, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (151), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canadian Red Cross Society Act," was read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate-

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (153), intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code," it was—

Ordered,-That the said Order of the Day be postponed till to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (154), intituled: "An Act to amend The Yukon Quartz Mining Act," was read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,—That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole presently.

The Senate was, accordingly, adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the said Bill.

#### (In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and-

The Honourable Mr. Gillis, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (97), intituled: "An Act to amend The Dominion Forest Reserves and Parks Act."

#### (In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and-

The Honourable Mr. Stanfield, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate, and-

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton), it was-

Ordered,—That the names of the Right Honourable Sir George Foster and the Honourable Mr. Calder be added to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, and that Rules 24 (a), (f) and 78 (4) be suspended.

The Senate adjourned.



## ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

#### Thursday, 10th June, 1926

Presentation of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Reading of Petitions. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

#### INQUIRIES

#### For Thursday, 10th June, 1926

No. 1. By the Honourable Mr. Casgrain:

8th June-Will enquire of the Government:-

Did the British House of Commons sit on the third of June, 1926, on the birthday of His Majesty King George the Fifth?

#### No. 2.

By the Honourable Mr. Pope:---

8th June-Will enquire of the Government:---

1. Where was the steam boat Lady Grey every day during the month of October, 1925?

2. At what places did she call, and how long did she remain at each and every place?

3. Did she carry any persons on board besides the crew?

4. What were the names of these persons, if any?

5. Where did they go on board and at what places did they disembark?

No. 3.

By the Honourable Mr. Reid:---

2nd June-Will enquire of the Government:-

1. Was a return as required by clause 10 of Act, chapter 45, 15-16 George V, for the relief of certain creditors of The Home Bank of Canada, laid on the table during the present session? If so, on what date?

2. If it has not been laid on the table, when will it be done?

3. How many claims have still been unsettled?

4. What amount is still claimed by the unsettled claims?

#### No. 4.

By the Honourable Mr. Gillis:-

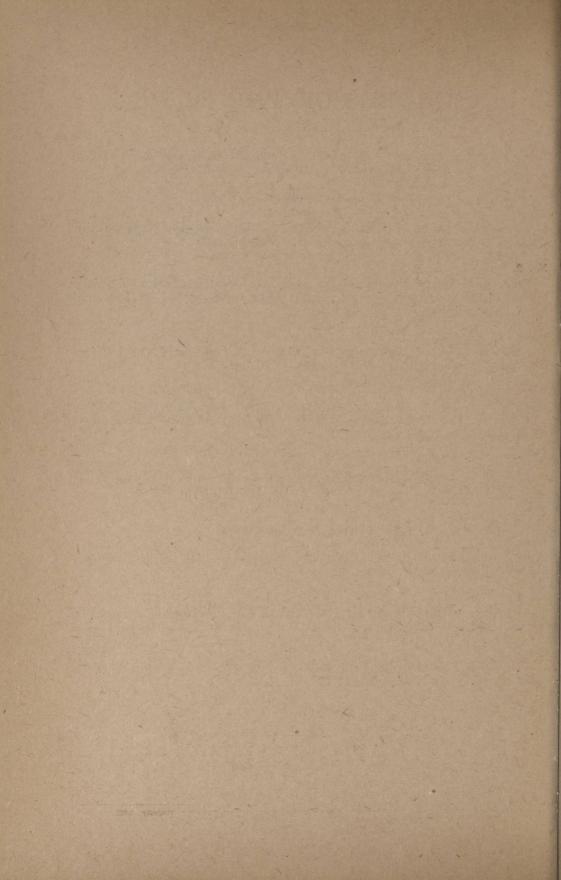
7th June-Will enquire of the Government:---

1. What was the total amount spent by the Government on immigration work during the years 1923, 1924 and 1925? In what countries was the work carried on?

2. As a result, what was the total number of immigrants brought to Canada during the said years, separate entirely from the colonization schemes carried on by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company and the Canadian National Railways?

3. Did, the Government give any monetary, or other assistance, to said Railways for their colonization work during the said years?

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## No. 26

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

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## THE SENATE OF CANADA

#### Thursday, 10th June, 1926

3 p.m.

Willoughby.

The Members convened were:-

The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

Aylesworth Farrell, MacArthur, Robinson, (Sir Allen), Fisher. Macdonell, Ross (Middleton), Barnard, Foster. Martin, Ross (Moose Jaw), Beaubien, Foster McCoig, Schaffner. Béique, (Sir George), McCormick, Sharpe. McDonald, Béland, Gillis, Smith, Belcourt, Girroir. McLean, Stanfield, Gordon. McLennan, Tanner, Bénard, Black, Green, McMeans, Taylor, Blondin, Griesbach, Michener, Tessier, Bourque, Molloy, Hardy, Todd, Buchanan, Harmer, Mulholland. Turgeon, Haydon, Pardee, Bureau, Turriff, Calder. Hughes, Planta, Watson, King, Poirier, Chapais, Webster Lavergne, Pope, Copp, (Brockville), Prowse, Crowe, Legris, Webster Lessard, Rankin, Dandurand, (Stadacona), Daniel, Reid. Lewis. White (Inkerman). Lynch-Staunton, Robertson, Donne'lly, White (Pembroke),

The Honourable Messieurs

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#### PRAYERS.

The following petition was presented.

By the Honourable Mr. Planta:-

Of Peter R. Kelly, Chairman of Executive Committee of Allied Indian Tribes of British Columbia.

The Honourable Mr. Robertson, from the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, to whom was referred the Bill (O6), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Gatineau Transmission Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:--

Page 3, line 31. After "Quebec" insert ", but not in the city of Ottawa or the town of Eastview or the townships of Gloucester and Nepean."

Page 3. After clause 10 insert the following as clause A:-

#### Clause A

"The powers to construct transmission and distribution lines and to expropriate therefor conferred upon the Company by this Act shall not be exercisable in the province of Quebec until the Quebec Public Service Commission has approved the location of such lines in Quebec; or in the province of Ontario until the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has approved the location of such lines in Ontario."

With leave of the Senate,

The said amendments were concurred in, and-

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable Mr. Robertson, from the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, to whom was referred the Bill (93), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Canadian Dexter P. Cooper Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

The Honourable Mr. Pardee presented to the Senate a Bill (P6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gwendolen McLachlin."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Monday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (Q6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jessie Evis."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Monday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Robertson presented to the Senate a Bill (R6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Max Gertler."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Monday, next.

The Honourable Mr. McMeans presented to the Senate a Bill (S6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Florence May Hicks."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Monday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Lewis, for the Honourable Mr. Haydon, presented to the Senate a Bill (T6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ruth May-Harrington."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Monday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Lewis, for the Honourable Mr. Haydon, presented to the Senate a Bill (U6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edith Maude Bull." The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Monday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Lewis, for the Honourable Mr. Haydon, presented to the Senate a Bill (V6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Joseph Bernard Hoodless."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Monday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby presented to the Senate a Bill (W6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Amelia Chester."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Monday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (171), intituled: "An Act to amend The Railway Belt Water Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

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

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

#### THURSDAY, 10th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills 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.

F. L. BÉIQUE, Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That Rule 24 (a) and (h) be suspended in respect to the said Report.

The said Report was then adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Béique, from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (13), intituled: "An Act respecting a patent owned by The John E. Russell Company, Limited," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with one amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

Page 1, line 13. After "Act" insert "chapter sixty-nine of The Revised Statutes, 1906, and its amendments, or in The Patent Act, chapter twenty-three of the statutes of 1923,"

With leave of the Senate,

The said amendment was concurred in, and-

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with one amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable Mr. Béique, from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (G6), intituled: "An Act respecting certain patents of James McCutcheon Coleman," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable Mr. Béique, from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (11), intituled: "An Act to incorporate the President of the Lethbridge Stake," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with one amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same. The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows:-

- For clause 1, substitute the following:--

"1. Hugh B. Brown, President of the said Lethbridge Stake, and his successors in office, being residents in Canada are hereby incorporated as a corporation sole under the name of 'The President of the Lethbridge Stake,' hereinafter called 'The Corporation,' with capacity to exercise throughout Canada the powers conferred by this Act and by the Interpretation Act."

With leave of the Senate.

The said amendment was concurred in, and-

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with one amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (150), intituled: "An Act respecting the Chicoutimi Harbour Commissioners," was read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,—That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole presently.

The Senate was, accordingly, adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the said Bill.

#### (In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and-

The Honourable Mr. Beaubien, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (172), intituled: "An Act to authorize the raising, by way of loan, of certain sums of money for the Public Service," was read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (91), intituled: "An Act to amend The Immigration Act," it was-

Ordered,-That the said Order of the Day be postponed till Tuesday, next.

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Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (15), intituled: "An Act respecting trade relations with British West Indies, Bermuda, British Guiana, and British Honduras," was read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (152), intituled: "An Act to amend The Opium and Narcotic Drug Act, 1923," was read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,—That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole presently.

The Senate was, accordingly, adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the said Bill.

#### (In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and-

The Honourable Mr. Gordon, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (153), intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code," it was—

Ordered,-That the said Order of the Day be postponed till Tuesday, next.

The Senate adjourned.

## ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

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### INQUIRIES

#### For Friday, 11th June, 1926

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#### No. 2.

By the Honourable Mr. Pope:--

8th June-Will enquire of the Government:---

1. Where was the steam boat Lady Grey every day during the month of October, 1925?

2. At what places did she call, and how long did she remain at each and every place?

3. Did she carry any persons on board besides the crew?

4. What were the names of these persons, if any?

5. Where did they go on board and at what places did they disembark?

#### No. 3.

By the Honourable Mr. Gillis:-

7th June-Will enquire of the Government:---

1. What was the total amount spent by the Government on immigration work during the years 1923, 1924 and 1925? In what countries was the work carried on?

2. As a result, what was the total number of immigrants brought to Canada during the said years, separate entirely from the colonization schemes carried on by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company and the Canadian National Railways?

3. Did the Government give any monetary, or other assistance, to said Railways for their colonization work during the said years?

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#### MOTIONS

#### For Friday, 11th June, 1926

No. 1.

By Honourable Mr. Tanner:-

9th June—That an order of the House do issue for a return in respect to the cruiser Margaret, employed in the service of the Department of Customs and Excise, showing for each month respectively of the period since January 1, 1925,—

(a) The sea district which said Cruiser patrolled?

(b) The ports which she entered, and the time she remained in each port?
 (c) The number of seizures made, and generally what each seizure consisted of?

(d) The locality in which each seizure was made, and the name of the vessel carrying the goods seized, and the port of registry of such vessel?

• (e) How the matter of each seizure was disposed of—this to state what was done in regard to vessel and goods, respectively?

(f) The cost of the said cruiser to the country during each of the said months?

#### For Tuesday, 15th June, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Sir George Foster:-

2nd June-That an Order of the House do issue for a return showing,-

All correspondence between Dr. W. J. Riddel, Liaison officer of the Government at Geneva and the Department of Foreign Affairs with respect of the League of Nations and its relations to the Government of Canada.

## ORDERS OF THE DAY

Note.—The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed; E. printed in English, F. in French.

#### For Friday, 11th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

9th June—Second Reading Bill (113), An Act respecting the Bronson Company.—(Honourable Mr. Belcourt.)—E.F.

#### No. 2.

9th June—Second Reading Bill (112), An Act respecting certain patents owned by the Sealright Company, Inc.—(Honourable Sir Edward Kemp.)—E.F.

#### No. 3.

10th June—Second Reading Bill (171), An Act to amend The Railway Belt Water Act.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)

#### For Monday, 14th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

10th June—Second Reading (Bill P6), An Act for the relief of Gwendolen McLachlin.—(Honourable Mr. Pardee.)—E.F.

#### No. 2.

10th June—Second Reading (Bill Q6), An Act for the relief of Jessie Evis. —(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 3.

10th June—Second Reading (Bill-R6), An Act for the relief of Max Gertler.—(Honourable Mr. Robertson.)—E.F.

#### No. 4.

10th June—Second Reading (Bill S6), An Act for the relief of Florence May Hicks.—(Honourable Mr. McMeans.)—E.F.

#### No. 5.

10th June-Second Reading (Bill T6), An Act for the relief of Ruth May Harrington.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 6.

10th June-Second Reading (Bill U6), An Act for the relief of Edith Maude Bull.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 7.

10th June—Second Reading (Bill V6), An Act for the relief of Joseph Bernard Hoodless.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 8.

10th June—Second Reading (Bill W6), An Act for the relief of Amelia Chester.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)—E.F.

#### For Tuesday, 15th June, 1926

No. 1. 10th June—Second Reading Bill 91, An Act to amend The Immigration Act.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

#### No. 2.

10th June—Second Reading Bill 153, An Act to amend the Criminal Code. —(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

## No. 27

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

## THE SENATE OF CANADA

Friday, 11th June, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:-

Farrell,

The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard, Beaubien, Béique, Belcourt, Bénard, Black, Bourque, Bureau, Calder, Casgrain, Chapais, Copp, Crowe, Dandurand, Daniel,

Fisher, Foster. Foster (Sir George), Gillis, Girroir, Gordon, Green, Griesbach, Hardy, Harmer, Hughes, King, Lavergne, Legris, Lessard,

Lewis. Lynch-Staunton, MacArthur, Macdonell, Martin, McCormick, McDonald, McLean, McLennan, McMeans, Molloy, Mulholland. Planta, Poirier, Prowse, Reid, Robertson,

Robinson. Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw), Schaffner, Sharpe, Smith, Stanfield, Tanner, Taylor, Tessier, Todd, Turgeon, Watson, White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby.

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#### PRAYERS.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Special Committee, to whom was referred the Bill (13), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canada Evidence Act as regards the evidence of persons charged with offences," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (8), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canada Grain Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Wednesday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (116), intituled: "An Act to amend The Income War Tax Act, 1917," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Monday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (188), intituled: "An Act to amend the Excise Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Monday, next.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Tanner, it was-

Ordered,—That an order of the Senate do issue for a return in respect to the cruiser *Margaret*, employed in the service of the Department of Customs and Excise, showing for each month respectively of the period since 1st January, 1925,—

(a) The sea district which said cruiser patrolled?

(b) The ports which she entered, and the time she remained in each port? (c) The number of seizures made, and generally what each seizure consisted of?

(d) The locality in which each seizure was made, and the name of the vessel carrying the goods seized, and the port of registry of such vessel?

(e) How the matter of each seizure was disposed of—this to state what was done in regard to vessel and goods, respectively?

(f) The cost of the said cruiser to the country during each of the said months?

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (113), intituled:-"An Act respecting the Bronson Company," was read the second time, and-

Referred to the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (112), intituled: "An Act respecting certain patents owned by the Sealright Company, Inc.," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (171), intituled: "An Act to amend The Railway Belt Water Act," was read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,-That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole presently.

The Senate was, accordingly, adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the said Bill.

#### (In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and

The Honourable Mr. Robinson, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

The Honourable Mr. Dandurand presented to the Senate a Bill (X6), intituled: "An Act to amend the Canada Evidence Act."

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second time, and-

Ordered,—That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole on Monday, next.

With leave of the Senate,

The Honourable Mr. Belcourt, from the Special Committee, to whom was referred the Bill (Q3), intituled: "An Act to amend certain provisions of The Criminal Code respecting the possession of weapons," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:-

Page 1, line 17. For the words "includes any" substitute "means a weapon,".

Page 1. After paragraph (b) of subsection one of the substituted section 118, add the following:—

"(c) 'ammunition ' means all ammunition that can be used with a weapon".

Page 2, line 2. After "penalty" leave out "of" and insert "not exceeding one thousand".

Page 2, line 4. After "labour" leave out "for" and insert "not exceeding two".

Page 2, line 9. Leave out all the words after "Canada" to the end of paragraph (a) and insert "transmits by post, or manufactures, makes or deals in, or sells to, barters with, gives or lends to or repairs for any person, any weapon of the following kinds or of any like or similar kind or any ammunition:—"

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Page 2, line 13. Leave out sub-paragraph (i) and substitute therefor the following:-

"(i) any cannon, trench-mortar, machine gun, revolver, pistol, or air gun;" Page 2, line 23. Leave out "bowie-knife or sheath-knife".

