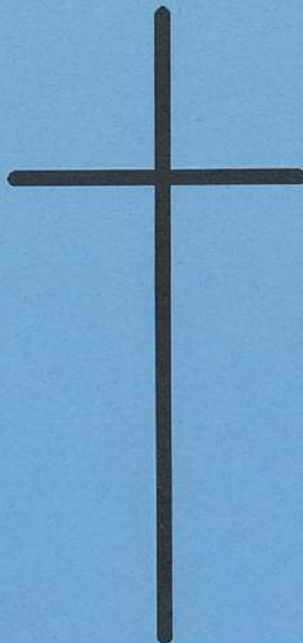


UXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA



75th ANNIVERSARY
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Fred G. Holberton D.D.

ABOUT THE AUTHOR



Born in Lethbridge May 21, 1920, Fred Holberton first attended Tuxis Boys' Parliament in 1939 as a delegate from the Meteor Tuxis Square of First United Church, Lethbridge. His association with the Tuxis Parliament continued when in 1962 he became the first chairman of the alumni Society, a position he held for seven years. In later years he has served as lieutenant-governor.

A graduate of Lethbridge schools, Fred became an Assessor with the National Revenue (Taxation) after service in World War II as a Lieutenant with the Canadian Army. He later entered into a partnership in an accounting practice in Lethbridge and in 1959 was called to serve the United Church of Canada as a member of their field staff. He continued as a member of their staff until 1980 when he went as a Diaconal Minister to the church at Grande Prairie and later in Edmonton and Calgary, retiring in 1985.

Fred was associated for 30 years as the staff member of committees established to organize the Annual United Church Banff Mens' Conference. He served as President of the Alberta Conference of the United Church in 1969, holding the distinctive honor of being the first lay person to serve in this capacity in the United Church.

St. Stephen's College, in Edmonton, at their Convocation in 1971, awarded Fred the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity, honoris causa.

Fred served nine years as Treasurer of the Historical Society of Alberta.

FORWARD

Alberta's TUXIS Parliament is 75 years old and growing stronger. In conjunction with the 1994 Session, Alumni are gathering to remember, to contribute to the renewal of Parliament, and to look forward.

Tuxis Parliament has made a notable impact on the lives of many young Albertans. Alumni have gone on to serve and die for their country in times of war. They have also lived for family and community, leading in church, youth work, community affairs, politics and public service; international relations, industry and commerce; protection and advocacy; justice, the arts and academia. Alumni include a former Moderator of the United Church of Canada, principals and presidents of post-secondary institutions; Cabinet Ministers, M.L.A.s, M.P.s, Senators, school trustees and municipal councilors; judges, professionals, business owners, labour leaders and unionists; homemakers, deputy Ministers and other public servants; reporters, columnists, editors, cartoonists, farmers, clergy, professors, instructors, and teachers.

Time after time, Alumni recall the experience of TUXIS Parliament, and confirm that the experience led to friendships that have lasted a lifetime. It often caused people to look inside themselves, to clarify values, beliefs and knowledge. It often illuminated Christian faith, and deepened the experience of faith. For 75 years, TUXIS has fostered a sense of personal moral responsibility, a sense of community, and a sense that life is a joyful experience.

The alumni of Alberta's TUXIS Parliament live and work in communities across the province, in most other Canadian provinces, and around the world. Because of this, many people, communities, and enterprises benefit from the TUXIS Parliament experience.

We who are alumni recall with appreciation the friendship and contribution of colleagues now departed. We express thanks that with other colleagues we are still able to serve and enjoy memories, life and prospects. We look forward to many more Sessions of Parliament yet to come, and the contributions that will be made by future Parliamentarians, contributions that will be seeded and nurtured in TUXIS Parliament.



— W. H. (Bill) Swift, TUXIS Parliamentarian
First Session



INTRODUCTION

The founder of this movement was Taylor Statten. Since the idea was first presented by Mr. Statten, there have been many individuals who have made valuable contributions to the growth and development of this movement and to whom great credit is due.

The Tuxis movement was arrived at by the process of experimentation with many types of existing movements, specially those of the Y.M.C.A. and the churches, under the inspiration and guidance of Taylor Statten a Y.M.C.A. secretary, and others. The Tuxis movement evolved gradually making much use of the trial and error method, and making use of many ideas that were obtained from other boys' programs. However, it was the first distinctly Canadian movement to be created by Canadians for Canadians and in that it occupied a special place among the programs for the Canadian boy.

— Willingly and cheerfully doing more than that which it is our duty to do. —

Taylor Statten, working with another Toronto Y.M.C.A. secretary, Wallace Forgie, developed a program of "Efficiency Tests" for boys, based on a study of nature and learning in the great outdoors as a best training for

citizenship. While working on this "Efficiency Tests" program, Forgie got the idea of tying them into a four-fold program: Intellectual, Physical, Spiritual, and Social. The scripture base was to be the verse describing the youthful life of Jesus of Nazareth, "And Jesus increased in wisdom and stature and in favor with God and man" (Luke 2:52).



TAYLOR STATTEN

In October 1918 two programs under the covering name of 'Canadian Standard Efficiency Training' were offered to Canadian boys. The Trail Ranger program was for boys 12 to 14, with its own emblems, crests, ceremonies and badges.

The Tuxis program (Training for Service, Christ in the Centre, you and I on either side and no-one but Christ between us) was for boys from 15 to 17.

In 1920 the National Boys' Work Board of the Religious Education Council of Canada was established. Each province had its provincial Boys' Work Board affiliated with the National Body. Ten years later the C.S.E.T. Program had approximately 2500 groups registered in the 1000 Canadian cities with nearly 30,000 boys. The designation C.S.E.T. was dropped in 1932 and the word Tuxis was adopted as

the covering name for the entire program.

In 1919, Wallace Forgie became Alberta's first Boys' Work Secretary. He remained with the Boys' Work Board in Alberta during the formation years until 1925 when another Y.M.C.A. leader, C.E. "Chuck" Hendry assumed the position.

Taylor Statten believed that the boys involved in a program of training should be able to determine what that program should be and that adult advisors should not impose their opinion and ideas on the young people. Only if the boys were given this responsibility would they really develop qualities of leadership. Out of this basic philosophy, the conception of Older Boys' parliament was born.

The Older Boys' Parliaments were not to be "mock parliament" in any sense of the term. As a by-product the members would learn parliamentary procedure, public speaking and debate. These parliaments were to be genuinely endowed with the authority to legislate for the C.S.E.T. Program and to become the vehicle of government and planning. Parliament was to be a direct means for the practical working out of the ideas and suggestions of the boys who were the leaders in the C.S.E.T. program.

In 1917 Ontario held its first Older Boys' Parliament. A Lieutenant-Governor opened the sessions and a duly elected Speaker presided. There was a clerk of the House and a Sergeant-at-Arms. A premier and a leader of the opposition led the two party house.



WALLACE FORGIE

The first session of the Alberta Older Boys' Parliament was held in the Legislative Chamber of the Provincial Government in Edmonton, December 28 through 30, 1920. The first premier was Edward Hunter Gowan. Armour Ford was elected as the first Speaker. Leader of the opposition was James Robin Davidson. The mayor of Edmonton, D.

M. Duggan acted as lieutenant-governor.

The purpose of Parliament thus was to encourage young people to seek out and face the challenge of Christian living, by bringing together representative members from the province of Alberta, to train its members in the arts of logical thought and self expression, to educate its members, through participation, in the process of Parliament, and the responsibility of citizenship, and through a related

*—'And Jesus increased in wisdom
and stature and in favor with God
and man.'—
Luke 2:52*

program of activities throughout the year, develop and train young people as Christian leaders.

Older Boys' Parliaments were formed across the country, and the Alberta one will celebrate its 75th session in December 1994. This Alberta Parliament continued during World War II and thus became the only Youth Parliament in Canada to have an unbroken record of 75 years.

The Alberta Parliament operated under the name Alberta Older Boys' Parliament until 1932 when the word TUXIS was introduced into the name. The word TUXIS still remains with the name, and Alberta is the only Parliament that retains this meaningful word in the title.



Legislation originally concerned only with the Canadian Standard Efficiency Tests shifted to an emphasis on current social issues. Resolutions opposing conscription (35th session) and recognizing Red China (39th session) attracted considerable public attention. Some of the time spent in debate was reduced to allow discussion of a Christian theme, and this now occupies an equally important position in the session.

*— Life is not a goblet to be drained,
but a measure to be filled. —*

The Religious Educational Council of Alberta, for many years the sponsors of the Tuxis Parliament of Alberta, ceased to exist and in 1962 the Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament Alumni Society was formed. The members of this Alumni now provide financial backing and continuity to the parliament.

The 60th session of the parliament approved a resolution inviting young women to attend the parliament and share in the companionship of Tuxis. This same year also approved a resolution to change the name from Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament of

Alberta to that of Tuxis Parliament of Alberta. Young women first attended the 62nd session in 1981 at Red Deer and soon entered into the leadership when LaVonne Rosvick was elected premier for the 67th session.

Alberta Parliament has taken the leadership in providing opportunities for sharing programs with other parliaments, and for a number of years members of this parliament were sent as Ambassadors to Saskatchewan and British Columbia. During Canada's Centennial year the Alberta Alumni Society sponsored the First National Parliament in Calgary. Ten members from each of the eight parliaments met for five days of deliberation.

During the summer of 1983 the Alberta Tuxis Parliament hosted the first Western Canada youth Parliament with delegates representing the four western parliaments in attendance.

It is a rare community in Alberta that has not felt the impact of leadership given by a member of the Tuxis Parliament. All levels of government have within them former members of the Parliaments. Certainly the professions list among their memberships, individuals who, in former days benefited greatly from the training and inspiration of this body. This is not surprising when one realizes that, over the past 74 years, nearly three thousand young men and women have signed the traditional Oath of Allegiance upon becoming a member of the Tuxis Parliament.



FIRST SESSION

ALBERTA OLDER BOYS' PROVINCIAL PARLIAMENT

Attendant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Member of Opposition

Mayor David M. Duggan
Armour Ford
Edward Hunter Gowan
James Robin Davidson

Held in the Executive Council Chamber
Legislative Buildings, Edmonton
December 28, 29, 30, 1920
MEMBERS: 44

"I acquired skills in public speaking, leadership, valuable acquaintances- a very worthwhile educational, enjoyable experience."
Member 1st and 2nd Session



EDWARD HUNTER GOWAN

PREMIER

Edward Hunter Gowan, Premier 1920, born in Montréal in 1902. When he was a child, he came to Alberta and attended Victoria High School in Edmonton and then went on to receive a B.A. from the University of Alberta. Dr. Gowan was a Rhodes Scholar and became a Professor of Physics at the University of Alberta.

DISTRICT BOUNDARIES AND DEPUTY RETURNING OFFICERS

EDMONTON NORTH-WEST DISTRICT
C.N.R. - Edmonton to Athabasca Landing.
E.D. & B.C. - Edmonton to Grande Prairie and Peace River
A. & G.W. - Edmonton to Lac la Biche
All lines west of Edmonton to B.C. boundary.
Returning Officer - Alf. G. Johnston,
McDougall Methodist Church,
Edmonton

EDMONTON CITY DISTRICT
All territory within the limits of the City of Edmonton.
Returning Officer - Douglas Gould, 9828 91st Avenue, Edmonton

EDMONTON SOUTH-EAST DISTRICT
C.P.R. - Edmonton to Wetaskiwin.
C.N.R. - Edmonton to Hay Lake.
G.T.P. - Edmonton to Ryley.
C.N.R. - Edmonton to Lamont
Returning Officer - Chas. Oscrift, 10736 74th Avenue, Edmonton

VERMILLION DISTRICT
C.N.R. - Chipman to Lloydminster, and all contributing territory.
Returning Officer - E. M. Coles, Lloydminster.

WAINWRIGHT DISTRICT
G.T.P. - Holden to Saskatchewan Boundary and contributing territory.
Returning Officer - Russell Love, M.L.A., Irma.

CAMROSE DISTRICT
C.P.R. - Gwynne to Bawlf.
C.N.R. - Meeting Creek to Armens.
G.T.P. - Doreenlee to Bardo.
C.N.R. - Alliance Branch and Camrose to Inland
Returning Officer - Rev. M. Ing, Daysland

HARDISTY DISTRICT
C.P.R. - Daysland to Saskatchewan Boundary and contributing territory.
Returning Officer - Rev. J. G. Elsdon, Hughenden.

CORONATION DISTRICT
C.P.R. - Fleet to Saskatchewan Boundary and contributing territory.
Returning Officer - Rev. J. R. Brown, Veteran.

STETTLER DISTRICT
C.P.R. - Clive to Castor.
C.N.R. - Donalds to Scollard
G.T.P. - Huxley to Bashaw.
Returning Officer - Rev. A. A. Lytle, Stettler.

RED DEER DISTRICT
C.P.R. - Airdrie to Ponoka and lines west from Red Deer and Lacombe.
Returning Officer - W. E. Lord, Red Deer.

CALGARY NORTH-EAST DISTRICT
G.T.P. - Calgary to Trochu.
C.P.R. - Acme-Irricana Branch to Tudor.
C.P.R. - Main line to Cheadle and Strangmuir.
Returning Officer - A. W. Fergie, 302 I.O.O.F. Building, Calgary

CALGARY CITY DISTRICT
All territory within the limits of the City of Calgary.
Returning Officer - A. Cyril Brethour, 6 Sibley Apartments, Calgary

CALGARY SOUTH-WEST DISTRICT
C.P.R. - Calgary to Cayley and Aldersyde Branch south to Vulcan
C.P.R. - Calgary to Banff
Returning Officer - Rev. C. E. Rodgers, Cayley.

MACLEOD DISTRICT
C.P.R. - Macleod to Nanton.
C.P.R. - Crow's Nest line Monarch to Cowley.
Returning Officer - Rev. O. S. Lavers, Nanton.

CROW'S NEST PASS DISTRICT
C.P.R. - Lundbreck to Crow's Nest.
Returning Officer - Rev. C. S. Pinder, Hillcrest.

LETHBRIDGE DISTRICT
C.P.R. - Aldersyde Branch Lethbridge to Kirkcaldy.
C.P.R. - Crow's Nest Branch Grassy Lake to Kipp.
All lines south to the United States Boundary.
Returning Officer - Osborne Layton, 934 1 St. S., Lethbridge.

MEDICINE HAT DISTRICT
C.P.R. - Saskatchewan Boundary to Bantry.
Crow's Nest line Medicine Hat to Burdette and contributing territory.
Returning Officer - Webster Niblock, Medicine Hat.

BASSANO DISTRICT
C.P.R. - Empress Branch Bassano to Empress.
C.P.R. - Main line Strathmore to Brooks.
C.P.R. - Irricana Branch Bassano to Standard.
Returning Officer - A. W. Fergie, 302 I.O.O.F. Building, Calgary.

ACADIA DISTRICT
C.N.R. - Goose Lake line, Youngstown to Saskatchewan boundary.
Returning Officer - E. V. Springbett, Oyen.

HANNA DISTRICT
C.N.R. - Goose Lake line, Beynon to Scotsfield.
C.N.R. - Munson to Rumsey and contributing territory.
Returning Officer - Rev. Robt. Simona, Munson.

SECOND SESSION

ALBERTA OLDER BOYS' PROVINCIAL PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Mayor David M. Duggan
Donald Ramsay
James Robin Davidson
Edward Hunter Gowan

Held in the Executive Council Chamber
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December 28, 29, 30, 1921
MEMBERS: 38

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1921

Boy's Parliament is Opened For Second Session; Galleries Were Crowded With Visitors

Alberta Government Officials and Parents Watched Proceedings,
All of Which Were Correctly Carried Out - Constructive
Legislation Outlined in Speech from the Throne

With all proper ceremony, the second session of the Older Boy's Parliament of Alberta was opened by Mayor Duggan, in the role of Lieutenant-governor Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock. The sessions are held in the council chamber of the Parliament buildings and on the afternoon of the official opening, the galleries were full to overflowing with citizens in all walks of life, including those very important walks, government officials and parents. Everything went off correctly from the formality of the installation of the new speaker, Donald Ramsay, West Edmonton, to the snap of fingers for the pages. Premier Greenfield and other members of the Alberta cabinet were much pleased with the way things were carried out.

Standing Committees

The standing committees of the house were struck as follows:

ORGANIZATION: Minister, Wm. Cromb, Vermilion. Members: William Holgate, Center Calgary; Clarence Campbell, S. Edmonton; William Swift, S.E. Edmonton; Edward Gowan, Edmonton.

MUNICIPALITIES: Minister, B. Powell, East Calgary. Members: Donald Ramsay, W. Edmonton; S. McLaughlin, N.E. Calgary; Clifford Lee, S.E. Edmonton; C. Cates, Acadia E.; D. Philpotts, Vermilion E., G. Rees, Medicine Hat; H. Brubacher, Didsbury; R. E. Pederson, Lethbridge V. Peake, Coronation.

INTELLECTUAL PROGRAM: Minister, Tom Swindlehurst, Acadia W. Members: H. T. Thoreson, Grande Prairie; C. Wilson, Coronation; Elmore Stewart, Red Deer N.

PHYSICAL PROGRAM: Minister Joe Patton, Macleod S. Members: F. L. Miller, Vermilion; J. Eaglesham, Calgary S.W.; R. M. Barnhill, Crow's Nest Pass W.; A.C. Wilfong, West Calgary; K.R. Miller, Claresholm S. of A.

DEVOTIONAL PROGRAM: Minister, Tom Askin, C Wainwright, Members: R. Alexander, Calgary S.E.; D. Esplin, Medicine Hat C.; Eric Morley, Crow's Nest E.

SOCIAL PROGRAM: Minister, Ray McLeary, Edmonton. Members: J. A. Bateman, Medicine Hat E., K. McShane, Hardisty; Roy Butterfield, Coronation.



JAMES ROBIN DAVIDSON

PREMIER

James Robin Davidson, the Leader of Opposition in the first session, was born in 1906. He graduated from Victoria High in Edmonton. A keen debater, he was the leader of the winning team of the Mayor Henry Shield in 1921. James represented McDougall Methodist Church.

MEMBER PROFILE

Herbert T. Coutts, born February 9, 1907 in Hamilton, represented Claresholm at the 4th Session. He attended schools in Georgetown, Calgary, and Claresholm and graduated from Calgary Normal School. After receiving his M.A. from University of Alberta and his Ph.D from the University of Minnesota, Herbert was a school superintendent and Professor of Education at the University of Alberta. A Member of Order of Canada is included among his many honors and awards.

"All experience is an arch where through gleams
that untravelled world whose margin fades
forever and forever as I move" Tennyson.

Member 4th Session.

THIRD SESSION

ALBERTA OLDER BOYS' PROVINCIAL PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Mayor David M. Duggan
Donald Ramsay
K. Bray Powell
Ian Oliver

Held in the Executive Council Chamber
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K. BRAY POWELL

PREMIER

K. Bray Powell, was born March 18, 1903 in Olds, Alberta. His father was the Rev. Thomas Powell. Bray secured his education at Lacombe, Edmonton, and Calgary and attended Normal School in Calgary with his first teaching post at Didsbury. Mr. Powell was a Minister of Municipalities in the second Parliament in 1921. He became a secretary with the Y.M.C.A. and later moved to California.



CAMP TUXIS

Enshrined in the memory of many parliamentarians are the days of Camp Tuxis. Those highlights of the experience run a kaleidoscope through the mind. Vespers, with all the majesty of golds and reds of the setting sun: the camp in its setting of green; the blues and greens of the lake; fellowship in cabin and tent; new values; new perspectives, new ideas about life, gathered from morning watch, worship services, friendships, discussions. Here we live for a few days, apart from the matter-of-fact world, and become a part of the tradition that has grown around Camp Tuxis. Camp Tuxis has been a mecca for a good many past parliamentarians and will be through the years as long as the fellowship built around the friendship fire, in cabin, around the campfire and at vespers, is carried forward by those who share in the days at Camp Tuxis.

"I have always been interested in politics, Parliament and national issues and I know the Tuxis Parliament started that interest and gave me momentum."

Member 7th Session



FOURTH SESSION



ALBERTA OLDER BOYS' C.S.E.T. PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Mayor David M. Duggan
Donald Ramsay
Earl Newcombe
Ian W. Oliver

Held in the Executive Council Chamber
Legislative Buildings, Edmonton
December 27, 28, 29, 1923
MEMBERS: 64



PROCLAMATION

In accordance with the 1922 Status, 12 Geo. V., Chapter One of the Alberta Older Boys' C.S.E.T. Parliament, due notice is hereby given that a General Election will be held from November 19-24, 1923, for the purpose of electing representatives to the Fourth Alberta Older Boys' C.S.E.T. Parliament. In connection with the Elections the following information is given for the guidance of voters and all concerned:—

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| DATE OF SESSION | The Sessions of the Fourth Parliament will be held during Thursday, Friday and Saturday, December 27, 28 and 29, 1923. |
| PLACE OF MEETING | The Government of the Province of Alberta has granted the use of the Legislature Buildings in the City of Edmonton for this purpose. |
| PARTY LEADERS | Biographical sketches, platforms and qualifications of the Leaders for the Fourth Parliament will be found on the inside pages of this folder. The procedure followed in the selection of these leaders will be found in Article IV of the Older Boys' Provincial Parliament Act" as amended 1922. |
| THE RULES GOVERNING MEMBERS | The qualifications of Candidates for Election, as specified under Article IX and X of the Parliament Act, must be strictly adhered to in respect to age, church membership, personal habits and active interest in the promotion of C.S.E.T. |
| CANDIDATES FOR ELECTION | Shall be required to make a return to the Deputy Returning Officer of their District not later than November 5th, 1923. The candidate must be endorsed by five eligible voters, and his return must be certified by two qualified persons as specified in Article X, Clause 4; of the Act. |
| ELECTORAL DISTRICTS | Are as defined on page four of this Proclamation. Each of which shall be entitled to elect three members to the Parliament. The Trail Rangers are entitled to seven members, to be elected from the Province at large. In addition, each Provincial Agricultural School will be entitled one member, who shall be in his first year in that school. |
| CERTIFIED VOTERS' LISTS | Lists shall be prepared for each Polling Sub-Division which shall show the name, age, and C.S.E.T. Organization of all qualified voters; all of which shall be in accord with Article V of the 1922 Act. Two copies of this list shall be certified to by a Registered Mentor and sent to the Deputy Returning Officer for the Districts not later than November 5th, 1923. |
| BILLETS PROVIDED | Edmonton Members are responsible for providing billets for all out of town Members. These will be arranged for on the "Harvard Plan" (bed and breakfast) from Wednesday night, December 26, to Sunday morning, December 30. |
| POOLED RAILWAY FARES | Under the pooling system provided for by the act, each elected member shall pay an equal share of the total railway fares for all Members. The maximum amount will be \$12.00; it is expected that the actual cost will be about \$10.00. |

WALLACE FORGIE,
Chief Returning Officer
302 I.O.O.F. Building
Calgary, Alberta

H. A. CRAIG,
Chairman Parliament Committee,
Legislative Buildings
Edmonton, Alberta

"I would not be in the Christian Ministry today if it were not for the influence of Tuxis and the example of the many men who were leaders."
Member of 4th Session



EARL B. NEWCOMBE
PREMIER

Earl B. Newcombe was born in Halifax on June 22, 1905. He moved to Calgary as a youngster and secured his education in public high schools in Calgary. Earl was a member of the Iroquois Tuxis Square of First Baptist Church. He went on to become a salesman with Manufacturer's Life.

MEMBER PROFILE

Aylmer J. E. Leisemer, who was born in Didsbury November 27, 1905, was a member of this session. While attending the University of Alberta, he was the Managing Editor of the Gateway. Aylmer studied education and became a teacher. He later represented a Calgary Constituency in the Alberta Legislature.

NOTE:—Copies of the "Parliament Act" and the "Proceedings of the 1922 Parliament" may be secured at Fifteen Cents each, by sending stamps to Boys' Work Board of Alberta, 302 I.O.O.F. Building, Calgary.

FIFTH SESSION

ALBERTA OLDER BOYS' C.S.E.T. PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Mayor K. Blatchford
Donald Ramsay
Jack W. Lucas
William Webber

Held in the Executive Council Chamber
Legislative Buildings, Edmonton
December 28, 29, 30, 31, 1924
MEMBERS: 55



JACK W. LUCAS

PREMIER

Jack W. Lucas was born in Toronto in 1905 and came west as a youngster of eleven, first to Vancouver and then to Loughheed. He represented the Loughheed area at the 1922 session, and was later chosen to be Deputy Speaker. Jack was Pretor of the Roughrider's Tuxis Square at Loughheed.

MEMBER PROFILE

Clarence S. Campbell, a member of the second session from Edmonton, graduated as a lawyer. He enlisted with the Royal Canadian Artillery in World War II, serving overseas. Captain Campbell became a member of the Prosecuting Team during the Nuremberg War Trials. He returned to Canada and practiced law and went on to become the President of the National Hockey League.

FIFTH ALBERTA BOYS' PARLIAMENT FORMALLY OPENED ON SATURDAY

In a ceremony befitting the occasion, the fifth session of the Alberta C.S.E.T. boys' provincial parliament was opened in the legislative buildings at 2:30 Saturday afternoon. A commencement was made, at afternoon and evening sessions of the parliament, with a program of legislature enacted and designed, as in other years, to the immeasurable benefit to the boys of the province.

The 1924 Parliamentary meetings are being attended by more than 60 boys, representing Tuxis and Trail Ranger groups from Alberta communities.

Much of the rigid formality evidenced in the opening ceremonies of the regular legislative session was in evidence of this the fifth session of the Alberta Boys' Parliament on Saturday afternoon. Parliament was opened, following reading of an official proclamation by Clerk of the House, and the unanimous reelection of Donald Ramsay, of Edmonton, as Speaker, by Mayor K. Blatchford, lieutenant-governor of the assembly.

Changes Are Needed

In an outline of some of the resolutions to come before this session of parliament, the following: You will be asked to consider suggestions regarding temperance, the use of tobacco and gambling as related to the boys of this province, and it is

earnestly desired that you find a feasible solution for these items such as can be worked out for the boys by us.

"Also a redistribution bill is to be put before you" In urging full and harmonious consideration of these various problems, hope was expressed in the speech from the throne that the deliberations of the fifth assembly of the boys' parliament might assist materiality in challenging an ever-increasing number of boys throughout the province to rally to the new standard of living emphasized in the program for Trail Rangers and Tuxis Boys.

Merciless Attack

Debate on the speech from the throne resulted in the exchange of much good-natured banter, the members of the "opposition" mercilessly attacking the government for alleged defects in the outline of past accomplishments as contained in the throne addresses, and Premier Jack Lucas and the members of his party just as warmly and just as ably defending their actions. In the end, however, Hon. Bill Webber, of Edmonton, leader of the opposition, seconded a motion by Premier Jack Lucas, Edmonton, thanking "his honor the lieutenant-governor" for his speech from the throne, and agreed with enthusiasm to the proposal to "shake hands and forget party prejudices" during the remainder of the important work of the session.

"Tuxis Parliament gave me confidence in my own ability, and challenged me to further my education."

Member 29th Session

SIXTH SESSION

ALBERTA OLDER BOYS' C.S.E.T. PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Dr. F. S. McCall
Donald Ramsay
William H. Swift
Reg Houghton

Held in the Executive Council Chamber
Legislative Buildings, Edmonton
December 28, 29, 30, 1925
MEMBERS: 48



WILLIAM H. SWIFT

PREMIER

William H. Swift, born August 13, 1904, represented Tofield at the First Session in 1920 and has continued membership since. William went to elementary and high school in Tofield and obtained a B.A., M.A., M.Ed. from the University of Alberta and a Ph.D. from Stanford University. He has served as a teacher, an inspector of schools, a principal and an instructor of Normal School, Deputy Minister of Education, and Chairman of the Universities Commission. Among many community activities, William is a Past President and Past District Governor of Rotary. He served the Parliament as Speaker for the 7th and 8th Sessions and later became Lieutenant-Governor for Seven Sessions.

"Sometimes I wonder what got me into the career route I followed. Tuxis undoubtedly helped shape the direction of that route."

