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MACKENZIE KING IS TO MEET PARLIAMENT

KU KLUX KLAN BEING FORMED VANCOUVER, MEETING SHAUGHNESSY HEIGHTS

Mackenzie King Government to Meet Parliament and Allow It to Decide Who is to Carry On

Prime Minister adopts constitutional practice which is accepted by Governor; supreme right of people recognized

OTTAWA, Nov. 5.—It is officially announced that Premier Mackenzie King will meet Parliament and that Parliament will be called at the earliest possible date. In his statement he said:

"The latest official returns having been made it is apparent as a result of the general election that as no one of the political parties would of itself have clear majorities in the House of Commons when Parliament assembles, it became my duty as Prime Minister to acquaint His Excellency, the Governor General, of the situation and to advise His Excellency as to the course that should be pursued.

"After several interviews with His Excellency at which the position brought about by the recent general election was fully discussed and all alternatives presented, I have taken the responsibility of advising His Excellency to summon Parliament for the earliest practical date in order to ascertain the attitude of the parliamentary representatives towards the very important question raised by the numerical position of the respective political parties.

Accepts Advice

"His Excellency has been pleased to accept this advice."

After reviewing three possible courses of procedure, each of which was considered by the cabinet, the statement continues:

"To summon Parliament and to allow the House of Commons to disclose its attitude upon the division is a procedure warranted by constitutional precedent and by the present circumstances. To take any other course would be to fail to recognize the supreme right of the people to govern themselves in the manner which the constitution provided, namely, by expressing their will through their duly elected representatives in Parliament and in accordance with recognized parliamentary practice."

No Appointments

The statement also says: "In the interval until Parliament assembles it is the intention of the Government to refrain from making appointments beyond such as are essential for the proper carrying on of public business."

Meighen to Reply

Hon. Arthur Meighen, leader of the Conservatives, will issue a statement late today in answer to that of Premier King. Conservatives have asserted that Premier King should call Parliament to meet on December 10, the date tentatively set in the Canada Gazette which does not commit the government.

In raising the allotments of the various presbyteries for the Church's four million dollar maintenance fund, it was announced that the Sunday schools and the young people's societies had reached an agreement to accept a minimum of eight percent as their amounts.

NO COMPENSATION FOR ROSS WATSON

VICTORIA, Nov. 5.—In the event of Ross Watson, who is acquitted of a charge of participation in the Nanaimo bank robbery, asks compensation for the several months in which he was held as a suspect in the case, the request will be refused, it was officially stated here today.

UNIVERSITY UNDER FIRE

Opposition Criticizes Provincial Government For Expenditure More Than Authorized

FULL INFORMATION SOON

Insinuation by Pooley That Some of Money Went Into Federal Election Fund

Special to Daily News

VICTORIA, Nov. 5.—We are prepared to take full consequence of our error," said Premier Oliver in the Legislature, replying to an attack by R. H. Pooley, opposition leader, on the government for an over-expenditure of \$1,500,000 on the University of B.C. new buildings. R. H. Pooley, in opposing the government's plan of asking authority for the amount over-spent or over-incurred denounced the "unconstitutional" of the government getting money by warrant of the Lieutenant Governor.

Hon. Dr. Sutherland promised Mr. Pooley the fullest investigation. "We will lay all our cards on the table," he said.

"That's a nasty insinuation," hurled the Premier, when Mr. Pooley asked whether such huge over-expenditures had arisen before the general election time. "We also want to know, but we'll never find out, how much the boys got out of it."

Here the Government announced it would answer in detail any question about university financing that any member wished to have answered.

GRAIN GOING TO VANCOUVER

Shipments Being Made Through That Port to Oriental and European Ports

VANCOUVER, Nov. 5.—The grain movement through Vancouver is now very active and an estimate places the shipments during November at seven and a half million bushels.

The grain is being shipped to the Orient, the United Kingdom, and to various points on the continent of Europe.

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

	Bid.	Asked.
Wheat	1.36%	
B.C. Silver	1.35	1.45
Daly Alaska	.14	
National Silver	.14 1/2	.15
Premier	2.25	2.30
Silvercrest	.07%	.08%
Surf Inlet	.07%	
Ruth Hope	.37	.40
Howe Sound	31.00	33.00
Dunwell		1.60
L. & L.	10 1/2	.12
Marmot		.09
Terminus		.39
Porter Idaho		.48
Hazelton		.02
Gladstone	.24 1/2	.26



A new craze has started in London—kissing the knocker on the door of 10 Downing Street, official residence of the prime minister.

Forty-nine Ounce Nugget is Brought from Atlin by George Clothier; Valued Nearly \$700

Yesterday George Clothier, resident mining engineer, was wandering around town with a little sack inside of which was a big pebble, the biggest gold nugget on record in northern British Columbia. He brought it down from Spruce Creek, Atlin, and is showing it in Max Heilbroner's window on Third Ave.

The nugget is estimated to contain about half gold. As it weighs 49 ounces, Mr. Clothier says it is valued at between six and seven hundred dollars.

The nugget was found by the man who happened to see it on the hydraulic process it had not the tailing dump.

Montreal to Vancouver Made in Three Days by Oil Electric Car on Canadian National Ry.