Page 2, line 33. Leave out all the words after "to" to the end of paragraph (c) and substitute therefor "or takes in pawn from a person who has not a permit therefor, or not being otherwise excepted by this section, any weapon of the kinds mentioned in paragraph (a) or of any like or similar kind;"

Page 2, lines 36 to 43, inclusive, and page 3, lines 1 to 3, inclusive. For paragraph (d) substitute the following:—

"(d) in the case of a sale by a manufacturer or maker of or dealer in weapons, or in the case of repairs made to a weapon, neglects to keep a record of such sale or repairs, the date thereof, the name of the purchaser, such sufficient description of the weapon, device, contrivance or ammunition sold or repaired as may be necessary to identify it, the date and place of grant of the permit, and the name and office of the person who granted the permit, or neglects to send a duplicate of such record by registered mail to the person who granted the permit, or neglects to endorse upon the permit, the date and place of sale, repair, the said description of the weapon, device or contrivance and the name of the vendor;"

Page 3, lines 12 to 34, inclusive; and,

Page 4, lines 1 to 7, inclusive. Leave out paragraphs (a) to (f), inclusive, of subsection (3) and insert:—

"(a) for a person belonging to His Majesty's Naval, Military, Air or Militia forces, or to His Majesty's Naval Service or the Fisheries Protection Service, or to the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, or to any provincial or municipal police force, or for any other person in the employment of the Government of Canada or the Government of any province of Canada, and authorized to maintain the public peace or to enforce the laws of Canada or of any province of Canada;

"(b) for any officer of Customs or Inland Revenue, the Fisheries Protection Service, Postal Service, or Immigration Service, to have upon his person or in his possession, in the discharge of his duties, any weapon or ammunition when thereto duly authorized by the proper authority in the Department to which he belongs;

"(c) for a bona fide sale of any weapon or ammunition by a manufacturer of weapons or ammunition, or a wholesale dealer in weapons or ammunition, if such manufacturer or dealer has a license from the Minister of Justice or his authorized agent, and such sale is made to a person who is a bona fide dealer in weapons or ammunition and has such a license, and an established and fixed place of business for such dealing;

"(d) for any person to have upon his person or in his possession a weapon or ammunition on board ship as part of the equipment of the ship;

"(e) for a member of a rifle association approved by the Minister of Militia or of a Cadet Corps so approved, to have upon his person or in his possession a weapon or ammunition when engaged as such member in, or in connection with, target practice or drill;

"(f) to have in a museum or other public building, on or for exhibition as souvenirs, war-relics, specimens, or types of invention, any weapon of the kinds mentioned in paragraph (a) of subsection (2) of this section;

"(g) for any person to have in his possession, on any premises occupied by him as his residence or as his office, any weapon of the kinds mentioned in the said paragraph (a), except those mentioned in sub-paragraph (v) thereof, if such weapon is obsolete, not usable for its purposes, and is kept merely as a souvenir or war-relic." Page 4, line 22. For subsection (6) substitute the following:-

"(6) Upon sufficient cause being shown, any officer of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, or superintendent or other head officer of provincial police, or stipendiary or district magistrate, or police magistrate, or sheriff, or chief constable of any city, incorporated town, district or municipality, may grant an applicant therefor, as to whose discretion and good character he is satisfied, a permit in Form 76, to have, for such lawful purposes and for such period not exceeding twelve months as the person granting the permit deems fit, any of the weapons, devices, contrivances and ammunition to which this section applies; but a permit so granted shall not be good or have any force or effect beyond the limits within which the person granting it has jurisdiction or has power to exercise and perform the duties of his office."

Page 5. After subsection (8), add the following as subsections Nos. (9) and (10):—

"(9) Every one who under this section is authorized to grant a permit shall keep a register for the purposes of this section, in the form prescribed by the Minister of Justice, and shall register therein every permit granted by him, with the name and address of each person to whom a permit has been granted, the purposes for which the permit was granted, the nature of the weapon, the period and territorial limits within which the permit holds good, and such other particulars as may for the time being be prescribed by the Minister of Justice; and every such person shall on the first day of each calendar month forward to the Attorney General of the province in which the permit has been issued, a return of all entries in the register made since the last preceding return.

"(10) The Minister of Justice may make regulations for prescribing the form of permits, and the register required by this section to be kept by persons granting permits and for regulating the manner in which persons granting permits are to carry out their duties under this section, and generally for carrying this section into effect, and may by those regulations vary or add to Form 76 of this Act, and references in this Act to that form shall be considered as references to the Form as for the time being so varied or added to."

Page 5, line 10. For sections 2, 3 and 4, substitute the following:-

"2. Section 123 of The Criminal Code is hereby repealed and the following is substituted therefor:—

'123. Every one is guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction thereof to a penalty not exceeding one thousand dollars, or to imprisonment, with or without hard labour, not exceeding two years, or to both such penalty and imprisonment, who unlawfully has upon his person or in his possession any weapon which is concealed or disguised, or who, being masked or disguised, unlawfully has upon his person or in his possession any weapon.'

"3. Section 125 of The Criminal Code is hereby repealed."

"4. Form 76 in The Criminal Code is hereby repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

#### 'FORM 76 (Section 118)

#### WEAPON PERMIT

#### (Insert name of place of issue and date)

Permission is hereby given to (insert name of holder of permit) of to ("have upon his person or in his possession" or "to have in his possession" or as the case may be) (insert character of weapon) for (insert duration of permit and county, city, town or other limits within which permit is to be in force).

#### THE SENATE

#### Reason for granting permit.

(Here to be inserted the reasons for issuing permit.)

(Name and office of person issuing permit.)

Note.—This permit may from time to time be varied or added to under regulations made by the Minister of Justice.'"

Ordered, That the said amendments be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Monday, next.

On motion, it was-

Ordered,-That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Monday next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate adjourned.

## ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

#### Monday, 14th June, 1926

Presentation of Petitions. Reports of Committees. Reading of Petitions. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

#### INQUIRIES

#### For Monday, 14th June, 1926

No. 1.

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Did the British House of Commons sit on the third of June, 1926, on the birthday of His Majesty King George the Fifth?

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2. Are the bound volumes for 1924-25 now available? If not, when are they expected to be ready, and what has been the cause of any unusual delay?

#### MOTION

#### For Tuesday, 15th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

By the Honourable Sir George Foster:-

2nd June—That an Order of the House do issue for a return showing,— All correspondence between Dr. W. J. Riddel, Liaison officer of the Government at Geneva and the Department of Foreign Affairs with respect of the League of Nations and its relations to the Government of Canada.

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#### No. 2.

10th June—Second Reading (Bill Q6), An Act for the relief of Jessie Evis. —(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 3.

10th June-Second Reading (Bill R6), An Act for the relief of Max Gertler.--(Honourable Mr. Robertson.)-E.F.

#### No. 4.

10th June—Second Reading (Bill S6), An Act for the relief of Florence May Hicks.—(Honourable Mr. McMeans.)—E.F.

#### No. 5.

10th June-Second Reading (Bill T6), An Act for the relief of Ruth May Harrington.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 6.

10th June—Second Reading (Bill U6), An Act for the relief of Edith Maude Bull.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 7.

\_10th June—Second Reading (Bill V6), An Act for the relief of Joseph Bernard Hoodless.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

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#### No. 9.

11th June-Second Reading (Bill 188), An Act to amend the Excise Act.- (Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)-E.F.

#### No. 10.

11th June-Second Reading (Bill 116), An Act to amend the Income War Tax Act, 1917.-(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)-E.F.

#### No. 11.

11th June—Consideration of the report of the Special Committee to whom was referred the Bill Q3, "An Act to amend certain provisions of the Criminal Code respecting the possession of Weapons."—(Honourable Mr. Belcourt.)

#### No. 12.

11th June—The House in Committee of the Whole on Bill X6, An Act to amend the Canada Evidence Act,—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)

#### For Tuesday, 15th June, 1926

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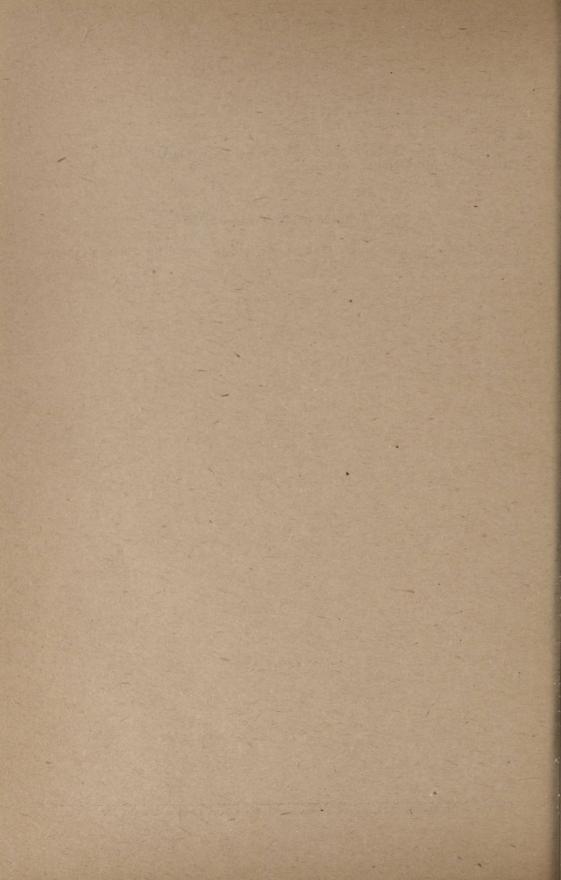
#### No. 2.

10th June—Second Reading Bill 153, An Act to amend the Criminal Code. —(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

#### For Wednesday, 16th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

11th June-Second Reading (Bill 8), An Act to amend the Canada Grain Act.-(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)-E.F.



## No. 28

# **IINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS**

#### OF

## THE SENATE OF CANADA

#### Monday, 14th June, 1926

8 p.m.

The Members convened were:----

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#### The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

#### The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard, Beaubien, Belcourt. Bénard. Black, Bourque, - Buchanan, Bureau. Calder, Chapais, Copp, Crowe, Dandurand. Daniel, Fisher, Foster.

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(Sir George), Gillis, Green, Griesbach, Harmer, Haydon, Hughes. King. Legris, L'Espérance, Lessard, Lewis. Lynch-Staunton, MacArthur, Macdonell, Martin. McCormick.

McLean, McLennan, McMeans, Michener, Molloy. Mulholland, Murphy, Pardee. Planta, Pope. Prowse, Rankin. Reid, Robertson, Robinson, Ross (Middleton), Willoughby. Ross (Moose Jaw), Schaffner,

Sharpe, Smith, Stanfield. Tanner. Taylor, Todd, Turgeon, Turriff. Watson. Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona). White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke).

#### THE SENATE

#### PRAYERS.

The following petition was read:-

Of Peter R. Kelly, Chairman of Executive Committee of Allied Indian Tribes of British Columbia; praying that the aboriginal rights of the Indian Tribes of British Columbia be safeguarded, etc., and that this petition and all related matters be referred to a Special Committee for full consideration.

With leave of the Senate, it was--

Ordered,—That the said petition be printed in full in the Debates.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (M5), initialed: "An Act for the relief of Samuel Wexler."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

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And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

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And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

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And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

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And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

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And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

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And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

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And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

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And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (A6), initialed: "An Act for the relief of Elizabeth Wright."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was received from the House of Commons by their Clerk in the following words:-

#### FRIDAY, 11th June, 1926.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to return to that House the evidence, etc., taken before the Standing Committee of -the Senate on Divorce, to whom were referred the petitions on which the following Bills were founded:—

Bill No. 156 (Letter M5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Samuel Wexler."

Bill No. 157 (Letter N5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Samuel Lehman Stouffer."

Bill No. 158 (Letter O5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Robert Douglas Ian McLeod,"

Bill No. 159 (Letter P5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Margaret McColgan Vinnette Graydon."

Bill No. 160 (Letter Q5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alexander Charles Boyd."

Bill'No. 161 (Letter R5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Charles Day."

Bill No. 162 (Letter S5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Albert Wilson Denning."

Bill No. 163 (Letter T5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaret Lambert."

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Bill No. 165 (Letter V5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ernest Ashton."

Bill No. 166 (Letter W5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Evelyn Christine Stewart."

Bill No. 167 (Letter X5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ernest Love."

Bill No. 168 (Letter Y5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Charles Stanley Reed Riches."

Bill No. 169 (Letter Z5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mona Aileen Davies."

Bill No. 170 (Letter A6 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elizabeth Wright."

Ordered,-That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

#### ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,

Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered,-That the same do lie on the Table.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (12), intituled: "An Act respecting Joliette and Northern Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Wednesday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (115), intituled: "An Act to amend The Special War Revenue Act, 1915," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (192), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty a certain sum of money for the public service of the financial year, ending the 31st March, 1927," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That Rules 23 (f), 24 (a) and (b), and 63 be suspended insofar as they relate to the said Bill.

The said Bill was then read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (193), initialed: "An Aet for granting to His Majesty a certain sum of money for the public service of the financial year, ending 31st March, 1927," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

With leave of the Senate, it was-

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The said Bill was then read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered, That Rules 24 (a), (b), and 63 be suspended insofar as they relate to the following Divorce Bills:—

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (P6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gwendolen McLachlin," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Q6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jessie Evis," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (R6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Max Gertler," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (S6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Florence May Hicks," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House. Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (T6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ruth May Harrington," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (U6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edith Maude Bull," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (V6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Joseph Bernard Hoodless," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

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The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (188), intituled: "An Act to amend the Excise Act," was read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (116), intituled: "An Act to amend The Income War Tax Act, 1917," was read the second time, and-

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The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the amendments made by the Special Committee to whom was referred the Bill (Q3), intituled: "An Act to amend certain provisions of the Criminal Code respecting the possession of Weapons."

The said amendments were concurred in, and-

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The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

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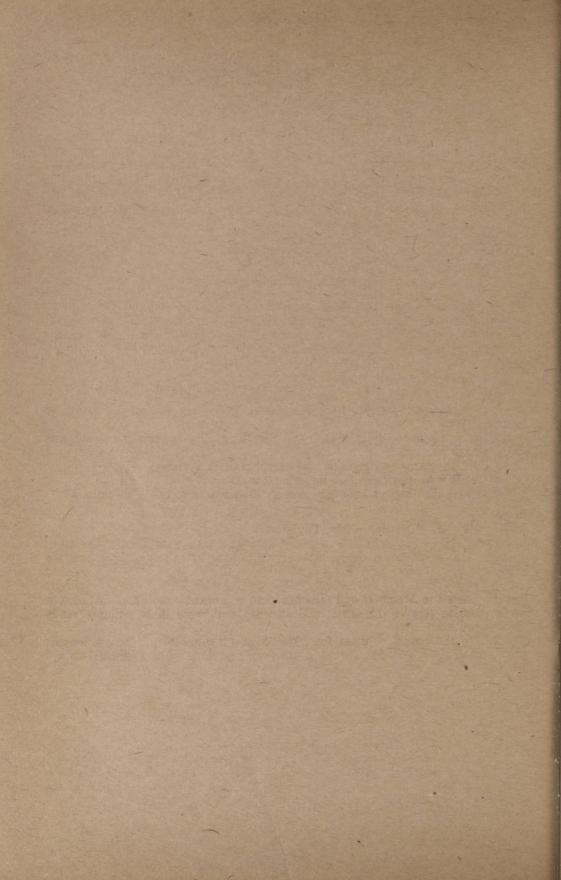
The Order of the Day being called for the consideration, in a Committee of the Whole, of the Bill (X6), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canada Evidence Act as respects Bank Books and Records," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed till to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

After some time the Senate was resumed.

' The Senate adjourned.



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14TH JUNE

## **ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS**

#### Tuesday, 15th June, 1926

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Reports of Committees.

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#### No. 4.

14th June—Second Reading (Bill 115), intituled: "An Act to amend The Special War Revenue Act 1915."—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

#### For Wednesday, 16th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

11th June—Second Reading (Bill 8), An Act to amend the Canada Grain Act.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)—E.F.

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14th June-Second Reading (Bill 12), intituled: "An Act respecting Joliette and Northern Railway Company."-(Honourable Mr. Gordon.)-E.F.

