

**LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF SASKATCHEWAN
FIFTH SESSION – FOURTEENTH LEGISLATURE
35th Day**

Wednesday, April 3, 1963.

The House met at 10:00 o'clock a.m.

On the Orders of the Day.

PARLIAMENTARY ASSOCIATION DINNER

Mr. Speaker: — Before I call the orders of the day, I would like to draw to the attention of the members that the Parliamentary Association Dinner will be arranged down below this evening in the Dome Cafe. We realize that this is getting late in the session for this gathering and I would appreciate the fact if the members would let the Clerk know as to which of them can attend. And I would ask the members to make this information available to their colleagues who are not present in the house at this time.

Hon. R.A. Walker (Attorney General): — Before the orders of the day, may I ask if this invitation includes the wives of the members? With or without?

Mr. Speaker: — Yes, it includes the wives of the members. We are sorry that it hasn't been arranged sooner but a number of circumstances kept the members busy every free night they had. It will include the members and their wives.

Mrs. J.E. Cooper: — Or husbands?

Mr. Speaker: — Yes, or husbands as the case may be.

RETURN NO. 36

Mr. J.E. Snedker: — Mr. Speaker, before the orders of the day, I would like to ask the government when we may expect its Return No. 36 to be brought down as approved by a motion of this house February 27th.

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Hon. J.H. Brockelbank (Provincial Treasurer): — Mr. Speaker, this motion for a return required the names and addresses of every member of every board or commission of the government, etc. etc., and the total amount of money paid to each. Now, there are a great many boards and when it asks for everything like this, this means that the whole thing has got to be gone through, and it is just a case of the information is not complete yet. It will be tabled as soon as it is ready. Just when it will be ready I certainly can't tell the hon. member but I hope it would not be too long.

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS PROCEDURES

Hon. Mr. Lloyd moved:

That Mr Johnson, as Chairman, together with Messrs. Brockelbank, Thiesen, Strum (Mrs.), Berezowsky, Thatcher, McDonald and Gardiner be constituted a Special Committee to examine into and evaluate the function, terms of reference and methods of the Select Standing Committee on Public Accounts and Printing, and the adequacy of the information and assistance provided to the committee in its work of examining the public accounts, and to report thereon with recommendations to the Assembly at the next session; the said special committee to be empowered to consult with the Provincial Auditor, officials of the Treasury and other departments, to gather information from other jurisdictions and to sit after prorogation.

Consequently I would move accordingly, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Walker.

Motion agreed to.

The Assembly adjourned at 10:30 o'clock p.m.