office of the prime minister 108740

MEMORANDUM

MR . KING:

As you will see by Mr. Laurie's circular letter, attached, the Rideau telephones will continue to operate as at present. We cannot begin using the dial in putting in outside calls until the dials have been placed on all telephones in the Rideau Exchange. This will not be done for about another year, or more. The dial system will be used only, (beginning at midnight tonight) when placing calls from the Queen and part of the Sherwood Exchanges.

After tonight, all the old central office names, - Rideau, Queen, Sherwood and Carling, - will be dropped, and will be replaced by the number prefixes. The prefixes will be as follows:

Rideau - 6 Queen - 2 and 3 Carling - 7 Sherwood - 8

The new Laurier House numbers will be:

Private 'phone: 6-0180 Office: 6-4246 Servants: 6-4243

The new telephone number at Kingsmere will be:

One of the new Telephone directories is being sent to Kingsmere today.

Nov. 20, 1937

WM.

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