Member 44th Session

DISTRICT BOUNDARIES AND REPRESENTATION

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| 1 | Peace River, Grande Prairie to Sawridge..... | 1 |
| 2 | South Whitecourt, Jasper and Mountain Park to St. Albert..... | 1 |
| 3 | Bon Accord and St. Paul line..... | 1 |
| 4-7 | Unranged Territory North and West of Edmonton..... | |
| 8 | Lloydminster to Islay..... | 1 |
| 9 | Vermillion to Raith..... | 2 |
| 10 | Lamont to Mundaie..... | 1 |
| 11 | Edmonton-(a.) Edmonton Urban..... | 2 |
| | (b.) Edmonton Rural..... | 1 |
| | (To include rural districts whose centre is Edmonton, such as: Namoia, Clover Bar, Fort Sask.)..... | |
| 12 | Chauvin to Jarrow..... | 2 |
| 13 | Viking to Cooking Lake..... | 2 |
| 14 | Hayter to Hardisty..... | 2 |
| 15 | Lougheed to Camrose and Gwyne, Alliance Branch South to Doreenlee and Meeting Creek..... | 2 |
| 16 | Ponoka to Leduc..... | 2 |
| 17 | Blackfalds to Morningside, East to Leed and Bentley Branch..... | 2 |
| 18 | Innisfail to Red Deer and lines West..... | 2 |
| 19 | Bashaw to Huxley..... | 2 |
| 20 | Castor to Stettler and Nevis, Donalda to Big Valley..... | 2 |
| 21 | Fleet and Coronation to Saskatchewan Boundary..... | 1 |
| 22 | Scotfield to Sibbald..... | 1 |
| 23 | Stammore to Craignyle, Steveston Branch..... | 1 |
| 24 | Scollard to Wayne, Munson to Delia..... | 2 |
| 25 | Trochu to Irricana..... | 1 |
| 26 | Calgary City..... | 2 |
| 27 | Bowden to Airdrie..... | 2 |
| 28 | Cochrane to Stephen (unorganized)..... | 1 |
| 29 | Lyalta to Rosebud, Langdon and Carsland to Gleichen and Cluny..... | 2 |
| 30 | Brooks to Bassano, Bassano to Empress..... | 1 |
| 31 | Unorganized Territory within District No. 30..... | |
| 32 | Medicine Hat and Macleod, Whitelaw to the Boundary, Vauxhall to Suffield..... | 2 |
| 33 | Lamond to Retlaw, Winnifred to Urbette..... | 1 |
| 34 | Grassy Lake to Lethbridge and Barons..... | 2 |
| 35 | Cardston, Milk River and Foremost Branches..... | 1 |
| 36 | Unorganized Territory within District No. 35..... | |
| 37 | Carmangay to Ensign..... | 2 |
| 38 | Brant to Aldersyde and Okotoks to Nanton..... | 2 |
| 39 | Parkland to Granum..... | 2 |
| 40 | Cowley to Macleod..... | 2 |
| 41 | Lundbrick to Coleman..... | 2 |
| 42 | One representative from each School of Agriculture. Rural communities not herein provided for, but organized before the next redistribution will automatically become part of that district which is its natural centre. | |

SEVENTH SESSION

ALBERTA OLDER BOYS' C.S.E.T. PARLIAMENT

Attendant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Dr. F. S. McCall
William H. Swift
John Reed
Aylmer J. E. Liesemer

Held in the Executive Council Chamber
Legislative Buildings, Edmonton
December 28, 29, 30, 1926
MEMBERS: 55



JOHN REED

PREMIER

John Reed was born in Toronto in 1907, came west with his family in 1911 to settle in Edmonton. He is a graduate in commerce from the University of Alberta. His first experience with this Parliament was at the fourth Session where he represented Edmonton.

"Although my experience was brief, I have long treasured the impact on my life, especially in debate and organization of argument and cooperative endeavor"
Member 30th Session

Parliament and Camping

The early years of Parliament introduced legislation organizing and promoting summer camps for leaders of boys. Older boys, Mentors, prospective Mentors, Ministers and others interested, would gather at Honeymoon Bay along the beach from Kasota on Sylvan Lake.

The director of the early camps was Jack Sharp of the YMCA at that time. It was known as the Alberta Older Boys' Training Camp and was recognized as a leadership training camp which produced results in the form of trained Christian leaders and older boys, who were anxious to make their lives count for that which was worthwhile and to assist those who were younger to take the four steps along the trail.

The Parliament in the early years gave the responsibility for camping to the Minister of Physical Affairs, and at the Ninth Session a Portfolio for Camps and Conferences appears. The Minister named that year was Walter McDonald and J. Harper Prowse, of Taber, held the position at the tenth Session.

In 1932 the position was identified in Cabinet as Grand Chief Camp Tuxis and was held by Jack Goddard. The first Minister of Camp Tuxis was named in 1939 in the person of Gareth McGregor. Harry Gratland of the 20th Session was named "Best Camper" and received the "Page Trophy Award". Harry became Grand Chief of Camp Tuxis in 1939.

The records appear to indicate that camping was losing interest and the last cabinet position was the 23rd Session when Frank Vikse was Minister.

EIGHTH SESSION

ALBERTA OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Mayor F. E. Osborne
William W. Swift
Robert Bond
Russell Berscht

Held in the Council Chamber
City Hall, Calgary
December 28, 29, 30, 1927
MEMBERS: 67



ROBERT BOND

PREMIER

Robert Bond attended several Sessions of Parliament and served as Minister of Finance. He represented High River during his time with the Parliament. Robert was a regular member of Camp Tuxis and he later became sales manager of the Aluminum Company of Canada

"For a country boy, it was most interesting to take part in Boys' Parliament in the big city of Calgary and meet other city (and country) boys, many of whom became well known figures later."

Member 7th Session

MEMBER PROFILE

Ralph L. Erdman was born in Barons on July 19, 1913 and completed his elementary schooling in Barons. He received his B.Sc. and M.Sc. from the University of Alberta and moved south to specialize in soil at the Lethbridge Research Station. Ralph later returned to farming near Barons. Ralph was crowned World Wheat King in 1961.

Eighth Alberta Boys' Parliament Opened; Mayor Gives Address

Interesting Scene in City Hall
When His Worship Presents
Address from Throne

Formal opening of the eighth Alberta Boys' Parliament took place Wednesday afternoon in the Calgary city council chamber, in city hall, with the reading of the speech from the throne by Mayor F. E. Osborne, in the capacity of lieutenant-governor. Preceding the address from the throne, Bill Swift, member from To-field, was elected speaker of the house, and stood by the lieutenant-governor throughout his address. At the conclusion of the speech, Robert Bond, premier of the eighth parliament, opened, with his reply, a debate which took up the remainder of the afternoon until 6 o'clock. In the address from the throne, the future organization of a national parliament was agreed, and it was stated that the boys of Alberta would rigorously promote the forming of such an organization.

First Parliament Here

Calgary is entertaining these boys, who represent centres large and small in almost every part of Alberta, for the first time since the commencement of the Alberta

Boys' Parliament. For the past seven years sessions of this parliament have been held in the provincial government buildings at Edmonton. The boys are eminently satisfied with the facilities provided here although they feel there is lacking a certain atmosphere that is prevalent in the parliament buildings of the capital, where the elders they are so successful imitating have long gathered for parliamentary debate, and the passing of important legislation.

Party System Unpopular

A general caucus at 9 o'clock opened the parliamentary proceedings on Wednesday morning and was followed by committee meetings to decide on possible legislation to be brought before the house for enactment. Two resolutions of importance were drafted. The one advocating abolishment of the party system of government at further meetings of the Boys' Parliament; the other offering a plan for a joint conference of Tuxis Boys, C.G.I.T., and any other young people interested, to be held in Calgary in January of each year. This conference is suggested to be of two days duration, and is strongly advocated by Mr. Bond the premier.

NINTH SESSION

ALBERTA OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

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der of Opposition

Mayor F. E. Osborne
John R. Reed
Thomas R. Haythorne
John Farrell

Held in the Council Chamber
City Hall, Calgary
December 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1928
MEMBERS: 65



THOMAS R. HAYTHORNE

PREMIER

Thomas R. Haythorne was born in Edmonton on November 6, 1907. He was a Strathcona High School graduate and while there won several honors, such as School debating shield for Grade XII, and the oratorical contest for Edmonton Schools. He also won points in track, field and soccer. He received his B.A. from University of Alberta and graduated in theology from St. Stephens College. Tom was ordained by the United Church in 1934 and continued to serve until his retirement in 1972. He represented this session of the Parliament at the World Sunday School Convention in Los Angeles in 1928. Mr. Haythorne was Boys' Secretary for the Religious Education Council of Alberta from 1929 to 1932.

Tom married Lydia Farrell, sister of John Farrell, who was leader of the Opposition this year.

HAL J. ROBBINS

Hal J. Robbins, the author of the poem, "To Camp Tuxis", spent many years in camping and as a member of the Executive of Religious Education Council of Alberta, which was the group that sponsored the Parliament for many years. He was never a member of Boys' Parliament. Mr. Robbins was employed by the Canadian Western Natural Gas Company and was their Corporate Secretary when he retired.

"Tuxis was an outstanding training for my present position and for any life that includes values and service."

Member 30th Session

To Camp Tuxis

Beside a lake that shimmers in the breeze,
Amid the song of birds, the rustling trees
A canopy of stars, a clear blue sky,
We found a way of life that ne'er will die.
Ten days of joy and happiness, the making of a friend
A vision of events that never have an end;
From jerks and fagging, and the games we play,
To the glory of the vespers that end a perfect day.
As we entered God's great temple, to the sound of sweet refrain,
Nature clothed herself in beauty that no earthly tongue can name;
And we must have felt the greatness and the grandeur of it all,
When the curtains of the heavens o'er another day did fall.
And then at night we gather 'round the dancing fire,
To let the living flames our thoughts inspire;
"Till silent night, a moon and stars begin to peep,
And weary campers truly happy, go to bed to sleep.
And so once more we leave this way of life,
And help to bear the Cross of daily strife;
So let us dedicate our lives anew,
Resolved to live a life of service through.

Hal Robbins

TENTH SESSION

ALBERTA OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Mayor J. M. Douglas
Elmer Evans
Jack Collett
Bill Pettigrew

Held in the Council Chamber
Parliament Buildings, Edmonton
December 27, 28, 30, 31, 1929
MEMBERS: 56



JACK COLLETT

PREMIER

William John Collett was born in England on March 6, 1910. After moving to Canada at the age of nine, the family took up residence in Calgary where Jack received his public, high school and Normal training. His first teaching position was at Brant, Alberta. He graduated from the University of Alberta with a B.A., B.Ed., B.D., M.A. and received an Honorary D.D. from St. Stephen's College. He was ordained by the United Church in 1938 and served in a number of congregations in Southern Alberta. Mr. Collett became President of Mount Royal College and served there until his retirement. He also served this Parliament as Speaker for the 12th, 13th, and 14th Sessions and has served on many local Parliament committees. Jack wrote the 50th Anniversary book for Parliament.

BOYS MEET IN LEGISLATIVE SESSION HERE

Parliament is Welcomed to Capital
by H. A. Craig

Sixty young boy parliamentarians from all over Alberta met at the council chamber of the legislative buildings on Friday morning as a preliminary to the official opening of the tenth annual boys' parliament which will open Friday evening. H. A. Craig, deputy minister of agriculture and chairman of the parliamentary committee of the YMCA spoke and stressed the value of such a council as this.

Hon. O. L. McPherson, minister of public works, and former speaker of the legislature, thought such a parliament was a feature of provincial work as it helped the boys to play the game and lay a foundation for future years.

R J Gillis and Rev. R W Hibbert also spoke.

The official opening ceremony will be performed by his worship, Mayor James M. Douglas, who is acting as Lieutenant-Governor.

"Tuxis Parliament was a marvelous
training for a life-time of church
and community leadership"

Member 12th Session

MEMBER PROFILE

J. Harper Prowse, from Taber, attended the tenth Session in Edmonton, in 1929. Harper was a graduate in law and served as a Captain in the Canadian Army (Commando) during World War II. The Alberta Government introduced Armed Forces Members in the Legislature in 1944 and Harper was elected by Army personnel to be their member. He represented the Army until 1947 when he became Leader of the Liberal Party in Alberta. Mr. Prowse later resigned his seat to accept a Senate appointment in Ottawa.

ELEVENTH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Mayor J. M. Douglas
Bill Pettigrew
Elmer Evans
Gordon Withell

Held in the Council Chamber
Parliament Buildings, Edmonton
December 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1930

MEMBERS: 61

Mayor Douglas Will Open Boys' Parliament Saturday

Sixty Youthful Solons From Every Part of Province
Will Gather in Legislative Buildings—Hon.
R. G. Reid to Welcome Members.

More than 60 boys coming from Grande Prairie and Berwyn in the north to Macleod and Taber in the south will convene in Edmonton Saturday morning to form the 11th annual Alberta Older Boys' parliament.

The first meeting of the boys will be held at 10:00 a.m. in the council chambers of the legislative buildings and will have as its chairman the outgoing premier, Jack Collett of Calgary.

Hon. R. G. Reid, provincial treasurer and minister of lands and mines, will welcome the members on behalf of the government of the province. H. A. Craig, deputy minister of agriculture and chairman of the parliamentary committee, will give words of welcome on behalf of the Alberta Boys' Work Board. Others who are expected to greet the boys will be J. J. Humphries, chairman of the Edmonton Boys' Work Board; R. W. Hibbert, greater secretary of the Religious Education Council of Alberta; Charles S. Forsyth, boys' work secretary of the Edmonton Y.M.C.A., and Tom R. Haythorne, executive secretary of the Alberta Boys' Work Board.

Elect Premier Saturday

During Saturday the election of the premier and announcement of the cabinet will take place. There are three candidates in the field for this honor: Elmer Evans, Oyen; Fred Levitt, Lethbridge and Gordon Withell, Calgary.

Discussion Groups

Beginning with Monday morning discussion groups are planned for each of the three remaining mornings, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. The discussions will bear on the 1930-31 theme of Trail Ranger and Tuxis work for the whole of Canada, "That We May Know Him." Outlines for the three days have been prepared.

The cabinet of the outgoing parliament decided on this new departure at a cabinet meeting held in Calgary at Thanksgiving. The cabinet felt that a broader understanding of Jesus from a boys' point of view is not only possible but is very essential if members of the parliament as well as Trail Rangers and Tuxis fellows and boys everywhere are to develop the complete orbed life.



ELMER EVANS

PREMIER

Elmer Evans came to the Parliament from Oyen. He graduated from schools in Oyen and Calgary, and went on to become a teacher.

"There is no doubt in my mind that my association with Tuxis Parliament had a significant impact on my early life and contributed immeasurably in my career development and quality of life."
Member 26th Session

TWELFTH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Dr. G. D. Stanley M. P.
Jack Collett
Art Buckley
Gordon Finlay

Held in the Council Chamber
City Hall, Calgary
December 28, 29, 30, 31, 1931
MEMBERS: 44

PROFILE

Greg Lehman, Tuxis Newsletter editor of 1989, placed this article in his final publication.

"I found this inspiring message in an article from a letter to the members of the 12th Session in 1931. Enjoy — this is what Tuxis meant to me."

I WILL DO MORE

I will do more than belong, I will participate,
I will do more than care, I will help,
I will do more than believe, I will be kind,
I will do more than forgive, I will forget,
I will do more than dream, I will succeed,
I will do more than earn, I will enrich,
I will do more than give, I will serve,
I will do more than live, I will grow,
I will do more than be friendly, I will be a friend,
I will do more than a member, I will be a TUXIS !!



ART BUCKLEY

PREMIER

Art Buckley represented Calgary at the eleventh session of Parliament held in Edmonton. He later went on to become a secretary with the YMCA in Toronto, Ontario.

"Tuxis provided a caring and open community from which I could begin to speak confidently amongst my peers. It has also provided me with an excellent basis for my conducting meetings both within and without the church."

Member 66th Session

THIRTEENTH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Dr. G. D. Stanley M. P.
Jack Collett
John Corley
Gordon Finlay

Held in the Executive Council Chamber
Legislative Buildings, Edmonton
December 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1932
MEMBERS: 49



JOHN CORLEY

PREMIER

John Corley represented Wesley Methodist Church at the 12th Session. He graduated from University and eventually went on to practice medicine in the city of Calgary.

POINT OF INTEREST

The thirteenth session of the Tuxis Parliament of Alberta had set up a Royal Commission to study the significance of the Parliament. The Chairman of the Commission, Frank Hall, and members, Bill Pettigrew and Gordon Findlay, made an interim report to the parliament in 1933. They devised a questionnaire which seeks to discover the significance parliament has had for each individual member. The Commission would be presenting a final report at the fifteenth session.

PARLIAMENTARY PROCEDURE

The purpose of a parliament is to carry on an orderly, well-regulated debate, and to do this certain methods and procedures have been adopted. The procedure of Tuxis Parliament is practically identical with that of the Canadian and British Parliaments. These rules and ceremonies have been built up through centuries and many of the present day formalities were, at one time significant steps in the development of democratic government.

Volumes could be written on procedure: what follows is merely a brief of the entire field but should be sufficient to cover most of the situations which will arise in the debates of Tuxis Parliament. If you should one day attain the honor of "Mr. Speaker" you will have to delve somewhat more deeply into the study of parliamentary procedure.

With this brief explanation let us attempt to master the mysteries of correct parliamentary procedure.

"Tuxis had a great impact on my early thinking and speaking process."

Member 22nd Session



FOURTEENTH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Dr. W. G. Egbert
Jack Collett
Don Menzies
Gordon Finlay

Held in the Council Chamber
City Hall, Calgary
December 27, 28, 29, 1951
MEMBERS: 33



DON MENZIES

PREMIER

Don Menzies came to the Parliament from Gadsby for the eleventh session. He continued to represent that community and became Premier of the 14th session. Mr. Menzies served in World War II and later went on to become a Journalist.

"Tuxis helped my faith
development by offering me
challenge and support."
Member 62nd Session

FORMAL OPENING OF PARLIAMENT

Wednesday, December 27th 7:30 p.m.

The members of the house having taken the Oath of Allegiance, Mr. Harold Tewksbury, Clerk of the House, laid the Oath of Allegiance on the table for inspection. He then administered the Oath of Allegiance and then read the following proclamation summoning the House to its session:

PROCLAMATION

To the members elected to serve in the Tuxis Parliament of Alberta and to each and every one of you, Greeting
Authority having been granted by the Boys' Parliament of Alberta, through its Parliamentary committee, for the Fourteenth Session of the Tuxis Parliament of Alberta, at the City Hall, Calgary, December 27, 28, 29, 1951, notification of this intention having been given to each district and fully accredited representatives having been seated in the Parliament. I do therefore summon Parliament on the dates above named for the dispatch of such business as shall properly come before it.

(Signed) H. F. Egbert

Chairman of Parliamentary Committee

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, Dr. W. G. Egbert, Calgary, entered the House and took his seat on the Throne.

The Provincial Secretary then said:

"I am commanded by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor to inform you that he does not see fit to declare the causes of the calling of the present Tuxis Parliament until a Speaker of this House shall have been chosen in accordance with the law; today at the hour of 7:45 o'clock, p.m. He will then declare the causes of the calling of the Parliament."

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor then reentered the House.

The Premier, Hon. Don Menzies, nominated Jack Collett to take the chair of the House as Speaker. Hon. Gordon Finlay, Leader of the Opposition, seconded the nomination.

Jack Collett was elected.

The Speaker retired and reentered the House accompanied by his mover and seconded, and then he declared the session open, thanked the House for the honor conferred on him.



FIFTEENTH SESSION



TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Howard Stutchbury
Gordon Finlay
George Tuttle
Charlie Hurst

Held in the Council Chamber
Legislative Buildings, Edmonton
December 27, 28, 29, 1934
MEMBERS: 44



G. Tuttle Named Head of Alberta Boys' Parliament

EDMONTON, Dec. 28.
(C.P.)—

Election of George Tuttle, prominent Tuxis worker, as premier in the 15th annual Alberta Boys' Parliament Thursday featured the afternoon session of 45 members gathered in Edmonton for the four-day meet of parliament.

Charles K. Hurst, Edmonton another premiership candidate, was named leader of the opposition, and Cleve Hill of Lethbridge, deputy premier.

Ministers in the cabinet were named as follows: Finance, Roger Flumerfelt, Calgary; organization, Howard Croxton, Edmonton; publications, Fred McKinnon, Calgary; Program, Matt Davis, Edmonton; without portfolio, Fred Pritchard, Lethbridge, and Richard Freeman, Stettler.

Phillip Fawcett of Calgary, member of the opposition party, will serve as deputy minister of organization and Fred Fiske, Edmonton, as assistant finance minister.

Heated Debate on War

Heatedly debating a resolution seeking the pledge of all members of the Parliament to refuse to take

up arms in the event of war, the "M.P.'s" Thursday were unable to reach a decision in the matter and debate was adjourned until the Friday evening session.

In moving the resolution, Kenneth McLaren, member for Edmonton, urged that a war be waged, but a war for peace among the young people of the homeland. An attitude of "militant pacifism" was suggested in place of taking up arms in another war. He urged refusal of all young people to take up arms even in the event of invasion by attacking armies from outside Canada. The resolution suggested a signed pledge to this effect.

"Private manufacture of armaments by huge companies all over the world are the real cause of war." Lorne Ingle, Edmonton member, asserted, in speaking against the motion. "Signing of such a pledge refusing to wage a war merely would be a small step without touching the real cause."

"We have set an objective of good citizenship as part of our Tuxis objectives, but what can we do for our country when we go out and allow ourselves to be shot," demanded N. German of Calgary.



GEORGE M. TUTTLE

PREMIER

George M. Tuttle, a native of Edmonton, graduated from Edmonton schools and entered the University of Alberta, receiving his B.A., B.D. and Th.D.. After graduation, Mr. Tuttle was ordained in the United Church of Canada and went to Sangudo for his first congregation. Following in the footsteps of his father, Rev. Aubrey Tuttle, George was called to become Principal of St. Stephen's College in Edmonton and remained there until retirement. George Tuttle was elected Moderator of the United Church in 1977, again following the path of his father, who had been Moderator in 1940. He was awarded Honorary Degrees of D.D. and LL.D.

"Tuxis was a very important influence on my life
and has had long lasting impression on my
endeavor to serve my community and fellow-man."

Member 15th Session



SIXTEENTH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Howard Stutchbury
Gordon Finlay
Charles Hurst
Matt Davis

Held in the Council
Legislative Buildings,
December 27, 28, 29
MEMBERS:



CHARLES K. HURST

PREMIER

Charles K. Hurst first came to parliament for the 13th session representing Calgary. He was a graduate Engineer and served with the Royal Canadian Navy in World War II. Later, Mr. Hurst was employed as a civil engineer with the Canadian Harbours Commission in Ottawa.

"Tuxis had a profound effect on me at a very formative stage. It was a Christian experience."
Member 12th Session

Eric Marshall is shown presenting the mace he hand-crafted to the Rev. R. W. Hibbert, Secretary of the Religious Education Council of Alberta, in 1935.

MEMBER PROFILE

Eric Marshall came to the 15th and 16th from Daysland. He handmade a Mace and it to the 16th Session and shortly thereafter enlisted with the R.C.A.F. Eric's mace until it was beyond repair and was replaced. The Eric Marshall Mace will be on display at the Alberta Museum.

Hudson Eric Marshall, Flt.Sgt. (Ob) F. killed in action November 28, 1941 at the west of Lands End, England during operation due to enemy action. He was a member of #408 Goose Squadron (Freedom) and his aircraft went down in the west of Lands End, England during operation due to enemy action.

Flt. Sgt. Marshall has no known grave, but is enscribed in the Runnymede War Cemetery, Englefield Green, Surrey, England.





SEVENTEENTH SESSION



TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Rev. Dr. George W. Kerby
George Tuttle
Matt Davis
Roger Flumerfelt

Held in the Council Chamber
Legislative Buildings, Edmonton
December 28, 29, 30, 1936
MEMBERS: 35



MATTHEW DAVIS

PREMIER

Matthew Davis came to the 13th session from Edmonton. He returned regularly, holding leadership positions, until he became premier. Mr. Davis graduated from University in the Faculty of Medicine.

"Tuxis Parliament was my 'Baptism' into public or community service. Tuxis Parliament gave me 'Mentors' at that time of life e.g. Cammy Cameron, Fred Holberton, Roger Flumerfelt."
Member 31st Session

THE MACE

When Parliaments were established in Britain they often found themselves in conflict with the ruling monarch, and if the monarch chose to send troops to the assembly, the person in control, the Speaker, might be in trouble. This is why the Speaker so vigorously protests his/her election to this day. The Speaker used a club to control members of the house and for his own protection. Since that time, rules of procedure have been adopted to ensure decorum in the house, and the Mace now represents the authority which the monarch invests in Parliament to govern the country. Its head always faces the government side of the house.

The Mace symbolizes the authority of the crown (the Tuxis Alumni Society) and whenever the Sergeant-At-Arms lifts the mace the members will show their respect by rising.

The mace has been present at all sessions of the Tuxis Parliament. Eric Marshall, member for Daysland, hand-crafted a new mace and presented it to the Sponsoring Body of that time, the Religious Education Council of Alberta. This presentation was made at the 16th session in 1935. In 1985 the Parliament decided it was time to have a new mace as the present one, after 50 years of service, was showing signs of wear. The Alberta Government provided funds and Robert Whittman, Hadju Lajos and an alumni member, Iain Dunbar finished a mace that was presented to the Tuxis Parliament of Alberta at the 70th session.

The Eric Marshall Mace is to be returned to its original state and will be on display at the Provincial Archives in Edmonton.



EIGHTEENTH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Rev. Dr. George W. Kerby
Neil German
Roger Flumerfelt
Ken McKenzie

Held in the Council
City Hall, Calgary
December 27, 28, 29
MEMBERS:



Boy Parliament Hints Changes

'Lieutenant-Governor' Kerby Forecasts Reorganization
of Tuxis Movement; Opposition Stress
Shortcomings In 1937

Re-organization of this provincial Tuxis movement to provide a more coherent and unified body was forecast in the Speech from the Throne delivered by "Lieutenant-Governor" Dr. G. W. Kerby, at the 18th Tuxis Boys' Parliament which opened in council chamber, City Hall, Monday night. The session will resume at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.

MCKENZIE ATTACKS

Ken McKenzie, Strome, leader of the opposition, led a spirited attack upon the lack of organization in the Tuxis movement and said that the Speech from the Throne offered no material improvement. He was backed up by Bud Brown, Calgary who graphically described how a feed of fried potatoes would be more beneficial than the Speech from the Throne, and suggested that the paper it was written on could be used to advantage in drying the potatoes.

The bitter attack on the lack of organization of the Tuxis movement and the shortcomings of the camp, took the government members by surprise, coming as it did at the outset of the proceedings.

Phil Fawcett, Calgary, deputy minister of finance, moved the reply to the speech from the Throne in an address in which he referred to the chaotic condition of world affairs. There was a need for leadership which was a challenge to youth.

The eyes of the world were on youth today and he suggested that "leadership" be the theme of the 18th parliament. Jack Perry, deputy speaker, and minister without portfolio, seconded the motion by commencing the speech from the Throne and then the opposition swung into action.

ELECT SPEAKER

Neil German, Calgary, was elected speaker of the legislature, and after he was gowned he took his place on the dais with Ross Rogers, Edmonton, as clerk of the legislative assembly.



ROGER FLUMERFELT

PREMIER

Roger Flumerfelt, a native of attended the 14th through 18th Sessions of the Tuxis Parliament inclusive. He was leader of opposition in the 17th Session. Flumerfelt served as a lieutenant v Canadian Army in World War II returned home and had a successful c Life Insurance. Roger Flumerfel Lieutenant-Governor of the 38th Ses the Parliament.

MEMBER PROFILE

A. Ross McBain born May 17, 1924 in Edmonton, represented Edmonton at the 21st, 22nd and 23rd sessions of Tuxis Parliament. He served in World War II as a pilot, Lt. (A) R.N.V.R. and R.C.N. He is the owner of McBain Camera Ltd. In Edmonton.

"Tuxis Parliament for a young man with room country schooling was a provok helpful and very educational experience greatly widened my understanding of people their many and varied ideas."

Member 19th Session

NINETEENTH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Howard Stutchbury
Kenneth McKenzie
Phil Fawcett
Ernie Nix

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Parliament Buildings, Edmonton
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Boys' Parliament To Open Tuesday

"Lieut.-Governor" Howard
Stutchbury Will Read
Throne Speech

SELECT CABINET

Opening ceremonies of the 19th annual Tuxis boys' parliament will be held in the legislature building at 8:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Visitors are asked to be in their seats by 8:25 p.m. The lieutenant-governor of the youth parliament, Howard Stutchbury, will read the speech from the throne. Premier Philip Fawcett will move the throne speech.

The first session will close with a debate on "Lotteries and Raffles" which will be held from 9:00 to 10:00 p.m. The debate will be broadcast over radio station CFRN.

The public are invited to attend the evening session which will be held daily from Tuesday until Friday in the legislative chambers. Afternoon session, closed to the public, will be held in St. Stephen's college, University of Alberta campus. Approximately 40 young men from various section of Alberta will attend.

Members of the cabinet and deputy ministers, chosen by Premier Fawcett this week are: provincial secretary, minister of finance and deputy premier, William Gill; minister of publication, Stewart Purvis; minister of athletics, Francis Coxon; minister of program, Edwin Miles; minister of organization, Garry MacGregor; minister of Camp Tuxis, Vernon Fawcett; minister without portfolio, Bob Layton.



Ken McKenzie is the Speaker. Deputy ministers are: Publications and speaker, Bob Torrance; camp Tuxis, Ronnie Oldring; program, Glen Boten. Ernest Nix is leader of the opposition.



PHIL FAWCETT

PREMIER

James Philip Fawcett was born in Lethbridge on July 24, 1916. He was the representative at Parliament for the 12th Session from Big Valley. He went to school in Blackie, Donalda, and Calgary. He also graduated from Mount Royal College and the Calgary Normal School, and has a M.Ed. from the University of Alberta. Phil Fawcett served in the R.C.A.F. in World War II as a wireless Navigator, returning to serve as a high school teacher until his retirement in 1977.

"The ideals and experience of
Tuxis Parliament left a lasting
impact on my life."
Member 33rd Session

TWENTIETH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Howard Stutchbury
Phil Fawcett
Vern Fawcett
Ernie Nix
Ernie Nix
Vern Fawcett

Held in the Council
Parliament Building
December 27, 28, 29

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Boys' Government Ousted By Vote of Non-Confidence

Action First of Kind in
Parliament's 20-Year History

COUNT IS 21 TO 20

Boys' parliament history was made Thursday night in the council chamber of the legislative buildings when the government, headed by Premier Vernon Fawcett, was overthrown on a non-confidence motion, which carried by a vote of 21 to 20.

Ernest Nix, of Edmonton, leader of the opposition, became head of the new government in the legislative shake-up that included two government members crossing the floor of the house. They were Ernest Fairhead of Edmonton, and Keith Cumming, Cayley.

Defeat of the government marked the first time in 20 years existence of the legislative body that the opposition has triumphed on a non-confidence motion.

New cabinet ministers, former opposition "front benchers," are: Bob Torrance, Edmonton, deputy speaker and minister of organization; Edgar Johannson, Edmonton, deputy premier and provincial secretary; William Boon, Edmonton, minister of physical affairs; Fred Holberton, Lethbridge, minister of devotional affairs; Gordon Tucker, Calgary, minister without portfolio. Post of minister of social affairs had not been filled.

Constitutional Tangle

Defeat of the government came after a two-day constitutional tangle which was unraveled at the Thursday Night session of the Tuxis legislative body.