VANCOUVER, Nov. 5.—All records for transcontinental travel were broken yesterday when the new Canadian National Railways oil electric car No. 15820 arrived in Vancouver after making the trip from Montreal in three days. The trip was not only a record breaker so far as actual schedule was concerned but it wrote a new chapter in the railway history of the world as marking the longest non-stop run ever made by an engine. During the 2,937 miles covered by the car engine, not once did it stop running.

There is also the actual running time which again provides an unequalled passage in Dominion transportation annals, for eliminating detentions due to meeting trains and other delays incident to modern transportation methods which came to 300 minutes the actual running time was slightly under 67 hours. From the first to the last the trip demonstrated the superiority of the new oil electric car.

Arranged primarily as an endurance test for the engine, not only did it prove this point but also it showed the speed possibilities of the car over long distances which previously had not been proved. At one point on the western region 22 miles were made in less than the same number of minutes and one of the steepest grades in the Rocky Mountains was climbed at an average speed of 40 miles per hour. The average speed for the entire trip was slightly under 43 1/2 miles per hour.

ZIMBALIST IN VICTORIA VICTORIA, Nov. 5.—Efrem Zimbalist, famous violinist, will give a recital here in the Empress Hotel on November 11.

Ku Klux Klan Meeting at Shaughnessy Heights Vancouver to Organize

Objects of the order expounded at informal reception and delegates present from State of Washington

Shaughnessy Heights, home of Vancouver's 400 and high society centre, is to be headquarters for Canadian Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, which built up along the lines of the hooded order in the United States, is to be organized from the Pacific to the Atlantic, says the Vancouver Star. Inside two years there will be one million of the Klansmen in the Dominion, according to "His Excellency" Major L. L. Powell, Imperial Kleagle of the Invisible Empire, who with other Klansmen has been organizing here for some time.

Although rumors of the activities of the Klan have been heard for several months, the first semi-public organization was commenced Friday night last when about fifty men and ten women, residents of the city, met at the Imperial Palace, "Glenbrae," the old Tait residence at 1690 Matthews Avenue West, Shaughnessy Heights, in response to a special invitation sent out bearing the seal of the Klan.

The invitations themselves caused comment, and by many were taken as a hoax. However they proved to be official. Typewritten on official Klan stationery in black and red type, they read as follows:

"Friday, October 30th, 1925, being the Fearful Day of the Weird Week, of the dreadful Month, of the year of Klan One, Canadian Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, an informal reception will be held at the Imperial Palace, 1690 Matthews Avenue, West, at 8 p.m. All Gent, Dragons, Hydras, Great Titans and Furies, Giants, Exalted Cyclops, and Terrors will be present to meet under the kindly light of the Fiery Cross which will illuminate the Klavern."

"You are personally invited to attend. Upon presentation of this letter at the door, the holder will be conducted to the Aulik of the Imperial Klazik, who will be glad to give details as to the objects, ideals and purposes of the Canadian Knights of the Ku Klux Klan."

"Done in the executive chamber of His Excellency, the Imperial Klazik, in the Imperial Palace, in the Imperial City of Vancouver, Province of British Columbia, Dominion of Canada, on the day and date above written."

By His Excellency,
L. L. POWELL,
Imperial Klazik Invisible Empire,
Canadian Knight of the Ku Klux Klan."

Those who obeyed the summons found the door guarded, and showing through the lighted panels were the hooded figures of two klansmen on duty inside.

Once in the visitor was taken by the hand and registered, following which lectures as to the objects for which the Klan was formed were given by Major Powell, who hails from Portland, Oregon, and Dr. Keith K. Allen, of Los Angeles, whose card shows him to be a National lecturer for the Anti Narcotic League of America with headquarters at 5839 La Mirada, Los Angeles.

NANAIMO, Nov. 5.—The trial of William Bagley, the sixth man charged with participation in the bank robbery here last December, opened here this morning.

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MORE CHARGES IN WONG CASE

Summons Issued Against M. B. Jackson and Others Yesterday Afternoon

VANCOUVER, Nov. 5.—On the information of O. Bill V. Robinson, summonses were issued yesterday afternoon charging M. B. Jackson, Mrs. Jessie Stratton, J. A. Patton and H. P. McGrane with unlawfully conspiring to kidnap without lawful authority and with intent to confine Wong Foon Sing in Canada against his will.

Mr. Jackson who is chairman of the Game Board of B.C., was appointed by the Provincial Government as special investigator in connection with the case. He was member for the Islands in the last Legislature being defeated by Col. G. W. Peck at the last election.

Robinson pleaded not guilty when charged in the Assize Court this morning with the abduction of Wong Foon Sing. The case is proceeding.

LEGISLATURE DEBATE OPENS

Pooley Attacks Government and Oliver Replies and Asks People to Judge

VICTORIA, Nov. 5.—Criticism that the Government as an administration had failed to provide anything more substantial than promises, unless it was taxation, was made in the Legislature Wednesday by Conservative leader Pooley during the debate on the address in reply to the speech from the throne.

Mr. Pooley condemned the administration of justice as controlled through the Attorney General's department and declared public confidence had been shaken in the integrity of justice here.

In a vigorous reply Premier Oliver outlined the policy of the government generally and asked that the public be permitted to judge. Full particulars in regard to expenditures on the university will be given, Mr. Oliver stated.

SHIP IN TROUBLE

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—The Independent Wireless Telegraph Co. reports the receipt today of an S.O.S. call from an unidentified vessel in mid-Atlantic which said "All sails gone."