## No. 29

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

## THE SENATE OF CANADA

#### Tuesday, 15th June, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:---

#### The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Avlesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard. Beaubien, Béique, Béland, Belcourt. Bénard, Black, Bourque, Buchanan, Bureau, Calder, Casgrain, Chapais, Copp, Crowe, Dandurand, Daniel. Donnelly, S 29-1

Farrell, Fisher, Foster, Foster (Sir George), Gillis, Girroir, Green, Griesbach, Harmer, Haydon, Hughes, King, Laird, Lavergne, Legris, L'Espérance, Lessard, Lewis, Lynch-Staunton, MacArthur, Macdonell, Martin, -McCormick, McLean, McMeans, Michener, Molloy, Mulholland, Murphy, Pardee, Planta, Pope, Prowse, Rankin, Robertson, Robinson, Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw), Schaffner. Sharpe, Smith, Stanfield, Tanner, Taylor, Tessier, Todd, Turgeon, Turriff. Watson, Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby.

#### PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that he had received a communication from the Governor General's Secretary.

The same was read by the Honourable the Speaker, as follows:-

#### OTTAWA, 15th June, 1926.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that the Right Honourable F. A. Anglin, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, will proceed to the Senate Chamber to-day at 5.45 p.m. for the purpose of giving the Royal Assent to certain Bills.

I have the honour to be,

Sir, Your obedient servant, F. L. C. PEREIRA, For Governor General's Secretary.

The Honourable

The Speaker of the Senate, Ottawa.

Ordered,-That the same do lie on the Table.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Pope, it was-

Ordered,-That an order of the Senate do issue for a return showing:-

1. Where was the steam boat Lady Grey every day during the month of October, 1925?

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The Honourable Mr. Taylor called the attention of the Senate to evidences of decay in the service of printing and distributing parliamentary papers, and inquired:—

1. What period was covered by the reports contained in the bound volumes last distributed to Members of Parliament and to libraries and other institutions accustomed to receive the same; and at what date were these volumes ready for distribution?

2. Are the bound volumes for 1924-25 now available? If not, when are they expected to be ready, and what has been the cause of any unusual delay? Debated.

The Honourable Mr. Dandurand laid on the Table-

Report on Civil Aviation including civil operations for other Government Departments, undertaken by the Royal Canadian Air Force for the year 1925. (Sessional Papers, 1926, No.)

Pursuant to the Order of the Day-

The Honourable Mr. Dandurand moved that the Bill (91), intituled: "An Act to amend The Immigration Act," be now read the second time.

After debate-

The Senate was adjourned during pleasure.

#### 15TH JUNE

After a while, the Right Honourable Francis Alexander Anglin, Chief Justice of Canada, the Deputy of the Governor General, having come and being seated at the foot of the Throne,—

The Honourable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that,— "It is the Right Honourable the Deputy of the Governor General's desire they attend him immediately in the Senate Chamber."

The House of Commons being come,

An Act to provide for changing the names of certain Pension Fund Societies.

An Act for the relief of Joseph Robert Crow. An Act for the relief of Stanley Bennett. An Act for the relief of Katherine Landon Foley. An Act for the relief of Edith Annie Say. An Act for the relief of Isabella Stewart Carmichael Wilson. An Act for the relief of May Maud Mary Johnson. An Act for the relief of Roland George Wickens. An Act for the relief of Marjorie Durham Morgan. An Act for the relief of Amber May Wolfenden. An Act for the relief of Enda Beatrice Burley. An Act for the relief of Bessie Hyde Lanyon Calhoun. An Act for the relief of Bleecker Foy Maidens. An Act for the relief of George Almon Wickett. An Act for the relief of Mabel Ellen Barrett. An Act for the relief of Mabel Victoria Westerby. An Act for the relief of Morgan Hart. An Act for the relief of James Arthur Breadon. An Act for the relief of Marjorie Esther Splan. An Act for the relief of Gladys Orme. An Act for the relief of John Andrew Reid. An Act for the relief of William Thomas Charlton Spence. An Act for the relief of Gladys Lucie White. An Act for the relief of Robert Stewart McIntyre, An Act for the relief of Goldie Luella Russell, An Act for the relief of Arthur Atkinson. An Act for the relief of Lillian Edith Hudgin. An Act for the relief of Mary Booth. An Act for the relief of Bernard Ernest Sleeth. An Act for the relief of Elsie Fray. An Act for the relief of Cecilia Marrie Peters Kendall. An Act for the relief of Elias Malky. An Act for the relief of Ethel Beatrice Walker. An Act for the relief of George Elgie Dulyea. An Act for the relief of John Wilson. An Act for the relief of John Sydney Wright. An Act for the relief of Lillie Torrance Cascadden. An Act for the relief of James Thomas Young. An Act for the relief of Copland William Evans. An Act for the relief of Arthur John Harman. An Act for the relief of Annie Rebecca Herbert. An Act for the relief of David Joseph Potter. An Act for the relief of Walter Harold Bingley. An Act for the relief of Ethel Harriet Little

An Act respecting The Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

An Act respecting The Interprovincial and James Bay Railway Company.

An Act to incorporate The Pioneer Insurance Company.

An Act respecting The Pacific Coast Fire Insurance Company.

An Act respecting the Grand Orange Lodge of British America.

An Act to amend The Dominion Forest Reserves and Parks Act.

An Act to amend The Customs Tariff, 1907.

An Act to amend The Railway Act, 1919.

An Act to amend The Canadian Red Cross Society Act. An Act to amend The Yukon Quartz Mining Act.

An Act respecting the Chicoutimi Harbour Commissioners,

An Act to authorize the raising, by way of loan, of certain sums of money for the Public Service.

An Act respecting trade relations with British West Indies, Bermuda, British Guiana, and British Honduras.

An Act to amend The Opium and Narcotic Drug Act, 1923.

An Act to incorporate The Canadian Dexter P. Cooper Company.

An Act to amend The Railway Belt Water Act.

An Act for the relief of Samuel Wexler.

An Act for the relief of Samuel Lehman Stouffer.

An Act for the relief of Robert Douglas Ian McLeod.

An Act for the relief of Mary Margaret McColgan Vinnette Graydon.

An Act for the relief of Alexander Charles Boyd.

An Act for the relief of Charles' Day.

An Act for the relief of Albert Wilson Denning.

An Act for the relief of Margaret Lambert. An Act for the relief of Jessie Patterson.

An Act for the relief of Ernest Ashton.

An Act for the relief of Evelyn Christine Stewart.

An Act for the relief of Ernest Love.

An Act for the relief of Charles Stanley Reed Riches.

An Act for the relief of Mona Aileen Davies. An Act for the relief of Elizabeth Wright.

An Act to amend the Excise Act.

An Act to amend The Income War Tax Act, 1917.

To these Bills the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:----

"In His Majesty's name, the Right Honourable the Deputy of the Governor General doth assent to these Bills."

The Honourable the Speaker of the Commons then addressed the Right Honourable the Deputy of the Governor General, as follows:-

#### "MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

"The Commons of Canada have voted supplies required to enable the Government to defray certain expenses of the Public Service.

"In the name of the Commons, I present to Your Honour the following Bills:-

"An Act for granting to His Majesty a certain sum of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1927.

"An Act for granting to His Majesty a certain sum of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1927. "To which Bills I humbly request Your Honour's assent."

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After the Clerk had read the titles of these Bills,

To these Bills the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:—

"In His Majesty's name, the Right Honourable the Deputy of the Governor General thanks His Loyal Subjects, accepts their benevolence, and assents to these Bills."

After which the Right Honourable the Deputy of the Governor General was pleased to retire.

The Commons withdrew.

The Senate was resumed.

The question again being put on the motion for the second reading of the Bill (91), intituled: "An Act to amend The Immigration Act," the Senate divided and the names being called they were taken down, as follows:—

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#### The Honourable Messieurs

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Black,	Lynch-Staunton,	Pope,	Taylor,
Calder,	Macdonell,	Reid,	Todd,
Crowe,	Martin,	Robertson,	Turriff,
Daniel,	McCormick,	Ross (Middleton),	Webster (Brockville),
Fisher,	McLean,	Schaffner,	White
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It was passed in the negative.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (153), intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code," it was—

Ordered,-That the said Order of the Day be postponed till to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration, in a Committee of the Whole, of the Bill (X6), intituled: "An Act to amend the Canada Evidence Act," it was—

Ordered,—That the said Order of the Day be postponed till to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (115), intituled: "An Act to amend The Special War Revenue Act, 1915," it was—

Ordered,--That the said Order of the Day be postponed till to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Barnard, for the Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the StandingCommittee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and fifty-ninth Report. The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 15th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and fifty-ninth Report, as follows:—

With respect to the petition of Alice Victoria McGibbon, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, dressmaker; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon her petition for a Bill of Divorce.

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1. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees paid under Rule 140 be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Barnard, for the Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and sixtieth Report.

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

TUESDAY, 11th May, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and sixtieth Report, as follows:-

1. With respect to the petition of Joan Henderson, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Joseph Henderson, of the said city, orderly, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY.

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Barnard, for the Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and sixtyfirst Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 1st June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and sixty-first Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Edward Barker, of the village of Arden. in the township of Kennebec, in the county of Frontenac, province of Ontario, telephone operator, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Ruth Coral Barker, formerly of the said village, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Senate adjourned.

15TH JUNE

## ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

## Wednesday, 16th June, 1926

Presentation of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Reading of Petitions. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

#### INQUIRIES

#### For Wednesday, 16th June, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Reid:-

15th June-Will enquire of the Government:---

1. Was any moneys paid to creditors of Home Bank on claims over \$500, prior to November 30, 1925? If so, what amount and among how many claimants?

2. Was any moneys paid to creditors of Home Bank on claims over \$500, between November 30, 1925, and January 7, 1926? If so, how much and among how many creditors?

3. How much money has been paid to date to creditors of Home Bank on claims under \$500?

4. How much money has been paid to date to creditors of Home Bank on claims over \$500?

5. How many claims under \$500 are still pending settlement?

6. How many claims over \$500 are still pending?

#### MOTION

#### For Thursday, 17th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

By the Honourable Sir George Foster:-

2nd June—Thet an Order of the House do issue for a return showing,— All correspondence between Dr. W. J. Riddel, Liaison officer of the Government at Geneva and the Department of Foreign Affairs with respect of the League of Nations and its relations to the Government of Canada.

## ORDERS OF THE DAY

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#### For Wednesday, 16th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

11th June-Second Reading (Bill 8), An Act to amend the Canada Grain Act.--(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)-E.F.

#### No. 2.

14th June-Second Reading (Bill 12), intituled: "An Act respecting Joliette and Northern Railway Company."-(Honourable Mr. Gordon.)-E.F.

#### No. 3.

10th June-Second Reading Bill 153, An Act to amend the Criminal Code. -(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)-E.F.

#### No. 4.

11th June-The House in Committee of the Whole on Bill X6, An Act to amend the Canada Evidence Act .-- (Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)

#### No. 5.

14th June-Second Reading (Bill 115), intituled: "An Act to amend The Special War Revenue Act 1915."-(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)-E.F.

#### For Thursday, 17th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

15th June-Consideration of the one hundred and fifty-ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Alice Victoria McGibbon, praying for the refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon her petition for a bill of divorce.-(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 2.

15th June-Consideration of the one hundred and sixtieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Joan Henderson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee .--(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 3.

15th June-Consideration of the one hundred and sixty-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Edward Barker, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee .- (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 30

## MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

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## THE SENATE OF CANADA

#### Wednesday, 16th June, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:-

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The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard, Beaubien, Béique. Béland, Belcourt, Bénard, Black, Blondin. Bourque, Boyer, Buchanan, Bureau, Calder, Casgrain, Chapais, Copp, Crowe, Curry, Dandurand, · S 30-1

Donnelly, Farrell, Fisher, Foster, Foster (Sir George), Gillis. Girroir, Gordon, Green, Griesbach. Hardy, Harmer, Haydon, Hughes, King, Laird, Lavergne, Legris, Lessard,

Lewis, Lynch-Staunton, MacArthur, Macdonell, Martin. McCoig, McCormick, McLean, McLennan, McMeans, Michener, Molloy, Mulholland, Murphy, Pardee, Planta, Pope, Prowse. Rankin, Reid, Robertson,

Robinson, Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw), Schaffner. Sharpe, Smith, Stanfield, Tanner, Taylor, Tessier, Todd. Turgeon, Turriff, Watson, Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby.

#### THE SENATE

#### PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Speaker presented to the Senate-

A further Return by the Clerk of the Senate with reference to the Property Qualification of Senators.

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

#### OFFICE OF THE CLERK,

OTTAWA, 16th June, 1926.

SIR,—I have the honour to transmit to you, herewith, for the information of the Honourable the Senate, a return with respect to a member of the Senate who has signed a renewed declaration of his property qualification in compliance with the 105th Rule of the House.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant, A. E. BLOUNT,

Clerk of the Senate.

The Honourable Hewitt Bostock, P.C., Speaker of the Senate.

81. The Honourable G. Boyer.

Ordered,-That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and sixty-second Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 15th June, 1926.

1. With respect to the petition of Cecil Chester Richardson, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, solicitor, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Mary Evelyn Richardson, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

#### Chairman.

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

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (Y3), intituled: "An Act respecting Dominion Electric Protection Company."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (13), intituled: "An Act respecting a patent owned by The John E, Russell Company, Limited."

And to acquaint the Senate that the Commons have agreed to the amendment, made by the Senate, without any amendment.

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A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (11), initialed: "An Act to incorporate the President of the Lethbridge Stake."

And to acquaint the Senate that the Commons have agreed to the amendment, made by the Senate, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (8), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canada Grain Act," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce. On motion, it was-

Ordered,—That Rule 119 be suspended in so far as it relates to the Bill (8), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canada Grain Act."

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (12), intituled: "An Act respecting Joliette and Northern Railway Company," was read the second time, and— Referred to the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (153), intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code," was read the second time, and-

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (X6), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canada Evidence Act as respects Bank Books and Records."

#### (In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and

The Honourable Mr. Robinson, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (115), intituled: "An Act to amend The Special War Revenue Act, 1915," was read the second time, and— With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

The Senate adjourned.



#### Thursday, 17th June, 1926

Presentation of Petitions. Reports of Committees. Reading of Petitions. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

#### INQUIRIES

#### For Thursday, 17th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Reid:-

15th June-Will enquire of the Government:--

1. Was any money paid to creditors of the Home Bank on claims over \$500, prior to November 30, 1925? If so, what was the total amount paid and among how many claimants was it divided?

2. Was any money paid to creditors of the Home Bank on claims over \$500, between November 30, 1925, and January 7, 1926? If so, how much and among how many creditors was it divided?

3. How much money has been paid to date to creditors of the Home Bank on claims under \$500?

4. How much money has been paid to date to creditors of the Home Bank on claims over \$500?

5. How many claims under \$500 are still pending settlement?

6. How many claims over \$500 are still pending?

#### MOTION

#### For Thursday, 17th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

By the Honourable Sir George Foster:-

2nd June—That an Order of the House do issue for a return showing,— All correspondence between Dr. W. J. Riddel, Liaison officer of the Government at Geneva and the Department of Foreign Affairs with respect of the League of Nations and its relations to the Government of Canada.

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#### For Thursday, 17th June, 1926

No. 1.

15th June—Consideration of the one hundred and fifty-ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Alice Victoria McGibbon, praying for the refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon her petition for a bill of divorce.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 2.

15th June—Consideration of the one hundred and sixtieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Joan Henderson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 3.

15th June—Consideration of the one hundred and sixty-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Edward Barker, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 4.

16th June—Committee of the Whole on Bill 153, An Act to amend the Criminal Code.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

#### For Friday, 18th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

16th June—Consideration of the one hundred and sixty-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Cecil Chester Richardson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

## No. 31

## MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 17th June, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:-

The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Avlesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard, Beaubien, Béique, Béland. Belcourt. Bénard, Black, Bourque, Buchanan, Bureau. Calder, Casgrain, Copp, Crowe, Curry, Dandurand, Daniel, Donnelly, S 31-1

Farrell, Fisher, Foster, Foster (Sir George), Gillis, Girroir, Gordon, Green, Griesbach, Hardy, Harmer, Haydon, Hughes, King, Laird, Lavergne, L'Espérance, Lessard, Lewis.