At a special session during the afternoon, called to consider the matter, discussion on the non-confidence motion which took place Wednesday night was stricken from the books of the clerk on a ruling of the speaker, Philip Fawcett, last year's premier.

In the Thursday afternoon discussion, the right of Bryce Rohrer to vote was questioned by Premier Fawcett. The member's election papers were not present in the legislative chamber at the time of the discussion, but subsequent investigation by the speaker disclosed that the member was included in the voting strength of the house.

Bills which received first reading Thursday night included the organization bill, providing for the setting up of an eight-man "royal" commission to investigate the Tuxis program in Alberta. Commission members are to consist of the premier, chairman of the Alberta boys' work board and six other members appointed by the first two. Two are to be selected from parliament ranks, two from the boys' work office and two from church organizations.



VERNON FAWCETT

PREMIER

Vernon Fawcett was born in Edmonton on 1920. His school days were spent at Donalds and Calgary. He obtained a B.D., St. Stephen's College, and was ordained in Church, and went to the Pastoral Mayerthorpe. Vernon did further graduate University of Chicago and Pacific School of California. After receiving his Th.D., he went to Emmanuel College of Victoria University of Vancouver in 1951 as Professor of Testament Language and Literature. Mr. Fawcett was a member of the staff until his death in 1985.



ERNIE NIX

PREMIER

James Ernest Nix was born in Edmonton on August 10, 1920. He attended Oliver Public and Victoria High in Edmonton and went to the University of Alberta for his B.A. and B.D. Ernest was ordained by the United Church and he acquired a S.T.M. at Boston University and his M.A. from McGill. Mr. Nix served congregations in Alberta and Hamilton Conferences, retiring in 1988 after 41 years of service. Always active in history, Ernest served as President of the Historical Society of Alberta.

TWENTY-FIRST SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Rev. Dr. George W. Kerby
Bill Gill
Bob Torrance
Stu Purvis

Held in the Council Chamber
City Hall, Calgary
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Solemn Formality At 'House' Opening

With all the traditional solemnity of the "Mother of Parliaments," the Alberta Tuxis Boys' Parliament officially opened at the city hall Friday evening. Rev. Dr. G. W. Kerby, who is "lieutenant-governor" for the Calgary session, delivered the speech from the throne.

With the "front benchers" seated at the desks usually occupied by Calgary's alderman in the city council chambers, the members, representing 44 constituencies throughout the province, were evenly divided between the "government" and the "opposition" benches.

After the speaker, William Gill of Ponoka, had outlined briefly the history and significance of parliaments, Dr. Kerby entered the chamber in a solemn procession of aides, page boys, and the sergeant-at-arms. He presented the mace, the symbol of authority in all parliaments, to the sergeant-at-arms, who is Jack Sheane of Calgary.

Dr. Kerby was dressed in mortarboard and gown for the occasion. Ald H. R. Chauncey, representing the city, and Author West served as his aides.

SPEAKER ELECTED

The house then went through the formality of electing the speaker, and immediately afterwards the "lieutenant-governor" read the speech from the throne.

The speech from the throne outlined the plan for provincial re-organization of the parliament in the boys' work system of the province, and stressed the importance

of the task facing the boys' representatives at the present time. Dr. Kerby congratulated the members upon their election, and expressed his pleasure that the representatives were spending a large amount of their time in taking leadership courses.

The speech from the throne was followed by the proposing of a dummy bill, and then by debate on the throne speech. First reading was given to the new statutes setting out the organization and functions of the various committees or "government departments" of the parliament.

Members of the government side of the house are as follows: Bob Torrance, premier, Edmonton; Bryce Rohrer, organization and deputy speaker, Edmonton; Jim Paterson, devotional affairs, Donalda; Blake Pritchard, social affairs, Lethbridge; Gary McGregor, deputy premier and provincial secretary, Calgary; Bert Little, physical affairs, Red Deer; Edgar Johnson, intellectual affairs, Edmonton; Edwin Miles, finances, Edmonton; Jim Linn, Lethbridge; Bud Whitesel, New Dayton; Gilbert Deitiker, Calgary; Jack Love, Calgary; Bob Wilson, Edmonton; Carl Bettinson, Red Deer; Ross McBain, Edmonton; Ted Beard, Lethbridge.



BOB TORRANCE
PREMIER

Robert J. Torrance was born in Edmonton May 22, 1922. He completed his schooling in Edmonton and went to the University of Alberta to earn a degree B.Comm. He served with the U.S. Air Transport Command during World War II and after this service he went into the employ of the Y.M.C.A. at Vancouver and took time to earn B.S.W. and M.S.W. with the University of B.C. He later went to Portland, Oregon with the Y.M.C.A. and in 1953 he returned to Canada to the National office of the Y.M.C.A. at Toronto. In 1970 he received Ph.D. from the University of Toronto. Bob was inducted into the Fellowship of Honor in the Canadian Y.M.C.A. in 1993 and was awarded an Honorary Doctor of Divinity degree by St. Stephen's College in 1994.

"Quite an experience for a farm boy to meet and debate with city boys—most of whom were older and more experienced."

Member 20th Session



TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Rev. Dr. George W. Kerby
Bob Torrance
Bryce Rohrer
Edgar Johansson

Held in the Council
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Leadership Is Great Need, Tuxis Group Is Told

Dr. George W. Kerby Speaks at
Opening of Boys' Parliament

The most primary need of Tuxis in Alberta is leadership, Dr. George W. Kerby, lieutenant-governor of the Tuxis Parliament of Alberta, told the house at the opening of the 22nd session Saturday evening in the city hall, Calgary.

Sessions will continue Monday and Tuesday evenings in the council chamber. Premier is Bryce Rohrer of Edmonton and speaker is Bob Torrance. Edgar Johanson, Edmonton, is leader of the opposition.

It was for the purpose of leadership that an extensive leadership training course would be utilized to equip each member with the tools of leadership, Dr. Kerby said. "It is hoped that with those he may go back to his constituency and initiate the leadership that is so necessary for the proper execution of Tuxis work in the province. Also, this year, steps will be taken to inform the mentors and local work boards of the training each member has received."

It was hoped in this way constituencies would be able to capitalize on the experiences of their respective members of parliament, Dr. Kerby continued. Lethbridge and other South Alberta points are represented in the parliament.

Although there is a smaller and younger "house" than in previous years due to enlistments and because of the difficulties of operating without a boys' work secretary, there was plenty of heated oratory and an evident interest in Tuxis affairs.



BRYCE ROHRER

"Tuxis was a 'hands-on' experience of self-government denied during youth."

Member 19th Session

PREMIER

J. Bryce Rohrer was born September 13, 1921. After Edmonton, he entered the University of Alberta where he received a B.Sc. During World War II he was a Lieutenant with both the Canadian Army and the Royal Navy. After the war he entered into business in Ontario, where he is Vice-President of Commonwealth Coatings Ltd.

MEMBER PROFILE

Laurence E. Larcombe, born June 26, 1911 at Birtle, Manitoba, was a member of the Parliament at the 9th and 10th representing Minburn. He is a graduate of Camrose Normal and enlisted with the RCAF in 1940. He remained with the RCAF for 20 years, retiring as Squadron Leader. He later served as Executive Director of the Community Chest at Lethbridge and retired in 1971.



TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Howard Stutchbury
Ernie Nix
Edgar Johannson
Ross McBain

Held in the Council Chamber
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Tolerance, Common Sense Stressed by Tuxis Leader

23rd Session Boys' Parlia-
ment Formally Opened
Here

Expressing the belief that the actions of Tuxis will show the tolerance and common sense which is "characteristic" of our Canadian democracy and our Christian principles," Howard Stutchbury, lieutenant-governor of the Tuxis Parliament of Alberta, formally opened the 23rd annual session of the group Monday night in the executive chambers of the legislative buildings.

Mr. Stutchbury said parliament would be asked to consider the formation of a committee to compile a parliamentary hand-book to contain history of the current sessions, standing legislation, and various other topics of interest.

Leadership Is Theme

He mentioned the large number of Tuxis leaders who have joined the armed services, and said this fact gave added significance to the theme of the parliament—"Christian Leadership in Wartime." He said an effort had been made during the past year to locate former members in order that they might be brought back into the movement to fill the vacancies created by enlistments.

Mr. Stutchbury paid tribute to the work done by Rev. Gray Rivers, new boys' secretary. He said "the effect of his experience is noticeable and Tuxis work in the province will be greatly strengthened by his efforts."

Opening Ceremonies

Preceding the speech from the throne, the opening ceremonies, patterned after those of the provincial legislature, were conducted. The speaker, J. Ernest Nix, presented the lieutenant-governor with the mace, and Mr. Stutchbury in turn gave it to the sergeant-at-arms, Hadley S. Ward, to signify his agreement to the proceeding of parliament.

Mr. Nix traced the progress of the organization since its beginning in Toronto in 1917. He said the party system was abolished in Alberta in 1934 because it was not in the best interests of Tuxis as a whole.

Boys of the Tuxis movement should possess initiative and resourcefulness, he said, and look forward to a future parliament of all youth groups which would be the training ground of democracy.

Harold Fazackerley, chairman of the Boys' Work board of Alberta, warned members that theirs was the greatest responsibility which had ever faced any session of the parliament. He told them they should be thankful that their older comrades were on active service to preserve the democracy they enjoyed.

Christmas wishes were read from two former members of the parliament now in the R.C.A.F. P.O. William B. Gill was speaker of the 21st session and Sgt. Fred Holberton was premier elect at last year's meeting.

First reading was given to bills dealing with parliamentary hand-book, orders-in-council, honorary members, and war services.

The parliament will continue sessions until Thursday afternoon. Second session of the house will be at 8:00 Tuesday. The meetings are open to the public.



EDGAR JOHANNSON

PREMIER

Edgar Johannson, was born in Edmonton December 25, 1922. He came to Tuxis Parliament first in 1939 from Edmonton, and continued until the 24th session. He attended the Universities of B.C. and Alberta, graduating as an engineer. He carried out his profession in Kitchener, Ontario and in St. Charles, Illinois until 1986 when he retired.

"Tuxis was a very significant part of my early life:

- Group acceptance, fellowship
- Learn to speak in public
- Discovered way to address issues
- An exciting experience
- Created lasting friendships
- Concept of political process"

Member 24th Session



TWENTY-FOURTH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Howard Stutchbury
Edgar Johannson
Harry (Sandy) Gilchrist
Bob Wilson

Held in the Council
Parliament Building
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Boys' Parliament Session Opened

The four day session of the 24th annual Boys' Parliament was opened Monday night in the committee room of the legislative buildings. Need of leadership for youth of today was addressed by Premier Sandy Gilchrist.

Greetings were brought from the governments of Alberta by Hon. Solon Low, minister of education and provincial treasurer. Mr. Low reminded the boys of the words of William Penn that "if men were good, government cannot be bad". He stressed the need of good character in government.

Howard Stutchbury once again officiated as lieutenant-governor and Edgar Johannson, last year's premier, occupied the speaker's chair. Bob Wilson leads the opposition group in the house. Greetings also were brought from the city by Ald. A. Bisset.

Short of Leaders

The speech from the throne expressed the need of development of inter-provincial relationships with other boys' parliaments in the dominion. It noted the enlistment of great numbers of young men and caused a shortage in leadership of youth which should be overcome. It announced a new portfolio, that of "post-war" rehabilitation.

Premier Gilchrist said youth

groups should promote discussions of current events so as to broaden their views and prepare for larger citizenship. Such problems as peace and the League of Nations, juvenile delinquency and flag salute expulsions were suggested as topics.

Bob Wilson, leader of the opposition, declared general support in principle of the government program. He said opposition members would endeavor to bring constructive criticism when bills were introduced.

Speaks at Luncheon

Mr. Low on Monday noon spoke to the boys at a luncheon in the Corona Hotel.

Other luncheon speakers were Miss Ida Ward, representing the C.G.I.T. council; Mrs. Wilson, representing the girls' work committee of Alberta; Reg. T. Rose, executive secretary of the Edmonton Chamber of Commerce, and Clark Ready, general secretary at the Edmonton Y.M.C.A.

Ald. A. Bisset, deputy mayor, represented the city; Harold Fazackerley, boys' work board; Dr. W. H. Swift, R. H. Settle, Rev. Dr. E. J. Thompson also attended.

Rev. Elgin Turnbull of Knox United church conducted the devotional period held Tuesday morning at St. Stephen's college.

"Tuxis widened horizons about life, relationships.
Member 24th Ses



SANDY GILCHRIST

PREMIER

Harry (Sandy) Gilchrist entered Parliament in the 22nd representing First Baptist Church Edmonton. He was born in Vancouver on June 27, 1925. graduating from Strathcona School he went to the University of Alberta where he earned B.S. M.D. Sandy has recently retired as a family physician in Vernon, B.C.



TWENTY-FIFTH SESSION



TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Justice C. J. Ford
Harry Gilchrist
Bruce Hatfield
Jack Cunningham

Held in the Council Chamber
City Hall, Calgary
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BOYS' PARLEY WANTS GIRLS

**Tuxis Parliament
Debates Resolution for
Inclusion of C.G.I.T.**

More than 40 young men from various points in Alberta attended the second session of the Tuxis boys' parliament in the council chambers of the city hall Thursday evening.

Affiliation with the Canadian Youth Commission was proposed in the Bill on Intellectual Affairs.

A resolution was introduced advocating greater co-operation between the C.G.I.T. and Tuxis movements, with inclusion of the former group in the Tuxis parliament. Earlier appointment of the cabinet ministers was suggested in a second resolution. A third resolution proposed "the control of the program of the Boys' Explorers be delegated to Boys' Work Board," instead of the Children's Work Board as at present.

In attendance were members of the C.G.I.T. council. Rev. Gray Rivers acted as sergeant-at-arms.

Morning devotions will be given Friday by Rev. Canon E. H. Madocks, St. Stephen's Anglican church. LAC Graham Tipple will lead discussions in leadership training. Caucus for nomination of leaders for the 26th parliament will be held at 10:45 a.m.

Speaker at the luncheon will be P. R. Brecken, vice-principal of Crescent Heights High School.

JUBILEE DINNER

Third session of the house will be held Friday afternoon at 2:30, followed by the silver jubilee dinner in the Palliser Hotel. The dinner address will be given by Premier Manning.

Delegates to the boys' parliament are Premier, Bruce Hatfield, Calgary; Opposition Leader, Jack Cunningham, Edmonton; Speaker, "Sandy" Gilchrist, Edmonton; Clerk, Bud Brown, Calgary; Government cabinet members, Alfred McGhan, Clover Bar; Harold Williams, Edmonton; Jack Pritchard, Edmonton; Jack Fair, Calgary; Jack Law, Edmonton and Lorne

Calhoun, Edmonton.

Front Bench of the opposition consists of Ross Lawson, Calgary; Vern Gilfillan, Edmonton; Larry Mallett, Edmonton; Jack Steele, Calgary; Billy Dalby, Edmonton and Gordon Johnston, Edmonton Hi-Y.

Remaining government members are Harvey Bowers, Calgary; Roy Tucker, Blairmore; Bob Mason, Granum; Jack Patterson, Blairmore; Stan Whitbread, Calgary; Jack Cameron, Calgary; Boyd Biggers, Warner; Allan Beinhart, Leduc; Ronald Martin, Clive; Bill Lewis, Edmonton; Raymond Rajala, Macleod; Bill Johnston, Drumheller; Wayne Parker, Ardrossan; Don Polleck, Calgary.

Opposition members are Don Moore, Calgary; Jim Boyd, Medicine Hat; Harold Roberts, Calgary; Vern Turner, Calgary; Jim Speakman, Forest Heights; Jack Wyatt, Medicine Hat; Roy Thompson, Edmonton; Ross Thomas, Calgary Hi-Y; Hillis Rice, Ardrossan; Wilfred Hoffman, Calgary; Glen McKenzie, Bowden; Glen Birtle, Beverly.

PREMIER

C. Bruce Hatfield, B.Sc., M.D., M.R.C.P., F.R.C.P., F.A.C.P., D.A.B.I.M., was born in Calgary, July 18, 1926. He attended Hillhurst Junior and Western Canada High Schools. He graduated from the University of Alberta in 1953 and completed further studies at the University of Minnesota and Hammersmith Hospital in London, England. Bruce and his brother, Bob, practiced as specialists in general internal medicine in Calgary. Bruce has also been an associate professor of medicine at the University of Calgary and is the author of several books related to his profession. Bruce has served on National Committees of the United Church and has been a delegate to General Council on three occasions.



BRUCE HATFIELD

"Tuxis made me politically inclined and gave me a better understanding of government and fellowship in a Christian way.

Member 21st Session



TWENTY-SIXTH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Justice C. J. Ford
Harry Gilchrist
Jack Cunningham
Jack Pritchard

Held in the Council Chamber
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Pomp, Ceremony Mark Opening Of 26th Tuxis Boys' Parliament

All the pomp and ceremony of the opening of parliament was present when the 26th annual Alberta Tuxis Boys' Parliament commenced its sessions in council chambers at the City Hall Thursday evening.

After a brief speech by Sandy Gilchrist, Speaker of the house, explaining the aims and purpose of the parliament, the "Lieutenant-Governor", Mr. Justice C. J. Ford, received the mace as a symbol of authority and turned it over to Capt. Don Oakes, commanding officer of Calgary Highlanders Cadet Corps, who acted as sergeant-at-arms for the session.

WORK FOR PEACE

Mr. Justice Ford then read the speech from the throne, prepared by "Premier" Jack Cunningham of Edmonton. The history of the Alberta parliaments was outlined and the need for the members to work for peace in the future was emphasized. Specific proposals were the organizing of a Dominion conference, amendment of the boys' parliament act to change the times of office of the premier and other elected members of the house. Establishment of a new cabinet post, minister of social, devotional, physical and intellectual affairs, was announced, and establishment of an alumni association of former members was proposed.

"TRAINING FOR SERVICE"

In conclusion Mr. Justice Ford declared the theme of the 26th parliament was "Training for Service" and recommended the proceedings be "marked by the tolerance and common sense characteristic of our Canadian democracy and Christian principles."

Greetings from the city of Calgary were extended Alderman H. R. Chauncey who told the boys that "Parliaments are the bulwark and guarantee of democracy." Rev. Nelson Chappel, former R. C. A. F. Chaplain and minister of Hill-

hurst United Church, and at present national boys' work secretary for Canada brought a message from the national boys' work board.

He said that Alberta's was the strongest boys' parliament in Canada and that the world will "look to your generation for the building of the Kingdom of God on Earth."

Having recently attended the London World Youth Conference, he told of the "hatred and bitterness" among European youth and declared they "were not yet a normal people."

Miss Sybil Johnstone, president of the Calgary Girls' Council, extended a welcome to the members on behalf of the C.G.I.T.

SPEAKS FRENCH

A message of thanks to the lieutenant-governor was moved by the premier, Jack Cunningham, in both English and French, who declared that "members of society must quit existing as individuals," and that people "must get rid of their nationalistic views."

Among others who took part in the debate on the speech from the throne was the leader of the opposition, Jack Pritchard, and members of both the cabinet and opposition including Bruce Hatfield, Harold Williams, Jack Fair and Gordon Johnstone.

Among the many youths attending the parliament is Lloyd Lovlin, of North Star, Alberta, which is 425 miles north of Calgary and 63 miles from the nearest railway.

To reach the parliament in time Lloyd had to travel Christmas Day and will be on the road for New Year too.

He was elected to represent his group of 19 members, all them farmers' sons and is one of a family of ten children. He is 16 years of age and in Grade X.

"Any such experience as Tuxis is significant. Being away from home for a few days was a 'growing up' and learning experience. The opportunity to think and then speak was very fruitful for me. Also it was just plain fun."

Member 34th Session



JACK CUNNINGHAM

PREMIER

Jack Cunningham represented Cold Lake for his first Tuxis session in 1941. He was born in Battleford, Saskatchewan, February 24, 1926 and attended schools at Eight Mile Lake, Saskatchewan, Cold Lake and Victoria High in Edmonton. Jack graduated from the University of Alberta with B.Comm., and he is a Management Consultant in Edmonton.



TWENTY-SEVENTH SESSION



TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Dr. Wm. H. Swift
Harry Gilchrist
Jack Pritchard
Lorne Calhoun

Legislative Council Chambers
Edmonton
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MEMBERS: 53



JACK PRITCHARD

PREMIER

Jack Pritchard first attended Tuxis parliament at the 22nd session. He is a graduate of St. Stephen's College and was ordained by the United Church. Jack served as a minister in a number of congregations in Eastern Canada.

Boys' Parliament Opens Sessions

Provincial and civic greetings and the speech from the throne by "lieutenant-governor" Dr. W. H. Swift, deputy minister of education, highlighted the opening session of the 27th Tuxis boys' parliament in the legislative council chambers Friday night. The sessions will continue until Tuesday noon.

The parliament is sponsored by the boys' work board of the Religious Education council of Alberta. Chairman of the boys' work board is Harold Sprague and chairman of the parliament committee is William Petigrew.

In the speech from the throne, Dr. Swift said the sessions are those of a democratically elected assembly, responsible to its electors. Function of the parliament is threefold, he said, to develop leadership for the Tuxis movement; to express the opinion of church youth on important questions of current interest; and to co-ordinate Tuxis activity in the province.

"You therefore will be asked to discuss and arrive at some decision regarding present trends in juvenile

delinquency, the religious needs of youth, Canadian immigration policies, and the question of temperance," Dr. Swift said.

Education Minister Ansley greeted the members, representing most centres in the province, on behalf of the provincial government. He stressed the valuable training received by boys at the parliament sessions and in the Tuxis movement itself.

Mayor Ainlay stated the gravest duty of the Tuxis movement was to see that every boy in Alberta be given the opportunity to join and take an active part in the organization.

Saturday, activities of the parliament will include leadership training instruction, caucus-nomination of leaders for the 28th session, a skating party with the Edmonton girls' council at the Varsity rink and a talk from R. Morton.

Premier is Jack Pritchard; Deputy Premier is Harold Williams and leader of the opposition is Lorne Calhoun. All are of Edmonton

"Tuxis forced me to explore the issues of the day, form opinions and verbally express my thoughts in public. These skills and abilities were not only part of my early experience but continue to serve me well today."

Member 53rd Session



TWENTY-EIGHTH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Senator W. A. Buchanan
Jack Pritchard
Lorne Calhoun
Bob Hatfield

Held in
Lethbridge Collegiate
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77 Members Here For 28th Assembly

—Formal Opening Saturday

A total of 77 members of the Tuxis Parliament of Alberta registered at the Red Cross rooms in the city on Friday, swelling the attendance to the highest figure in the 28-year history of the government. Premier Lorne Calhoun of Edmonton was delighted at the splendid registration and forecast a most successful session of the house. It is the first session in Lethbridge.

The members were entertained at a gay theatre party at the Capital theatre on Friday evening and final preparations were made for the official opening of the parliament on Saturday.

First function is the noon luncheon at 12:15 on Saturday with Rev. Gordon Lapp slated to address the gathering. On Saturday evening, City of Lethbridge will entertain the delegates at a banquet in the First Baptist church scheduled for 5:30 o'clock. Mayor J. A. Jardine will act as chairman.

Formal opening of the parliament will take place at 8 p.m. Saturday in the Lethbridge Collegiate Institute and the public is cordially invited to attend. Lieutenant-Governor Senator W.A. Buchanan will conduct the official opening ceremonies.

Sunday the delegates will attend a number of city churches in the morning while all will worship at First Baptist church in the evening. Sessions will be resumed in the Collegiate at 2 p.m. on Monday and

the parliament will continue until the prorogation on Wednesday afternoon.

General Caucus

The 28th Tuxis Parliament of Alberta held a general caucus in the auditorium of the Lethbridge Collegiate, Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock to form committees to draw up legislation for the approval of parliament. Legislation will be presented from the floor of the House.

The following committees were struck to draw up legislation:

Program committee—To draw up an "ideal" boys' program.

Camps committee—To draw up standards and qualifications for camps.

Ideals committee—To draw up a set of ideals to be of use to boys in every day life.

Organization committee—To revise the constitution.

House committee—To supply janitorial service.

A committee on Christian missions was set up for the purpose of drawing up resolutions regarding Christian missions and missionary work.

National Promotion committee—To see if the Boys' Parliament could enter the national circuit.

Premier Lorne Calhoun briefly outlined the works to be carried out by the committees endeavoring to draw up the legislation, urging the heads of the groups to thoroughly discuss their topics and present a complete report on their findings for legislation.



LORNE CALHOUN

PREMIER

Lorne Calhoun came to the Parliament for the 23rd session Edmonton. He was minister of organ and deputy premier for the 26th s Lorne was a honors student in Physics University of Alberta and lost his life working on a summer pipe line occupa

"There was no organization could have been associated with offered a better all-round basic and development into the wo 'service to others' which I sp career with."

Member 35th Session

TWENTY-NINTH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Justice C. J. Ford
Lorne Calhoun
Robert Hatfield
William Dalby

Held in the Council Chamber
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TUXIS NEWS SHEET

ALBERTA

Preparing for the 29th session of the Alberta Tuxis Parliament, are Premier Bob Hatfield of Calgary, and Leader of the Opposition Bill Dalby of Edmonton. These two House leaders have guided the actions of the 28th Parliament for the past few months, directing the activities of seventy-five members.

IN SIX different areas of Canada this December there will be held Older Boys' Parliaments for the church boys of the Dominion. There are unparalleled opportunities for Canadian church boys from 16 to 21 to join with others of their own age and faith in fellowship, and in service. Boys' Parliament can mean the opening up to a youth something of what it means to serve the Kingdom of God as a follower of Jesus Christ, and it can offer him an opportunity to formulate his own thinking on mat-

ters of importance to the Christian youth in his province. Certainly every member of a Tuxis Square or a senior Sunday School class which is registered with the provincial office should consider the matter of either sending a worthy representative to parliament, through nominating him to stand election in the local constituency or securing his appointment in cases where no election is held, or standing for nomination to his high office himself. Participating in the sending of the members to the provincial boys' parliament is one of the best possible ways to take an active interest in the welfare of church youth in your area.

In 1947 a record number of boys attended the sessions of the Older Boys' Parliament of Canada. From the Atlantic to Pacific enthusiasm for the work of the church was high, and the results of the deliberations of the six parliaments are still being indicated through work in local groups, church camps, conferences in local areas, National Athletic Contest, and the other activities sponsored by Boys' Parliaments.



ROBERT E. HATFIELD

PREMIER

Robert E. Hatfield, was born in Calgary August 17, 1929. He first attended Tuxis Parliament in 1945. Bob attended the University of Alberta where he obtained his B.Sc. and M.D. He entered into a partnership with his brother Dr. Bruce Hatfield in 1959 in the practice of Internal Medicine. In 1970 he became Clinical Associate Professor at the University of Calgary. He retired from both of these positions in 1992. St. Stephens College of the University of Alberta at their spring convocation in 1993 awarded an Honorary Degree of Doctor of Divinity to Bob recognizing his service and leadership.

Parliamentary Impression of a First Year Member

When our minister asked me to represent Lacombe at Tuxis Parliament I did not hesitate a minute to tell him that I would go, for I had heard a number of former members talk about Parliament and they were all very enthusiastic about it.

Now that I look back over that week I find that I was not in the least disappointed with my first session. To be sure, there were some things with which I did not agree in full, but they were so greatly offset by other things that they can easily be regarded as nothing.

To me, the most impressive aspect of Parliament were the following:

I greatly admired the way in which speakers got up and say what they wanted to, without stuttering and stammering around the way I did. Secondly, the Parliamentary Procedure and the formality of the session greatly interested me.

Probably my main impression, however, was the way in which so many of the members were able to get up and speak on topics in connection with the church, and not to be overcome by the customary feeling of embarrassment which most of us are liable to get.

Taking everything on the whole I would say that my one regret was that Parliament did not last two, instead on one short week.

Robert Wright — Lacombe
Member 29th Session

"Tuxis was a major influence
because of all positive role
models."

Member 34th Session



THIRTIETH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Dr. W. H. Swift
Alfred Hosking
Tom Jackson
Harold Ashley

Held in the Council Chamber
Parliament Buildings, Edmonton
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30,
1992
MEMBERS: 58



Tuxis Sessions Continue Debate On Youth Groups

The thirtieth sitting of the Tuxis Parliament was held in the legislative buildings Wednesday evening. The ceremonies were opened with the traditional procedure of the sergeant-at-arms preceding the Speaker to the throne. The Speaker opened the parliament and a roll call of members was taken.

The spectators included a large representation from the Canadian Girls in Training who are holding their provincial convention in Edmonton this week.

As the second evening of the parliament is devoted in part to the first year members' discussion of the speech from the throne, the proceedings were at times busy for the Speaker who was called to rule on many points of order.

The leader of the government, Tom Jackson, opened the debate on the speech from the throne and supported the government's stand on the issue of commercialized Sunday activities.

Democratic Rule

He pointed out to the new members, that one aim of Tuxis is to promote and teach the ideas of a democratic government. It was his contention that the Lord's Day Act was a violation of the rights of a numerous group in Canada and discriminated especially against the youth in the country.

"We as Christians have no right to dictate what others who are not do on Sundays," concluded Mr. Jackson.

Bill Peacock rose to point out to the members that camp expenses as estimated by one of the other members did not run as high as estimated.

Oakley Dyer said he was in agreement with the Tuxis ideal but, expressed what he thought to be the feelings of others, when he pointed out that too much

Tuxis time was spent on Bible training.

John Williams, director of youth relations, rose at the close of first year members' discussion on the throne speech and moved a resolution of appreciation in working with the C.G.I.T. The resolution was passed unanimously.

Glen McKenzie, deputy premier, next introduced a private resolution concerning the organization of Tuxis. He pointed out that the Religious Education Council of Alberta "was going out of business" and this abandonment would end the Tuxis movement in Alberta. He remarked that of a total of \$17,000 spent by this council only \$3,000 was given to the Tuxis.

