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ACCESSION OF EDWARD VII

He Arrives In London From Cowes And Meets His Privy Council

THE OATH OF ALLEGIANCE ADMINISTERED

The Privy Councillors Kiss Hands—The People Shout "Long Live the King!" But London Wears the Garb of Mourning For the Dead Queen—Her Remains Will Arrive To-day And Be Taken To Windsor—The Date Of The Funeral.

OPENING CEREMONIES OF THE ACCESSION.

LONDON, Jan. 23.—(Special.)—The King drove to St. James Palace from Marlborough House to attend the first Privy Council.

The procedure was exactly as on former days.

IMMENSE GATHERING OF DIGNITARIES PRESENT.

A great gathering of Privy Councillors attended in levee dress, with erape on left sleeve assembled in the Throne Room.

Members of the Royal Family, of the Cabinet, Peers, Commons, Bishops, Judges, Lord Mayor and others were present, to see the King take the oath as Edward VII of Great Britain and Ireland and Emperor of India.

The ceremony was strictly according to precedent.

HIS MAJESTY BRIEFLY ADDRESSES THE COUNCILLORS.

The King addressed the Councillors in a brief extempore speech and then took the oath of office administered by the Lord Chancellor.

After this the oaths of office of the Lords of Council and others were renewed, then they passed before the Prince as at a levee and kissed his hand.

THE KING GREETED WITH "LONG LIVE THE KING."

The King returned to Marlborough House and crowds who saw him go in silence, lustily cheered on his return and shouted "Long Live The King!"

QUEEN'S DEATH OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED.

At the House of Commons the members dressed in deep mourning, heard Speaker Gully announce the Queen's death and the accession of the King, all of them taking the oath.

Many peers were in the gallery dressed in deepest mourning.

BOOMING CANNON ANNOUNCE THE ACCESSION.

At 4.20 o'clock the booming of cannon announced the accession of King Edward. The King wore his military uniform of Field Marshal.

THE METROPOLIS IN THE GARB OF MOURNING.

LONDON, today donned the garb of mourning from end to end. All the Courts and public bodies adjourned and there were impressive services in many of the churches.

THE QUEEN'S REMAINS BROUGHT TO WINDSOR TODAY.

Thousands greeted the King on his arrival and all heads were uncovered as he drove through the streets of Cowes.

The Royal yacht Alberta will convey the Queen's remains to the Mainland probably to-morrow, and take them to Windsor Castle.

MESSAGES OF SYMPATHY FROM ALL LANDS.

The dining room at Osborne has been transformed into a Mortuary Chapel. From all the Courts of Europe, from all the Colonies and from the United States and every where countless telegrams and messages of sympathy are being received.

THE EUROPEAN PRESS PRAISES THE QUEEN.

All the European papers vie with each other in publishing eulogistic references to the Queen.

DATE OF THE FUNERAL WILL BE ANNOUNCED TODAY.

It is believed that six months mourning will be ordered and all social life suspended.

The King will after his coronation probably conduct court functions with unwonted splendor.

A number of European Sovereigns will personally attend the funeral, the date and arrangements for which will be announced to-morrow.

MONTREAL COURTS ADJOURN—AN EULOGIUM DELIVERED.

MONTREAL, Jan. 23.—(Special.)—All the Courts have adjourned.

Sir Alex. LaCoste from the Bench delivered an eloquent eulogium of the Queen which was inscribed on the record.



HIS MAJESTY EDWARD VII.

Of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India. Born 9th Nov, 1841. Succeeded to the throne 23rd January 1901.

LONG LIVE THE KING!

THE PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Throughout Canada to Be Draped in Mourning for the Queen.

THE DAY OF THE QUEEN'S FUNERAL A HOLIDAY.

Governor General Takes the Oath of Allegiance—All Social Functions Abandoned—British Embassy is in Mourning—Congress and Senate Pass Resolutions.

ENTRANCES OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS TO BE DRAPED.

OTTAWA, Jan. 23.—(Special.)—The capital is in mourning. Many of the buildings are draped and all over Canada the entrances to public buildings will be similarly draped.

GOVERNOR GENERAL TAKES THE OATH ALLEGIANCE.

Lord Minto took the oath of allegiance to the new King from Chief Justice and all Ministers from the Governor General.

THE DAY OF THE QUEEN'S FUNERAL.

The day of the Queen's funeral will probably be proclaimed to-day when all business will be suspended and provinces are expected to name the same day.

SOCIAL FUNCTIONS ABANDONED.

All social functions have been abandoned. All the Provinces have sent messages of condolence, also many of the Citizens, Clergy and Laity. The Episcopal Church of Nova Scotia sent a message of regret and allegiance to King.