MacArthur, Macdonell, Martin, McCoig, McCormick, McDonald, McLean, McLennan, McMeans, Michener, Molloy, Mulholland, Pardee, Planta, Pope, Prowse, Rankin, Reid, Robertson, Robinson,

Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw), Schaffner, Sharpe, Smith, Stanfield, Tanner, Taylor, Tessier. Todd. Turgeon, Turriff, Watson. Webster (Brockville), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby.

#### PRAYERS.

The Honourable Mr. Béique, from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (112), intituled: "An Act respecting certain patents owned by the Sealright Company, Inc.," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered. That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Béique, from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (113), intituled: "An Act respecting the Bronson Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with several amendments. which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

Page 1, line 14. For clause 2 of the Bill substitute the following:-

"2. The proviso to section two of chapter one hundred and three of the statutes of 1888 is repealed and the following is substituted therefor: Provided that the Company may acquire such real estate only as may be necessary or convenient for the purposes of the Company, and section two of chapter ninetysix of the statutes of 1899 is hereby amended by striking out in the seventh line thereof the words 'any real and personal property' and substituting therefor 'such real and personal property as may be necessary or convenient for the purposes of the Company'."

Page 3, line 38. For clause 5 of the Bill substitute the following:-

"5. Sections one hundred and sixty-five and one hundred and sixty-eight of The Companies Act shall not apply to the Company."

With leave of the Senate,

The said amendments were concurred in, and-

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable Mr. Macdonell, from the Special Committee to whom was referred the Bill (17), intituled: "An Act to amend The Soldier Settlement Act. 1919," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with several amendments, which he was ready 

Page 1, line 10. For section 68. (1) substitute the following section:-

"68. (1) Notwithstanding anything in this Act, a settler who has agreed to purchase any land from the Board, who has not assigned or transferred his interest in his land, whose agreement with the Board has not been terminated or rescinded, who has not repaid his indebtedness to the Board, and who claims that there has been a depreciation in the value of such land not the result of neglect or mismanagement on his part, may make application for the revaluation of the said land subject to the following conditions:-"

Page 1, line 30. Leave out the words "difference or ".

Page 1, line, 33. Leave out "market".

Page 2, line 3. Leave out "market".

Page 2, line 13. For paragraph "(e)" substitute the following paragraph:-

"(e) Upon the receipt of an application made in accordance with the terms of this section the Board shall ascertain and determine the depreciation in value as set forth in paragraph (c) of this section; and if any applicant is dissatisfied with the decision of the Board he may, within such time as is prescribed by regulations made by the Governor in Council, appeal to the Exchequer Court of Canada and the decision of that court shall be final;"

Page 2, line 28. Leave out paragraph "(f)". Page 2, line 36. Leave out paragraph "(h)". Page 2, line 44. Leave out the words: "Upon the conclusion of the matter referred to the District Arbitration Committee under this section, the Committee shall forthwith forward a copy of its decision to the Board, and ".

Page 3, lines 3 and 4. For the words: "determined by the District Arbitration Committee " substitute " finally determined ". Page 3, lines 13 and 14. For the words: " District Arbitration Committee's

decision;" substitute " final determination of the amount of depreciation in value. aforesaid :".

Page 3, line 17. After paragraph (j) insert the following new paragraph:— "The Governor in Council may make such regulations as he deems fit for the procedure in appeals to The Exchequer Court under this section, and may by such regulations modify or dispense with any provisions as to procedure in The Exchequer Court Act or in the rules of practice of that Court. All such regulations made shall be published forthwith in The Canada Gazette."

Page 3, line 24. Leave out "the recision" and insert "the termination or rescission ".

Page 3, line 27. For "recision" substitute "rescission".

Alter the lettering of the preceding paragraphs accordingly.

Ordered, That the said amendments be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce. presented their one hundred and sixty-third Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 15th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and sixty-third Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Alberta Lutz, of the village of Stony Creek, in the county of Wentworth, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Norman Alva Lutz, formerly of the city of Hamilton, in the said province, electrician, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY, Chairman.

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

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The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and sixty-fourth Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 15th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and sixty-fourth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Edward Saville, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, machinist, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Nina Saville, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and sixty-fifth Report.

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

TUESDAY, 15th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and sixty-fifth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of George Frederick Adams, of the town of Bala, in the district of Muskoka, in the province of Ontario, boat house keeper, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marjory Sarah Adams, presently residing at the city of San José, in the state of California, one of the United States of America, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and sixty-sixth Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 15th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and sixty-sixth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Aimée Glenholme Young, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with David Douglas Young, formerly of the said city, elerk, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Monday, next. The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and sixty-seventh Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 15th June, 1926.

1. With respect to the petition of Joseph Azarie Handfield, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, physician, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Pauline Fréchette Handfield, formerly of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY, Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and sixty-eighth Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 15th June, 1926.

1. With respect to the petition of Sadie Joy Downey, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Morris Chester Downey, of the said city, policeman, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

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

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and sixty-ninth Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 15th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and sixty-ninth Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Vina Kennedy (otherwise known as Vina Dorothy Kennedy) of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, machine operator, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Thomas Mitchell Kennedy, of the said city, printer, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

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

The Honourable Mr. White (Inkerman), from the Standing Committee on Debates and Reporting, presented their second Report.

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

#### THURSDAY, 17th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Debates and Reporting beg leave to make their second Report, as follows:--

The Committee recommend that the appointment of Messrs. Thomas Blacklock and J. A. Fortier to the reporting staff of the Senate, be continued for the next Session of Parliament upon the terms and conditions set forth in the Report of the Committee on Debates and Reporting of June 3rd, 1913, with the further recommendation that the rate of pay to Mr. Fortier be \$20 per week.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### SMEATON WHITE,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and fifty-ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Alice Victoria McGibbon; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon her petition for a Bill of Divorce.

The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and sixtieth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Joan Henderson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and sixty-first Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Edward Barker, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (153), intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code."

#### (In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and-

The Honourable Mr. Stanfield, from the said Committee, reported that they had taken the said Bill into consideration, made some progress thereon, and asked leave to sit again; it was—

Ordered,—That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for further consideration in a Committee of the Whole to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

## ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

#### Friday, 18th June, 1926

Presentation of Petitions. Reports of Committees. Reading of Petitions. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

#### INQUIRIES

#### For Friday, 18th June, 1926

No. 1. By the Honourable Mr. Reid:-

15th June-Will enquire of the Government:--

1. Was any money paid to creditors of the Home Bank on claims over \$500, prior to November 30, 1925? If so, what was the total amount paid and among how many claimants was it divided?

2. Was any money paid to creditors of the Home Bank on claims over \$500, between November 30, 1925, and January 7, 1926? If so, how much and among how many creditors was it divided?

3. How much money has been paid to date to creditors of the Home Bank on claims under \$500?

4. How much money has been paid to date to creditors of the Home Bank on claims over \$500?

5. How many claims under \$500 are still pending settlement?

6. How many claims over \$500 are still pending?

#### MOTION

#### For Monday, 21st June, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Sir George Foster:-

2nd June—That an Order of the House do issue for a return showing,— All correspondence between Dr. W. J. Riddel, Liaison officer of the Government at Geneva and the Department of Foreign Affairs with respect of the League of Nations and its relations to the Government of Canada.

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#### For Friday, 18th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

16th June—Consideration of the one hundred and sixty-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Cecil Chester Richardson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 2.

17th June—Consideration of the second report of the Standing Committee on Debates and Reporting.—(Honourable Mr. Smeaton White.)

#### No. 3.

17th June—Consideration of the Special Committee on Bill 17, intituled: "An Act to amend the Soldier Settlement Act, 1919."—(Honourable Mr. Macdonell.)

#### No. 4.

17th June—Committee of the Whole on Bill 153, An Act to amend the Criminal Code.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

#### For Monday, 21st June, 1926

#### No. 1.

17th June—Consideration of the one hundred and sixty-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Alberta Lutz, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 2.

17th June—Consideration of the one hundred and sixty-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Edward Saville, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 3.

17th June—Consideration of the one hundred and sixty-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of George Frederick Adams, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 4.

17th June—Consideration of the one hundred and sixty-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Aimée Young, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

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#### No. 5.

17th June—Consideration of the one hundred and sixty-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Joseph Azarie Handfield, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 6.

17th June—Consideration of the one hundred and sixty-eighth report of the Starding Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Sadie Joy Downey, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 7.

17th June—Consideration of the one hundred and sixty-ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Vina Kennedy, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

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## MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS of THE SENATE OF CANADA

Friday, 18th June, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:---

The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard. Beaubien, Béique, Béland, Belcourt, Bénard, Black, Bourque, Buchanan, Bureau, Calder, Casgrain, Copp, Crowe, Curry, Dandurand,

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Farrell,-Fisher, Foster, Foster (Sir George), Gillis, Girroir, Gordon, Green, Griesbach, Hardy, Harmer, Haydon, Hughes, King, Laird, Lavergne,

Donnelly,

L'Espérance, Lessard, Lewis, MacArthur, Macdonell, Martin, McCormick, McDonald, McLean, McLennan, Michener, Molloy, Mulholland, Pardee, Planta, Prowse, Reid, Robertson,

Robinson, Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw), Schaffner. Sharpe, Smith. Stanfield, Tanner, Taylor, Tessier, Todd, Turgeon, Turriff. Watson, White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willeughby.

#### PRAYERS.

The Honourable Mr. Robertson, from the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, to whom was referred the Bill<sup>-</sup>(12), intituled: "An Act respecting Joliette and Northern Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

The Honourable Mr. Green, for the Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke), presented to the Senate a Bill (Y6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edward Barker."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Tuesday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Green, for the Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke), presented to the Senate a Bill (Z6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Joan Henderson."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Tuesday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Barnard, for the Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and seventieth Report.

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

TUESDAY, 15th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and seventieth Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Frederick George Jones, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, automobile accessories salesman, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Isabella Jones, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

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. Barnard, for the Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and seventyfirst Report.

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

TUESDAY, 15th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and seventy-first Report, as follows:— 1. With respect to the petition of James Gibb Erskine, of the city of Ottawa, in the province of Ontario, salesman, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Gladys Muriel Hall Erskine, of the city of Toronto, in the said province, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

 The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.
 The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY.

#### Chairman.

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

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and sixty-second Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Cecil Chester Richardson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the second Report of the Standing Committee on Debates and Reporting. The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the amendments made by the Special Committee, to whom was referred the Bill (17), intituled: "An Act to amend The Soldier Settlement Act, 1919."

The said amendments were concurred in.

Ordered,—That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading on Tuesday, next.

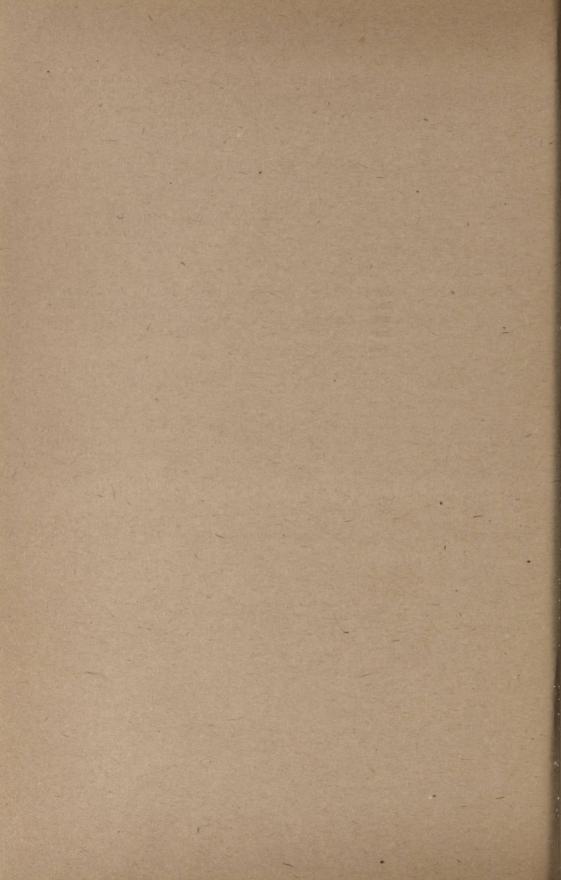
. The Order of the Day being called for the further consideration, in a Committee of the Whole, of the Bill (153), intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed till Tuesday, next.

On motion, it was-

Ordered,—That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned till Monday, next, at eight o'clock in the evening,

The Senate adjourned.



## ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

#### Monday, 21st June, 1926

Presentation of Petitions. Reports of Committees.

Reading of Petitions. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

#### INOUIRIES

#### For Monday, 21st June, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Reid:-

15th June-Will enquire of the Government:-

1. Was any money paid to creditors of the Home Bank on claims over \$500, prior to November 30, 1925? If so, what was the total amount paid and among how many claimants was it divided?

2. Was any money paid to creditors of the Home Bank on claims over \$500, between November 30, 1925, and January 7, 1926? If so, how much and among how many creditors was it divided?

3. How much money has been paid to date to creditors of the Home Bank on claims under \$500?

4. How much money has been paid to date to creditors of the Home Bank on claims over \$500?

5. How many claims under \$500\_are still pending settlement?

6. How many claims over \$500 are still pending?

#### MOTION

#### For Monday, 21st June, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Sir George Foster:-

2nd June-That an Order of the House do issue for a return showing,-All correspondence between Dr. W. J. Riddel, Liaison officer of the Government at Geneva and the Department of Foreign Affairs with respect of the League of Nations and its relations to the Government of Canada.

#### For Tuesday, 22nd June, 1926

#### No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Prowse:-

18th June-For a copy of all accounts submitted to the Government by Colonel Robert Innes, in connection with his visit to India, together with a copy of all telegrams, correspondence and other documents in connection with the same.

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Nore.—The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed; E. printed in English, F. in French.

#### For Monday, 21st June, 1926

#### No. 1.

17th June—Third Reading (Bill 112), intituled: "An Act respecting certain patents owned by the Sealright Company, Inc."—(Honourable Mr. Beique.).

#### No. 2.

17th June—Consideration of the one hundred and sixty-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Alberta Lutz, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 3.

17th June—Consideration of the one hundred and sixty-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Edward Saville, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 4.

17th June—Consideration of the one hundred and sixty-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of George Frederick Adams, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 5.

17th June—Consideration of the one hundred and sixty-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Aimée Young, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 6.

17th June—Consideration of the one hundred and sixty-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Joseph Azarie Handfield, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 7.

17th June—Consideration of the one hundred and sixty-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Sadie Joy Downey, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 8.

17th June—Consideration of the one hundred and sixty-ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Vina Kennedy, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

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#### For Tuesday, 22nd June, 1926

18th June-Second Reading (Bill Y6), An Act for the relief of Edward Barker.-(Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke).)

#### No. 2.

No. 1.

18th June-Second Reading (Bill Z6), An Act-for the relief of Joan Henderson.-(Honourable Mr. McMeans.)

#### No. 3.

18th June—Consideration of the one hundred and seventieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Frederick George Jones, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 4.

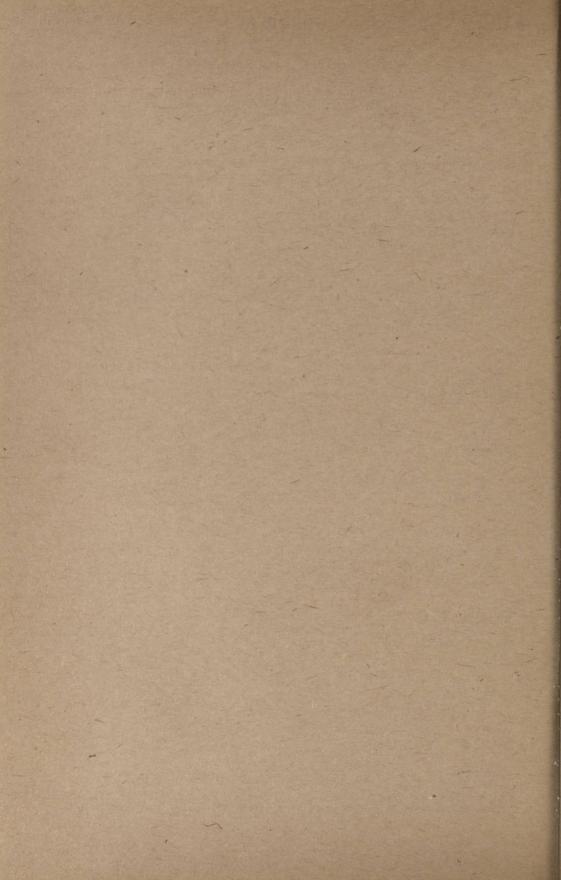
18th June—Consideration of the one hundred and seventy-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of James Gibb Erskine, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 5.