"This amounts to less than 30 percent of the total" said the speaker.

Raise Own Funds

Mr. McKenzie felt that the Tuxis had a right to raise and spend their own money. He notified the members that the finance minister would have new responsibilities.

"The handling of our own finances is a basic principle which the Tuxis has never had" said Mr. McKenzie. He urged the passage of the resolution as he felt that "the future of the Tuxis decided by this parliament today will determine what Tuxis will be tomorrow."

The resolution raised many objections by members from all sides of the house. A resolution to move the house into committee was adopted and the Speaker left the chair. Mr. McKenzie as chairman conducted the passage of about half the points in the amendments.

At this point the house adjourned for the evening. The third assembly of the house will meet Thursday at 2:30 pm.



TOM JACKSON

PREMIER

Tom Jackson, born May 30, 1924, Bowden, completed his schooling Bowden and entered the University of Alberta. He received his B.A. in 1947 and his LL.B. in 1954 and practiced with Bishop McKenzie in Edmonton 39 years, retiring in 1993. Tom has been active with the Y.M.C.A. and serves on the Kapasiwin village council.

"Tuxis played a tremendous part in shaping my life and provided me with vital training in public speaking, parliamentary procedure, debate and public affairs."

Member 39th Session



THIRTY-FIRST SESSION



TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Senator W. A. Buchanan
Don Andrews
Harold Huston
Stuart Munro

Held in the Southminster Youth Centre
Lethbridge
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 1950
MEMBERS: 62



Greenway Urges Boy Solons To Take Active Part In Tuxis Work

—Parliamentary Banquet

More than 50 Alberta youths attending the 31st annual sessions of the Tuxis Boys' Parliament of Alberta here gathered at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church hall Wednesday afternoon to hear a brief address by Harvey S. Greenway of Calgary, former member of the boys' parliament, who was guest speaker at the annual parliamentary banquet. Mr. Greenway is a former Lethbridge man.

Mr. Greenway extended congratulations to the local Tuxis committee for their work in planning the 1950 session of parliament and thanked them for their invitation to the annual session.

In his short address, the former parliament member stressed the importance of every youth taking an active part in the sessions.

SPREAD MOVEMENT

"Don't wait until the last day of the sessions," he said. "Take an active part in all the deliberations." He also pointed out the need of spreading the theme of the Tuxis movement in all communities.

"Too many of the youth go home from the sessions each year overflowing with ambition," he said. "But after a while their interest drops off until the next session."

"The Tuxis movement would be greatly stimulated if we could develop wide community interest so that we could make a direct contribution towards the forming of leaders in each community."

In conclusion, Mr. Greenway urged the boys to always maintain loyalty to the church.

Also featured at the banquet was a community sing-song directed by Cleve Hill, a member of the local Tuxis committee. Two solos were presented by George Brown and Miss Helen Findlay.

Highlights at the afternoon session of the boys parliament, held in the Southminster Church Youth Centre, was the passing of the 1951 budget. The report, made by Director of Finance John Williams of Edmonton, showed a \$50 surplus.



HAROLD HUSTON

PREMIER

Harold Huston was born September 30, 1932 at Wainwright, Alberta. Harold's early schooling was in numerous rural communities. He graduated from the University of Alberta with a B.A. and an A.M. in adult education from the University of Chicago. Harold was particularly interested in promoting life-long learning, and worked for the Department of Extension in Winnipeg, the Ontario Institute for Studies in Education in Toronto, and the University Extension Department in Regina. While in Regina he was prominent in ecumenical affairs and development issues. Harold was killed in an automobile accident in 1977. Huston House in Regina was named in his honor.

Tuxis Parliament Opens Sessions Here Tonight

—At Southminster Youth Centre

The "Honorable Members" will hear the wishes of "His Majesty's Government" tonight, Tuesday, at 8:30 as the Tuxis parliament of Alberta formally opens for its 31st session.

The speech from the throne will be read in "The House," in Southminster Youth Centre, by "Lieutenant-Governor" Senator W. A. Buchanan. Parliament formally opened, the young members of the boys' parliament will settle back on the benches to hear their group welcomed by Mayor L. S. Turcotte on behalf of the city of Lethbridge and by other dignitaries.

"Tuxis Parliament had a significant influence on my future decision to enter public life as an M. L. A. and later as a public consultant. The ideals and experience left a lasting impact on my life."

Member 33rd Session



THIRTY-SECOND SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Judge Manley J. Edwards
Tom Jackson
Stu Munro
John Paterson

Held in the Council Chamber
City Hall, Calgary
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30,
MEMBERS: 71



"My one time visit to Tuxis Parliament has been a memorial event in a general way. It was like a warm cup of water being added to a lifetime 5 gallon pail of water."

Member 40th Session



STUART MUNRO

PREMIER

Stuart Munro came to Tuxis Parliament in 1947 from Calgary. He attended the University of Alberta graduating in Pharmacy. He later returned to studies at St. Stephen's College and after graduating he was ordained by the United Church. Stuart served a number of congregations in Alberta before returning to pharmacy.

Formal Education Only Beginning Nickle Tell Boys

Tuxis Parliament Addressed By M.P. For Calgary West

Carl Nickle, recently elected M.P. for Calgary West, told the Tuxis Boys' Parliament this morning that business today expects ability, honesty, willingness to work and faith in himself from the boy going into the business world.

"A formal education is only the starting point for a boy entering business, after he finishes school a tremendous amount still has to be learned if he wishes to make a success," He said.

HE TOLD THEM that today it was almost impossible for business men to get the type of office boy or waste basket carrier from which once was molded the future executive of the firm.

"Too many boys after leaving school today think they have all the knowledge required to start at the top. The only successful job in which anyone can start at the top is digging a hole."

He told them to look to the future, not the clock.

Sixty delegates to the parliament from all over the province met in Calgary for the fourth session which ends Saturday.

An opposition resolution for C.G.I.T. participation in Parliament, Thursday evening, defeated following an hour's debate. The resolution, moved by Paterson, leader of the opposition, and seconded by Cameron S. Tuxis director of physical education and camps, was defeated by a majority.

A SECOND RESOLUTION introduced by the opposition also defeated when parliament voted down a motion favoring changing of the Parliament's name from "Tuxis Boys' Parliament of Alberta" to "Older Boys Parliament of Alberta." This motion was moved by the leader of the opposition and seconded by Cashore, director of promotion.



THIRTY-THIRD SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Dr. W. H. Swift
Ralph Walker
John Paterson
Larry Edwards

Held in the Council Chamber
Legislative Buildings, Edmonton
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1952
MEMBERS: 47

Alberta Tuxis Boys Open 33rd Parliament

The 33rd session of the Alberta Tuxis Parliament convened today in the Provincial legislative buildings in Edmonton under the leadership of "Premier" John Paterson of Lethbridge.

About 65 selected older boys representing church groups throughout the province are expected to attend the opening session of the youth parliament when Dr. William H. Swift of Edmonton, lieutenant-governor of the parliament will read the speech from the throne. The session is scheduled to adjourn Dec. 31.

DURING THE WEEK the boys will debate current issues which are affecting the youth of today.

The elected officers of the 33rd session are: Ralph Walker, Vulcan, Speaker; John Paterson, Lethbridge, premier; Larry Edwards, Calgary, leader of the opposition; and Cameron Strong, Vegreville, "deputy premier".

Rev. Edwin White, minister of First Presbyterian Church in Ed-

monton, conducted the oath of allegiance ceremony while Rev. Clifford Elson of St. Stephen's College will be in charge of opening ceremonies until the officers are installed.

MAYOR William Hawrelak of Edmonton will address the boys at a civic banquet. The added attraction of a sight-seeing tour, will be given by Edmonton Y Men's Club during the week.

At St. Stephen's College where the young parliamentarians will be billeted, daily periods of leadership training will be conducted by Edmonton churchmen.

Sponsor of the parliament is the Religious Education Council of Alberta.

"Tuxis taught me how government was supposed to run. Tuxis taught me how people are supposed to treat each other. Tuxis taught me how Christianity can be a living part of every day life."

Member 34th Session



JOHN PATERSON

MEMBER PROFILE

William J. (Bud) Phillips, born June 14, 1936, represented Strathcona Baptist Church of Edmonton at the parliament in 1953. After attending Edmonton schools, he attended the University of Alberta for a B.A. degree, the McMaster University for his M.Div and later attended Boston University where he received his Th.D. He was ordained by the Baptist Church and served congregations from 1963 to 1977. Bud was then called to Vancouver School of Theology as a member of the teaching staff and he later became principal.

PREMIER

John G. Paterson, a native of Lethbridge, attended Public Schools and Lethbridge Collegiate Institute. He attended the University of Alberta, Stanford University and the University of Washington. Dr. Paterson is a professor in psychology at the University of Alberta.



THIRTY-FOURTH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Senator W. A. Buchanan
John Paterson
Larry Edwards
John Cashore

Held at Southminster Church
Youth Centre, Lethbridge
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31
MEMBERS: 77



Solemn Ritual as 34th Sitting Begins



With all the solemnity usually associated with the dominion House the 34th Session of the Alberta Tuxis Boys' Parliament was opened in Southminster Church Hall in Lethbridge Saturday evening. It will be held in the city until next Thursday.

The brilliant scarlet coats of two constables of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police accented the somber full-dress clothes of the lieutenant-governor, Senator W. A. Buchanan of Lethbridge, and his aides, F. G. Holberton and Mayor A. W. Shackelford, both of Lethbridge.

Rev. Malcolm A. Mark of Lethbridge, representing the Alberta Boys' Work Board presented the mace, symbol of authority, to Senator Buchanan, who in turn handed it to Lieutenant William Watson of the Lethbridge Sea Cadets Corps, sergeant-at-arms during the formal opening ceremony.

Following the reading of a short prayer the lieutenant-governor, his aides, and the sergeant-at-arms left the hall while roll-call was read and certificate of election and oath of allegiance were presented for inspection by the clerk.

Members then elected John Paterson, son of G. C. Paterson of Lethbridge, speaker of the session. Mr. Paterson, who is an ex-parliamentarian, was elected by acclamation with the premier, Larry Edwards of Calgary, nominating him for the position.

The speaker entered the house preceded by the mace and swore in the premier, deputy premier David Paterson of Lethbridge, and John Cashore of Lethbridge, leader of the opposition.

The lieutenant-governor then re-entered the house and read the speech from the throne, the text of which can be found elsewhere on this page. In the throne speech Senator Buchanan outlined the government's proposed legislation and reminded the young solons they should be thankful to be able to take part in such an organization.

ILLUSTRIOUS PAST

Mayor Shackelford in his speech of welcome from the city told the group "The Tuxis movement has a long background of development and achievements, filled with the names and contributions of men who stand today as leaders in communities throughout the length and breadth of Canada. You have helped develop such men to serve our country where ability and consecration has been essential and vital. This could only have been achieved by a code of standards of the highest ideals which you strictly adhere to."

He reminded the young men the future of Canada was in their hands and urged them to take part in "vigorous and beneficial discussions."

The speech from the throne read by the Senator was prepared by the government, in accordance with parliamentary traditions.

In bringing greetings from the Alberta Boys' Work Board, Mr. Mark told the house it was the largest attended sessions of the parliament on record with 78 delegates present from all over Alberta.

OPENS DEBATE

Premier Larry Edwards in opening the throne speech debate, told why he had chosen the theme "There is a job to be done" for the session. "I have found in my experiences that there is a job to be done," he said.

Leader of the opposition John Cashore said he had no immediate plans for overthrowing the government, but added "If the government cannot do the job, the opposition will do it."

A few minutes later he was forced to apologize by the speaker when several government members rose to their feet on a point of order after he had termed the government's policy to be "full of... beans."

"Tuxis was an important part of my life. Our motto, our oath of allegiance, our second mile formed a foundation for the rest of my life."
Member 40th
Session



LARRY EDWARDS

PREMIER

Larry Edwards was born November 11, 1934 in Calgary and attended school there. He came to the Parliament from Scarboro Church in Calgary. Larry served with the R.C.A.F. as a Flying Officer before entering Queen's University where he earned his B.A. and M.Div. He was ordained by the United Church and has served congregations in Western Canada.

THIRTY-FIFTH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Justice C. J. Ford
William Sayers
John Cashore
Barrie Hughes

Held in Council Chambers
City Hall, Calgary
December 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1954
MEMBERS: 79

MEMBER PROFILE

James Herbert Laycraft, born in Veteran, Alberta, January 25, 1924 and attended schools in High River. He served with the Royal Canadian Artillery in World War II. He graduated from the University of Alberta with B.A. and LL.B. Herbert was a trial lawyer, a Judge, and retired as Chief Justice of Alberta in 1991. The University of Calgary in 1986 conferred on him the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws.

Tuxis Parliament To Meet in Calgary

The 35th session of the Boys' Parliament of Alberta is meeting in Calgary commencing Monday, and continuing until the following Friday. All meetings will be held in the City Hall council chambers.

Mr. Justice Clinton J. Ford has been appointed lieutenant-governor for the 1954 session, and he will present his speech from the throne at 8:00 p.m. Monday.

JOHN M. CASHORE of Lethbridge was elected premier for the 1954 session, and he along with other front benchers from both the government and the opposition will be taking part in various church services Dec. 26.

The theme of this year's parliament is "Serving in His Steps." With this in mind the following addresses will be given Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday; "A Young Man and His God"; "A Young Man, His Country and Christ"; "A Young man, His World and Christ."

THE TUXIS GROUP is a church-sponsored organization, with each letter of the name having a significant meaning. The "T" stands for training, and the "S" for service. The "X" placed in the middle denotes the Greek letter Chi, which is the first letter in the Greek word Christos, or Christ. This indicates that the movement is Christ-centred.

The "U" and "I" stand for the personal pronouns You and I and suggests social relationship, brotherliness and unselfishness — the "help-the-other-fellow" spirit.

Thus the name "Tuxis" means "You and I training for service, with Christ in the centre."

THE MEMBERS of Boys' Parliament will meet in the Scarboro United Church Sunday evening to attend the service. This year is expected to see the largest parliament in the history of the Alberta organization, when 90 to 95 are expected to attend this 35th consecutive Boys' Parliament.

Included in the list of special speakers during the week will be Hon. Geo. Prudham, Edmonton Federal minister of mines and technical surveys; Bruce Leydon, Calgary Lions Club; Maurice L. Brown, Calgary; Niel V. German, former parliamentarians Harvey Bliss, Calgary Jaycee, Mayor D. H. Mackay will be the guest speaker at the civic inaugural banquet Monday, prior to the official opening of parliament.

Barrie Hughes, Calgary, is the leader of the opposition in the 35th session, with Thos. Gardner, Edmonton, deputy premier.

The public is given an invitation to attend any or all of the business sessions of parliament.



JOHN CASHORE

PREMIER

John Cashore was born March 26, 1935. He represented Southminster Lethbridge at the 30th Session. He began his schooling in Lethbridge schools and went to the University of B.C. for his B.A. and B.D. John was ordained by the United Church and served congregations in B.C.. He entered politics and became a member of the B.C. Legislature and is a member of their cabinet working as Minister of Aboriginal Affairs.

"Tuxis movement and Parliament was one of the most significant parts of my development and has had an impact on my life ever since."

Member 46th Session



THIRTY-SIXTH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Dr. William H. Swift
Harold Nix
Barrie J. Hughes
Norm Pettersson

Held in the Alberta Co
Edmonton
December 26, 27, 28,
MEMBERS



Mayor Hawrelak To Speak As Tuxis Parliament Opens

Mayor William Hawrelak will be guest speaker Monday when the 36th successive session of the Alberta Tuxis Parliament opens in Alberta College Auditorium at 8 p.m.

Lieutenant-Governor Dr. W. H. Swift, deputy minister of education, will give the speech from the throne. The debate on the reply to the throne speech will be led by Premier Barrie Hughes of Calgary and his eight-man cabinet.

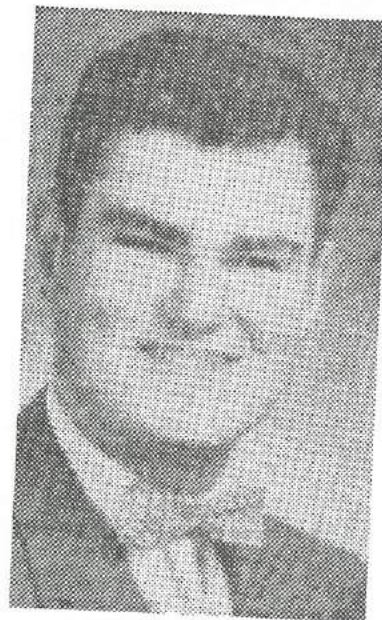
Premier Hughes has announced the appointment of the government members of the front bench for the sessions. They are:

Dennis McJunkin, Calgary, deputy premier and assistant to the minister of finance; Gerald Dale, Lloydminster, minister of finance; Dave Edwards, Edmonton, provincial secretary; Glen Reimer, Medicine Hat, minister of intellectual affairs; Bob Boyle, Edmonton, minister of publicity; Don French, Calgary, minister of publications; Alex McCalla, minister without portfolio; Larry Copithorne, Cochrane, minister of national affairs.

The leader of the opposition will be Norman Pettersson and the speaker will be Harold Nix.

The Rotary Club will entertain the young solons at its regular meeting Thursday. Tuxis members will address the club. Another highlight will be the attendance at sessions of E. C. Cameron, Vancouver, former boys work secretary for Alberta and YMCA secretary. He will assist with the week-long sessions and be guest speaker at some of the luncheons.

The business of the boys' parliament will continue each day until the final communion service Saturday.



BARRIE J. HUGHES

PREMIER

Barrie J. Hughes was born in Calgary July 15, 1936. He attended Western Canada High and entered into the field of journalism. Barrie has been with newspapers both in Canada and the U.S.A., and now lives in Watertown, N.Y.

"Tuxis was perhaps the single most informative experience of my life — it caused a complete change in my relationships with other people and a change in career path."

Member 52nd Session

Describe Of Tuxis

The benefits derived from the organization and organization boys' parliament Thursday by the premier, leader of opposition and lieutenant-governor at the weekly meeting of the Rotary Club in the city. The Rotarians, about 80 members, who are holding annual sessions in the week.

Dr. W. H. Swift, lieutenant-governor, said, "The Tuxis sessions are not to be considered a parliament because the sessions are merely sessions, while the boys have much higher standards."

The opposition leader, Norman Pettersson of Edmonton, said the organization had been moved into the annual parliament sessions. "Front bench members of the organization in the city where the parliament is to be working on the program and continue to the parliament opens Monday."

Barrie Hughes of Calgary, 36 years' premier, said, "The Tuxis sessions seek to change the minds of those who are in turn return to the parliament to present groups the thoughts they obtain from the parliament."



THIRTY-SEVENTH SESSION



TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Brig. Gen. J. S. Stewart
John Cashore
Norm Pettersson
David R. Edwards

Held in Southminster Hall
Lethbridge
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1956
MEMBERS: 82



NORM PETERSSON

PREMIER

Norman Pettersson was born in Edmonton January 13, 1937. He first attended Tuxis Parliament as a member to the 32nd session from Highlands United Church. He attended Edmonton Schools and entered the University of Alberta and graduated from St. Stephen's College. He was ordained by the United Church and has served both in local congregations, and well as a missionary overseas from 1982 to 1990.

"I love it. Parliament
was the highlight of
my year.
Member 38th Session

Brig.-Gen. Stewart Delivers Throne Speech

Colorful Ceremony Marks Opening Of Tuxis Boys' Parliament Here

With two scarlet - coated RCMP constables forming the honor guard, the 37th session of the Tuxis Boys' Parliament of Alberta opened in Southminster hall here Wednesday evening. About 60 persons watched the colorful opening ceremony.

Purpose of the parliament is found in the word Tuxis with "X" for Christ, "U" and "I" representing You and I and "T and S" representing Training and Service.

Ninety-six young parliamentarians from throughout the provinces were on hand for the opening of the session which carries the theme "Seek, Knock, and Ask."

LEADERS

Premier of the parliament is Norman Pettersson of Edmonton, leader of the opposition is Dave Edwards of Calgary and speaker is John Cashore of Lethbridge. The parliament is promoted by the boys' work board of the Religious Education Council of Alberta.

Brig.-Gen. J. S. Stewart of Lethbridge lieutenant - governor of the 37th session, told members in his speech from the throne:

"You have been sent here representing a number of different groups with a wide variety of program, but no matter what church group you represent you will find their purpose tied in the symbolic word Tuxis.

"This week five other parliaments across Canada, like ours, are also holding sessions. Yet they will be one through the spirit of Tuxis.

"All of you present have come to this session hoping to take something home with you. It may possibly be a knowledge of parliamentary procedure, an opportunity to voice opinions, a chance to meet some young men of your own age and interests from other parts of the province.

THREE WORDS

"But whatever the reason you are here with an inquiring mind, and that is why my government has chosen for its theme the three words taken from the seventh chapter of Matthew, "Ask, Seek and Knock."

"My government hopes that it will not stop here, but for what you are asking, it will be given to you, for what you seek, you will find no matter what door you knock upon, it will become open to you.

"A look at the legislation shows us that you will cover a great deal of ground this session. You will have to deal with everything from finances and publications to camps and physical affairs as far as business legislation is concerned and mixed in with these are debatable resolutions.

"These include resolutions on rural schools, Canada's wheat surplus, teenage marriages, our place in the community as a (1) preventor of juvenile delinquency, and (2) helping rehabilitate the juvenile delinquent.

"It is not wrong to disagree with the resolutions and bill but it is wrong to say yes or no, without stating your opinion, and resolutions or bills are wrong."

The house dispensed with rules and regulations as greetings were extended by Mayor Haig on behalf of the city, Rev. G. D. Young of Taber, on behalf of the boys' work board; Miss Marge Soice of Lethbridge on behalf of the CGIT, and ex-parliamentarian Fred G. Holberton of Lethbridge.

Sergeant-at-arms for the session is Midshipman Jack Read of Lethbridge. Clerks are Joe Montgomery and Reginald Stott both of Lethbridge.

Fridays session will be highlighted with the annual banquet in St. Andrew's church hall at 12 noon, with Rev. Dwight Powell of Nanton as guest speaker. Session sittings will be at 2:30 and 7:30 p.m.



TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

J. Roger Flumerfelt
Barrie Hughes
Alex McCalla
Don Schlitt

Held in the Jubilee Auditorium
Calgary
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30,
MEMBERS: 77



ALEX MCCALLA

PREMIER

Alex McCalla was born in Edmonton April 12, 1937. After completing high school and three years farming with his father, he attended several Universities earning B.Sc. (Agriculture), M.A. and Ph.D. in Agriculture Economics. He joined the staff of the University of California, Davis, where he held many positions. Following early retirement in June 1994 he was appointed Director of the Agriculture and Natural Resources Department of the World Bank in Washington D.C.. Alex is a *Fellow of the American Agriculture Economics Association* and recipient of many awards in his field.

"Tuxis and Tuxis Parliament was a very significant part of my early experience. I learned a great deal, established great friendships and remember the experiences with pleasure."
Member 41st Session

Sunday Sports Bid Rejected By Tuxis

Public financial support of professional Sunday sport was narrowly defeated Friday night by the Tuxis' Boys' Parliament of Alberta.

A resolution called for support of professional sport and other forms of Sunday entertainment through ticket sales.

The resolution, submitted by Terry McMahon of Hayes, Alta., came before the 73 members of the second session of the 38th Tuxis parliament currently holding meetings at the Jubilee Auditorium.

A 35 to 31 standing vote sent the resolution to defeat after an hour and a half of heated debate on the topic.

REVISION OF LAWS

The resolution pointed out that "It is recognized that the laws of a country must be revised to meet changing society and economic conditions," and noted that the Lord's Day Act has not been revised in recent years.

"We believe," it said "that Christians will not allow Sunday sport, recreation or other forms of entertainment to interfere with their attendance at Christian worship or other religious practices".

Certain paid entertainment, it claimed, is permitted on Sunday while certain other types are not, thereby showing discrimination.

A need for control of commercial Sunday sport and other entertainment "to ensure that they do not interfere in any manner with the religious observances of individuals, such control to be enforced by the proper local city, town or municipal authorities," was stressed in the resolution.

LOCAL OPTION

The resolution suggested the legalizing of such sport or entertainment should be subject to local option.

In support of this resolution and leading off the lively debate, Mr. McMahon drew attention to the views of leading clergymen on the topic and noted that certain types

of sports are discriminated against while other forms of commercial sport and entertainment, such as golf and concerts, are permitted under other guises.

"Commercial sport on Sunday will not interfere with Sunday observance and the suspicion that it will is unfounded," he said.

He said the United Church objects to paid Sunday sport," but we are paying anyhow through these so-called silver collections."

"The truth is the public has already accepted commercial Sunday sport".

Opposition Leader Don Schlitt also spoke in favor of the resolution.

"The main point of contention about Sunday sport," he said, "is the exchange of money." He claimed

decaying of moral standards in this country. Premier Alex McCalla, warning of enacting restrictions on Sunday a day of recreation instead of meditation.

"Passing this warning, "would not be with the Christian Parliament."

Other resolutions of the day's sessions in the policies of the parliament. "Gazette", approval of budget, approval of weekend as the date of annual camp, great sports and the planning of Tuxis conference.

'LEAVE LORD'S DAY ACT ALONE'

ed the *Lord's Day Act* is inconsistent in its dealings with other facets of society. The main critics of Sunday commercial sport, he said, are apparently 30 years behind the times.

Strong opposition to paid Sunday sport and entertainment was registered by, among others, Premier Alex McCalla of Bremner, and parliamentary committee man, Lawrence Copithorne of Cochrane.

"I do not agree that Sunday sport should ever come about," Mr. Copithorne said, "and the heavy incidence of Sunday sport in the United States should not force us to bow to circumstances. I cannot see the need for revision of the Act".

He pointed out the increasingly strong present-day trend for commercialization of Sunday.

"Allowing the changing of the Lord's Day Act," he warned, "will only open the door to more commercialization of Sunday".

Pointing to what he called "the

held at different times in Alberta.

The young parliament day evening were the City of Calgary inaugural banquet at the San Club.

In an address during Mayor D. H. Mackay the Calgary civic society 25 years and urged to strive for a purpose to guard against corruption.

"If you are willing to pay the price" the mayor said stop you from achieving your goal".

Mayor Mackay warned members against becoming one of the young men have a reach out and grab responsibility. You Calgary or Alberta the country it shows you have a purpose

THIRTY-NINTH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Dr. G. Fred McNally
Norm Petterson
Don Williams
Bill Downton

Held at Alberta School for the Deaf
Edmonton
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1958
MEMBERS: 82



DON WILLIAMS

PREMIER

Donald S. Williams, born in Edmonton February 11, 1938, attended schools in Stony Plain and the University of Alberta. Don is self employed in the Performing Arts Industry, as a producer, director, writer, actor and instructor in film production and theatre. He was the creator and the first Producer-Director of the television series "Hymn Sing" and was at one time executive producer of "The Beachcombers". Don lives in North Vancouver.

"Friends have turned out to be the greatest gift Tuxis has ever given me."
Member 65th Session

TUXIS PREMIER ALMOST DECLARED INELIGIBLE

EDMONTON (CP)—The Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament of Alberta opened Friday and the opposition came close to having the premier declared ineligible to sit in the house. Eighty boys from many parts of the province attended.

The right of the premier to sit in the house was first questioned by leader of the opposition William Downton of Calgary on the grounds that he was not an Alberta citizen.

Premier Donald S. Williams has lived in Regina since June but was an Alberta resident previously.

NON-CONFIDENCE MOTION

Before the leader of the opposition raised this question an opposition member had made a motion of non-confidence in the government which was immediately followed by the premier moving to adjourn the house.

Speaker Norman Petterson, a student at the University of Alberta, ruled the premier could sit because he had been an Alberta citizen when elected at the last parliament in Calgary a year ago.

The validity of the speaker's decision was questioned by opposition leader's alternate, Larry Copithorne of Cochrane. He claimed that since the speaker had been nominated by the premier, the speaker might not hold his position rightfully.

The speaker commented that his previous ruling answered the question.

A vote of the house finally decided the issue when a question was put whether the premier represented a constituency. The result was 40 to 38 in favor of the government.

SPEECH FROM THRONE

Matters to be discussed by the parliament were outlined in the speech from the throne, read by the lieutenant-governor.

The speech told the members they would be asked to consider bills regarding "recognition of Red China, . . . French language in public schools, . . . bingo and lotteries, highway speed limits, Canada national yearbook, (and) segregation of sexes in Alberta schools."

A resolution will be presented "asking for approval of steps to be taken by this parliament towards the establishment of a Western Canada Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament." Such a parliament was proposed earlier at a meeting of government members of the Alberta parliament and the Saskatchewan Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament.

The members were told the "government will lay before you a most important bill, the highway of the entire legislation to be considered, which requires your most intelligent debate and deliberation." However the speech gave no indication of the content of the bill.

The parliament continues until Wednesday with five more sessions and the election of officers for next year.

MEMBER PROFILE

Donald C. Andrews, born January 1, 1929 in Moose Jaw, represented Southminster United Church of Lethbridge at Tuxis Parliament. He was speaker of the 48th session. Donald attended the Lethbridge Collegiate Institute and the University of Alberta. He entered the real estate profession and is an honorary life member of the Real Estate Institute of Canada.

TUXIS AND OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Dr. MacGregor Parsons
Larrie Boddy
Bill Downton
Lawrie Copithorne

Held in Lindsay Thurber Compos
High School, Red Deer
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1
MEMBERS: 73

In Red Deer

Six-Day Meet

80 Delegates Named To Tuxis Parliament

(Herald Red Deer Bureau)

RED DEER— The passage of bills, formal legislative debate and a first-hand study of democratic government in action will be part of the 40th annual Alberta Tuxis and Older Boy's Parliament which begins sessions here Saturday.