BRITISH EMBASSY IN MOURNING.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—(Special.)—The British Embassy is in mourning and many of the leading officials called to express their sympathy.

UNITED STATES CONGRESS PASSING RESOLUTIONS.

The House and Senate both passed a resolution of sympathy and several States have done likewise.

THE CH'TOWN POST OFFICE

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A ROYAL PROCLAMATION

Of The Death of Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria

AND OF THE ACCESSION OF KING EDWARD VII.

All Officials Of Canada to Continue in Their Several Offices on Taking the Oath of Allegiance to the King Before the Proper Officers—The Official Text as Transmitted Yesterday Afternoon to Premier Farquharson.

OTTAWA, ONT., Jan. 23.

(Extract from a Report of the Committee of the Honourable the Privy Council, approved by His Excellency on the 23rd January, 1901.)

TO PREMIER OF P. E. ISLAND.

The Committee of the Privy Council, on the recommendation of the Minister of Justice and Attorney-General, submit for Your Excellency's approval:

That upon the issue of the proclamation under His Excellency's hand and seal at arms announcing the demise of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria and the accession of His Majesty King Edward the Seventh, the Chief Justices of the several provinces of Canada and the Senior Justice of the Supreme Court of the Northwest Territories, or in the event of the Chief Justice of any province or the Senior Justice of the Supreme Court of the territories aforesaid being incapacitated through illness or otherwise that the senior judge of such province or territories present within the provinces or territories be commanded to administer the oath of allegiance to the several Lieutenant Governors of the several provinces and the Lieutenant Governor of the Northwest Territories; the committee further recommend that a telegram be sent to the Lieutenant Governors of the several provinces and to the Lieutenant Governor of the Northwest Territories and to the Prime Minister of the several provinces and territories notifying them of the issue of the proclamation announcing the demise of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria and of the accession of His Majesty King Edward the Seventh, and also of the provisions of this minute, all of which is respectfully submitted for Your Excellency's approval.

JOHN J. MCGEE,
Clerk of the Privy Council.

A proclamation of Canada by His Excellency the Right Honourable Sir Gilbert John Elliott, Earl of Minto and Viscount Melgund, of Melgund, County of Forfar, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom, Baron Minto, of Minto County of Roxburgh, in the Peerage of Great Britain, Baron of Nova Scotia, Knight Grand Cross of our most distinguished Order of Saint Michael and St. George &c., Governor General of Canada to all to whom these presents shall come greeting:

Whereas it hath pleased Almighty God to call to His mercy our late Sovereign Lady, Queen Victoria, of blessed and glorious memory, by whose demise the Imperial Council of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and all other her late Majesty's Dominions is solely and rightfully come to the high and mighty Prince Albert Edward, Prince of Wales, I, the said Sir Gilbert John Elliott, Earl of Minto, Governor-General of Canada, assisted by His Majesty's privy council for Canada and with their hearty and zealous concurrence, do therefore ever by publish and proclaim that the high and mighty Prince Albert Edward, Prince of Wales, is now by the death of our late Sovereign of happy

and glorious memory, become our only lawful and rightful liege Lord, Edward the Seventh, by the grace of God King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Defender of the Faith, to whom are due all faith and constant obedience with all hearty and humble affection; and I do hereby require and command all persons whomsoever, to yield obediences and govern themselves accordingly, beseeching God by whose kings do reign, to bless the Royal Prince Edward the Seventh, with long and happy years to reign over us.

Given under my hand and seal at arms at Ottawa, this twenty-third day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and one, and in the first year of His Majesty's reign.

MINTO.
By His Excellency's command, R. W. Scott, Secretary of State.

A proclamation of Canada.

Edward the Seventh, by the grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland King Defender of the Faith, &c, &c, to all to whom the presents shall come, or whom the same may in any wise concern,—

Greeting:

David Mills, Attorney-General, Canada: Whereas, by chapter nineteen of the Revised Statutes of Canada entitled, an Act respecting public officers, it is amongst other things in effect enacted that upon the demise of the Crown it shall not be necessary to renew any commission by virtue whereof any officer of Canada or any functionary in Canada held his office or profession during the previous reign, but that a proclamation shall be issued by the Governor General authorizing all persons in offices as officers of Canada, who held commissions under the late Sovereign, and all functionaries, who exercised any profession by virtue of such commissions, to continue in the due exercise of their respective duties, functions and professions and that such proclamation shall suffice and that the incumbents shall as soon thereafter as possible take the usual and customary oath of allegiance before the proper officer or officers thereunto appointed. Now, therefore, by and with the advice of our Privy Council

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