17th June—Consideration of the amendments made by the Special Committee to Bill 17, intituled: "An 'Act to amend the Soldier Settlement Act, 1919:"—(Honourable Mr. Macdonell.)

#### No. 6.

17th June—House again in Committee of the Whole on Bill 153, An Act to amend the Criminal Code.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.



## No. 33

## MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

#### OF

## THE SENATE OF CANADA

#### Monday, 21st June, 1926

8 P.M.

The Members convened were:---

Fisher,

Foster,

#### The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard. Beaubien. Béique, Béland, Belcourt. Bénard, Black, Bourque, Buchanan, Bureau, Calder, Casgrain, Chapais, Copp, Crowe, Daniel, Farrell,

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Foster (Sir George), Gillis. Girroir. Green, Griesbach, Hardy, Harmer, Haydon, Hughes, King. Laird, Lavergne, Legris, L'Espérance, Lessard, Lewis,

-Martin. McCoig. McCormick, McDonald. McLean, McLennan. McMeans, Michener, Molloy, Mulholland. Pardee, Pope, Prowse, Rankin. Reid. Robertson, Robinson,

MacArthur,

Macdonell,

Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw), Schaffner, Sharpe, Smith. Stanfield, Tanner, Taylor, Todd, Turgeon, Turriff, Watson. Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Pembroke), Willoughby.

#### PRAYERS.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,—That Rule 24 (a) and (h) be suspended in so far as it relates to the following Reports.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and seventy-second Report.

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

#### FRIDAY, 18th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and seventy-second Report, as follows:

1. With respect to the petition of James Edward Barnaby, of the city of Hull, in the province of Quebec, hotel-keeper, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Mary Florence Barnaby, of the city of Ottawa, in the province of Ontario, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and seventy-third Report.

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

#### FRIDAY, 18th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and seventy-third Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Edith Swartz, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, dressmaker, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Louis Swartz, of the town of Yorkton, in the province of Saskatchewan, merchant, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

#### Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and seventy-fourth Report.

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

#### FRIDAY, 18th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and seventy-fourth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Ernest Johnson, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, decorator, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with

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Annie Johnson, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material resepects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marrie ge.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and seventy-fifth Report.

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

#### FRIDAY, 18th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and seventy-fifth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Lillie-May Brown Nichols, of the city of Guelph, in the province of Ontario, dressmaker, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with William Charles Nichols, formerly of the said city, labourer, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY, Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and seventy-sixth Report.

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

#### FRIDAY, 18th June, 1926.

With respect to the petition of Frederick William Orr, of St. Thomas, Ontario, railway employee; praying for the passage of an Act to annul his marriage with Grace Florence Orr, of the said city.

Counsel for the petitioner having applied for leave to withdraw the petition, and for refund of the Parliamentary fees, the Committee recommend:---

1. That leave to withdraw the petition be granted.

2. That out of the Parliamentary fees the sum of \$95 be paid to the respondent.

3. That the balance of the Parliamentary fees be refunded to the petitioner, less printing costs.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

- Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

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The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and seventy-seventh Report.

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

#### FRIDAY, 18th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and seventy-seventh Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Hazel Pearle Clarke Pearcy, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Gordon Montgomery Pearcy, of the said city, insurance broker, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and seventy-eighth Report.

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

FRIDAY, 18th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and seventh-eighth Report, as follows:--

1. With respect to the petition of Gladys Andrea Boyle, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, bank clerk, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Charles Joseph Boyle, of the city of Fort William, in the said province, musician, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and seventy-ninth Report.

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

#### FRIDAY, 18th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and seventy-ninth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of James Alfred McCabe, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, painter, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Elizabeth Helen Ashton McCabe, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

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3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY, Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and eightieth Report.

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

#### FRIDAY, 18th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and eightieth Report, as follows:--

1. With respect to the petition of Maxime Demers, of the town of Brownsburg, in the province of Quebec, labourer, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Alexina Courtemanche Demers, formerly of the said town, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$40.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and eighty-first Report.

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

#### FRIDAY, 18th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and eighty-first Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Dorothy Terry, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Henry Irving Terry, formerly of the said city, salesman, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

- It was, on division. Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and eighty-second Report. The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:-

FRIDAY, 18th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and eighty-second Report, as follows:---

1. With respect to the petition of Ethel Clementina Craig-Williams, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Thomas Craig-Williams, of the city of Coventry, England, civil servant, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees paid under Rule 140 be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered. That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and eighty-third Report.

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

#### FRIDAY, 18th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to-make their one hundred and eighty-third Report, as follows:-

1. With respect to the petition of Manford York, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, labourer, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Dora York, of the village of Deer Lake, in the district of Parry Sound, in the said province, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

 The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.
 The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders -of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and eighty-fourth Report.

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

#### FRIDAY, 18th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and eighty-fourth Report, as follows:-

1. With respect to the petition of May Elizabeth Chambers, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with James Lockhart Chambers, of the said city, mechanical engineer, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and eighty-fifth Report.

#### FRIDAY, 18th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and eighty-fifth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Ida Lula Dupuis Murchison, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with William Arthur Murchison, formerly of the said city, advertising manager, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and eighty-sixth Report.

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

#### FRIDAY, 18th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and eighty-sixth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Robert Fisher, of the city of Øttawa, in the province of Ontario, furrier's assistant, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Lena Fisher, formerly of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and eighty-seventh Report.

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

#### SATURDAY, 19th June, 1926.

With respect to the petition of Agnes Seeds, of Toronto, Ontario; praying for a Bill of Divorce from David McIntyre Seeds, of the said city, chauffeur.

Counsel for the petitioner, having applied for leave to withdraw the petition, and for refund of the Parliamentary fees, the Committee recommend that leave be granted accordingly, and that the Parliamentary fees be refunded to the petitioner, less printing costs.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY.

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (C5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alice Victoria McGibbon."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (B6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Samuel Paveling."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (C6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Jones."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (D6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Benjamin Rapp."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (E6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bernard Thomas Graham."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (F6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Robert Edward Greig."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (H6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Daisie Hawkey."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

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A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (I6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Sophia Gordonsmith."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment. -

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (J6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bertha Amelia Bertelet."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (K6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Olive Mary Mead."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (L6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alice Elizabeth Blakely."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (M4), intituled: "An Act respecting The Quebec, Montreal and Southern Railway Company."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (M6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Maud Hargraft."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (N6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frédéric Vinet."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was received from the House of Commons by their Clerk in the following words:-

#### FRIDAY, 18th June, 1926.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to return to that House the evidence, etc., taken before the Standing Committee of the Senate on Divorce, to whom were referred the petitions on which the following Bills were founded:—

Bill No. 175 (Letter C5 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alice Victoria McGibbon."

Bill No. 176 (Letter B6 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Samuel Paveling."

Bill No. 177 (Letter C6 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Jones."

Bill No. 178 (Letter D6 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Benjamin Rapp."

Bill No.:179 (Letter E6 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bernard Thomas Graham."

Bill No. 180 (Letter F6 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Robert Edward Greig."

Bill No. 181 (Letter H6 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Daisie Hawkey."

Bill No. 182 (Letter I6 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Sophia Gordonsmith."

Bill No. 183 (Letter J6 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bertha Amelia Bertelet."

Bill No. 184 (Letter K6 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Olive Mary Mead."

Bill No. 185 (Letter L6 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alice Elizabeth Blakely."

Bill No. 186 (Letter M6 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Maud Hargraft."

Bill No. 187 (Letter N6 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frédéric Vinet."

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest. -

#### ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,

Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered,-That the same do lie on the Table.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (G6), intituled: "An Act respecting certain patents of James McCutcheon Coleman."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (O6), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Gatineau Transmission Company."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, with one amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

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

Page 3, line 34. Strike out clause 11 and substitute therefor the following:-

"11. The power to construct, maintain and operate transmission and distribution lines conferred upon the Company by this Act shall not be exercisable in the province of Quebec in any case where under the statutes of Quebec the consent or approval of the Quebec Public Service Commission would but for this Act be required until after such consent or approval has been obtained. Except for the purpose of or in the case of conveyance, transmission or delivery of electrical power or energy to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario, or to the Canadian International Paper Company, its successors and assigns, for use at its pulp mill at Hawkesbury, Ontario, the power to construct transmission and distribution lines or to 'expropriate therefor or to convey, transmit or deliver electrical power or energy conferred upon the Company by this Act shall not be exercisable in the province of Ontario until the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario has consented thereto,"

The said amendment was concurred in.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint. that House that the Senate have agreed to their amendment, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (112), intituled: "An Act respecting certain patents owned by the Sealright Company, Inc.," was read the third time. The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and sixty-third Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Alberta Lutz, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and sixty-fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Edward Saville, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and sixty-fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of George Frederick Adams, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and sixty-sixth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Aimée Glenholme Young, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the one hundred and sixty-seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Joseph Azarie Handfield, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee, it was—

Ordered, That the same be postponed till to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and sixty-eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Sadie Joy Downey, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and sixty-ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Vina Kennedy (otherwise known as Vina Dorothy Kennedy), together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (A7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Cecil Chester Richardson."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Wednesday, next. The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (B7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vina Kennedy (otherwise known as Vina Dorothy Kennedy)."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Wednesday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (C7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sadie Joy Downey."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Wednesday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby presented to the Senate a Bill (D7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Aimée Glenholme Young."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Wednesday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (E7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alberta Lutz."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Wednesday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (F7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Frederick Adams."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Wednesday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (G7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edward Saville."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Wednesday, next.

The Senate adjourned.

## ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

#### Tuesday, 22nd June, 1926

Presentation of Petitions. Reports of Committees. Reading of Petitions. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

#### **INQUIRIES**

#### For Tuesday, 22nd June, 1926

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Reid:-

15th June-Will enquire of the Government:-

1. Was any money paid to creditors of the Home Bank on claims over \$500, prior to November 30, 1925? If so, what was the total amount paid and among how many claimants was it divided?

2. Was any money paid to creditors of the Home Bank on claims over \$500, between November 30, 1925, and January 7, 1926? If so, how much and among how many creditors was it divided?

3. How much money has been paid to date to creditors of the Home Bank on claims under \$500?

4. How much money has been paid to date to creditors of the Home Bank on claims over \$500?

5. How many claims under \$500 are still pending settlement?

6. How many claims over \$500 are still pending?

#### MOTION

#### For Tuesday, 22nd June, 1926

By the Honourable Mr. Prowse:-

18th June—For a copy of all accounts submitted to the Government by Colonel Robert Innes, in connection with his visit to India, together with a copy of all telegrams, correspondence and other documents in connection with the same.

No. 1.

No. 1.

#### For Wednesday, 23rd June, 1926

By the Honourable Sir George Foster:-

2nd June-That an Order of the House do issue for a return showing,-

All correspondence between Dr. W. J. Riddel, Liaison officer of the Government at Geneva and the Department of Foreign Affairs with respect of the League of Nations and its relations to the Government of Canada.

## ORDERS OF THE DAY

Note.—The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed; E. printed in English, F. in French.

#### For Tuesday, 22nd June, 1926

#### No. 1.

17th June—Third Reading Bill 17, intituled: "An Act to amend the Soldier Settlement Act, 1919," as amended.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

#### No. 2.

17th June-House again in Committee of the Whole on Bill 153, An Act to amend the Criminal Code.-(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)-E.F.

#### No. 3.

18th June-Second Reading (Bill Y6), An Act for the relief of Edward Barker.--(Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke).)

#### No. 4.

18th June—Second Reading (Bill Z6), An Act for the relief of Joan Henderson.—(Honourable Mr. McMeans.)

#### No. 5.

18th June—Consideration of the one hundred and seventieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Frederick George Jones, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 6.

18th June—Consideration of the one hundred and seventy-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of James Gibb Erskine, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 7.

17th June—Consideration of the one hundred and sixty-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Joseph Azarie Handfield, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 8.

21st June—Consideration of the one hundred and seventy-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of James Edward Barnaby, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr.-Willoughby.)

#### No. 9.

21st June—Consideration of the one hundred and seventy-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Edith Swartz, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

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#### No. 10.

21st June—Consideration of the one hundred and seventy-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ernest Johnson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.— (Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 11.

21st June—Consideration of the one hundred and seventy-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lillie May Brown Nichols, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 12.

21st June—Consideration of the one hundred and seventy-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Frederic William Orr, praying for leave to withdraw his petition and for refund of the Parliamentary fees.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 13.

21st June—Consideration of the one hundred and seventy-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Hazel Pearle Clarke Pearcy, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 14.

21st June—Consideration of the one hundred and seventy-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Gladys Andrea Boyle, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 15.

21st June—Consideration of the one hundred and seventy-ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of James Alfred McCabe, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 16.

21st June—Consideration of the one hundred and eightieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Maxime Demers, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 17.

21st June—Consideration of the one hundred and eighty-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Dorothy Terry, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 18.

21st June—Consideration of the one hundred and eighty-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ethel Clementina Craig Williams, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 19.

21st June—Consideration of the one hundred and eighty-third report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Manford York, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

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#### No. 20.

21st June—Consideration of the one hundred and eighty-fourth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of May Elizabeth Chambers, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 21.

21st June—Consideration of the one hundred and eighty-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ida Lula Dupuis Murchison, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 22.

21st June—Consideration of the one hundred and eighty-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Robert Fisher, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 23.

21st June—Consideration of the one hundred and eighty-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Agnes Seeds, praying for leave to withdraw her petition and for the refund of the Parliamentary fees.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### For Wednesday, 23rd June, 1926

#### No. 1.

21st June—Second Reading (Bill A7), An Act for the relief of Cecil Chester Richardson.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 2.

21st June-Second Reading (Bill B7), An Act for the relief of Vina Kennedy, otherwise known as Vina Dorothy Kennedy.-(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)-E.F.

#### No. 3.

21st June-Second Reading (Bill C7), An Act for the relief of Sadie Joy Downey.-(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)-E.F.

#### No. 4.

21st June—Second Reading (Bill D7), An Act for the relief of Aimée Glenholme Young.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)—E.F.

#### No. 5.

21st June-Second Reading (Bill E7), An Act for the relief of Alberta Lutz.--(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 6.

21st June-Second Reading (Bill F7), An Act for the relief of George Frederick Adams.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 7.

21st June-Second Reading (Bill G7), An Act for the relief of Edward Saville.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

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## MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE SENATE OF CANADA

#### Tuesday, 22nd June, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:-

The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard, Beaubien. Béique, Béland, Belcourt, Bénard, Buchanan, Bureau, Calder. Casgrain. Chapais, Copp, Crowe. Dandurand, Daniel. Farrell. Fisher, S 34-1

Foster. Foster (Sir George), Gillis. Girroir. Green, Griesbach. Hardy, Harmer, Haydon, Hughes, King, Laird. Lavergne, Legris, L'Espérance, Lessard, Lewis, MacArthur,

Macdonell. Martin. McCoig. McCormick, McLean. McLennan, McMeans. Michener. Molloy, Mulholland. Pardee. Planta, Pope, Prowse. Reid, Robertson. Robinson. Ross (Middleton), Willoughby. Ross (Moose Jaw),

Schaffner. \* Sharpe, Smith, Stanfield, Tanner, Taylor, Tessier, Todd, Turgeon, Turriff. Watson, Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke),

#### THE SENATE

#### PRAYERS.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,—That Rule 24 (a) be suspended in so far as it relates to the following Reports.

The Honourable Mr. Barnard, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and eighty-eighth Report.

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

TUESDAY, 22nd June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and eighty-eighth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Leslie Ellis Noble, of Toronto, Ontario, instructor, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Jessie Matilda-Noble, of the said city, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage. All which is respectfully submitted.

G. H. BARNARD,

Acting Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Mr. Barnard, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and eighty-ninth Report.

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

#### TUESDAY, 22nd June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and eighty-ninth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Charles Day, of Toronto, Ontario, cutter; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon his petition for a Bill of Divorce.