Some 80 boys, from across the province have been delegated as members of the parliament which will be conducted at the Lindsay Thurber Composite High School here for six days.

The parliamentarian committee, which handles the programming for the six-day event, has lined up a first rate schedule.

Parliament will be opened by Dr. R. M. Parsons of Red Deer, who was appointed Tuxis Lieutenant-Governor last week.

OFFICIAL OPPOSITION

Premier Bill Downton of Edmonton, elected premier when the sessions dissolved last year, will form the government. His official opposition will be formed

by Lawrence Copithorne of Cochrane a student at the University of Alberta in Edmonton.

Parliament will be conducted along the same principles followed by senior governments. The assembly hall, which will be the library hall at the Composite school campus, will be patterned after the legislative assembly layout.

Debate will be held on various government bills and the youngsters will be given opportunities to speak to the motions.

This is the first time the Tuxis Parliament has been held in Red Deer. The Alberta Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament is an annual event to which boys from the United, Presbyterian, Anglican and Baptist faiths are selected to attend.

Similar Parliaments are held across Canada.

While in Red Deer most of the boys will be billeted in the Composite High School dormitories. Meals will be served on the campus.



BILL DOWNTON

PREMIER

William Herbert Downton was born January 5th 1938. He came to parliament for the 35th session representing Calgary. He attended Calgary schools and University of Alberta, from which he received his B.A. and LL.B. He practiced law in Calgary, and was active member of the Social Credit Party. His daughter Kathy and son Jonathan later became members of the Tuxis Parliament.

"Tuxis Parliament was a valuable learning experience; rules of the House and rules of debate (proper procedures), association with other participants. The years as a member provided training which has continued to be a benefit."

Member 17th Session

MEMBER PROFILE

A. Russell Patrick, a member of the 6th and 7th sessions, was born September 15, 1910. He received his B.Ed. from the University of Alberta and was a teacher and principal at Stettin for 24 years before entering politics as the M.L.A. from Stettin. He served 19 years in the Alberta Legislature, many of those as cabinet minister. Russell Patrick introduced the word TUXIS into our name.

Held in Southminster Hall
Lethbridge
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1960
MEMBERS: 78

PREMIER
Lawrie Copithorne, a native of Cochrane, Alberta, was born June 5, 1940. He completed his early schooling in Cochrane and his High School at Mount Royal in Calgary. Lawrie graduated from the University of Alberta with distinction and a B.Sc. in Agriculture Economics. He received M.A. and Ph. D. from the University of Minnesota in Economics and became a Professor of Economics at the University of Manitoba. He was next employed in 1972 was with the Bank of Canada in Ottawa and later with the Economic Council of Canada. Lawrie returned to Calgary University as head of the Department of Economics in 1984. He died in 1986.

PREMIER



FORTY-SECOND SESSION

TUXIS AND OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Senator Donald Cameron
Lawrie Copithorne
Richard Baker
Bob Thompson

Held at
Banff School of Fine Arts
December 26, 27, 28, 29,
MEMBERS:



RICHARD P. BAKER

PREMIER

Richard P. Baker was born May 24, 1940. He attended schools in Ponoka and represented that community at Tuxis Parliament in 1958. He graduated from the University of Alberta with B.Ed. and M.Ed. and is employed by the Edmonton Public School Board as Assistant Superintendent.

MEMBER PROFILE

Neil German, born in Calgary in 1916, first attended the fifteenth session of the Tuxis Parliament. He attended the University of Alberta where he received his B.A. and LL.B. degrees. He was selected as Alberta Rhodes Scholar in 1940, this being the 13th prize or scholarship that Neil had received since entering high school.

Neil also had a brilliant athletic career having been president of the University track and boxing. He was awarded the Beaumont trophy for the best all round boxer in 1938.

After graduation he practiced law in Edmonton and was later called to serve as a judge of the Alberta Court.

"My most memorable image of the Tuxis will always be the 42nd Session where I felt a bond of friendship which I will never forget."

Member 61st Session

Boys' Parliament Holds 42nd Session

Senator Donald Cameron, officiating as Lt. Governor, formally opened the 42nd Session of the Tuxis Boys' Parliament at the Banff School of Fine Arts on December 26.

Under the chairmanship of another Donald Cameron — a Calgary insurance salesman — eighty young men from all parts of Alberta from Peace River to Medicine Hat assembled at Banff for the annual session. The Premier, Richard Baker of Ponoka and his Deputy, John Barr of Edmonton, prepared legislation which brought heated debate from the Leader of the Opposition, Bob Thompson and his Deputy Gordon Everest, both of Calgary. Speaker was Laurence Copithorne of Cochrane.

The original Parliament, developed by Ernest Thompson Seaton and Taylor Statton, was held in Ottawa in 1917. In 1920 the first Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament was held in Edmonton, and the Alberta Parliament now has the record of the longest number of consecutive sittings of any Parliament in Canada.

❖ FORTY-THIRD SESSION ❖

TUXIS AND OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Dr. W. H. Swift
Richard Baker
John J. Barr
Robert K. David

Held in Concordia College
Edmonton
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 1962
MEMBERS: 73

Power Fight Highlights Tuxis Meet

A struggle for power highlighted the first day of the Alberta Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament, Wednesday.

In an attempt to overthrow the government for the second time in 43 years, Opposition leader Bob David of Edmonton attempted three times to call a motion of non-confidence.

Each time he ran into a hornets nest of technicalities in parliament procedure which Speaker Richard Baker ruled curtailed the motions.

OPENED DEBATE

Premier John Barr then threw the debate wide open by announcing the government was willing to overlook protocol and accept the motion.

The issue at stake was a proposed government bill to strengthen leadership training in Protestant Churches through the youth groups.

Mr. Barr claimed it would restore the Tuxis' movement's one-time domination of leadership training in the province.

OPPOSED BILL

Mr. David opposed the bill on the grounds that:

- A minimum of effort and accomplishment had resulted from a similar bill last year due to government inactivity.

- The government had over-concentrated on anti-Communist work rather than promoting Christian youth work.

Time ran out however and the non-confidence motion was postponed. The government this year has only five more members than the opposition.

5-DAY SESSION

The parliament's lieutenant-governor, Dr. W. H. Swift, opened the five day session at Concordia College Wednesday night assisted by Brig. R. A. Bradburn who acted as sergeant-at-arms.

Greeting were received from Prime Minister John Diefenbaker, federal Opposition leader L. B. Pearson, T. C. Douglas of the NDP, and Robert Thompson, Social Credit leader.

The session will continue today at 2 p.m.



JOHN J. BARR

PREMIER

John Jay Barr, was born in Edmonton August 27, 1942. He attended Strathcona Composite and first came to the Parliament at the 37th Session. He graduated with a Master's Degree in Political Science from the University of Alberta. He is Senior Vice President with Burson-Marsteller in Vancouver. He is author of two books.

POINT OF INTEREST

Rules and Forms — Beauchesne
4th Edition 1958

Presented to Alberta Tuxis
and Older Boys' Parliament
in memory of

Stuart Harold Marston
December 26, 1962.

"Tuxis was a Christian experience"
Member 43rd Session



FORTY-FOURTH SESSION

TUXIS AND OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Brig.-Gen. J. S. Stewart
Bob Thompson
Ian McDonald
Larry Johnson

Held in Exhibition Pavilion
Lethbridge
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31
MEMBERS: 94



Tuxis Boys' Parliament Facing Heavy Schedule In Exhibition Pavilion

Five days of sessions of the 44th Tuxis and Older Boys Parliament of Alberta will begin tonight (Thursday) at the Lethbridge Exhibition Pavilion with formal opening ceremonies lead by Lieut.-Gov. Brig.-Gen. J. S. Stewart.

More than 100 boys from throughout the province registered at afternoon ceremonies before attending a general caucus of all members. Tonight, Lethbridge alderman R. C. (Cleve) Hill will lead the oath of allegiance ceremony before the formal opening ceremonies at 8:15.

Official greetings from Gail Coleman, president of the Chinook Council of the Alberta CGIT and Fred Holberton,

president of the Alberta Tuxis and Older Boys Parliament Alumni Society will also be highlighted at the ceremonies.

A total of six sittings of the house will be held through the five days, with Premier Ian McDonald leading the government, and Larry Johnson of Lethbridge leading the opposition. Bob Thompson of Calgary is speaker of the house.

Two special plenary sessions of the parliament will be held, with members discussing "The Teacher's Right to Strike" Friday, and "The Canadian Indians" at the Saturday session.

The members will be special guests Friday at a City of Lethbridge Banquet with Mayor Frank Sherring acting as chairman. Saturday, the

annual parliament banquet will be held at 12:30 p.m. with speaker Bob Thompson chairman.

Also planned during the five days are various bible study sessions and church services, as well as election of premier and leader of the opposition Saturday for the 1964 meetings. Brig. Gen. Stewart will preside at the prorogation ceremonies Monday.

The sessions are sponsored by the Tuxis and Older Boys Parliament Alumni Society of Alberta, which includes all ex-members of the parliaments. Participating denominations are Presbyterian, Baptist, United, Anglican, Church of Christ, and Salvation Army, and the YMCA.



IAN McDONALD

PREMIER

Ian McDonald, born January 22, 1943, represented Edmonton Strathcona Baptist Church when he first attended the Tuxis parliament in 1960. He is a graduate of Edmonton schools and obtained his B.A. degree from the University of Alberta. Further studies earned for him a Ph.D. in Classics from the University of North Carolina. Ian teaches Classics at the Scarboro Campus of the University of Toronto and is an assistant organist at St. Marks Anglican Church in Port Hope, Ontario.

"Tuxis gave me an introduction to speaking in front of groups which has eventually proved valuable in the teaching and seminars I've been invited to give throughout Canada and the U.S.A.
Member 40th Session



FORTY-FIFTH SESSION



TUXIS AND OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Grant Carlyle
Rev. David Paterson
Larry Johnson
Bruce Ferrier

Held in BA Auditorium
Elveden House, Calgary
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1964
MEMBERS: 77



Tuxis Starts 45th Session

With all the color and ceremony of Canada's Parliament, the 45th Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament of Alberta opened Sunday.

The six-day session of the mock Parliament will be held daily in the BA Auditorium, Elveden House.

Saturday the government and opposition held their initial caucuses prior to the formal opening ceremony.

Introduced at the ceremony were this year's governor-general, Grant Carlyle, president of Union Milk Co. Ltd. and Crystal Dairies; premier Larry Johnson, Lethbridge, a U. Of A. Education student; leader of the opposition, Dwight Jensen, Lethbridge. A Presbyterian clergyman, Rev. David Paterson, is Speaker of the House.

LEGISLATION LISTED

Ten youths from Edmonton, Lethbridge and Calgary determined the legislation to be introduced at their annual Christmas sitting.

Resolutions decided upon by the premier, chief cabinet and opposition members were that:

- Parliament go on record as approving the sale of war toys;
- Religious education be dropped in public schools;
- Adoption of fluoridation by municipalities be by simple majority vote;

- Policies regarding laggard students be strictly enforced in high schools; and
- Belief in God not be a prerequisite for citizenship, and expression of atheistic views not be grounds for dismissal or censure of teachers or public officials.

This year's parliament will centre around the theme: *Thy Will Be Done, the Lord's Prayer.*

The 80 boys participating range in age from 15 to 21. They represent the Anglicans, Presbyterians, Baptists, United Church, Moravians, Evangelical United Brethren, Salvation Army and YMCA.

FAMOUS EX-MEMBERS

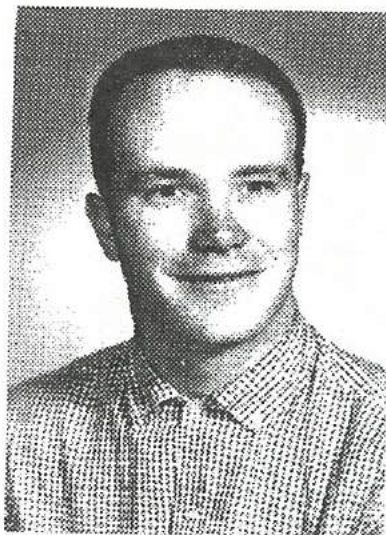
The Tuxis youth organization boasts former members such as John Diefenbaker, leader of the Opposition and A. R. Patrick, Alberta cabinet minister.

In Calgary there are an estimated 400 to 500 boys in the organization.

Last year the Christmas meeting urged the Canadian government to pass legislation banning the import, manufacture and sale of tobacco products in this country and urged provincial governments to improve the living conditions of Indians and Metis.

They also backed teachers in their fight to retain the right to strike when necessary.

Second sitting of the parliament is scheduled for 2 p.m. today.



LARRY JOHNSON

PREMIER

Larry Johnson came to Tuxis Parliament from Southminster Church in Lethbridge. He was born in Cochrane, Ontario March 30, 1943. He attended Lethbridge schools and entered the University of Alberta where he received his B.Sc. (Physics) and M.A. (Education Administration). Larry taught school in Grande Prairie, Fort McMurray, High River and is now Superintendent of Schools at St. Albert. He is a member of Rotary.

"Tuxis contributed greatly to developing skills in logic, presentation, speaking and writing all of which I have depended on in my career. As well it contributed to broadening my horizons and setting ambitious goals."

Member 42nd Session

FORTY-SIXTH SESSION

TUXIS AND OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Dr. R. M. Parsons
Larry Johnson
Ron Prokosch
Morley Johnson

Held at Gaetz Memorial United Church
Red Deer
December 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1965
MEMBERS: 90

Spirited Debates Expected At Tuxis Boys' Parliament

Junior solons gathered here today from throughout the province for the 46th session of the Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament of Alberta, which will be ceremoniously opened this evening and then continue until Friday noon.

The session, being held in the auditorium of Gaetz Memorial United Church, will be formally opened at 8 o'clock by Dr. R. M. Parsons of Red Deer, lieutenant governor for the parliament, who will read the Speech from the Throne and indicate the business that will be placed before the House during the week.

Ronald Prokosch of Red Deer is the premier for the session, with Morley Johnson of Lethbridge being the leader of the opposition and his brother, Larry Johnson of Edmonton, acting as speaker.

With registrations under way this afternoon, expectations were that approximately 90 young men from throughout Alberta would be attending the session, these representing areas from Athabasca to the United States border.

The theme selected for this session is "The Way, The Truth, The Life," and it will be spelled out Tuesday morning when the session is first addressed by Rev. Randall Ivany, secretary of the Red Deer Ministerial Association.

Numerous thought-provoking subjects are included in resolutions that are proposed for debate by the session, these including Canada's recognition of communist China, the Canada Pension Plan, compulsory voting, the Canadian Northwest Territories, free tuition, intervention in Viet Nam, Canadian Indians, foreign interest in Canada, adoption of the metric system, the voting age, and North America Water and Power Alliance.

Other resolutions will also be coming before the session from the floor of the House.

General debate will start immediately after the lieutenant-governor reads the Speech from the Throne, with participants in the parliament being free to discuss any subject under the sun.

The auditorium being used for the session has been arranged in the manner of a provincial legislature, with the lieutenant governor's throne being on a dais at the front of the House, the government side of the parliament to his right and the opposition to his left, and the public galleries about them.

The premier will be flanked by his ministers and deputies, while the leader of the opposition will be supported by his various directors. This session, each side of the House also has an ambassador from Saskatchewan and one from Japan.

A huge mace will rest on the floor of the House throughout the session.

Approximately 500 citizens have been invited to attend the ceremonious opening of the parliament this evening, which will be followed by the official lieutenant-governor's reception. All other parts of the week's session will be open to the general public and numerous spirited debates are assured.

While registrations were taking place this afternoon, the 19-member cabinet of the parliament was in session, setting up its strategy for this evening and establishing a timetable for the consideration of resolutions that will come before the House. Included in the cabinet is the leader of the opposition and his directors.

The parliament will go into session every morning at 9:30 and also sit during every afternoon and evening.

"Tuxis provided an excellent chance for me to develop myself as a person."
Member 40th Session



RON PROKOSCH

PREMIER

Ron Prokosch, born in Edmonton September 6, 1946 first came to Tuxis Parliament at the 42nd session. He attended Composite High School in Red Deer and the University of Alberta for his B.A. and Diploma in Public Administration. Ron lives in Calgary where he is president of The Prokosch Group and Drake Beam Morin Alberta Inc. He is a member of Rotary and the Institute of Management Consultants.



FORTY-SEVENTH SESSION



TUXIS AND OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Dr. William H. Swift
Ian McDonald
Chris Gould
Michael Atkinson

Held at the Alberta School for the Deaf
Edmonton
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 1966
MEMBERS: 91



You are cordially invited to attend the

Opening Session

of the

Forty-seventh Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament of Alberta

School for the Deaf

6240 - 113 Street, Edmonton

Monday, December 26th, 1966, at 8 p.m.

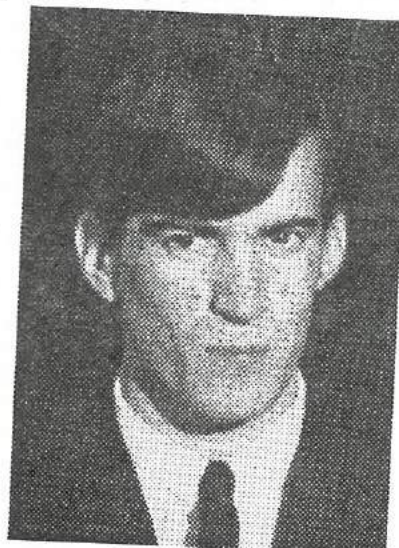
*His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Dr. W. H. Swift will open
the House and deliver the speech from the Throne.*

Visitors will please be seated by 7:45 p.m.

"I strongly believe
that Tuxis Parliament
was a significant part
of my early experience."
Member 36th Session

PREMIER

Chris Gould, born in Edmonton June 20, 1947, first came to Tuxis parliament in 1962, representing Pleasantview United Church of Edmonton. After attending Edmonton schools and graduating from Strathcona Composite High, he earned a B.A. degree in political science at the University of Alberta. Chris is farming at Mayerthorpe, Alberta where he specializes in horse breeding. He is National Chairman of the Canadian Warm Blood Horse Breeders Association.



CHRIS GOULD

FORTY-EIGHTH SESSION

TUXIS AND OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Brig.-Gen. J. S. Stewart
David King
Mike Atkinson
Gordon Shopland

Held in
Lethbridge Exhibition Pavilion
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1967
MEMBERS: 78

80 Representatives Attending

Speech From The Throne Opens Older Boys' Parliament Sessions

Representatives at the 48th session of the Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament of Alberta were challenged Tuesday night by Brigadier General J. S. Stewart, lieutenant - governor of the session, to "respond to such problems as national unity, the economic plight of the Maritimes and the social dilemma of the Indian."

Brig.-Gen. Stewart gave his speech from the throne in the Lethbridge Exhibition Pavilion during the opening proceedings of the six-day annual session which is being held in the city for the first time since 1963.

The Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament of Alberta, which functions as a model parliament, comprises about 80 representatives, aged 15-21 years, of various church congregations and youth groups throughout the province.

Brig.-Gen. Stewart also said "society's concern and interest in the meaning of the term love, emphasized by the hippie phenomenon, should give your theme, we also ought to love one another, special meaning."

Four legislative bills scheduled for consideration during the session deal with the status of youth, national minimum income, interdenominational youth groups and birth control.

The birth control bill proposes that "laws regarding birth control devices and information be made more forceful and be enforced to a greater extent than is presently the case."

The second part of the birth control bill suggests that "it be made an offense to circulate any literature or information without the permission of the health and welfare department, the conditions being for family planning and for properly conducted sex education classes."

Speaker of the house is David King, son of Rev. A. E. King of Lethbridge and research assistant to Peter Loughheed, leader of the opposition in the provincial legislature.

Premier is Mike Atkinson, a third year political science student at the University of Alberta; leader of the opposition is Gordon Shopland, a second year business administration student at Mount Royal College.



MIKE ATKINSON

PREMIER

Michael Atkinson, born December 5, 1947, came to the Tuxis parliament in 1963. He was raised in Leduc and Edmonton and graduated from Strathcona Composite High School. Mike received his B.A. from the University of Alberta and his M.A. and Ph.D. from Charlton University. He is a professor of political science at McMaster University in Hamilton.

SCHOLARSHIP - Commonwealth Parliamentary Association

The Alberta branch of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association presents the scholarship annually to a recipient from the Girls' Parliament and from TUXIS. The recipients are nominated by members of the parliament with whom they are associated and the names are submitted to the Office of the Speaker. The nominees, as a rule, have been associated with their respective parliament for several years, held various positions and have displayed a keen interest in the parliamentary system.

The Speaker of the Alberta Legislature holds a ceremony when presenting these awards and invites members of the families of the recipients to attend.

The scholarship has been for \$1000.00, but we are advised we can expect a lesser amount due to the Government decision of cut backs.

"Tuxis helped me develop
excellent communication
and human resource skills."
Member 49th Session

TUXIS AND OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

Deputy Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Robert Clark M. L. A.
Chris Gould
Doug Beechey
David Finlay

Held in
Olds
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1968
MEMBERS: 83

THE TUXIS AND OLDER BOYS PARLIAMENTARY ALUMNI SOCIETY OF ALBERTA

Was registered with the Alberta Registrar under the Society Act early in 1962 as the sponsoring body of the Tuxis and Older Boys Parliament of Alberta. The previous sponsors, the Religious Education Council of Alberta, went out of existence on December 30, 1961, after 42 years of active sponsorship of the boys' parliament in Alberta.

The objects of this society are:

1. To perpetuate and promote throughout the year the Tuxis and Older Boys Parliament of Alberta through:
 - (a) Encouraging boys to seek out the challenge of Christian living.
 - (b) Bringing together representative members of the Christian Church in order to stimulate co-operative methods of promoting and improving all church movements for older boys.
 - (c) Training members in the arts of logical thought and self expression.
 - (d) Educating members in the process of Parliament and responsibilities of citizenship.
2. To develop and train leaders in charge of Christian youth work.

The Alberta Society membership includes all ex-members of Boys Parliament. The Board of Directors includes representatives from participating denominations - Presbyterian, Baptist, United, Anglican, Church of Christ, Salvation Army, Y.M.C.A.

If you are an ex-member of Boys Parliament, or know of such a member, will you please advise the office of the Alumni Society, 003 Mobil Oil Bldg., 610 8th Avenue S.W., Calgary.

Officers of Board of Directors:

Chairman - Fred Holberton, Lethbridge
Vice-Chairman - Wm. B. Downton, Calgary
Secretary - Wm. Watson, Calgary
Treasurer - Rev. John Edwards, Calgary



DOUGLAS S. BEECHEY

PREMIER

Doug Beechey, born July 28, 1948 in Edmonton, came to Tuxis parliament in 1963 representing All Saints Anglican Church. His education included Edmonton schools and the University of Alberta where he received his B.A. (diploma in education). Doug's was employed as Education Liaison with the Indian Council of Slave Lake, and he also served on the Town Council of Slave Lake. Doug died suddenly on February 10, 1979 and the Parliamentary Alumni Society established the Annual Doug Beechey Award.

"Tuxis Parliament provided an opportunity to make new friends, to
examine one's faith in God, and to develop confidence."

Member 50th Session

FIFTIETH SESSION

TUXIS AND OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Arthur Dixon M. L. A.
Ronald Prokosch
Brian Coutts
Hugh Johnson

Held in
Edmonton
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Tuxis and Older Boys'
Parliament
of Alberta

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BRIAN COUTTS

PREMIER

Brian E. Coutts, born January 29, 1948 in Lethbridge, came to the Tuxis Parliament from Southminster Church for the 46th Session and held leadership positions for all years until he became Premier of the 50th Session. He was this parliament's ambassador to the B. C. Parliament in 1970. Brian graduated from the Lethbridge Collegiate Institute, the University of Alberta and the Louisiana State University. Dr. Coutts is head of the Department of Library, Western Kentucky University.



"Tuxis forced me to explore the issues of the day, form opinions on them and verbally express my thoughts in public. These skills and abilities were not only a part of my early experience, but they continue to serve me well today."

Member 50th Session

FIFTY-FIRST SESSION

TUXIS AND OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

J. E. Oberholtzer
Michael Atkinson
Gordon Porteous
George Bennett

Held in
Edmonton
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1970
MEMBERS: 79

Clark defends school policy to Tuxis boys

Education Minister Robert Clark defended the government's policy on education of visually impaired children before the Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament Monday night.

Mr. Clark, observing the proceedings from the legislative chamber gallery, agreed to comment on a resolution calling for government action to eliminate the secondary education.

Mr. Clark said he sympathized with the position of the Alberta Association for Visually Impaired Children that such children should be permitted to remain in Alberta, but said this doesn't appear feasible.

For the small number of children involved, sufficiently rounded-out programs would be difficult to provide he said, noting that at the school for the deaf, the government spent about \$620,000 last year for between 100 and 125 pupils.

Campbell Young, association president, earlier told the parliament — about 70 youths representing church organizations throughout the province — that the government spends nearly \$87,000 a year to send the children to facilities in B.C. and Ontario.

Debate on the resolution of Opposition Leader George Bennett, calling on the government to institute classes in some centres in Alberta for visually impaired and legally blind children, as requested by AAVIC, was adjourned to this afternoon's session.

The association feels the classes should be located in regular schools where from the first year, the children may be integrated into normally-sighted classes as much as possible, while either living at home or in frequent contact with their families.

In other business the Tuxis

parliament:

- Defeated 41-31 with three abstentions the traditional opposition non-confidence motion in the government, led by Gordon Porteous as premier;

- Adopted unanimously a resolution calling for a national Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament to be held in the summer of 1972;

- Passed by a 41 to 29 vote a resolution asking Tuxis members to give up personal, purely monetary goals and donate time and money to aiding the community at large.

Much of Monday night's session was taken up with a much-amended resolution on Canadian sovereignty calling for a 100-mile limit to be established to protect Canadian coasts from pollution on pain of forfeiture of a bond and fines.

Postponed for lack of time Monday were resolutions calling for euthanasia under certain conditions, discussion of a pamphlet outlining the work of Tuxis, and a resolution on policy.

Other resolutions not yet on the notice paper, with sessions today, Wednesday and Thursday, remaining call for legalization of all drugs under government controls, curbs on international arms sales, abolition of political parties and formation of coalition government, pollution control, and relaxation of the abortion laws.



GORDON PORTEOUS

PREMIER

Gordon I. Porteous was born in Calgary on June 2, 1949. He first came to the parliament as a member from Madden, Alberta. Gordon is the first Chief Executive Officer of the Camrose Regional Exhibition and is President of the Canadian Association of Fairs and Exhibitions.

"I saw that good people set their own goals, built communities of people of similar intents, and learned to care."

Member 49th Session



FIFTY-SECOND SESSION



TUXIS AND OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Chief Judge L. S. Turcotte
Doug Beechey
Don Jansen
Robert Hawkesworth

Held at the
University of Lethbridge
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1971
MEMBERS: 74

Tuxis Parliament opens on Sunday

The 52nd annual Tuxis and Older Boys Parliament of Alberta will be held in Lethbridge from Sunday to Dec. 31 in Room C740 at the University of Lethbridge.

Eighty young men from the province, aged 15 to 21 years, will hold a model parliament. The public is invited to attend.

Local participants include Dave Blakeley, minister of finance and national affairs; Pat Coristine, provincial secretary; and Brian Pritchard, deputy provincial secretary.

On the opposition side, Al Pollock will be director of social affairs and Dave Redel will be his deputy.

Premier for the sessions will be Don Jansen of Edmonton, and deputy premier will be John Tuttle, also of Edmonton. Leader of the opposition will

be Bob Hawkesworth of Edmonton and alternative leader of the opposition will be Jim Cunningham of Rocky Mountain House.

The model parliament is sponsored by the Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament of Alberta Alumni Society, with Dwight Jensen the Lethbridge chairman.

Tuxis is a christian organization composed of young men from churches in Alberta gathered into a model parliament to debate matters of relevance and interest.

It was organized for Christian leadership training service with a goal of making informed and dedicated youth leaders and good citizens.

The model parliament alternates between Lethbridge, Calgary and Edmonton.



DON JANSEN

Tuxis youths call for more Canadian business ownership

A resolution calling for employee-management co-operation and ownership of Canadian industry was passed by the Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament in Lethbridge Thursday.

The six-day mock parliament attended by about 75 student junior parliamentarians from throughout the province urged the federal government to change existing corporation laws to provide for co-ownership and profit sharing.

Neil Hughes, of Calgary, parliamentary member of archives proposed the government forego nationalization of foreign-owned industry by forcing corporations to offer an ownership sharing program through the sale of stocks to employees.

Through this technique, he said, Canadians will eventually gain control of industry.

The technique would also stop the current inflationary spiral because unions would

eventually fade out of existence as workers controlled their own destinies and production increased.

Mr. Hughes said the plan would serve as a method of redistributing wealth while also multiplying it.

Don Teeuwssen, of Edmonton condemned Canadians for being too conservative and not willing to invest in Canadian industry.

He argued the system outlined was geared for middle-class consumption because poor people already had difficulty surviving without investing their money in industry.

Because "Canadians don't believe in themselves" the federal government should nationalize major corporations operating in Canada, he added.

Mr. Hughes said his system would insure public ownership without government involvement and control.

Tuxis also dealt with several other bills.

PREMIER

Donald Jansen was born in Regina Saskatchewan on May 27, 1952. He is a graduate in Medicine from the University of Alberta and is a family physician in Campbell's Bay, Quebec. Donald is also an Associate Professor at McGill University.

"I have always been very interested in politics, parliament and national issues and I know the Tuxis parliament started that interest and gave it momentum."

Member 34th Session

FIFTY-THIRD SESSION

TUXIS AND OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

James Foster M. L. A.
George Bennett
Dave Blakeley
Ross White

Held at Gaetz Memorial United Church
Red Deer
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1972
MEMBERS: 86



DAVE BLAKELEY

PREMIER

Dave Blakeley born August 20, 1953, first came to Parliament representing McKillop United Church at Lethbridge. He attended Lethbridge schools and is a graduate of the University of Lethbridge and the University of Alberta with a B.A. (Political Science). Dave is Administrator for Andersen Systems Management in Edmonton.

