

PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that a communication had been received from the Secretary to the Governor General.

The said communication was then read by the Honourable the Speaker, as follows:—

GOVERNMENT HOUSE
OTTAWA

November 20th, 1956.

Sir,—

I have the honour to inform you that His Excellency the Governor General will arrive at the main entrance of the Houses of Parliament at 2.30 p.m., on Monday, the 26th of November, and when it has been signified that all is in readiness, will proceed to the Senate Chamber to open the Special Session of the Twenty-second Parliament of Canada, which has been called for that date.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

LIONEL MASSEY,
Secretary to the Governor General.

The Honourable
The Speaker of the Senate,
Ottawa.

Ordered, That the said communication do lie on the Table.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure to meet at the call of the bell at two fifteen o'clock this afternoon.

The Senate resumed.

2:15 p.m.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

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

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

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