2. The Committee recommend that the prayer of the petition be not granted.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### G. H. BARNARD,

Acting Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (X6), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canada Evidence Act as respects Bank Books and Records."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (17), intituled: "An Act to amend The Soldier Settlement Act, 1919," was read the third time, as amended.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence. The Order of the Day being called for the further consideration, in a Committee of the Whole, of the Bill (153), intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed till Thursday, next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Y6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edward Barker," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Z6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Joan Henderson," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and seventieth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Frederick George Jones, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and seventy-first Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of James Gibb Erskine, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the one hundred and sixty-seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Joseph Azarie Handfield, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby moved that the said Report be now adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Beaubien moved, in amendment, that the said Reportbe not now adopted; but that it be referred back to the Standing Committee on Divorce for further consideration.

After debate, and-

With leave of the Senate-

The motion in amendment was withdrawn, and-

With leave of the Senate-

The motion for the adoption of the said Report was also withdrawn.

Ordered,—That the said Order of the Day be postponed till to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and seventy-second Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of James Edward Barnaby, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and seventy-third Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Edith Swartz, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

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Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and seventy-fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ernest Johnson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and seventy-fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lillie May Brown Nichols, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and seventy-sixth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, with respect to the petition of Frederick William Orr.

The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and seventy-seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Hazel Pearle Clarke Pearcy, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and seventy-eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Gladys Andrea Boyle, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and seventy-ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of James Alfred McCabe, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and eightieth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Maxime Demers, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and eighty-first Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Dorothy Terry, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and eighty-second Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ethel Clementina Craig-Williams, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

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Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and eighty-third Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Manford York, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and eighty-fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of May Elizabeth Chambers, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and eighty-fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ida Lula Dupuis Murchison, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and eighty-sixth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Robert Fisher, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and eighty-seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, with respect to the petition of Agnes Seeds.

The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (H7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Manford York."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (I7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Robert Fisher."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (J7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James Alfred McCabe."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (K7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Dorothy Terry."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next. The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (L7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillie May Brown Nichols."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (M7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Hazel Pearle Clarke Pearcy."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (N7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edith Swartz."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Haydon presented to the Senate a Bill (O7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James Gibb Erskine."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (P7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ernest Johnson."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (Q7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of May Elizabeth Chambers."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Schaffner presented to the Senate a Bill (R7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Maxime Demers."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby presented to the Senate a Bill (S7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James Edward Barnaby."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

The Senate adjourned.

## ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

#### Wednesday, 23rd June, 1926

Presentation of Petitions. Reports of Committees. Reading of Petitions. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

#### MOTIONS

#### For Wednesday, 23rd June, 1926

#### By the Honourable Mr. Prowse:-

18th June—For a copy of all accounts submitted to the Government by Colonel Robert Innes, in connection with his visit to India, together with a copy of all telegrams, correspondence and other documents in connection with the same.

#### No. 2.

No. 1.

#### By the Honourable Sir George Foster:-

2nd June—That an Order of the House do issue for a return showing,— All correspondence between Dr. W. J. Riddel, Liaison officer of the Government at Geneva and the Department of Foreign Affairs with respect of the League of Nations and its relations to the Government of Canada.

## ORDERS OF THE DAY

Note.—The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed; E. printed in English, F. in French.

#### For Wednesday, 23rd June, 1926

#### No. 1.

22nd June-Third Reading (Bill Y6), An Act for the relief of Edward Barker.--(Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke).)

#### No. 2.

22nd June-Third Reading (Bill Z6), An Act for the relief of Joan Henderson.-(Honourable Mr. McMeans.)

#### No. 3.

21st June—Second Reading (Bill A7), An Act for the relief of Cecil Chester Richardson.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 4.

21st June—Second Reading (Bill B7), An Act for the relief of Vina Kennedy, otherwise known as Vina Dorothy Kennedy.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 5.

21st June—Second Reading (Bill C7), An Act for the relief of Sadie Joy Downey.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 6.

21st June—Second Reading (Bill D7), An Act for the relief of Aimée Glenholme Young.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)—E.F.

#### No. 7.

21st June—Second Reading (Bill E7), An Act for the relief of Alberta Lutz.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 8.

21st June—Second Reading (Bill F7), An Act for the relief of George Frederick Adams.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 9.

21st June—Second Reading (Bill G7), An Act for the relief of Edward Saville.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 10.

17th June—Consideration of the one hundred and sixty-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Jcseph Azarie Handfield, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### No. 11.

22nd June—Consideration of the one hundred and eighty-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Leslie Ellis Noble, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Barnard.)

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#### No. 12.

22nd June—Consideration of the one hundred and eighty-ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Charles Day, praying for a refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon his petition for a bill of divorce.—(Honourable Mr. Barnard.)

#### For Thursday, 24th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

22nd June—House again in Committee of the Whole on Bill 153, An Act to amend the Criminal Code.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

#### No. 2.

22nd June—Second Reading (Bill H7), An Act for the relief of Manford York.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 3.

22nd June-Second Reading (Bill 17), An Act for the relief of Robert Fisher.--(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 4.

22nd June—Second Reading (Bill J7), An Act for the relief of James Alfred McCabe.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 5.

22nd June—Second Reading (Bill K7), An Act for the relief of Dorothy Terry.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 6.

22nd June-Second Reading (Bill L7), An Act for the relief of Lillie May Brown Nichols.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 7.

22nd June-Second Reading (Bill M7), An Act for the relief of Hazel Pearle Clarke Pearcy.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 8.

22nd June-Second Reading (Bill N7), An Act for the relief of Edith Swartz.--(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 9.

22nd June—Second Reading (Bill O7), An Act for the relief of James Gibb Erskine.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 10.

22nd June—Second Reading (Bill P7), An Act for the relief of Ernest Johnson.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 11.

22nd June—Second Reading (Bill Q7), An Act for the relief of May Elizabeth Chambers.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

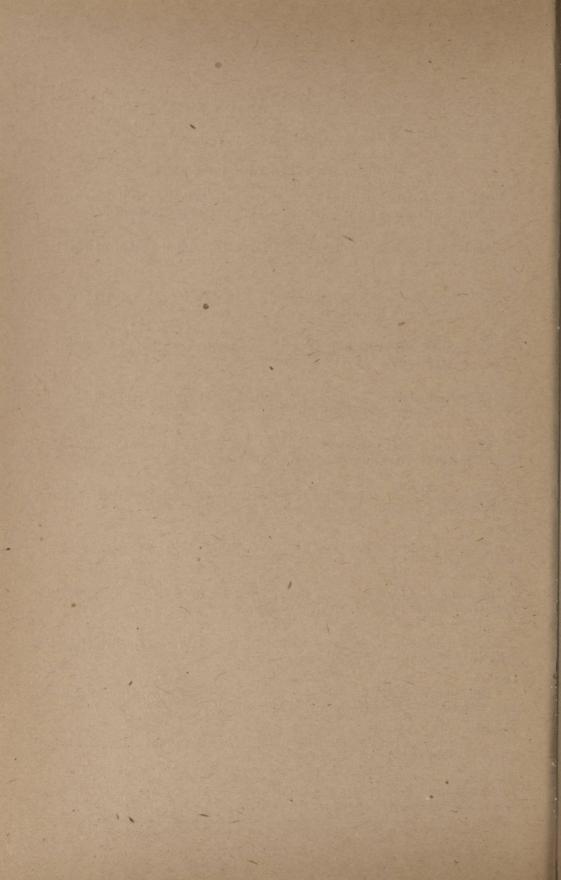
#### No. 12.

22nd June—Second Reading (Bill R7), An Act for the relief of Maxime Demers.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 13.

.22nd June—Second Reading (Bill S7), An Act for the relief of James Edward Barnaby.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)—E.F.

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# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

## THE SENATE OF CANADA

#### Wednesday, 23rd June, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:-

Farrell.

The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Lewis,

Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard, Beaubien, Béique, Béland. Belcourt. Bénard. Blondin, Bourque, Buchanan, Bureau, Calder. Casgrain, Chapais, Copp, Crowe, Dandurand, Daniel. Donnelly,

Fisher. Foster, Foster (Sir George), Gillis, Girroir, Gordon. Green, Griesbach, Hardy, Harmer, Haydon, Hughes, King, Laird, Lavergne, Legris, L'Espérance, Lessard,

MacArthur, Macdonell, Martin, McCoig, McCormick. McDonald, McLean. McLennan, McMeans, Michener, Molloy, Mulholland. Pardee, Planta, Pope, Prowse, Rankin, Reid. Robertson,

Robinson, Ross (Middleton). Ross (Moose Jaw), Schaffner, Sharpe, Smith. Stanfield. Tanner. Taylor, Tessier, Todd. Turgeon, Turriff. Watson, Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby.

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#### PRAYERS.

The Honourable Mr. Foster (Alma), from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (148), intituled: "An Act for the purpose of establishing in Canada a system of Long Term Mortgage Credit for Farmers," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:-

Page 2, line 4. After "Council" insert "on such terms and conditions as the Governor in Council may prescribe."

Page 2, line 43. Leave out from "(1)" to the second "The" in line 46, and insert: -

"The Government of Canada may subscribe to an initial capital to an amount not exceeding five million dollars and may pay the amount of any such subscription at such times and in such amounts as in the judgment of the Board are necessary for the purposes of the Board."

Page 2, line 49. For "charged "substitute "paid".

Page 3, line 10. Leave out from "which " to " shares " in line 13.

Page 3, line 14. After "transferable" insert "except at the option of the Board".

Page 3, line 21. After "total" insert "amount of principal outstanding on".

Page 3, line 22. Leave out "and not fully repaid".

Page 3, line 30. After "total" insert "amount of principal outstanding on".

Page 3, line 31. Leave out "and not fully repaid".

Page 5, lines 2 and 3. Leave out "not exceeding one per cent of the amount of the loan".

Page 5, line 9. After "interest" insert "at the option of the borrower."

Page 5, line 15. For subsection (7) substitute the following:—

"(7) Notwithstanding anything contained in the *Interest Act* every borrower shall pay simple interest on defaulted payments at a rate not exceeding eight per cent per annum and shall agree to pay when due all assessments, taxes and other charges necessary to be paid for the security of the Board in respect of the loan and to effect such insurance as the Board may require. Should such taxes, assessments and charges not be paid when due, they may be paid by the Board and charged to the borrower, and if not repaid to the Board on or before the next interest date with interest thereon at a rate not exceeding eight per cent per annum the borrower shall be considered in default under the mortgage."

Page 5, line 22. For subsection (8) substitute the following:-

"(8) Notwithstanding anything in this Act, but subject to such regulations as the Board may prescribe not inconsistent with the provisions of the *Interest Act*, any borrower may at any time repay the whole or any part thereof on any date on which an instalment becomes due, and any such payment shall be credited to the borrower in such manner as the Board may by regulation prescribe as hereinafter provided, but no such payment shall relieve the borrower from meeting all subsequent payments punctually as they fall due."

Page 5, line 32. After "shall" insert "at the option of the Board". Page 5, line 36. After "shall" insert "at the option of the Board".

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Page 5, line 48. For "five "substitute "four".

Page 6, line 1. For "two members" substitute "member".

Page 6, line 4. After "provided" insert:-

"Provided, however, that until such time as in the judgment of the Board such nomination by the borrowers is practicable the members of the Provincial Board nominated by the Government of the Province may exercise all the functions of the Provincial Board."

Page 6, line 28. After "capital" insert "stock".

Page 7, line 3. Insert the following as subsection (5):

"(5) If as a result of proceedings under any mortgage the title to the property securing such mortgage is transferred to the Board, the stock held by the borrower in the Board shall be cancelled and the amount paid thereon by the borrower shall be forfeited to the Board."

Page 7, line 34. For "subject to the approval of" substitute "fixed by".

Page 7, line 34. After Clause 13, insert the following as New Clauses A, B and C:-

#### New Clause A

"An audit of the books of the Board and of each Provincial Board shall be made in accordance with regulations made under the provisions of section sixteen of this Act by a firm of chartered accountants appointed for that purpose by the Governor in Council, and a copy of the report of the said accountants on the annual statement of the Board shall be laid before Parliament by the Minister within the first fifteen days of the first session thereof following the date of the said report."

#### New Clause B

"(1) Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act the operations of the Board in virtue thereof shall be conducted in such a manner as to give, as far as practicable, to the shareholders in each province the full benefit of the operations in such province.

(2) The word "shareholders" in this section shall mean the holders of shares of the Board subscribed by the provinces, respectively, by the borrowers in such provinces and by the Government of Canada to an amount equal to five per cent of the total amount of principal outstanding from time to time on farm loans in such provinces."

#### New Clause C

"Except as may be otherwise decided from time to time by the Governor in Council all actions and decisions of the Board shall be deemed within its powers and shall be conclusive against all interested parties."

Page 8, line 9. After "Board" insert "at the price originally paid therefor".

Page 8, line 21. Leave out the second "and".

Page 8, line 22. After "remuneration" insert "and their duties".

Ordered, That the said amendments be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

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With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,—That Rules 23 (f), 24 (a), (b) and 63 be suspended in so far as they relate to the following Divorce Bills:—

The Honourable Mr. Mulholland presented to the Senate a Bill (T7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Clementina Craig-Williams."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first, second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Honourable Mr. Robertson presented to the Senate a Bill (U7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frederick George Jones."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first, second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, for the Honourable Mr. Green, presented to the Senate a Bill (V7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ida Lula Dupuis Murchison."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first, second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, for the Honourable Mr. White (Pembroke), presented to the Senate a Bill (W7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gladys Andrea Boyle."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first, second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House. On Motion of the Right Honcurable Sir George Foster, and after debate, it was—

Ordered,-That an Order of the House do issue for a return showing:-

All correspondence between Dr. W. J. Riddel, Liaison officer of the Government at Geneva and the Department of Foreign Affairs with respect of the League of Nations and its relations to the Government of Canada.

The Honourable Mr. Dandurand laid on the Table:-

Return to an Order of the Senate, dated 11th June, 1926, for a return in respect to the cruiser *Margaret*, employed in the service of the Department of Customs and Excise, showing for each month respectively of the period since 1st January, 1925,—

(a) The sea district which said cruiser patrolled?

(b) The ports which she entered, and the time she remained in each port?

(c) The number of seizures made, and generally what each seizure consisted of?

(d) The locality in which each seizure was made, and the name of the vessel carrying the goods seized, and the port of registry of such vessel?

(e) How the matter of each seizure was disposed of—this to state what was done in regard to vessel and goods, respectively?

(f) The cost of the said cruiser to the country during each of the said months?

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Return to an Order of the Senate, dated 15th June, 1926, showing:-

1. Where was the steam boat Lady Grey every day during the month of October, 1925?

2. At what places did she call, and how long did she remain at each and every place?

3. Did she carry any persons on board besides the crew?

4. What were the names of these persons, if any?

5. Where did they go on board and at what places did they disembark?

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Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Y6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edward Barker," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Z6), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Joan Henderson," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

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Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (A7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Cecil Chester Richardson," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,—That Rules 24 (a), (b) and 63, be suspended in so far as they relate to the following Divorce Bills:—

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (B7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vina Kennedy (otherwise known as Vina Dorothy Kennedy)," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (C7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sadie Joy Downey," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (D7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Aimée Glenholme Young," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (E7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alberta Lutz," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this. House.

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Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (F7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Frederick Adams," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (G7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edward Saville," was, on division, read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the one hundred and sixty-seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Joseph Azarie Handfield, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Willoughby, it was-

Ordered,—That the said Report be not now adopted, but that it be referred back to the Standing Committee on Divorce for further consideration.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and eighty-eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Leslie Ellis Noble, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and eighty-ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, with respect to the petition of Charles Day.

The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Mr. Lewis, for the Honourable Mr. Haydon, presented to the Senate a Bill (X7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Leslie Ellis Noble."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,—That Rules 23 (f), 24 (a), (b) and 63 be suspended in so far as they relate to this Bill.

The said Bill was then read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill; to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Senate adjourned.



## ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

#### Thursday, 24th June, 1926

Presentation of Petitions. Reports of Committees. Reading of Petitions. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

#### **MOTION**

#### For Thursday, 24th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. Prowse:-

18th June—For a copy of all accounts submitted to the Government by Colonel Robert Innes, in connection with his visit to India, together with a copy of all telegrams, correspondence and other documents in connection with the same.