Tuxis Advocates Free Trade

In a move towards a new sense of community, Alberta Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament Thursday approved a resolution to abolish all world trade tariffs by July 31, 1973.

By a vote of 35 - 29, with 19 abstentions, the model parliament supported principals of free trade and approved a proposal that embargoes be used against all countries which do not lower their tariff walls. Tuxis is meeting at Gaetz Memorial United Church this week.

Foster Reads Throne Speech

Tuxis Parliament Opens 53rd Session

by Jim Cunningham
Red Deer Advocate

There was pomp and ceremony and some oratorical fire at Gaetz Memorial United Church as the young men of the Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament opened the parliament's 53rd session.

The Model Parliament, which annually brings together 80 young men for a weekly discussion and debate of social and personal issues, began with a full opening ceremony patterned after that used by the Alberta Legislature, and engaged in some tough debate during the reply to the throne speech.

Advanced Education Minister Jim Foster, MLA for Red Deer, served as honorary Lieutenant-Governor for this session and read the speech from the throne prepared by premier Dave Blakeley, a Lethbridge student. Mr. Foster was escorted into the house by the sergeant-at-arms carrying the mace, the symbol of parliament's authority, and by two RCMP officers in full dress.

NON-CONFIDENCE

Following the throne speech, the house opened debate of a motion to reply to the speech from the throne, which will be lasting through today. The motion, which is made by the government, is traditionally used by the opposition as a chance to move non-confidence in the government.

In making his non-confidence motion to close the evening activity, Ross White, Calgary, leader of the opposition, charged the government had been lackadaisical in its attitude to parliament and unable to motivate any worth while action.

MAYOR'S GREETING

Parliament received greetings from Mayor R. E. Barrett on behalf of the city, and from representatives of the alumni council and the Provincial Girls' Parliament.

Debate in the house is to continue each afternoon at 1:30 and evening at 8:15. Prorogation is set for Sunday.

"Self Direction, Self Assurance and
Leadership Encouragement."

Member 27th Session

FIFTY-FOURTH SESSION

TUXIS AND OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Dr. F. G. Holberton
Don Jansen
Neil White
Dave Redel

Held at Bishop Grandin High School
Calgary
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 1973
MEMBERS: 82

Tuxis starts 54th annual parliament

More than 80 boys from all over Alberta have invaded Bishop Grandin high school.

The occupation is peaceful, though Bishop Grandin is the site of the 54th session of the Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament of Alberta.

The parliament, which corresponds as closely as possible to the model provincial and federal parliaments, was officially opened Wednesday with the reading of the speech from the throne by Lieutenant-Governor Dr. Fred Holberton of Calgary.

The speech, prepared by Premier Neil White of Olds, mentioned several structural changes within the parliament and an important change in membership rules.

The 80-member parliament will be asked to approve a rule change allowing boys nominated by service clubs to attend the parliament. Currently, only those nominated by a church organization are permitted to participate.

The parliament, which concludes Sunday, will deal with 10 motions on a wide variety of topics. These motions include one urging the federal government to boycott Angolan coffee and oil and one supporting the separation of the four western provinces from Canada.

Following the opening of parliament each member spoke briefly, bringing greetings from his organization. This procedure was designed to acquaint the first-time members with speaking in front of a group.

"The purpose of the parliament is two-fold," said Holberton, "They learn the groundwork of parliamentary debate and religious thinking."

"This parliament will give them something to think about. We hope they will apply it to their lives."

Sessions of the parliament will be held today at 2:15 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. and are open to the public.



NEIL WHITE

PREMIER

Neil White was born in Vancouver May 23, 1952. He first entered Tuxis Parliament representing Riverview United Church in 1967. He attended Olds College and Regent College in Vancouver. Neil is Pastor of Battle Lake Community Baptist Church.

"Tuxis was most definitely an important part of my adolescence. It contributed in a significant way both to my understanding of Christian fellowship and parliament. It also allowed me to develop skills that have served me well ever since. It also offered me a range of experiences that I could not have otherwise done without, and which I continue to appreciate and cherish."

Member 55th Session

FIFTY-FIFTH SESSION

TUXIS AND OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Rev. H. A. Meadows
Neil T. Hughes
Ron Henbest
Larry Derkach

Held at Alberta School for the Deaf
Edmonton
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1974
MEMBERS: 62

POINT OF INTEREST

The First National Boys' Parliament — Centennial '67
National Boys' Parliament — Centennial '67 is an international organization comprised of young men from the churches and youth groups of Canada, meeting in a Parliamentary setting. The parliamentarians, aged from 15 to 21 years, together with their adult representatives constitute this nationwide interfaith assembly with representation from all members of the Canadian Council of Churches.

Parliamentarians have been elected from the regional Provincial Parliaments. The House is run on a non-political basis with Government — Opposition division. The Prime Minister and the leader of the opposition for each day have been chosen from the current members of the existing Provincial Boys' Parliaments.

The purpose of holding the Parliament is to discuss and debate matters affecting Canada, the Church, Youth, and to examine Youth Programs and to determine how these can better serve the community.

Financial assistance toward the success of this Parliament has been provided by the Government of Canada, (through the Canadian Centennial Commission); the Government of the Province of Alberta; the City of Edmonton as well as by many interested persons and organizations whose members appear as Honorary Senators.

It is envisaged that this year, Canada's Centennial Birthday, the first such National Boys' Parliament should be convened. It is envisaged that future Boys' Parliaments will be held at regular intervals, and this will be the start of a national tradition.

The National Boys' Parliament is sponsored by the Department of Education, Canadian Council of Churches. Alberta, having hosted the first continuous Older Boys' Parliament in Canada, has been chosen to host the inaugural session.

The Parliament Alumni Society were hosts for the First National Parliament held in Calgary July 4 to 8, 1967. The Alberta delegation to the Parliament were two adults, Rev. Stu Munro and Fred Holbertson. The members of the parliament who attended were: Michael Atkinson, Gordon Shopland, Doug Beechey, Gordon Howie, Bob Gordon Linkletter, Dave Finlay, Brian Morgan and Tom Boyd. Michael Atkinson acted as Prime Minister for the opening day of this Parliament.



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RON HENBEST

PREMIER

Ron Henbest, representing McDougall United Church in Edmonton, Attended his first parliamentary session in 1971. He attended schools in Edmonton and went to the University of Alberta. Ron graduated with his B.A. and M.D. and is serving as a family physician in Medunsa, South Africa.

"I gained many insights
into human behavior
and processes."

Member 55th Session

FIFTY-SIXTH SESSION

TUXIS AND OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Dr. W. E. Beckle
Neil White
Gordon Currie
Bill Wright

Held at
Lethbridge Community College
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1975
MEMBERS: 53

Tuxis favors wage, price control

Resolutions favoring abolition of capital punishment and imposition of wage and price controls were passed on the weekend by the Alberta Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament.

The model parliament's 56th session, meeting at Lethbridge Community College, was expected to deal today with the issue of foreign ownership of land, said premier Gordon Currie of Calgary.

Some amendments to the group's own bylaws are also on the agenda for the parliament, which winds up Wednesday.

The capital punishment resolution was passed by a 26-13 vote, with six abstentions. It said capital punishment contravenes the objectives of crime prevention and prisoner rehabilitation.

It said capital punishment is a reprisal for crime, not demonstrated to be a

deterrent and irreversible in case of appeal or error.

An amendment called for adequate alternatives to the death penalty, reassuring the Christian conviction that violence begets violence, whether done by the state or an individual.

The parliament also called for mandatory wage and price controls administered by a federal board. Compulsory arbitration would be used to settle labor disputes, union and management executives and participants in strikes or lockouts would become liable under the criminal code and union membership would not be compulsory for employment.

The vote was 36-7, with two abstentions.

"I think we kind of blew it in that resolution by adding the anti-union clauses," said Mr. Currie.



GORDON CURRIE

PREMIER

R. Gordon G. Currie, a native of Calgary first came to the Boys' Parliament in 1970. He attended Calgary schools and the University of Calgary for his received his B.A. and then the University of Western Ontario for his M.B.A. in 1980. Gordon is employed as a financial analyst in Calgary.

"Tuxis contributed greatly to developing skills in logic, presentation, speaking and writing, all of which I have depended on in my career."

Member 42nd Session

MEMBER PROFILE

David King was born in Perth, Ontario June 22, 1946. He attended Eastglen Composite High and then entered the University of Victoria and later the University of Alberta and holds a B.A. in Political Science and History. David served the Alberta Legislature for 16 years as M. L. A. and seven of those years as a cabinet minister. He is Executive Director of the Public School Boards Association of Alberta, and is also President of Effective Strategies Inc. operated in Edmonton.

FIFTY-SEVENTH SESSION

TUXIS AND OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

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Dr. F. G. Holberton
Bill Wright
David C. Marriott
Henri Lock

Held at
Calgary
December, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1976
MEMBERS: 56



DAVID C. MARRIOTT

PREMIER

C. Marriott was born in Hamilton, December 6, 1955. He represented United Church, Red Deer at the 51st. He is a graduate of Lindsay Thurber High School and attended the University of Alberta. He earned his B.A. and is a Crown Prosecutor at Leduc. He has served as chairman of the Alumni

POINT OF INTEREST

The Religious Education Council of Alberta supplied a staff person, known as the Boys Work Secretary, who gave leadership to the Parliament during the years.

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| Taylor Statten | Founder |
| Wallace Forgie | 1919 - 1925 |
| Charles E. Hendry | 1925 - 1926 |
| Gordon Lapp | 1926 - 1929 |
| Tom Haythorne | 1929 - 1932 |
| Reg T. Rose | 1932 - 1934 |
| Rev. R. W. Hibbert | 1934 - 1936 (part time) |
| Alvin J. Cooper | 1936 - 1939 |
| George W. Miles | 1939 - 1942 |
| Rev. W. G. Rivers | 1942 - 1945 |
| Rev. T. Arthur Morgan | 1945 - 1948 |
| Everett Cameron | 1948 - 1954 |

Following this period, the United Church accepted some responsibility for staffing by:

Rev. George D. Young
Rev. Morse A. Johnson

The National Assembly of Boys' Workers and Parliamentarians was held September 1949 in Muskoka Lake, Ontario. The Alberta delegation were two adult leaders; E. C. Cameron, Boys' Work Secretary of Alberta and Fred Holberton from Lethbridge.

The Parliament Delegates were Dorn Gillrie, Didsbury; Don Robertson, Carstairs; Hugh Lawford, Edmonton; Dale Tufts, Calgary; Glen McKenzie, Bowden and John Edwards, Edmonton.

MEMBER PROFILE

aw Scollon, born in Plenty Saskatchewan, September, came to the Parliament representing Alliance, completed his schooling before entering Normal. He went to the University of Alberta for his B. Sc. (y). Andy served with the R.C.A.F. for five years in war II and after returning home operated his own for a number of years. He later became the at the Holy Cross Hospital. He is a past of the Alberta Hospitals Pharmacy Association.

"I enjoyed Tuxis and have made close friends. I found it a great public speaking learning environment."
Member 68th Session

FIFTY-EIGHTH SESSION

TUXIS AND OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

James Foster M. L. A.
Gordon Currie
David N. Murata
Cal Hauserman

Held at
Red Deer College
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MEMBERS: 53

Foster's Speech Sparks Hot Debate at Tuxis Opening

by Geo Yackulac

Alberta's 58th Tuxis Parliament plunged into vigorous debate Monday after its session here was opened by Lieutenant-Governor Jim Foster, MLA and Provincial Attorney General.

A major debate was scheduled for late this afternoon on a resolution before the youth parliament supporting a peaceful transition to nationhood for Quebec.

Spokesmen for the parliament said the wording of the resolution in calling for separation, does not reflect general feeling of the junior parliament.

Resolutions for the parliament are chosen for the controversial nature and these are written in a positive form to create and stimulate debate, a spokesman said.

A total of 42 young men from throughout Alberta are attending the sessions at Red Deer College. The presiding premier is David Murata of Lethbridge, with Calvin Hauserman of Vauxhall leading the opposition.

The parliament elected Gordon Currie of Calgary as speaker. The theme discussion for this year's parliament is "Father, the time has come". The parliamentarians discussed this theme this morning with several local ministers and plan to continue the discussion Wednesday.

They are to be guest at a banquet sponsored by the City of Red Deer Wednesday evening. Mayor Ken Curle is to attend.



DAVID MURATA

PREMIER

David Nobutsune Murata was born in Japan January 5, 1957. He came to Lethbridge with his family, where his father was appointed Minister of the Japanese United Church there. David graduated from schools in Lethbridge and Vancouver. He was ordained as a minister of the United Church after receiving his B. Sc. (Western Ontario) and M.Div. (University of Toronto). He is employed by Jane Finch Community Ministry in Toronto. He represented the Japanese United Church at the Parliament.

"My Tuxis experience taught me the value of teamwork and the principles of leadership."
Member 49th Session

POINT OF INTEREST

THE NINTH ALBERTA BOYS' PARLIAMENT, A TEST OF THE NON-PARTY SYSTEM

For eight years we had seen the Constructives line up the Re-Constructives, and later against the Co-operatives, and it seemed hard to cast away these stalwart parties. But because it was difficult was the reason that it must be done. And so it was done. And today we have no parties. There will be no party divisions in the House, no party factions, no party animosities. It will be the individual speaking the thoughts and experiences of the individual and not the individual speaking the well defined and guarded wishes of a party. There should result in this Ninth Boys' Parliament a great mutual benefit with no animosities whatever — A King Arthur and his round table type of Parliament.

Yet, boys of Alberta, remember that because there are no parties this year to stimulate the elections for possible supporters, there will be a tendency for poor representation unless each boys' group in Alberta is "up and doing." My plea is that any boy between the ages of 15 and 20 years who feels that he can and would care to represent his part of the Province, will offer himself for election. Again I hope that every boy over 13 years of age will vote. You have the right of franchise — it is your duty to exercise it. I make the challenge to you who read these lines — will you exemplify the Tuxis spirit, the spirit of youth? Will YOU be with us during Ninth session?

(Signed) ROBERT A. BOND,

Premier, Eighth Alberta Boys' Parliament

FIFTY-NINTH SESSION

TUXIS AND OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

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R. C. Hill
Larry Derkach
Bob Olson
Carl Dean

Held at Lethbridge Community College
Lethbridge
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MEMBERS: 46



BOB OLSON

PREMIER

J. (Bob) Olson was born at Wetaskiwin
ember 14, 1957. He attended schools
askiwin and received his B.Com. and
from the University of Alberta. Further
at the University of Toronto earned
M.B.A. Bob is a member of the
n Bar Association and practices law in
ver.

"Tuxis has provided a strong and firm
foundation for the type of work and
activities I'm involved with."

Member 67th Session

MEMBER PROFILE

Bob Hawkesworth first came to the 47th session of
parliament from the United Anglican Church
Parish. Bob was born February 2, 1951 and
graduated from the University of Alberta with a
B.A. in Sociology. He served as alderman with the
city council in Calgary, and was elected as a
member of the Alberta Legislature in 1986. After
defeat in the election of 1993, Bob returned to serve
on the city council in Calgary. Bob was
ambassador to the B.C. Tuxis Parliament in 1972
and was the first recipient of the Commonwealth
Scholarship.

Western separation, abortion, strikes debate topics for young Christian men

Pomp and ceremony marked the
opening Tuesday of a six-day mock
parliament which drew more than 40
participants from across Alberta to
Lethbridge Community College.

Proclamations and oaths pre-
dominated the evening opening of the
59th session of Tuxis and Older boys
Parliament of Alberta.

Cleve Hill of Lethbridge, lieutenant-
governor, marched in flanked by an
RCMP officer and a bagpipe player be-

fore Hill delivered the Speech from the
Throne which traced the planning of
the session.

Preliminary plans started in January
and continued in spring and summer
with meetings around the province to
decide what to debate and to allow
preparation time. A November
weekend of outlining parliamentary
procedure and of providing back-
ground for the debates ended the meet-
ings.

Items for debate include western
separation, abortion, strikes, nuclear
development and education.

Tuxis is a Christian group of 15 to 20
year-olds with a stated goal of improv-
ing the youths spiritually, intellec-
tually, physically and socially. The
Alberta chapter started in 1920.

Sessions at the college's gymnasium
afternoons and evenings today to Sun-
day are open to the public.

SIXTIETH SESSION

TUXIS AND OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Dr. W. H. Swift
David Marriott
Allan Hiebert
Jim Williams

Held at
Edmonton
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1979
MEMBERS: 45

Table pounding, joke-telling and a sleeping 'MP'...that's politics !

By DAWNA FREEMAN

They pounded tables, told jokes and dragged the newly elected Speaker out of the chambers to be robbed.

One Opposition member even caught a few winks during the introduction of the government's front bench.

But the opening of the 60th session of the Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament on Thursday included all the pomp and ceremony of Parliament.

Fifty-two young men, ranging in age from 15 to 21, are attending the six-day mock parliament, held here for the first time in 15 years.

Debate topics include Canada's energy policy, young women in (Tuxis) parliament, immigration unemployment, medicare and Vietnamese refugees.

Dr. W. H. Swift, the acting lieutenant-governor, marched in to deliver the speech from the throne

accompanied by two colorful Mounties and a piper.

Dr. Swift, deputy minister of education, was a member of the first youth parliament 60 years ago.

Elected to this year's session are Al Hiebert, acting premier, Bruce Henbest, deputy premier, Opposition leader Jim Williams, alternate leader Richard Starke and Dave Marriott, Speaker.

The Alberta chapter of Tuxis, which is sponsored by the Tuxis and Older Boys Parliamentary Alumni Society of Alberta, was formed in 1920 and is the longest continuous Christian youth parliament in Canada.

It stresses fellowship coupled with the opportunity to learn the parliamentary system in Canada, says Hugh Tadman, vice-chairman of the parliamentary alumni society.

It also offers courses on public speaking and debating.

PREMIER

Allan D. Hiebert was born in Edmonton June 11, 1958. He is a graduate of Strathcona High and the University of Alberta. He earned his Ph.D. in Electrical Engineering and later attended the University of Manitoba for his M.B.A.. Dr. Hiebert is employed by the Computer Modelling Group in Calgary.

"It was a 'hotbed of idealism' that reinforced my own ideals and my will to persevere and act on them."

Member 62nd Session



ALLAN HIEBERT

POINT OF INTEREST

The Tuxis Parliament of Alberta and the alumni society were hosts for the First Western Conference of Parliaments held at the Alberta Legislature in Edmonton July 29 to August 2, 1983. Twenty from each of the Parliaments in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and British Columbia joined the Alberta Parliament for this successful event. David Marriott was elected Speaker of this Conference and Tom Marr became Premier.

SIXTY-FIRST SESSION

TUXIS AND OLDER BOYS' PARLIAMENT

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A. Dixon M. L. A.
Calvin Hauserman
Bruce Henbest
Ron Kessler

Held at John G. Diefenbaker School
Calgary
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(writer)
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premier.
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an athletic build.
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Canada's oldest continuing
Parliament for boys aged 15

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year, for the first time in
women will be members.
Henbest commands only a
majority, there's little
will be defeated.

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since 1939.

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include the rein-
of capital punishment,
international grain cartel,
wearing of seat belts

Closer to home, one resolution
urges the province be given com-
plete control over natural resources.

A number of prominent Albertans
have been members of the Tuxis
parliament, including Education
Minister Dave King and former So-
cial Credit leader Bob Clark.

Bruce Henbest is following in the
footsteps of his brother, Ron, who
was premier of the Tuxis parliament
seven years ago.

A fourth-year political science
major at the University of Alberta
he holds some strong views about
politics, but despite his background
has no interest in getting into the
field.

"I'd have a hard time sacrificing
my morals to join a political party,"
he said in an interview Friday on
the eve of the opening of parlia-
ment.

He admits he leans towards the
New Democratic Party, but says
political alliances in this country
"are far too strong."

The country would be better off,
he thinks, if party discipline were a
bit looser.

On the other side of the floor,
Ron Kessler sees politics more prag-
matically.

In part that's because he's had a
ring-side view of provincial politics
as an assistant to NDP leader Grant
Notley under the legislature's par-
liamentary internship program.

Kessler also seems more enthusi-
astic than Henbest about bringing
women into the organization.

Henbest hopes Tuxis can still
maintain its Christian aspect despite
the need for chaperones and separate
quarters for the women.

There is a fear, he says, that the
presence of women will interfere
with the traditional fellowship that
an all-male group establishes.

But Kessler, who last year moved
the motion to open the parliament to
women disagrees.

"We may lose some sense of fra-
ternalism and openness, but it will
be an important step recognizing
women's rights.



BRUCE T. HENBEST

PREMIER

Bruce T. Henbest was born in Edmonton June 22, 1959. He first came to Parliament for the 55th session. He attended Edmonton schools and went to the University of Alberta where he received his B.A. He obtained his M.A. from Carlton University. Bruce is Supervisor of Trades and Industries at Upper Canada Village and lives in Chesterville, Ontario.

"Tuxis was a 'growing up' and
learning experience. The opportunity
to think and then speak was very fruitful
for me. Also it was a lot of fun."

Member 33rd Session



SIXTY-SECOND SESSION



TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Robert Clark M. L. A.
Doug Robertson
Richard Starke
Blake Dean

Held at Thurber Composite High
Red Deer
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1981
MEMBERS: 46 Boys; 12 Girls



Youth parliament admitting women

For the first time in its 62-year history the TUXIS Alberta model parliament will allow women to take part in debates when it convenes in Red Deer Dec. 26-31.

The religion-based group became the last youth parliament in Canada to admit women when it passed a resolution last year allowing admittance to both sexes. The all-male parliament defeated a similar resolution two years earlier.

Richard Starke of Edmonton, premier at this year's legislative sitting, said a change in membership and a more liberal line of thinking among new members eventually turned the vote towards women.

About 20 TUXIS members from throughout Alberta were in Red Deer over the weekend for a pre-session conference, held at Gaetz Memorial United Church.

Mr. Starke, a six-year TUXIS member, said he expects at least 20 of the estimated 70 participants will be women. He said it should make the sitting "better and more interesting" because there will be more debate on contentious women's issues such as abortion.

Other issues to be debated include marijuana legalization,

Canada's role in NATO and nuclear proliferation. The sessions will be held at Lindsay Thurber Comprehensive High School.

TUXIS stands for training and service for Christ, and is an interdenominational group comprising about 50 members aged 15 to 21.

Up to 80 members sit annually in a legislative session, modeled on the provincial parliament. A premier, cabinet and opposition shadow cabinet are chosen prior to each new session.

"The main purpose (of TUXIS) is the training of Christian leaders for the future," said Allan Gatenby, a University of Alberta student. He said public speaking and debating practice are also important to members.

Mr. Starke said the resolutions members adopt during their sittings don't carry any political weight but provincial politicians are often interested in the resolutions.

"They sort of think we act as a microcosm of the people, a barometer of public opinion."

Former Social Credit leader Bob Clark, an ex-TUXIS member, will serve as lieutenant-governor at the opening of this year's session.



RICHARD STARKE

PREMIER

Richard Starke was born June 18, 1960 in Edmonton and came to the 56th session from the Lutheran Church in Edmonton. He completed his schooling in Edmonton and received his degree in Agriculture from the University of Alberta and earned a D.V.M. from the University of Saskatchewan in 1983. Dr. Starke is the Senior Partner of the Lloydminster Animal Hospital.

"Tuxis did three important things for me
- forced me to commit to my faith
- forced me to have an opinion and decide
on my stand for various issues
- taught me to lead cooperatively."

Member 62nd Session

SIXTY-THIRD SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Leader of Opposition

Dr. F. G. Holberton
Jim Williams
Kevin Robertson
Allan Gatenby

Held at
Edmonton
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 1982
MEMBERS: 82

"Tuxis contributed in a significant way both to my understanding of Christian faith and parliament."

Member 55th Session

PREMIER

Kevin Robertson was born in Didsbury on May 23, 1961. He completed his schooling in Carstairs and entered the University of Alberta. He came to the Tuxis Parliament in 1976 and served in many cabinet positions. He holds a degree of B.Sc. in Agricultural Engineering and is the owner of BEE Ag-Electronics in Edmonton.



KEVIN ROBERTSON

Young people tackle issues

The skirl of bagpipes heralded the entry of the lieutenant-governor of the 63rd TUXIS parliament of Alberta at the opening session Saturday night.

The model parliament, based on the workings of the provincial legislature, has a heavy schedule for the next five days. The theme of the session is "Reaching in, Reaching out."

The agenda of resolutions before the 82 members, aged 15 to 20, includes nuclear arms, prostitution, human tissue donation, the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund and welfare.

The first youth parliament took place

in Ontario in 1916 and grew out of a national inter-church boys' movement known as TUXIS. The T and S stand for training for service and the X symbolizes Christ as the only one between U and I.

This model parliament and those set up in other provinces were originally all male, but later switched to a coed format.

Alberta's TUXIS Parliament is designed to encourage youth to seek out and face the challenge of Christian living and develop and train as Christian leaders through a related program of activities during the year.

The session was opened by the

lieutenant-governor, Dr. Fred Holberton, who was a TUXIS parliamentarian 40 years ago.

This year's premier is Kevin Robertson, 21, an agricultural engineering student at the University of Alberta. Leader of the opposition is Allan Gatenby, 21, a fourth year U of A business administration student.

Jim Williams, representing Edmonton-Goldbar, was elected Speaker.

Holberton told the members a Western Canada youth parliament arranged by TUXIS is to be held next summer for British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba youth parliaments.

SIXTY-FOURTH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Robert Clark M. L. A.
Richard Starke
Mark Green
Roy Bishop

Held in Olds High School
Olds
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1983
MEMBERS: 93

Tuxis meet in Olds

With all the pomp and ceremony surrounding the real thing, TUXIS Parliament opened Monday in Olds, and debate is now raging over a number of issues facing the province and nation today.

The legislature is located in the Olds High School gymnasium, its members are all of high school and university age and Mayor Bob Armstrong was acting-lieutenant governor when the session opened (former MLA Bob Clark was snow-bound in Carstairs) but the issues are attacked with the zeal of elected parliamentarians and strict attention is paid to house procedure.

The current session of TUXIS (Training Under Christ in Service) runs to Saturday. According to Premier Mark Green, a 20-year-old ministerial student, members of the public are more than welcome to sit in the visitor's gallery and watch the proceedings. Sittings are held afternoons and evenings.

"It was experiential training in debate,
discovering self-worth and awareness
of social and political issues"

Member 38th Session

MEMBER PROFILE

Gina Y. Shimizu, born in Edmonton June 20, 1965, represented the Rio Terrace Moravian Church at Parliament. She attended Ross Shepherd High School in Edmonton and the University of Alberta. Gina is also a graduate of the Ryerson Theatre School and is a free lance actress.

POINT OF INTEREST

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| The Alberta Older Boys' Parliament | 1, 2, 3 sessions |
| The Alberta Older Boys' C.S.E.T. Parliament | 4, 5, 6, 7 sessions |
| Alberta Older Boys' Parliament | 8, 9, 10, 11 sessions |
| Tuxis Parliament of Alberta | 12 thru 39 sessions |
| Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament | 40 thru 61 sessions |
| Tuxis Parliament of Alberta | 62 thru 75 sessions |



MARK GREEN

PREMIER

Mark Green was born July 5, 1963 in Winnipeg, Manitoba and attended schools in Vancouver and Fort Saskatchewan. He later went on to the University of Alberta, the Centre for Christian Studies and St. Stephen's College, earning his B.G.S., Dip C.E. and S.T.M. Mark is a Diaconal Minister with the United Church and is Associate Minister at Sunnybrook Church in Red Deer.

SIXTY-FIFTH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Jack Shields M.P.
Bruce Henbest
Thomas Marr
Timothy Nawrot

Held at Keyano College
Fort McMurray
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1984
MEMBERS: 85

Youth parliament offers experience and guidance

By SUSAN MATE
Today staff writer

If Alberta's youth parliament had its way, capital punishment would be brought back and abortion on demand would be allowed in some cases.

These are two resolutions the Tuxis Parliament of Alberta will debate at its 65th annual session, which began yesterday at Keyano College.

The Tuxis Parliament, which was established in Ontario in 1917, involves about 80 Christian students between the ages of 15 and 21 in a model of provincial legislative systems.

Alberta's model parliament, which had its first session in the province in 1920, has produced many high-ranking politicians including Minister of Environment Fred Bradley and David King, minister of education.

Tuxis, which stands for Training Under Christ in Service, teaches students from all regions of the province about the parliamentary system and provides them with spiritual, social and physical activities and guidance.

Tuxis members attend a "parliamentary session" once a year between boxing day and the New Year to deal with any resolution members have brought forward in the past year.

Four members are selected annually as leaders of the Tuxis 'house' — premier, deputy-premier, opposition leader and opposition leader alternate.

The premier and opposition leader divide the 'house' to maintain a balance, and each appoints 10 members to the Tuxis cabinet.

As well, a house speaker, secretary, clerk, sergeant-at-arms and house pages are selected by party executive.

Tuxis parliament is a good training ground for students, although most of them don't assume a career in politics, says Lavonne Rosvick, Tuxis minister of publicity.

The 19-year-old, who attends the University of Alberta, has been involved in Tuxis government since 1980, when women were first allowed to participate.

"They finally got smart and let us in," she laughs.

"It educates members in the parliamentary process and the democratic governmental system... I think in that way it's very educational. It gives people exposure."

Timothy Marr, Tuxis provincial secretary, agrees.

"It's a very self-learning type of program. But we also have a lot of fun. I think it's the ultimate aspect of combining learning and a fun atmosphere that makes it work so well."

Marr, a 20-year-old Ft. McMurray resident who attends Keyano College, says Tuxis decision making does bear some weight of the Alberta government.

"Our resolutions, after they go through our alumni association, are then sent to various provincial departments."