## ORDERS OF THE DAY

Note.—The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed; E. printed in English, F. in French.

#### For Thursday, 24th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

22nd June—House again in Committee of the Whole on Bill 153, An Act to amend the Criminal Code.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

#### No. 2.

23rd June—Third Reading (Bill A7), An Act for the relief of Cecil Chester Richardson.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 3.

22nd June—Second Reading (Bill H7), An Act for the relief of Manford York.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 4.

22nd June-Second Reading (Bill 17), An Act for the relief of Robert Fisher.--(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 5.

22nd June—Second Reading (Bill J7), An Act for the relief of James Alfred McCabe.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 6.

22nd June—Second Reading (Bill K7), An Act for the relief of Dorothy Terry.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 7.

22nd June—Second Reading (Bill L7), An Act for the relief of Lillie May Brown Nichols.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 8.

22nd June-Second Reading (Bill M7), An Act for the relief of Hazel Pearle Clarke Pearcy.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 9.

22nd June-Second Reading (Bill N7), An Act for the relief of Edith Swartz.--(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 10.

22nd June—Second Reading (Bill O7), An Act for the relief of James Gibb Erskine.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 11.

22nd June-Second Reading (Bill P7), An Act for the relief of Ernest Johnson.-(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)-E.F.

#### No. 12.

22nd June—Second Reading (Bill Q7), An Act for the relief of May Elizabeth Chambers.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 13.

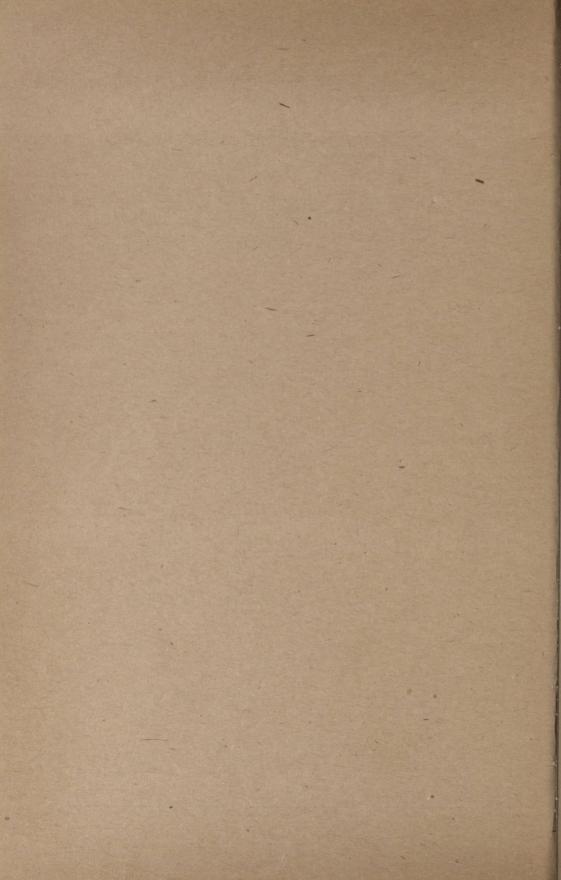
22nd June—Second Reading (Bill R7), An Act for the relief of Maxime Demers.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 14.

22nd June-Second Reading (Bill S7), An Act for the relief of James Edward Barnaby.-(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)-E.F.

#### No. 15.

23rd June—Consideration of the amendments made by the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce to Bill 148, An Act for the purpose of establishing in Canada a system of Long Term Mortgage Credit for Farmers.—(Honourable Mr. Foster.)—E.F.



### No. 36

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

## THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 24th June, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:-

The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard. Beaubien, Béique, Béland, Belcourt. Bénard. Blondin, Buchanan, Bureau, Calder. Chapais, Cloran, Copp, Crowe, Dandurand, Daniel, Donnelly,

Farrell. Fisher, Foster, Foster (Sir George), Gillis, Girroir. Gordon, Green, Griesbach, Harmer, Haydon, Hughes, King, Laird. Lavergne, Lessard, Lewis, MacArthur,

Macdonell. Martin. McCoig, McCormick, McDonald, McLean, McLennan, McMeans, Michener, Molloy, Mulholland, Pardee, Planta, Pope, Prowse, Rankin, Reid, Robertson, Robinson,

Ross (Middleton). Ross (Moose Jaw), Schaffner, Sharpe, Smith, Stanfield, Tanner. Taylor, Tessier, Turgeon, Turriff, Watson, Webster (Brockville), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby.

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#### THE SENATE

#### PRAYERS.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, again presented their one hundred and sixty-seventh Report,

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

#### THURSDAY, 24th June, 1926.

1. With respect to the petition of Joseph Azarie Handfield, of the city of Montreal, Quebec, physician, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Pauline Fréchette Handfield, formerly of the said city.

2. The Committee have in obedience to the Order of the Senate of the 23rd June, instant, further considered their Report, and have heard additional witnesses.

3. The Committee again submit herewith a draft Bill to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

#### W. B. WILLOUGHBY,

Chairman.

It was, on division, Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the further consideration, in a Committee of the Whole, of the Bill (153), intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed till Monday, next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (A7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Cecil Chester Richardson," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (H7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Manford York," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (I7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Robert Fisher," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (J7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James Alfred McCabe," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

#### 24TH JUNE

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (K7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Dorothy Terry," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (L7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillie May Brown Nichols," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (M7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Hazel Pearle Clarke Pearcy," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (N7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edith Swartz," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (O7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James Gibb Erskine," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (P7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ernest Johnson," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Q7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of May Elizabeth Chambers," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (R7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Maxime Demers," was, on division, read the second time, and

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (S7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James Edward Barnaby," was, on division, read the second time, and

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the amendments made by the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce to the Bill (148), intituled: "An Act for the purpose of establishing in Canada a system of Long Term Mortgage Credit for Farmers." The Honourable Mr. Béique moved that the said amendments be not now concurred in, but that they be amended by leaving out sub-clause (2) of the new clause B of section 13, and substituting therefor the following:—

"(2) The word "shareholders" in this section shall mean the holders of shares of the Board subscribed by the provinces, respectively, by the borrowers in such provinces and by the Government of Canada as provided in sub-section (2) of section five of this Act."

The question being put on the motion in amendment, it was-

Resolved in the affirmative.

The question being put on the motion for the adoption of the amendments, as amended, it was--

Resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered,—That the said Bill, as amended, be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

# ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

## Friday, 25th June, 1926

Presentation of Petitions. Reports of Committees. Reading of Petitions. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

#### MOTION

#### For Friday, 25th June, 1926

# No. 1. By the Honourable Mr. Prowse:----

18th June—For a copy of all accounts submitted to the Government by Colonel Robert Innes, in connection with his visit to India, together with a copy of all telegrams, correspondence and other documents in connection with the same.

## ORDERS OF THE DAY

Nore.—The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed; E. printed in English, F. in French.

#### For Friday, 25th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

24th June-Third Reading (Bill H7), An Act for the relief of Manford York.-(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 2.

24th June—Third Reading (Bill 17), An Act for the relief of Robert Fisher.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 3.

24th June—Third Reading (Bill J7), An Act for the relief of James Alfred McCabe.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 4.

24th June—Third Reading (Bill K7), An Act for the relief of Dorothy Terry.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 5.

24th June-Third Reading (Bill L7), An Act for the relief of Lillie May Brown Nichols.--(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 6.

24th June—Third Reading (Bill M7), An Act for the relief of Hazel Pearle Clarke Pearcy.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 7.

24th June-Third Reading (Bill N7), An Act for the relief of Edith Swartz.--(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)-E.F.

#### No. 8.

24th June—Third Reading (Bill O7), An Act for the relief of James Gibb Erskine.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### No. 9.

24th June—Third Reading (Bill P7), An Act for the relief of Ernest Johnson.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 10.

24th June—Third Reading (Bill Q7), An Act for the relief of May Elizabeth Chambers.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### No. 11.

24th June—Third Reading (Bill R7), An Act for the relief of Maxime Demers.—(Honourable Mr. Schaffner.)—E.F.

#### 24TH JUNE

#### No. 12.

24th June—Third Reading (Bill S7), An Act for the relief of James Edward Barnaby.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)—E.F.

#### No. 13.

24th June—Third Reading Bill 148, An Act for the purpose of establishing in Canada a system of Long Term Mortgage Credit for Farmers.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

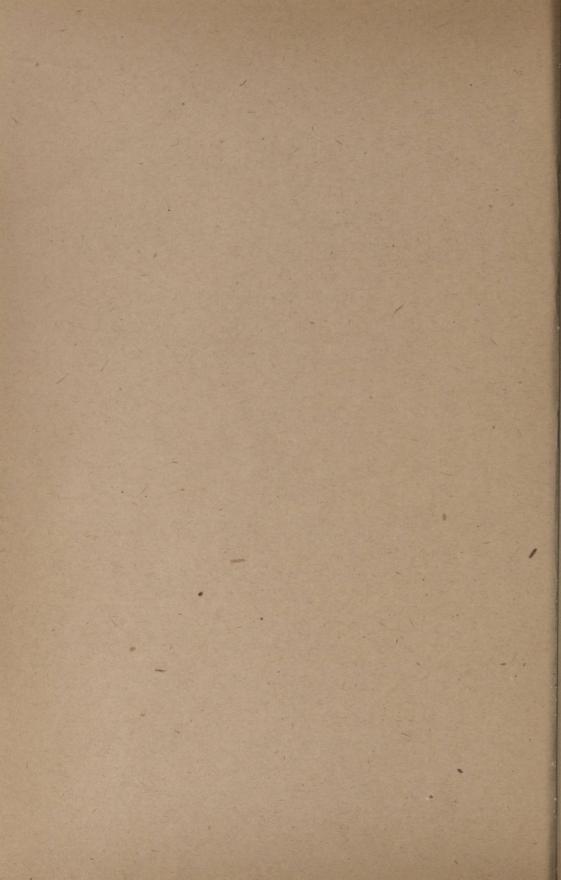
#### No. 14.

24th June—Consideration of the one hundred and sixty-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was again referred the petition of Joseph Azarie Handfield, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)

#### For Monday, 28th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

24th June—House again in Committee of the Whole on Bill 153, An Act to amend the Criminal Code.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.



## No. 37

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

# THE SENATE OF CANADA

Friday, 25th June, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:-

The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Beaubien, Béique, Béland, Belcourt, Bénard, Blondin, Buchanan, Bureau, Calder, Chapais, Copp, Crowe, Dandurand, Daniel, Donnelly, S 37-1

Farrell. Fisher. Foster. Foster (Sir George), Gillis, -Girroir, Gordon, Green, Griesbach, Harmer, Haydon, Hughes, Laird, Lavergne, Lessard, Lewis,

- MacArthur, Macdonell, Martin, McCoig, McCormick, McDonald, McLean, McLennan, McMeans. Michener, Molloy, Mulholland, Pope, Prowse, Rankin, Reid, Robertson,

Robinson, Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw), Schaffner, Sharpe, Smith, Stanfield, Tanner, Taylor, Turgeon, Turriff, Watson, Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby.

#### PRAYERS.

The Honourable Mr. Daniel, from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts of the Senate, presented their sixth Report. The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY. 25th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts beg leave to make their sixth Report, as follows:—

Your Committee have audited the accounts and vouchers of the Clerk of the Senate for the fiscal-year 1924-25 and found them correct.

Your Committee have also examined the accounts of the Senate for the fiscal year 1925-26 and have found them correct. This brings the Committee's audit down to April 1st, 1926, the beginning of the present fiscal year.

A statement in detail of the accounts for the fiscal year 1924-25 is submitted herewith:---

Statement of Expenditures, 19	24-25				
Speaker's salary			\$	6,000	00
Allowance for Speaker's residence				3,000	
Indemnity and transportation expenses				404,082	
Salaries of permanent employees\$	75,146	64			
Allowance in lieu of Quarters	900				
Doormen and Sessional Messengers	20,879				
Stangerenhour and Sessional Clarks	10,229				
Stenographers and Sessional Clerks					
Char Services	19,867				
Pages	2,016				
Stationery Office Supplies	6,419				
Newspapers, etc., for Reading Room	2,389				
Debates-King's Printer,	11,384				
Translating Debates	3,700	00			
Postage and carriage of mails	909	52			
Clerical services, Leader of Government in the					
Senate	600	00			
Clerical services, Leader of Opposition in the					
Senate	600	00			
General expenses	3,838				
General expenses	0,000			158,880	00
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Statement of Receipts, 1924-25	
Fees on Private Bills	31,852 30 406 65
Deposited to the credit of the Receiver General	32,258 95 7,181 49
Net Revenue	25,077 46
All which is respectfully submitted.	

J. W. DANIEL,

Chairman.

Ordered, that the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Monday, next. 25TH JUNE

The Honourable Mr. Daniel, from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts of the Senate, presented their seventh Report.

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

FRIDAY, 25th June, 1926.

The Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts beg leave to make their seventh Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that the usual supply of stationery, etc., which has been selected by your Committee with due regard to usefulness and economy for the use of Senators in their rooms and desks in the Senate Chamber, be supplied according to the lists approved by your Committee, and deposited with the Clerk of Stationery, and that the distribution be made in a way similar to that of last session.

All which is respectfully submitted.

J. W. DANIEL, Chairman.

Ordered, that the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Monday, next.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Prowse, it was-

Ordered,—That a return do issue for a copy of all accounts submitted to the Government by Colonel Robert Innes, in connection with his visit to India, together with a copy of all telegrams, correspondence and other documents in connection with the same.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (H7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Manford York," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (I7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Robert Fisher," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (J7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James Alfred McCabe," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (K7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Dorothy Terry," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (L7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillie May Brown Nichols," was, on division, read the third time. The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (M7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Hazel Pearle Clarke Pearcy," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (N7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edith Swartz," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (O7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James Gibb Erskine," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (P7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ernest Johnson," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Q7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of May Elizabeth Chambers," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (R7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Maxime Demers," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (S7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James Edward Barnaby," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Order of the Day being called for the third reading of the Bill (148), intituled: "An Act for the purpose of establishing in Canada a system of Long Term Mortgage Credit for Farmers," it was—

Ordered,-That the said Order of the Day be postponed till Monday, next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the further consideration of the one hundred and sixty-seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Joseph Azarie Handfield, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

#### THE SENATE

The Honourable Mr. Laird, for the Honourable Mr. Haydon, presented to the Senate a Bill (Y7), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Joseph Azarie Handfield."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and-

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,—That Rules 23 (f), 24 (a), (b) and 63 be suspended in so far as they relate to this Bill.

The said Bill was then read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in said evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

# ORDERS OF THE DAY

Note.—The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed; E. printed in English, F. in French.

#### For Monday, 28th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

24th June—Third Reading Bill 148, An Act for the purpose of establishing in Canada a system of Long Term Mortgage Credit for Farmers.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

#### No. 2.

24th June—House again in Committee of the Whole on Bill 153, An Act to amend the Criminal Code.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

#### No. 3.

25th June—Consideration of the sixth report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.—(Honourable Mr. Daniel.)

#### No. 4.

25th June—Consideration of the seventh report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.—(Honourable Mr. Daniel.)

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## No. 38

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF

# THE SENATE OF CANADA

#### Monday, 28th June, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:-

#### The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

#### The Honourable Messieurs

Beaubien, Béique, Béland, Belcourt, Bénard. Blondin, Bourque, Buchanan, Bureau. Calder, Chapais, Copp, Crowe. Dandurand, Daniel. Farrell. Fisher. Foster,

Foster (Sir George), McCormick, Gillis,' Girroir, Gordon, Green, Griesbach, Hardy. Harmer, Haydon, Hughes, Laird, Lavergne. Lessard, Lewis, MacArthur, Macdonell, Martin, McCoig,

McDonald. McLean. McLennan, McMeans. Michener, Molloy, Mulholland, Murphy, Planta, Poirier. Pope, Prowse, Rankin, Reid. Robertson. Robinson, Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw), Schaffner, Sharpe, Smith, Tanner. Taylor, Tessier, Thibaudeau, Todd, Turgeon, Turriff, Watson, Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby.