The alumni association, consisting of former members, funds the Tuxis Parliament.

Marr says the youth parliament has attracted much public support in the past, especially for its stand opposing conscription and supporting the recognition of Red China as a nation.

More current resolutions include a push to reinstate capital punishment, legalize abortions, establish user fees for health care and eliminate trade tariffs between Canada and the United States.

Tuxis members began debating capital punishment last night and expect a resolution to be passed on a proposed 'bill' by late today.

Backbencher Sean Morrow told the parliament he wanted the death penalty brought back for first-degree murder.

"When Prime Minister Trudeau removed capital punishment in 1969, what he actually did was give people — a lot of sick individuals — the right to go out and murder someone and spend very little time in jail for it," he said.

"I think everyone will agree that based on the bible, the Ten Commandments... thou shalt not kill. A lot of these chapters in the bible... give you rules."

Establishing a death penalty for first-degree murder is a means of carrying out these rules, he added.

"An eye for an eye, and a tooth for a tooth."

This year's Tuxis Parliament session is scheduled to end Monday with the choosing of a new executive and cabinet.

PREMIER

Thomas Marr was born in Regina March 26, 1963. He attended Fort McMurray Composite High and entered the University of Alberta there earning a B.Sc. in Electrical Engineering. Tom is the executive director of the Pembina Institute for Appropriate Development. Tom was premier of the first Western Canada Youth Parliament. He is a pipe major of the Drayton Valley Pipe and Drum Band and lives in Drayton Valley, Alberta.



THOMAS MARR

"We are the only Christian Parliament in Canada and we are proud of it."
Member 65th Session

SIXTY-SIXTH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Dr. Fred Holberton
Kevin Robertson
Timothy Marr
Kevin Henderson

Held at the New City Hall
Calgary
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1985
MEMBERS: 87

Meeting always open to debate

The joy of debating in a structured, parliamentary atmosphere has brought 81 young men and women from across the province together for the 66th Tuxis Parliament of Alberta.

"It's a challenging experience," 21-year-old Tim Marr, "premier" of the Christian public-speaking organization said about an hour before the mock parliament opened Thursday night at Calgary's new city hall.

"You get to explore things like your faith, debating styles and personal interaction. It's basically set up to educate our members in logical debating and thinking on your feet."

Christopher Caruana of Calgary agreed.

"I've been in this for six years and I think the real valuable thing is the experience in public speaking and debating that you get out of it," said the Grade 12 Crescent Heights high school student.

Marr, a management trainee for an Edmonton fast-food restaurant, said most of the members, who range in age from 15 to 21, have to be well-informed since they tackle

serious social and political issues.

This year the society members are going after topics as diverse as the abolition of the insanity plea, health expenditures and gay rights.

"I'm taking a criminology course (at Red Deer College) so the question of abolishing the insanity plea is one of real interest to me," said Buck Henderson of Innisfail.

Although the Tuxis parliament is supposed to be an exercise in Christian citizenship, Kevin Henderson, its leader of the opposition, said it is open to anyone who is interested.

"Christianity is a theme... but it is not a prerequisite," the 21-year-old computer program designer from Redcliff said.

"We have agnostics — serious agnostics as members (as well as)... Baptists, Catholics and other church members."

Marr said Christianity acts more as a "guide to personal exploration" than anything else.

"It's not forced on anyone," he said. "There's no preaching."



TIMOTHY E. MARR

PREMIER

Timothy E. Marr was born June 19, 1964 at Edmonton. He came to the parliament for the 59th session from Fort McMurray. Timothy studied Business Management at the Universities of Alberta and Athabasca and is presently in business in Edmonton.

"Tuxis provided an opportunity for me to spend time with my peers in a social setting void of all the pressures present throughout high school and university. Tuxis provided an excellent chance for me to develop myself as a person."

Member 64th Session

Lloydminster resident first female premier

By Times News Staff

A Lloydminster native has been elected as the first female premier of Alberta's Tuxis Youth Parliament.

Richard Starke, a former premier of the parliament, said Lavonne Rosvick was elected to be premier of the 67th session of the group.

The Tuxis Youth Parliament

is a Christian model parliament where young people get together to discuss issues in a parliamentary setting.

Rosvick attends the University of Alberta in Edmonton. Her parents are residents of Lloydminster.

Starke said women have been allowed in the parliament for the last five years.

SIXTY-SEVENTH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

John Gogo M. L. A.
Allan Gatenby
LaVonne Rosvick
Gina Shimizu

Held at the
Lethbridge Community College
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 1986
MEMBERS: 85



LAVONNE ROSVICK

PREMIER

LaVonne Rosvick, married to Brad Venables, Premier of the 68th session, was born in Lloydminster February 12, 1965. She represented St. Anthony's Roman Catholic Church at the parliament and attended schools in Lloydminster. LaVonne has a B.Ed. from the University of Alberta and is teaching for the Carlton School Board in Nepean, Ontario.

"I will never forget the fun, competition, discipline and dignity of Tuxis Parliament."
Member 20th Session

Youths enact mock-Parliament

The 67th session of the Tuxis — an acronym for Training Under Christ in Service — Parliament, headed by its first female premier since its inception in 1920 opened Friday.

Young Albertans between the ages of 15 and 20 converged on the Lethbridge Community College to play out a mock sitting of a provincial Parliament. It will continue until Wednesday.

Deputy speaker of the Alberta legislature and Lethbridge West M.L. John Gogo participated in the official opening ceremonies of the TUXIS Parliament, whose stated aim is to "encourage young people to seek out and face the challenges of Christian living; to bring together young people of the Province of Alberta to train them in the arts of logical and responsibilities of citizenship through both participation in an annual Parliamentary session and a limited program of related activities throughout the year and further to develop and train young people as Christian leaders."

Despite the Christian emphasis Bill Pollard, minister responsible for publicity says the organization's Parliament has been attended by atheists and agnostics. "They didn't deter anything from the experience of the Parliament."

Throughout the sitting of this Parliament a series of resolutions, prepared at a September conference will be forwarded to the TUXIS Alumni and to the National Youth Parliament Jeunesse. The latter met earlier this year in Ottawa and was attended by nine TUXIS representatives.

Until 1979 TUXIS was an exclusive male organization. An amendment opened Parliament's doors to women and seven years later a women heads

not only the government but also the opposition.

The resolutions cover many topics.

Mandatory French classes for Alberta students in Grades 1 to 9 will be debated on the floor of the TUXIS Parliament. The same resolution demands that French instruction be allotted class time equivalent to other core subjects and that French instruction in any course be available upon request by any student in Grades 10 to 12.

The TUXIS Parliament will also debate Canada's withdrawal from the American space program because the resolution claims the United States military content of space shuttle flights has increased and is expected to continue to increase.

Recognizing freedom of speech is a right, the TUXIS Parliament will debate a resolution which claims the right cannot be abused to harm others and because the Aryan Nation is practicing a policy of racial discrimination it should not be allowed to establish training camps in Alberta.

The TUXIS Parliament will also debate mandatory seatbelt legislation as well as a change in the driving age to a minimum of 17 for a Class 7 license and 18 years old for all other classes of licenses. It will also look at union membership with an eye to optional membership in unions. That same union-related resolution states that fees collected by the union should be used only for union/company relations, which would include negotiations regarding wages, benefits and rights of the employee.

Pollard said the wording of the resolutions will undergo constant changes throughout the debate before a final wording is agreed upon.

MEMBER PROFILE

Keith Robin, a member of the 26th and 27th sessions, was born in Lethbridge May 7, 1926. He attended Westglen High School in Edmonton and Central Collegiate in Calgary. Keith holds degrees B.Ed., University of Alberta; M.A. (education) from Colorado; and Ed.D from the University of Colorado. He retired as Academic Vice President of Lethbridge Community College in June 1983. He was a member of the Senate of the University of Lethbridge for 12 years and became Chancellor for a four year term. Dr. Robin has been involved in many community activities and is a former District Governor of Kiwanis. He is currently editor of the Kiwanis Foundation of Canada Newsletter.



SIXTY-EIGHTH SESSION



TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

John Oldring M. L. A.
Tom Marr
Brad Venables
Dave Green

Held at
Red Deer College
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1987
MEMBERS: 71



MOCK PARLIAMENT

A 'turn on' For Youth

Seventy two young people from across Alberta gathered in Red Deer Sunday to debate issues such as smokers rights, and the sterilization of handicapped at the 68th Annual TUXIS model parliament.

The delegates divide into government and opposition sides. The rules of procedure are the same as in the provincial legislature, with one exception, the parliament is bilingual.

They thump their desks in approval, rise on pints of order, and defer to the speaker, just as in Edmonton and Ottawa.

A Lieutenant-Governor (this year Red Deer South MLA and alumnus, John Oldring) reads the speech from the throne, which details the government's achievements — putting out TUXIS song books, for example, or sponsoring some food drive. The opposition looks for flaws.

"It's the political aspect that turns me on," says Dave Fowler, 20, minister of social action and political science student at the University of Calgary.

Bill Pollard, minister of publicity, says TUXIS "is a good opportunity to improve public speaking and self-confidence."

FORMER PARTICIPANTS AGREE

Bob Hawkesworth, MLA for Calgary Mountainview, says the model parliament stimulated his interest in politics and taught him to "speak on his feet". John Oldring says it "certainly gave me a taste of politics" and gives its members a better understanding of how government works.

The gathering also has a strong religious component and non-denominational Christian devotions are an important part of its activity.

Despite the sometimes rancorous cut and thrust of debate, everyone involved with TUXIS speaks of the friends it brings together.



BRAD VENABLES

PREMIER

Bradley Venables, born March 23, 1966 at Barrhead, Alberta, grew up in Swan Hills, Alberta, where he attended elementary and high schools. He graduated from the University of Alberta with his B.Sc. and M.Sc. in Engineering. Brad lives in Nepean, Ontario and is an engineer with Bell Northern Research.

"Tuxis Parliament has provided a very strong grounding for development of my intellectual, spiritual and social endeavors."

Member 62nd Session

MEMBER PROFILE

Larrie Boddy, speaker of the 40th session, was born in Edmonton March 8, 1939. He represented Ponoka at Tuxis Parliament. He attended the Royal Military College where he obtained his B.A. Larrie was a Captain in the Royal Canadian Artillery while in college and earned a LL.B. at the University of Alberta. He practices law in Edmonton.

SIXTY-NINTH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition
Leader of Opposition

Don Mazankowski M. P.
Roy Bishop
Dave Fowler
Mike Wilson
Mike Wilson
Cheryl Kokoski

Held at
Lloydminster
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1988

MEMBERS: 63



DAVE FOWLER

PREMIER

Dave Fowler was born February 7, 1967 in Calgary. After attending schools in Calgary he graduated with B.A. (Political Sciences) and B.Ed. in 1994. During this session Dave resigned as premier and sat in the back benches for the balance of the session.



MIKE WILSON

PREMIER

Michael Wilson, born January 10, 1967 in Red Deer, came to the Tuxis Parliament from Stettler in 1985. He attended schools in Stettler and the University of Alberta where he earned his B.A.(Econ) M.B.A., M.P.M., and also became a Chartered Accountant. Michael is employed as an Auditor with the Auditor General of Canada.

Youths test life of parliamentarians

With a youthful mix of pomp and wit, the 69th session of Tuxis youth parliament of Alberta opened in Lloydminster Monday.

The week-long session opened for about 60 parliamentarians as pipers and the sergeant-at-arms led in the lieutenant-governor for the occasion, Don Mazankowski, MP for Vegreville.

The event, for Alberta youths aged 15-20, runs Dec. 26-31, includes theme discussions (with a Christian element) and social events as well as several

hours each day debating bills in parliament. Ahead lies discussion of several touchy issues: age of sexual consent; raising the drinking age across Canada to 21 years; supporting South Africa's stand of imprisoning black activist Nelson Mandela until he renounces violence.

"The debates are really lively, but not to the point of attacking," said Mike Wilson, leader of the opposition. They don't pit one party against another; youths express what they really think about important issues. "There's no holding back here."

"Tuxis Parliament was one of the key influences on my life. Tuxis helped my faith development by offering me challenge and support"

Member 61st Session

SEVENTIETH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

David Kilgour M. P.
Ron Kessler
Bill Pollard
Shane Henderson

Held at the Legislative Buildings
Edmonton
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1989
MEMBERS: 65

POINT OF INTEREST

The 70th session prepared and sealed a "Time Capsule" and filed it with the Archives at Red Deer. This is to be opened at the 100th session of parliament.

PREMIER

Bill Pollard, born in Fort Saskatchewan on July 27, 1968, completed his schooling at Fort Saskatchewan, and then entered the University of Alberta. He later attended the University of Calgary and has his B.E.A., majoring in Drama and a minor in Political Science. He is with the Communications and Media Department of the University of Calgary.

"I have no doubt that Tuxis played a significant role in my development."
Member 40th Session



BILL POLLARD

Legislature a learning forum for youth

STEVE WARBURTON
Journal Staff Writer

"I've gone from right to left in my ideals."

—Bill Pollard, youth parliament premier

Edmonton

Alberta's premier rises to speak in the legislature, his short pony tail bouncing on his neck.

His brother, the minister of external affairs, heckles the premier as he tries to make a point.

The setting is Alberta's legislature but the players aren't Don Getty and crew.

It's the 70th annual TUXIS Christian Youth Parliament, a group of 68 students participating in one of the greatest spectator sports known to man — politics.

"The parliament provides a tremendous exchange of ideas both inside and outside the house," says this season's premier 21-year-old Bill Pollard.

Elected at last year's session in Mayerthorpe, Pollard and the 1989 parliament are spending six days

debating and voting on the same issues facing elected officials, including whether Sikh RCMP officers should be able to wear turbans, and abortion.

Christian principles govern the young politicians who have volunteered to attend the learn-as-you-go sessions held annually from Boxing Day to New Year's Eve.

More than 75 per cent of this year's members have been nominated by their churches, with some churches also providing the \$110 attendance fee.

This year, the 70th anniversary for the youth parliament, is Pollard's seventh and final year. The University of Calgary fine arts students says he's learned much about politics and himself.

"I was pretty well set in my poli-

tical ideas when I started but there has been a marked change in my priority now. I've gone from right to left in my ideas," says Pollard, who says his own style is patterned on the populism of Ralph Klein and the ideals of Pierre Trudeau.

For the week the house is in session members stay in rooms at McNally Composite High School. Other arrangements for the session are made at five conferences during the year and with the help of Alberta Youth parliament alumni.

Publicity minister Lee Auten says the parliament offers more than politics. "It's given me some life-long friends and given me valuable experience in dealing with people."

Auten adds the students politi-

cal sessions are often more civilized than their elected counterparts.

"We're tame. Quite tame."

All of the resolutions voted on during the youth parliament will be sent to the provincial government.

And sometimes the government answers.

Pollard recalls a former youth premier who vehemently attacked the Meech Lake Accord. The assault drew a seven-page defense from Premier Getty.

Pollard says he isn't interested in following in the footsteps of former youth parliamentarians and current government members John Oldring and Bob Hawkesworth.

"I'd like to teach drama in a high school instead," Pollard says. "I've liked sharing political ideas but I'm finding out I'm just not oriented toward that life."

SEVENTY-FIRST SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

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er
r
of Opposition

S. A. Holberton
Tim Marr
Jennifer McKercher
Corrine Egger

Held at St. Matthews United Church
Calgary
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1990
MEMBERS: 58

MEMBER PROFILE

Paterson was born in Lethbridge March 13, 1936. attended Lethbridge Schools and later Waterloo and Colleges. He was ordained by the Presbyterian and served as their minister at Delburne, Minister and Medicine Hat. David became Speaker of Session after his ordination.



JENNIFER MCKERCHER

PREMIER

McKercher was born in Calgary 1970 and represented Riverview Church in Calgary at the Tuxis 67th session. After attending schools, she entered the University of and later the University of Alberta. graduated with her B.Sc. in Speech and Audiology in 1992. Jennifer is by members of the sessions as the of Tuxis". She is employed by the West Health Unit at Hinton.

"I found this poem without title or author, but I saw it expressed exactly what TUXIS is about."

I want to love you
without clutching
Appreciate you
without invading
Join you
without demanding
Leave you
without guilt
Criticize you
without blaming
And help you
without insulting.

Member 67th Session

POINT OF INTEREST

Danielle's Devotional Reflection

Looking back over the year I think of all the things that we have done in devotions up to now.

In January, we discussed the Second Mile and thought about what more we could say or should do in our lives to follow through with it.

In March, we had a Caring Conference, and even had a hug seminar!

In May, we had all sorts of fun challenging ourselves to prepare the Sunday service. Good work guys!

September lead to skits about promises and a discussion of covenant. For all those that participated in that discussion, THANKS! I had a great time and felt really close to you all. The singing was great.

SEVENTY-SECOND SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Doug Fee M. P.
LaVonne Venables(Rosvick)
David Pollard
Stacy Petriuk

Held at Gaetz Memorial United Church
Red Deer
December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1991
MEMBERS: 35

Young MPs tackle tough issues

By LANA MICHELIN
of The Advocate

'Parliament' convened in Red Deer Thursday, but there is little chance of hearing expletives shouted across the floor.

Name-calling terms such as animal, crook and idiot have been ruled out-of-order by the TUXIS model parliament of Alberta—as have put-downs like seal, joker and Nazi.

Regardless of the official good-conduct code, the 35 honorable TUXIS members are less likely to ridicule their opponents than real politicians, said Richard De Bruijn of Ponoka.

The 16-year-old backbencher explained, with a shrug, "We're all friends here and we all go out afterwards, so it's not a dog-eat-dog situation."

The 72nd session of the Christian-based model parliament, run by 15- to 21-year-olds from church, school and community groups across the province, is carrying on a tradition that started in 1920 when Alberta Older Boys Parliament began in Edmonton.

As the only simulated parliament in Canada that has met annually since its inception, the renamed TUXIS lets participants contemplate solutions to issues that befuddle politicians, said organizer David Marriott.

"The kids spend a lot of time exploring their own beliefs," said Mr. Marriott, a Wetaskiwin Crown prosecutor and TUXIS alumni.

"We're hoping that they learn about parliamentary procedure, a little about public speaking and a lot about self-confidence and

the purpose of government."

While many of their classmates enjoy a leisurely Christmas break, 35 junior parliamentarians will spend a week debating the privatization of Canada Post, native self-determination, removing Canadian military forces from Europe, and taxing polluters to protect the environment.

"These are the kind of things we'll still be looking at in 10 years," said Red Deer MP Doug Fee, who as acting lieutenant-governor accepted the TUXIS mace during opening ceremonies at Gaetz Memorial United Church.

Mr. Fee believes the real value of a model parliament is that it teaches young people to "stretch their thinking" to encompass difficult but timely issues.

Mr. DeBruijn and his Ponoka colleague Wayne Hiebert, an 18-year-old opposition whip, are already contemplating futures in politics. At one time, so did TUXIS alumni John Oldring — now Alberta Social Services minister, as well as provincial Consumer Affairs Minister Dennis Anderson.

But Kathleen Johnston, an 18-year-old opposition delegate from Carstairs, said the parliamentary process has taught her that she would rather be a lobbyist than a politician.

"Once you become a politician, you are trapped into doing what other people want, not what you originally set out to do."

TUXIS stands for Training under Christ in Service and draws on students from Catholic, United and evangelical churches.

"Tuxis kept me connected with the church and my faith. It broadened my prospective and gave me skills in public speaking, leadership and self confidence."

Member 59th Session



DAVID POLLARD

PREMIER

David A. Pollard, born in Fort Saskatchewan, Alberta, August 30, 1971, attended schools in that city and then went to Red Deer College and the University of Alberta. He is presently employed at Canadian Tire in Fort Saskatchewan.



SEVENTY-THIRD SESSION



TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

A. McEachern M. L. A.
Buck Henderson
Ron Gusek
Lorna Stewart

Held at the Legislative Buildings
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MEMBERS: 30



Youth parliament group on the stump for members

LYNETTE LEFSRUD
Journal Staff Writer

Edmonton

Ronald Gusek of Ardrossan is premier. His minister of publicity is Martin Settle, 19 a student at the University of Alberta.

But they can't fill the seats in the legislature so the first challenge for the two is to recruit new members for their group, Training Under Christ in Service.

TUXIS started up in 1920 to give young Christians aged 15 to 21 an opportunity to debate in a parliamentary setting.

Numbers of the group have decreased since the late 1980s says alumni chairman George Irwin.

"We are actively recruiting new members," Irwin says, "We are used to having 75 to 80 members,

now we are sitting around 35.

He says the membership dropped three years ago after a year of organizational troubles.

But 17 new members joined this year and Irwin says the group is back on track.

"Things are definitely in the rebuilding mode."

Irwin says personal contacts are the best way to find new members.

An attempt to recruit members by sending letters to 200 various church youth groups failed.

"I didn't receive a single response," Settle says.

"Because Christianity is such a major part of TUXIS . . . I still think that contacting churches is the most effective way of getting members who will stay and contribute to TUXIS."



RON GUSEK

PREMIER

Ron Gusek, born in Edmonton, July 12, 1971, attended schools in Ardrossan, Alberta and graduated from Salisbury Composite High School. Ron has his B.Sc. in Mechanical Engineering from the University of Alberta and is employed at Scott Springfield Manufacturing in Calgary.

"Tuxis is a great opportunity to have some really intense debates among your peers over some very contemporary questions."

Member 42nd Session

POINT OF INTEREST

— THE LETHBRIDGE HERALD — Saturday, December 28, 1963 —

EDITORIALS

Background, Comment

A Teen-Age Triumph

This is a time of teen-age tyranny. The so-called teen-agers tend to feel themselves abused and pushed around, perhaps because they are so unnaturally and unhealthily pampered. In so many ways they are the tyrants, and society is deathly afraid of them.

How refreshing it is, then, to find still flourishing a pioneer movement of teen-age men dedicated to responsibility and service. The Tuxis Parliament now in

province-wide session in Lethbridge is a model of teen-age effort and outlook at its finest. Nobody goes through this experience without being vastly helped by it. This group will contribute far beyond its numbers to the integrity and dedication of public service in the years ahead.

These young people are on the right road. They need only maintain the traditions and principles given to them, and Canada, will be forever grateful.

SEVENTY-FOURTH SESSION

TUXIS PARLIAMENT OF ALBERTA

Lieutenant-Governor
Speaker
Premier
Leader of Opposition

Justice T. F. McMahon
David Green
Shawn Keown
Natalie Prybysh

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TUXIS offers political insight

□ Formal student parliament

meets yearly for debate

The Speaker of the House sits at the head of two long tables. Around the tables sit various ministers, the government on one side, the opposition on the other.

No, it isn't the House of Commons. It's TUXIS, a formal student parliamentary practicing session being held at the Currie Barracks in Calgary until New Year's Eve.

TUXIS Parliament of Alberta is a non-partisan group of 50 Albertans aged 15 to 21 from throughout the province.

The parliament will enter its 75th year in January. It is the longest running youth parliament in Canada and is the only one that bases its system on Christian values.

TUXIS stands for Training Under Christ in Service. Their goal is to follow the example of Jesus in Luke 2:52, as he "increased in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and with people."

Since 1905, the group has met annually to debate topics of general interest, learn parliamentary procedure, and develop leadership skills.

Shawn Keown, this year's TUXIS premier, says it's a difficult job, but the friend he has made at the parliament have made it worthwhile.

"It's hard to describe," he says. "There's this overwhelming accep-

tance here. Nobody puts you down for your beliefs."

Among TUXIS Alumni are Bob Hawkesworth (city alderman), Dave King (former provincial Minister of Education), John Oldring (former provincial Minister of Social Services), and Clarence Campbell (former president of the NHL).

Dave Green, this year's Speaker of the House, was involved with TUXIS for six years and is currently a member of the alumni association.

"What strikes me as the best thing about this organization," Green says, "is that it doesn't have some platform it's trying to get across. We have devotions and theme discussions, but the intention is not to force anyone to believe anything. Only to challenge their existing beliefs."

This year's TUXIS debates revolved around issues including assisted suicide, nationalization of industry, legalization of cannabis, and sexual assault awareness.

Each year the group submits its voted resolutions to the government of Alberta.

"There are other kids our age who really aren't doing anything to improve their standard of living," says Keown, "But we're making a difference here. It may sound hokey, but we're young adults who are making a difference."



SHAWN KEOWN

PREMIER

Shawn Keown was born in Flin Flon, Manitoba on July 23, 1973. He attended schools at Innisfail, Alberta and is a student at Mount Royal College in Calgary.

"Tuxis signified a major change in my life. At 17 years I gained much confidence in speaking and relating to people."
Member 69th Session

Proclamation

Due notice is hereby given that the APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS will proceed from SEPTEMBER 30th for the purpose of convening the



75th Tuxis Parliament of Alberta

All that are thus concerned now take notice that:

DATE OF SESSION

The session will be held during Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, December twenty-sixth to thirty-first, nineteen hundred and ninety-four at the Legislature Building in the City of Edmonton.

PURPOSES

- To encourage young people to seek out and face the Challenge of Christian living.
- To bring together representative young members of the Christian Faith in order to stimulate the Christian Community.
- To train its members in the art of logical thought and self-expression.
- To educate members in the process of Parliament and the responsibilities of citizenship.
- To develop and train leaders.

WHO MAY BE MEMBERS

The qualification of a member shall be as follows: Each member of the Alberta Tuxis Parliament shall be a person actively interested in the Christian faith, and must have passed his/her fifteenth but not his/her twenty-first birthday at the date of the opening of Parliament.

REPRESENTATION

Representation from interested young people throughout the province is a matter of utmost importance. The nominees may represent a community youth group, church congregation or service club, or may attend on the reference of a minister, a teacher or an active person in his/her community.

APPLICATION

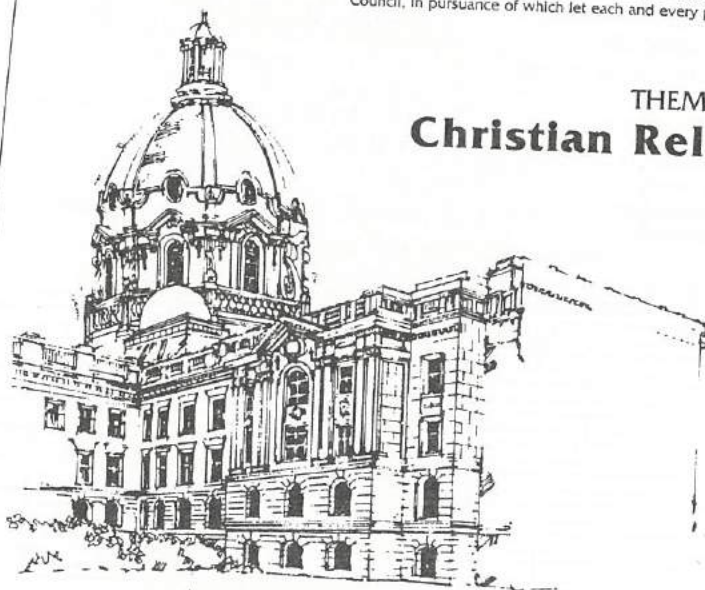
Application forms shall usually be accepted by the Chief Returning Officer in order of receipt, but in any event must be received by him not later than November 30th, 1994.

POOLED EXPENSES

Under the pooling system each representative or member shall pay an equal share of the expenses of all members. The pool rate will be \$135.00 if paid before November 15th and \$150.00 if paid after November 15th.

EMERGENCIES

Any matter not covered by the above shall be left to the discretion of the Parliamentary Alumni Council, in pursuance of which let each and every person take due notice and act accordingly.



THEME Christian Relationships

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

George Tuttle

SPEAKER

Jennifer McKercher

PREMIER

Martin Settle

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Given under our hands for execution on this
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ALBERTA PARLIAMENTARY ALUMNI COUNCIL

TED BEARD MEMORIAL TROPHY



EDWIN G. BEARD

MEMBER PROFILE

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Edwin G. Beard was born in Lethbridge in 1923. He attended Lethbridge schools and was a keen sportsman. He excelled in hockey, having come up through midget, junior and juvenile ranks to be one of the star players. He enlisted with the R.C.A.F. in 1942 and proceeded overseas early in 1944. He was killed in action August 17, 1944.

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Doug was a regular member of the parliament, becoming Deputy Premier at the 48th session and Premier of the 49th session. He was named Speaker of the 52nd session in 1971.

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Doug's life was cut short on February 10, 1979, when he succumbed to a sudden illness while curling in a bonspiel at Faust, Alberta. His widow, Gisela, and children, James and Suzanne, live in Ontario.

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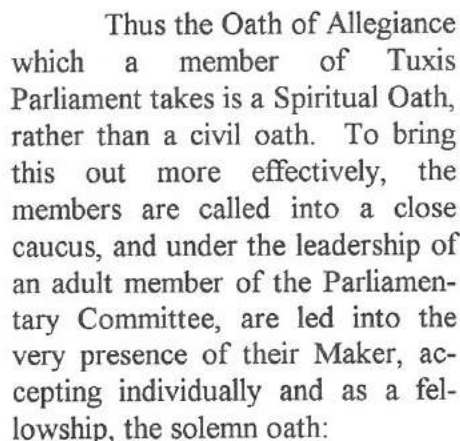
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| Anderson, Dennis | 48 | Former Alberta M. L. A. and Cabinet Minister, Calgary, AB. | 72 |
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| Anderson, Virginia | 64 | Calgary, AB. | |
| Andrews, Donald C. | 27 | Real Estate, Retired, Vancouver, B.C. | 31,39 |
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| Atkinson, Mike | 44 | Professor Political Science, McMaster University, Hamilton, ON. | 47,48,51,55 |
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| Barker, Graham, | 19 | Edmonton Telephones, Retired. | |
| Barnett, Kerry | 52 | Northern Telecom, Calgary, AB. | |
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| Beck, Darryl | 50 | Landscape Gardener, Red Deer, AB. | 21, App.I |
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| Blore, William | 30 | Teacher | |
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| Boggs, Betty Jean | 64 | Vermilion, AB. | |
| Bolink, Leonard | 65 | Nobleford, AB. | |
| Bond, Robert | 6 | General Sales Manager, Aluminum Company of Canada, Toronto, ON. | 8,58 |
| Boon, William | 20 | Killed Overseas, R.C.A.F. 1943 | 20 |
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| Brisbin, Frank | 20 | United Church Minister, Retired, Toronto, ON. | |
| Brockway, Pam | 62 | Carstairs, AB. | |
| Brotherston, Robert | 38 | Calgary, AB. | |
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| Buckley, Arthur | 11 | Y.M.C.A. Secretary, Deceased | 12 |
| Bunker, Brian | 51 | Edmonton, AB. | |
| Butterfield, E.H. (Ted) | 37 | Chartered Accountant, Calgary, AB. | |
| Butterfield, Ray | 2 | Teacher, Retired, Calgary, AB. | 2 |
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| Cates, C. | 2 | Calgary, AB. | |
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| Chiswell, E.A. | 6 | Calgary, AB. | |
| Christie, Cleland | 9 | Novelist, Pincher Creek, AB. Deceased | |
| Church, George | 59 | Olds, AB. | |
| Church, Susan | 65 | Redcliff, AB. | |
| Clark, Cliff | 54 | Calgary, AB. | |
| Clark, Robert C. | 33 | Former Alberta M. L. A. and Cabinet Minister, Ethics Commissioner, Edmonton, AB. | 49,51,61,62,64, 65,App.II |
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| Collins, Roy S. | 20 | Personnel Manager Aluminum Co. Of Canada, Retired. Mississauga, ON. | |
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| Cook, Douglas | 34 | Royal Military College, Deceased | 44 |
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| Cormack, Barbara | 63 | Calgary, AB. | |
| Coutts, Brian E. | 46 | Librarian Head, University of Western Kentucky, Bowling Green, KY. | 50 |
| Coutts, David | 43 | M. L. A., Fort Macleod, AB. | |
| Coutts, Herbert T. | 2 | Professor, University of Alberta, Retired, Edmonton, AB. | 2 |
| Coxon, Francis | | | 19 |
| Craig, H.A. | | | 4,10,11 |
| Cromb, William | 1 | | 2 |
| Croxton, Howard | | | 15 |
| Crow, Randy | 63 | Fort McMurray, AB. | |
| Cumming, Keith | 20 | President and Chief Executive Officer, Kanata Holdings Ltd., Edmonton, AB. | 20 |
| Cunningham, Cameron | 65 | Edmonton, AB. | |
| Cunningham, Jack | 23 | Management Consultant, Edmonton, AB. | |
| Cunningham, Jeff | 59 | St Albert, AB. | 25,26 |
| Cunningham, Jim | 53 | Journalist, Calgary Herald | 52,53 |
| Curle, Ken | | Mayor | 58 |
| Currie, Gordon | 50 | Financial Analyst, Calgary, AB. | 56,58 |
| Dafoe, Bruce | 29 | Vice President North West Utilities Ltd. Retired, Edmonton, AB. | |
| Dalby, Bill | 25 | | 25,29 |

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| Dale, Gerald | 35 | | 36 |
| Dalrymple, Aaron | 64 | Calgary, AB. | |
| Darroch, Herbert | 1 | Mine Safety Appliances, Toronto, ON. | |
| Daskawich, Carolyn | 64 | Edmonton, AB. | |
| David, Robert K. | 39 | Superintendent Schools, Gold River, B.C. | 43 |
| Davidson, James Robin | 1 | | ii,1,2 |
| Davis, Matthew | 13 | Physician | 15,16,17 |
| Davis, Wesley | 51 | Calgary, AB. | |
| Dean, Blake | 57 | Kelowna, B.C. | 62 |
| Dean, Carl | 56 | London, ON. | 59 |
| DeBruijn, Richard | 71 | | 72 |
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| deJong, Brian | 63 | Nobleford, AB. | |
| Delmage, Sandra | 63 | Yellowknife, N.W.T. | |
| Dennis, Marianne | 68 | Edmonton, AB. | |
| Derkach, Larry, | 52 | Director, Bissell Centre, Edmonton, AB. | 55,59,App.II |
| Dibben, Dwight | 65 | Forestburg, AB. | |
| Diefenbaker, John | | | 43,45 |
| Diekman, Fritz | 66 | Sieksdorf, Germany | 6 |
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| Dixon, Arthur | | | |
| Dobbie, James | 64 | Fort McMurray, AB. | |
| Doe, Charles | 17 | Sales Manager Propane Products, Deceased | |
| Donald, Brian | 62 | Edmonton, AB. | |
| Donald, Cameron | 61 | West End Inn, Edmonton, AB. | |
| Dougan, Ron K. | 26 | United Church Minister, Industrial Psychologist, Calgary, AB. | |
| Douglas, J. M. | | Mayor | 10,11 |
| Douglas, Geoff | 64 | Calgary, AB. | |
| Douglas, T.C. | | | 43 |
| Downton, Jonathon | 59 | Calgary, AB. | |
| Downton, William H. | 35 | Lawyer, Calgary, AB., Deceased. | 39,40,49,App.II |
| Duce, Christine | 62 | Wetaskiwin, AB. | |
| Duggan, D.M. | | Mayor | ii,1,2,3,4 |
| Dunbar, Iain | 51 | Actor, Director, Playwright, Calgary, AB. | 17 |
| Dutton, Tom | 7 | Retail Book Store, Medicine Hat, AB. | |
| Dyer, Oakley | 30 | United Church Minister, Masset, B.C. | 30 |
| Eaglesham, J. | 1 | | 2 |
| East, Gordon | 9 | United Church Minister, Deceased | |
| Edwards, David | 34 | United Church Minister, Lamont, AB. | 36,37 |
| Edwards, John | 30 | Baptist Minister | 49,57 |
| Edwards, Larry | 31 | United Church Minister, Regina, SK. | 33,34 |
| Edwards, Manley J. | | Judge, Deceased | 32 |
| Edwards, Patricia | 62 | Teacher, Edmonton, AB. | |
| Egbert, W.G. | | | 14 |
| Egger, Corinne | 65 | Calgary, AB. | 71 |
| Egger, John | 62 | Candidate United Church Ministry, Calgary, AB. | |
| Elphinstone, David | 53 | Calgary, AB. | |
| Elphinstone, Jim | 51 | Calgary, AB. | |
| Elson, Clifford | | | 33 |

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| Ferry | 61 | Red Deer, AB. | |
| Ralph | 9 | Farmer, Retired, Lethbridge, AB. | |
| David | 37 | United Church Minister, Winnipeg, MB. | 8 |
| | 2 | | |
| Immer | 5 | Teacher, Deceased | 2 |
| Gordon | 40 | | 10,11 42 |
| W. | 24 | Psychiatrist, Calgary, AB. | |
| Ernest | 20 | Killed Overseas, R.C.A.F. 1944 | 25,26 |
| John A. | 7 | Deceased | 20 |
| Carl | 9 | Accountant and General Insurance, Deceased | 9 |
| ley | 64 | Grande Cache, AB. | |
| Phil | 12 | High School Teacher, Retired, Victoria, B.C. | 15,18,19,20 |
| Vernon | 19 | United Church Minister, Professor University of Toronto, Deceased. | 19,20 |
| y, Harold | | M. P. | 23,24 |
| uce (David) | 43 | Computer Programmer, Writer, Edmonton, AB. | 72 |
| vid | 44 | Lawyer, Edmonton, AB. | 45 |
| don | 11 | Professor, Brock University, War years with American Atomic Bomb Program | 49,55 12,13,14,15,16 |
| len | 67 | | 31 |
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| ren | 64 | Edmonton, AB. | 15 |
| Roger | 66 | Bassett, VA. U.S.A. | |
| ur | 4 | Life Insurance Executive, Deceased | |
| | 1 | Lawyer, Edmonton, AB., Deceased | 15,17,18,38 |
| ace | 62 | Edmonton, AB. | ii,1 |
| orman | | Judge, Deceased | |
| Charles S. | 30 | Secretary Boys' Work, R.E.C. A., Deceased | 25,26,29,35 |
| | | Sr. Vice-President Petrorep Canada Ltd., Calgary, AB. | i,4,57 |
| | 37 | Lawyer, former M. L. A. and Cabinet Minister, Red Deer, AB. | 11 53,58,App.II |
| | 69 | Edmonton, AB. | |
| | 68 | Calgary, AB. | App.I 68,69 |
| | 28 | United Church Minister, Banfield, B.C. | |
| | 5 | Teacher, Deceased | |
| | 15 | | 15 |
| | 35 | | 60 |
| | 15 | Chartered Accountant | 36 |
| | 20 | Retired, Calgary, AB. | |
| | 61 | St. Albert, AB. | |
| | 66 | Darstmouth, N.S. | |
| (ed) | 1 | Senior Vice President Inco, Retired, Toronto ON. | |

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| Gardner, Thomas | 33 | | |
| Gaskarth, Jason | 69 | General Insurance, Calgary, AB. | |
| Gatenby, Allan | 58 | Edmonton, AB. | 63,67 |
| Gatenby, Patti | 62 | Brooks, AB. | |
| Gee, James | 18 | Civil Service, Edmonton, AB. | |
| George, Robert | 50 | Music Teacher, Lethbridge, AB. | |
| German, Neil | 15 | Lawyer, Judge, Deceased | 15,18,35,42 |
| Getty, Don | | Premier of Alberta | 70 |
| Gibson, David | 42 | Edmonton, AB. | |
| Giebelhaus, Russell | 62 | Vegreville, AB. | |
| Giffin, Patricia | 65 | Vegreville, AB. | |
| Gilchrist, H. (Sandy) | 22 | Family Physician, Retired, Vernon, B.C. | 24,25,26,27 |
| Gilfillan, Vern | 24 | | 25 |
| Gill, William B. | 19 | Lawyer, Retired, Calgary, AB. | 19,21,22,23 |
| Gillis, R. J. | | | 10 |
| Gillrie, Dorn | 29 | | 57 |
| Girra, Ian | 59 | Edmonton, AB. | |
| Glass, Robert | 45 | Calgary, AB. | 55 |
| Goddard, John | 13 | Physician, Retired, Guelph, ON. | 7 |
| Gogo, John | | M. L. A. | 67 |
| Gould, Chris | 43 | Farmer, Mayerthorpe, AB. | 47,49,55 |
| Gould, Irving | 7 | Pharmacist, Deceased | |
| Gowan, Edward H. | 1 | Professor, University of Alberta, Deceased | ii,1,2 |
| Grant, Jonothan | 64 | Fort McMurray, AB. | |
| Gratland, Harry | 19 | House Builder, Deceased | 7 |
| Graves, Jim | 54 | | App.I |
| Green, David | 63 | Department Manager, Sheritt Inc., Edmonton, AB. | 68,74 |
| Green, Mark | 59 | United Church Diaconal Minister, Red Deer, AB. | 64 |
| Greenfield, Herbert | | Premier of Alberta | 2 |
| Greenough, D. A. | | United Church Minister | 41 |
| Greenway, Harvey S. | 7 | Secratary, Canadian Western Natural Gas Co., Deceased | 31 |
| Gregg, Blaine | 61 | United Church Minister, Swan Hills, AB. | |
| Grier, Elizabeth | 67 | Calgary, AB. | |
| Grier, Sam | 65 | Calgary, AB. | |
| Groves, Terry | 35 | Physician, Calgary, AB. | |
| Gusek, Ronald | 67 | Engineer, Scott Springfield Mfg. Calgary, AB. | 73 |
| Gusella, Glynis | 66 | Carstairs, AB. | |
| Gusella, Gwen | 66 | Carstairs, AB. | |
| Haig, Bruce | 32 | Teacher, Author, Publisher, Lethbridge, AB. | |
| Haig, T. R. | | Mayor | 37 |
| Hall, Frank | | | 13 |
| Hallett, Robert W. | 10 | Deceased | |
| Hallett, Ross | 38 | Nanton, AB. | |
| Hallum, Lorna | 62 | Sedgewick, AB. | |
| Hamilton, Arthur | 11 | United Church Minister, Hamilon, ON. | |
| Hamilton, Jim | 45 | | App.I |
| Hardock, Pat | 56 | | App.I |
| Hatfield, Bruce | 23 | Physician, Retired, Calgary, AB. | 25,26,29,App.II |

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| Hauserman, Calvin | 53 | School principal, Medicine Hat, AB. | 58,61 |
| Hawkesworth, Robert | 47 | Calgary City Alderman - former Alberta M. L. A. | 52,59,68,70,74, App.II |
| Hawrelak, W. | | Mayor | 33,34,36 |
| Hayes, Kirby | 53 | Lloydminster, AB. | |
| Haythorne, George V. | 9 | Former Deputy Minister, Canadian Government, Ottawa, Retired. | |
| Haythorne, Tom | 6 | United Church Minister, Retired, New Westminster, B.C. | 9,11,57 |
| Helton, Lloyd | 37 | Draughtman | |
| Hembroff, W. Vaughn | 33 | Justice Queen's Bench, Lethbridge, AB. | |
| Henbest, Bruce | 55 | Supervisor Upper Canada Village, Chesterville, ON. | 60,61,65 |
| Henbest, Ron | 52 | Physician, Medunsa, South Africa | 55,61 |
| Henderson, Buck | 61 | Calgary, AB. | 66,73 |
| Henderson, Keith | 63 | Redcliff, AB. | |
| Henderson, Kevin | 60 | Redcliff, AB. | |
| Henderson, Shane | 64 | Edmonton, AB. | 66 |
| Henderson, Sherri | 65 | Edmonton, AB. | 70 |
| Hendry, 'Chuck' Charles E. | | Boys' Work Secretary, R.E.C.A. | |
| Hennig, Todd | 66 | | ii,57 |
| Hetherington, Donald | 29 | Lawyer, Calgary, AB. | App.I |
| Heuer, Emanuel | 8 | United Church Minister, Toronto, ON. | |
| Heyworth, Robert | 45 | St. Albert, AB. | |
| Hibbert, R. W. | | Boys' Work Secretary, R.E.C.A. | |
| Hickman, Harold | 46 | Arlington, VA. | 10,11,16,57 |
| Hiebert, Allan | 54 | Computer programmer, Calgary, AB. | |
| Hiebert, Ron | 63 | Resident Medical Doctor, Edmonton, AB. | 60 |
| Hiebert, Wayne | 70 | Edmonton, AB. | |
| Hill, R. Cleve | 14 | Trust Co. Manager, Retired, Lethbridge, AB. | 72,75 |
| Hlady, James | 39 | Matol Distributer, Devon, AB. | 15,31,44,59, App.II |
| Hlady, Leslie | 67 | Devon, AB. | |
| Hoffman, Wilfred | 25 | | |
| Holberton, Fred | 20 | United Church Diaconal Minister, Retired, Calgary, AB. | 25 |
| Holberton, Jerick | | | 17,20,34,49, 54,55,57, 63,66, App.II |
| Holberton, Ron | 74 | Student, Edmonton, AB. | |
| Holberton, Sid | 53 | Civil Servant, Ottawa, ON. | |
| Holgate, William | 26 | Audiologist, Retired, Calgary, AB. | |
| Hosking, Alf | 2 | | 71, App.II |
| Houghton, Reg | 26 | Teacher | 2 |
| Howie, Gordon | 4 | City of Calgary Staff, Deceased | 30 |
| Hughes, Barrie | 45 | | 6 |
| Hughes, Neil | 32 | Newspaper Journalist, Watertown, N.Y. | 55 |
| Humphries, J. J. | 50 | Owner Empire Land Inc., Calgary, AB. | 35,36,38 |
| Hunter, James | | | 52,55 |
| Hurst, Charles K. | 13 | Businessman, Kamloops, B.C. | 11 |
| Huston, Harold | 13 | General Engineer Cadian Harbour Commission, Retired, Ottawa, ON. | 15,16 |
| | 29 | Educator, Deceased | 31 |

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| Huston, James | 27 | College Teacher, Retired, Waltham, Mass. | |
| Hutchinson, Ken | 41 | Whitehorse, YK. | |
| Ilcisin, Karen | 63 | Edmonton, AB. | 15 |
| Ingle, Lorne | 15 | | |
| Ireland, Doug | 50 | United Church Minister, Abbotsford, B. C. | |
| Irving, Dale | 39 | United Church Minister, Edmonton, AB. | |
| Irving, Harold | 45 | Calgary, AB. | |
| Irving, William | 14 | United Church Minister, Deceased | 73 |
| Irwin, George | 62 | Management Consultant, DMR Group, Edmonton, AB. | |
| Istvanffy, James | 62 | Instructor, University of Calgary, Calgary, AB. | 46 |
| Ivany, Randall | | | |
| Jackson, Bruce | 46 | Edmonton, AB. | 30,32 |
| Jackson, Tom | 27 | Lawyer, Retired, Kapasiwin, AB. | 52,54 |
| Jansen, Don | 48 | Family Physician, Campbell's Bay, P.Q. | |
| Janz, Daryl | 61 | Calgary, AB. | 28 |
| Jardine, J. A. | | Mayor | 45,52 |
| Jensen, Dwight R. | 41 | University of Lethbridge, Staff | |
| Jobb, Gordon | 4 | Bank Manager | 20,21,22,23,24 |
| Johannson, Edgar | 20 | Engineer, Retired, St. Charles, Ill. | App I. |
| Johnson, Frank | 13 | Physician, Deceased | 50 |
| Johnson, Hugh | 45 | Chartered Accountant, Calgary, AB. | |
| Johnson, Ken | 64 | Carstairs, AB. | 44,45,46,75 |
| Johnson, Larry | 39 | Superintendent of Schools, St. Albert, AB. | 46 |
| Johnson, Morley | 43 | Optometrist, Slave Lake, AB. | 57 |
| Johnson, M. A. "Pop" | | United Church Field Secretary, Deceased | 25 |
| Johnston, Bill | 25 | | 72 |
| Johnston, Kathleen | 67 | | |
| Johnston, Ken | 64 | Carstairs, AB. | 25,26 |
| Johnstone, Gordon | 25 | | 26 |
| Johnstone, Sybil | | | |
| Jones, Ken | 64 | Edmonton, AB. | |
| Kaiser, Roy | 12 | Merchant, Retired, Victoria, B.C. | |
| Karapita, Kent | 64 | Vancouver, B.C. | 74 |
| Keown, Shawn | 69 | Calgary Co-Op | 17,18,21,22 |
| Kerby, George W. | | | |
| Kergan, James | 6 | Wing Commander R.C.A.F. WWII, Chartered Accountant, Drumheller, AB. | App.I |
| Kernahan, John | 51 | | |
| Kessler, Allan | 58 | Sundre, AB. | |
| Kessler, Nanette | 66 | Calgary, AB. | 61,70 |
| Kessler, Ron | 56 | Lawyer, Professor UBC, Vancouver, B.C. | |
| Kidd, Alan | 52 | Calgary, AB. | 70 |
| Kilgour, David | | M. P. | 48 |
| King, A. E. | | United Church Minister, Retired | 48,56,61,65,74, |
| King, David | 41 | Former M. L. A. and Cabinet Minister, President of Effective Strategies Inc., Edmonton, AB. | App.II |
| Klein, Ralph | | Primier of Alberta | 70 |

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| Knudson, Arthur | 18 | Vancouver, B.C. | |
| Kokoski, Cheryl | 62 | Teacher, Edmonton, AB. | |
| Korver, Doug | 66 | Lethbridge, AB. | 69 |
| Koshman, Jason | 65 | Edmonton, AB. | |
| Koshman, Patricia | 66 | Edmonton, AB. | |
| Krausnick, Wayne | 39 | Teacher, Calgary, AB. | |
| Krenz, Tom | 65 | Red Deer, AB. | |
| Kubin, Michelle | 65 | Vegreville, AB. | |
| Kushner, Greg | 63 | | |
| Lachman, James P. | 63 | Edmonton, AB. | App.I |
| Lajos, Hadju | | | |
| Lamb, Linda | 63 | Claresholm, AB. | 17 |
| Lamond, Don | 28 | Calgary, AB. | |
| Langston, Craig | 64 | Toronto Dominion Bank, Vancouver, B.C. | |
| Lapp, Gordon | | Boys Work Secretaery, United Church Minister, Retired, Toronto, ON. | 28,57 |
| Larcombe, Laurence | 9 | Retired, Lethbridge, AB. | |
| Larsen, Peter | 57 | Electrician, City of Calgary | 22 |
| Larter, Jonathon | 61 | Grande Prairie, AB. | App.I |
| Laurensse, Mark J. | 63 | Edmonton, AB. | App.I |
| Lavold, Wayne | 64 | Sherwood Park, AB. | |
| Law, Jack | 23 | | |
| Lawford, Hugh J. | 29 | Faculty of Law Queen's University, Kingston, ON. | 25 |
| Lawson, Ross | 25 | Chiropractor, Deceased | 57 |
| Lawton, Neil | 61 | Medicine Hat, AB. | 25 |
| Laycraft, Herbert J. | 20 | Retired Chief Justice of Alberta, Calgary, AB. | |
| Layton, James | 8 | Deceased | 35, App.II |
| Layton, Robert | 16 | Teacher, Librarian, St. Catherine, ON. | |
| Lea, John | 43 | United Church Minister, Hamiota, MB. | 19 |
| Lea, Zandra | 71 | | |
| Lee, Clifford | 2 | Pharmacist, Deceased | App.I |
| Leemam, Doris | 63 | Claresholm, AB. | 2 |
| Lehman, Greg | 66 | Edmonton, AB. | |
| Leisemer, Aylmer | 4 | Former M. L. A., Teacher, Deceased | 12 |
| Leitch, Ian | 54 | Calgary, AB. | 4,7 |
| Lemieux, Fred | 48 | | |
| Levitt, Fred A. | 9 | Famous Player Area Manager, Retired, Calgary, AB. | App.I |
| Lewis, Bill | 25 | | 11 |
| Leydon, Bruce | | | 25 |
| Liddell, Robert | | | 35 |
| Linkletter, Gordon | 40 | Clerk, Coleman, AB. | |
| Linn, Jim | 45 | | |
| Little, Herbert | 21 | | 55 |
| Little, Ken | 20 | Hudsons Bay Oil, Retired, Salmon Arm, B.C. | 21 |
| Little, Vern | 34 | Calgary, AB. | 21 |
| Lock, Henri | 31 | Calgary, AB. | |
| Lonsbury, Jerry | 54 | United Church Minister, Chaplain University of Victoria | 57 |
| Loree, William | 34 | Blairmore, AB. | |
| Lougheed, Peter | 11 | Nanton, AB. | |
| | | Premier of Alberta | 48 |

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| Low, Solon | | | 24 |
| Lucas, Jack | 3 | | 5 |
| Luchak, Jim | 61 | Fort Saskatchewan, AB. | |
| Lynas, Robin | 62 | Calgary, AB. | |
| <i>Mace</i> | | | 16,17 |
| MacKay, Donald H. | 12 | Mayor of Calgary, Deceased | 35,38 |
| Maddocks, E. H. | | | 25 |
| Mah, Stanley | 42 | Edmonton, AB. | |
| Maier, Ralph | 31 | Taber, AB. | |
| Mallett, Larry | 22 | | 25 |
| Mandella, Nelson | | | 69 |
| Mann, Curt | 61 | Edmonton, AB. | |
| Manning, David | 48 | Lawyer, Edmonton, AB. | |
| Manning, E. C. | | Premier of Alberta | 25 |
| Mark, Joe | 5 | Owner Men's Clothing, Calgary, AB. | |
| Mark, Malcolm | | | 34 |
| Marles, Ted | 17 | Pharmacist, Retired, Calgary, AB. | |
| Marr, Timothy | 59 | Business, Edmonton, AB. | 65,66,71 |
| Marr, Thomas | 60 | Executive Director, Drayton Valley, AB. | 60,65,68 |
| Marriott, David | 51 | Crown Prosecutor, Leduc, AB. | 57,60,72 |
| Marshall, H. Eric | 15 | R.C.A.F. - Killed overseas, 1941 | 16,17 |
| Marston, Stuart Harold | | | 43 |
| Martin, Ronald | 25 | | 25 |
| Mason, Bob | 25 | | 25 |
| Mason, Ralph | 51 | College Teacher, Kamloops, B.C. | |
| Mastel, Debbie | 66 | Edmonton, AB. | |
| Mastel, Loree | 64 | Camrose, AB. | |
| Mate, Susan | | | 65 |
| Mather, Jack | 20 | Life Underwriter, Deceased | |
| Mazankowski D. | | M. P. | 69 |
| McBain, Ross | 21 | Merchant Owner, Edmonton, AB. | 18,21,23 |
| McCall, F. S. | | | 6,7 |
| McCalla, Alex | 35 | Professor, Retired, Dixon, CA. | 36,38 |
| McCalla, Archie | 7 | Dean of Agriculture University of Alberta, Deceased | |
| McDonald, Ian | 41 | Professor, Port Hope, ON. | 44,47 |
| McDonald, Walter | 8 | | 7 |
| McDougall, L. D. | 26 | Teacher, Calgary, AB. | |
| McEachern, A. | | M.L.A. | 73 |
| McFarquhar, K. | 63 | Calgary, AB. | |
| McGhan, Alfred | 25 | | 25 |
| McGregor, Gary | 18 | The Bay, Retired, Edmonton, AB. | 7,19,21 |
| McJunkin, Dennis | 35 | | 36 |
| McKay, Brandt | 20 | Galiano, B.C. | |
| McKay, Robert | 63 | Edmonton, AB. | App.I |
| McKenzie, Glen | 25 | Lawyer | 25,31,57 |
| McKenzie, Hugh | 20 | Killed in action Canadian Army 1944 | |
| McKenzie, Ken | 16 | Lawyer, Edmonton, AB. | 18,19 |
| McKercher, David | 60 | Vancouver, B.C. | App.I |

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| McKercher, Jennifer | 67 | Speech Pathologist, Hinton, AB. | |
| McKinnon, Fred | 14 | Geologist | 71,75 |
| McKinnon, Malcolm | 29 | Chemist | 15 |
| McLachlan, Clayton | 20 | Retired, Calgary, AB. | |
| McLachlan, Sterling | 2 | | |
| McLaren, Gray A. | 13 | Medicine | 2 |
| McLaren, Kenneth | 14 | | |
| McLeary, Ray | 1 | | 15 |
| McLeod, Bud | 30 | Agriculture | 2 |
| McMahon, Terrence F. | 35 | Justice Court Queen's Bench, Calgary, AB. | |
| McMillan, Bryan | 66 | Edmonton, AB. | 38,74 |
| McMillan, Lara | 65 | Edmonton, AB. | |
| McNab, Jean | 62 | Calgary, AB. | |
| McNally, G. Fred | | | |
| McPhail, James | 20 | Chartered Accountant, Dawson Creek, B.C. | 39 |
| McPherson, O. L. | 2 | | 10 |
| McShane, K. | | | 2 |
| Meadows, H. A. | 11 | | 55 |
| Menzies, Don | | | 14 |
| Michelin, Lane | 19 | Automotive Industry, Vancouver, B.C. | 72 |
| Miles, Edwin T. | | Boys' Work Secretary, R.E.C.A., Retired, Calgary, AB. | 19,21 |
| Miles, George W. | | | 57 |
| Millar, Don | 58 | | |
| Miller, F. L. | 2 | | App.I |
| Miller, K. R. | 2 | | 2 |
| Mills, Allyn | 37 | Music Teacher, Lethbridge, AB. | 2 |
| Mjolsness, Calvin | 49 | | |
| Montgomery, Joe | | | App.I |
| Morgan, Brian | 47 | | 37 |
| Morgan, T. A. | | Boys' Work Secretary, R.E.C.A., Deceased | 55 |
| Morley, Eric | 2 | | 57 |
| Moore, Don | 25 | | 2 |
| Morris, Douglas | 14 | Killed Overseas R.C.A.F. 1940 | 25 |
| Morris, Ken A. | 30 | United Church Minister, Edmonton, AB. | |
| Morrison, Robert | 64 | Stoney Plain, AB. | |
| Morrow, Sean | 65 | Calgary, AB. | |
| Morton, R. | | | 65 |
| Mueller, Glen | 60 | Edmonton, AB. | 27 |
| Munro, Lock | 64 | Calgary, AB. | |
| Munro, Stuart | 28 | United Church Minister, Pharmacist, Leduc, AB. | |
| Murata, David | 55 | United Church Minister, Toronto, ON. | 31,32,55 |
| Mustaphe, Ishram | 66 | Sherwood Park, AB. | 58 |
| Nash, Melinda | 66 | Edmonton, AB. | |
| National Boys' Parliament | | | |
| Nawrot, Tim | 65 | Dentist, Vegreville, AB. | 55 |
| Neal, Michael | 61 | Didsbury, AB. | 65 |
| Nestoruk, Peter | 29 | Calgary, AB. | |
| Newcombe, Earl B. | 3 | Life Underwriter | |
| Newsome, Frank | 3 | Lawyer | 4 |

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| Nickle, Carl | | | 32 |
| Nix, Harold | 29 | Physician, Manchester, CT. | 36 |
| Nix, Ernest | 18 | United Church Minister, Retired, Mississauga, ON. | 19,20,23 |
| Nix, Nelson | 12 | Physician, Retired, Edmonton | |
| Nixon, Alan | 39 | Calgary, AB. | |
| Notley, Grant | | | 61 |
| Norris, Larry | 46 | Farmer, Warner, AB. | |
| Norris, T. A. | 3 | Business, Peace River, AB., Deceased | |
| Norris, William | 20 | Farmer, Warner, AB. | |
| Oakes, Don | | | 26 |
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| White, Neil | 48 | Minister, Baptist Church, Winfield, AB. | 53 |
| White, Ross | 49 | Diaconal Minister United Church, North Vancouver, B.C. | 21 |
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| Wright, Robert | 29 | United Church Minister, Welland, ON. | |
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