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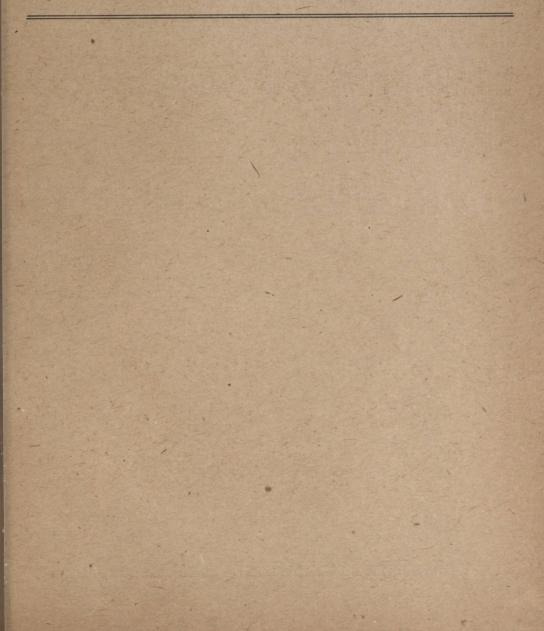
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### PRAYERS.

# ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

## Tuesday, 29th June, 1926

Presentation of Petitions. Reports of Committees. Reading of Petitions. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.



# ORDERS OF THE DAY

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#### For Tuesday, 29th June, 1926

#### No. 1.

24th June—Third Reading Bill 148, An Act for the purpose of establishing in Canada a system of Long Term Mortgage Credit for Farmers.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

#### No. 2.

24th June—House again in Committee of the Whole on Bill 153, An Act to amend the Criminal Code.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

#### No. 3.

25th June—Consideration of the sixth report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.—(Honourable Mr. Daniel.)

#### No. 4.

25th June—Consideration of the seventh report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.—(Honourable Mr. Daniel.)

## No. 39

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF

# THE SENATE OF CANADA

#### Tuesday, 29th June, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:-

The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Beaubien, Béique, Béland, Belcourt. Bénard, Black. Blondin, Buchanan, Bureau. Calder, Casgrain, Chapais, Copp, Dandurand, Daniel, Donnelly;

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Farrell, Fisher, Foster, Foster (Sir George), Gillis, Girroir, Gordon, Green, Griesbach, Hardy, Harmer, Haydon, Hughes, Laird. Lavergne, L'Espérance, Lessard.

-Lewis, MacArthur, Macdonell, Martin. McLean. McLennan, McMeans, Michener, Molloy, Mulholland, Murphy, Pardee, Pope, Prowse, Rankin, Reid, Robertson, Robinson,

Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw), Schaffner. Sharpe, Smith, Tanner, Tessier. Turgeon, Turriff, Watson, Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby.

#### PRAYERS.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (113), intituled: "An Act respecting the Bronson Company."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendments, made by the Senate, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (H5), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Detroit and Windsor Subway Company."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, with several amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

Page 2, line 34. Strike out all the words after the word "into" to the end of clause seven and substitute therefor the following: "the treasury of the Dominion of Canada, which sum shall not be withdrawn until at least 25 per cent of the proposed tunnel is constructed and such sum to be forfeited if the project is not proceeded with."

Page 3, line 38. After the word "stock" insert the words " and bonds".

Page 3, line 39. Strike out the word "that" and insert "those."

Page 4, line 6. After the word "provided" insert "and with the approval of the Governor in Council."

Page 4, lines 40 and 41. Strike out the words "Subject to the provisions of The Railway Act, 1919, and of The Navigable Waters Protection Act."

Page 5, line 7. After the word "generate" insert the word "or" and after the word "buy" leave out the words "sell, dispose of, supply and deal in."

Page 5, line 9. After the word "power" insert the word " and " and after the word "air" leave out all the words to the end of paragraph "(c)".

Page 6, line 11. After clause "15" insert the following clause:-

"15 (a) The powers granted under subsections (a), (b) and (c) of the next preceding section hereof shall be exercised subject to the provisions of the Navigable Waters Protection Act, 1906; The Electricity Inspection Act, 1907; The Electricity and Fluid Exportation Act, 1907; and section 247 of The Railway Act, chapter 37 of The Revised Statutes 1906."

Page 7, lines 41 and 42. After the word "municipality" strike out all the words to the end of clause "19".

Page 8, line 4. Strike out "two" and insert "one". Page 8, line 7. Strike out "seven" and insert "five".

Page 8, line 11. Strike out "five" and insert "two".

Ordered,—That the said amendments be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the third reading of the Bill (148). intituled: "An Act for the purpose of establishing in Canada a system of Long Term Mortgage Credit for Farmers," as amended by the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce-

The Honourable Mr. McMeans moved that the Bill be not now read the third time but that it be further amended by striking out of the new sub-clause 5 of clause 9 of the Bill the following words:---

"the stock held by the borrower in the Board shall be cancelled and the amount paid thereon by the borrower shall be forfeited to the Board," and by substituting therefor the following:-

"the stock of the borrower shall be held by the Board and if on the sale of said property, the amount of the claim of the Board shall not be realized in full, the amount paid thereon shall be applied on said indebtedness."

After debate, and-

With leave of the Senate,

The said amendment was withdrawn.

The question again being put on the motion for the third reading of the Bill, it was-

Moved by the Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton) that the said Bill be not now read the third time; but that it be further amended by adding thereto the following, as clause 18:—

"18. This Act shall not come into force until a majority of the provincial legislatures have enacted the legislation required by section eight of this Act."

After debate, and-

With leave of the Senate,

The said amendment was withdrawn and the Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,—That the evidence taken before the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (148), intituled: "An Act for the purpose of establishing in Canada a system of Long Term Mortgage Credit for Farmers," be printed in condensed form and that 300 copies thereof be distributed to the Members of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being called for the further consideration, in a Committee of the Whole, of the Bill (153), intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code," it was—

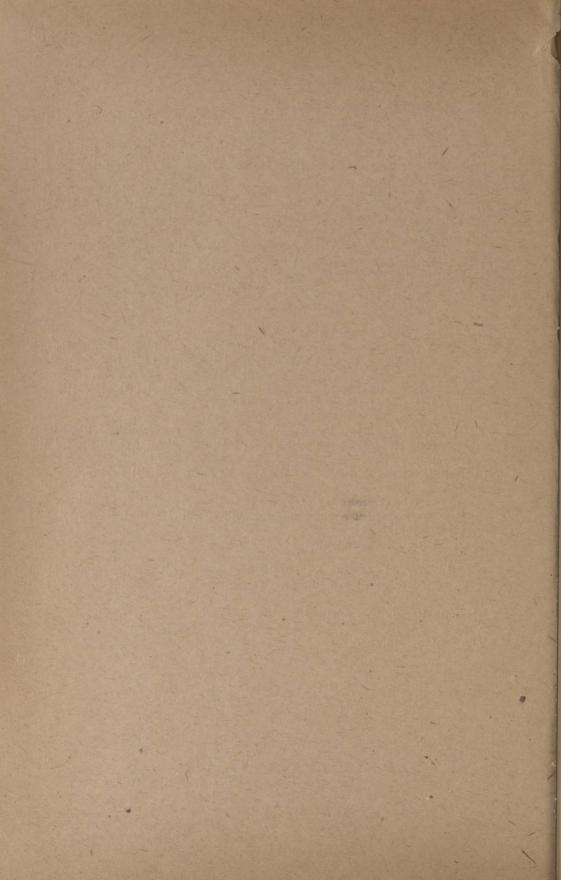
Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed till Friday, next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the sixth Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.

The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.

The said Report was adopted.

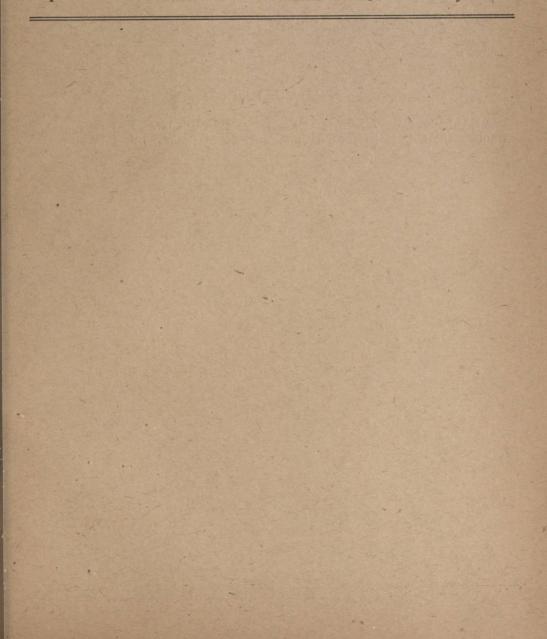


# ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

## Wednesday, 30th June, 1926

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions. Reports of Committees. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.



# ORDERS OF THE DAY

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#### For Wednesday, 30th June, 1926

No. 1.

29th June—Consideration of the amendments made by the House of Commons to Bill H5, An Act to incorporate The Detroit and Windsor Subway Company.—(Honourable Mr. Haydon.)—E.F.

#### For Friday, 2nd July, 1926

#### No. 1.

24th June—House again in Committee of the Whole on Bill 153, An Act to amend the Criminal Code.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

## No. 40

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

# THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 30th June, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:-

## The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Avlesworth (Sir Allen), Béique, Béland, -Belcourt, Black, Blondin, Buchanan, Bureau, Calder, Chapais, Copp, Dandurand, Daniel, Donnelly, Farrell, Fisher, .

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Foster. Foster (Sir George), Gillis, Girroir, Gordon, Green, Griesbach, Hardy, Harmer, Haydon, Hughes, Laird, Lavergne, Lessard, Lewis, MacArthur,

Macdonell, Martin, McCormick, McLean, McLennan, McMeans, Mulholland, Murphy, Pardee, Pope, Prowse, Rankin, Reid. Robertson, Robinson, Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw),

Schaffner, Sharpe, Smith, Tanner, Tessier, Turgeon, Turriff, Watson, Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby.

#### THE SENATE

#### PRAYERS.

The Honourable Mr. Foster (Alma), from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (8), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canada Grain Act," reported that they had examined the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any recommendation.

The Honourable Mr. Willoughby moved that the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole forthwith.

Accordingly, the Senate was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the said Bill.

#### (In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and-

The Honourable Mr. Robinson, from the said Committee, reported that they had taken the said Bill into consideration, made some progress thereon and asked leave to sit again, it was—

Ordered,—That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for further consideration in a Committee of the Whole to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the amendments, made by the House of Commons, to the Bill (H5), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Detroit and Windsor Subway Company."

The said amendments were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate doth agree to the amendments made by the House of Commons to the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (148), intituled: "An Act for the purpose of establishing in Canada a system of Long Term Mortgage Credit for Farmers."

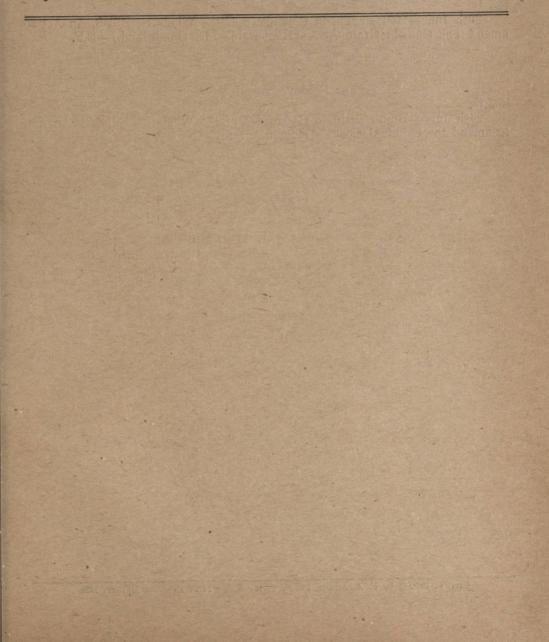
And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendments, made by the Senate, without any amendment.

# ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

## Thursday, 1st July, 1926

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions. Reports of Committees. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.



# ORDERS OF THE DAY

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#### For Thursday, 1st July, 1926

No. 1.

30th June-House again in Committee of the Whole on Bill 8, An Act to amend The Canada Grain Act.-(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)-E.F.

#### For Friday, 2nd July, 1926

#### No. 1.

24th June—House again in Committee of the Whole on Bill 153, An Act to amend the Criminal Code.—(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)—E.F.

## No. 41

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 1st July, 1926

3 p.m.

The Members convened were:-

## · The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Béique, Béland, Belcourt, Black. Blondin, Buchanan, Bureau, Calder, Casgrain, Chapais, Copp, Dandurand, Daniel, Donnelly,

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Farrell. Foster. Foster (Sir George), Gillis. Girroir, Gordon. Green, Griesbach. Harmer, Havdon, Hughes, Laird. Lavergne, L'Espérance, Lessard,

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Lewis, MacArthur. Macdonell. Martin, McCormick, McLean, McLennan, McMeans, Michener, Mulholland, Murphy, Pardee, Pope, Prowse, Robertson, Robinson,

Ross (Middleton), Ross (Moose Jaw), Schaffner, Sharpe, Smith, Tanner, Turgeon, Turriff, Watson, Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Willoughby.

#### PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Second Assistant Clerk, Editor and Chief Translator French Debates, had to-day before him subscribed to the Oath of Allegiance and to the Oath of Office.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons, by their Clerk, with a Bill (189), intituled: "An Act to provide for a loan to the Harbour Commissioners of Montreal," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and-

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,—That Rules 23 (f), 24 (a), (b) and 63 be suspended insofar as they relate to this Bill.

The said Bill was then read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered;—That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Honourable Mr. Ross (Middleton) laid on the Table:-

List of Shipping issued by the Department of Marine and Fisheries, being a list of vessels on the registry books of the Dominion of Canada on the 31st December, 1925.

#### (Sessional Papers, 1926, No. - )

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate was adjourned during pleasure and again put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (8), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canada Grain Act."

#### (In the Committee)

It being six o'clock, the Honourable the Speaker left the Chair, to resume the same at half-past seven o'clock.

7.30 p.m.

The Senate was resumed.

After some time the Senate was resumed, and-

The Honourable Mr. Robinson, from the said Committee, reported that they had taken the said Bill into further consideration, made some progress thereon and asked leave to sit again, it was—

Ordered,—That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for further consideration in a Committee of the Whole to-morrow.

With leave of the Senate, it was-

Ordered,—That when the Senate adjourns to-night it do stand adjourned until 10.30 o'clock, a.m., to-morrow.

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# ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

## Friday, 2nd July, 1926

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions. Reports of Committees. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

# ORDERS OF THE DAY

Note.—The letters E.F. denote those printed and distributed in both languages when the Orders were printed; E. printed in English, F. in French.

#### For Friday, 2nd July, 1926

#### No. 1.

1st July-House again in Committee of the Whole on Bill 8, An Act to amend The Canada Grain Act.-(Honourable Mr. Willoughby.)-E.F.

#### No. 2.

24th June-House again in Committee of the Whole on Bill 153, An Act to amend the Criminal Code.-(Honourable Mr. Dandurand.)-E.F.

## No. 42

# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE SENATE OF CANADA

Friday, 2nd July, 1926

10.30 a.m.

The Members convened were:--

The Honourable HEWITT BOSTOCK, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Girroir, Béique, Gordon. Béland, Green, Belcourt, Griesbach, Blondin, Harmer, Buchanan, Haydon, Calder, Hughes, Copp, Laird. Dandurand, Lessard, Daniel, Lewis, Donnelly, MacArthur, Farrell, Macdonell, Foster, Foster (Sir George), Martin, McCormick, Gillis,

. McLean, McLennan, McMeans, Michener, Mulholland, Murphy, Pardee, Pope, Prowse, Reid, Robertson, Robinson, Ross (Moose Jaw), Willoughby.

Smith, Stanfield, Tanner, Turgeon, Turriff, Watson, Webster (Brockville), Webster (Stadacona), White (Inkerman), Ross (Middleton), White (Pembroke),

Sharpe,

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#### THE SENATE

#### PRAYERS.

The Order of the Day being called for the further consideration in a Com-

Ordered,—That the said Order of the Day be postponed till the next sitting of the Senate.

On motion, it was-

Ordered,—That when the Senate now adjourns it do stand adjourned till two-thirty o'clock, this afternoon.

