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THE FOURTH SESSION OF THE TWENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF YUKON CONVENED IN THE ASSEMBLY CHAMBERS AT 3:00 P.M. ON TUESDAY, MARCH 24, 1981

Mr. Speaker: I have received a communication from the Commissioner, in his capacity as Lieutenant Governor, stating that he would open the Fourth Session of the Twenty-Fourth Legislature at 3 p.m. today, Tuesday, the 24th of March, 1981. We are now prepared to hear the Speech from the Throne.

Mr. Commissioner enters the Chambers, announced by his Aide-de-Camp:

Mr. Commissioner: Please be seated.

Mr. Speaker, today it is my privilege to appear before you at the opening of the Fourth Session of the Twenty-Fourth Council. It is worthy of note that this is the first time I have addressed the Legislature since my appointment as Commissioner, and it is the first time that the Commissioner has delivered the Throne Speech since Yukon developed full cabinet style government.

I am pleased to note that the political and constitutional developments which have occurred over the past year bode well for Yukon. We have made great strides on behalf of all Yukoners and, to that end, our Canadian neighbours to the south have achieved a greater understanding of Yukon: our aspirations and our goals. It is important, Mr. Speaker, that Canadians understand each other and begin working together. My government has worked hard to ensure Yukon gets a voice in national issues which affect us, and all along we have made it clear that we want no more than what is rightfully ours as citizens of a democratic Canada.

1980, Mr. Speaker, was a year for stabilization in our economy. Throughout most of 1979 our economy was in a state of economic recession, but in early 1980 the downward trend began to ease, stabilizing by the middle of the year — albeit at a somewhat lower level of activity than previously — but by late 1980 it was in the initial stages of recovery. A number of factors during the year have contributed to this situation. First, rising metal prices stimulated significantly increased activity in the mining industry. Mineral exploration was booming, as expenditures topped forty million dollars in 1980: a phenomenal forty-six percent increase over the record 27.6 million dollars spent in 1979. The continuing speculation on the commodity market for precious metals led to a frantic search for gold in the Territory — a new Klondike Gold Rush. Cyprus Anvil Mining Corporation began work on its 240 million dollar plant expansion, and United Keno Hill began the construction phase for re-opening the old Venus Gold Mine on the BC-Yukon border. It is expected that this property will be in production by August of this year and that it will employ between 50 and 100 permanent employees. Second, 1980 was a pleasant surprise for our tourism industry. Originally, many people were predicting a dramatic decline in tourism activity.

However, despite rapidly escalating travel costs everywhere, the number of tourists and the activity they generated has surpassed expectations. While the actual number of border crossings has declined slightly, income to the Territory was higher, as people are staying longer and spending more in the Territory.

Third, a major impetus was made in 1980 to the diversification of our economy, as a major expansion in the forest industry commenced. Cattermole Industries of Watson Lake have doubled the size of the facility and added a number of new employees. In addition, the construction of a dry kiln allows the company to significantly expand its markets, particularly to Alaska.

Finally, the Yukon Government introduced an aggressive policy of assisting economic development in the Territory. During 1980, we signed a number of cost-shared agreements with Canada. We have approved expenditures of approximately 5.1 million dollars for the tourism industry, including the ski chalet which was completed a week ago for hosting the very successful World Cup of Cross Country Skiing. The expenditure of 1.3 million dollars on the ski chalet, we feel, contributed to the small upsurge in construction activity this past year which saw employment increase by some three percent, and we are confident it will stimulate the off season travel market.

The governmental program which I presented to you in March of 1980 has for the most part been followed, with some exceptions over which we have had no control. My government has delivered on the commitments it made, and intends to do the same in respect to the plans I will lay before you today. We are a government close to the people, and most important of all, we listen to what the people are telling us. It has not always been easy, but party politics is proving to be the vehicle that is finally bringing government accountability to Yukoners, and you can be assured that my government intends to follow this practice in the future.

This government, Mr. Speaker, intends to build a strong frame on the base of our achievements in 1980 and we intend to redouble our efforts at developing our economic structure and ensuring the opportunity of Yukoners to take advantage of the expected economic development in Yukon over the next decade. In 1981, we will increase our efforts to foster private sector investment in our economy, through programs such as the Business Development Assistance Program, which we anticipate will be in full operation early in the fiscal year, and through the expanded efforts of the Tourism Incentive Program.

Economic planning and policy formulation will continue to focus attention on mineral and energy development. In 1981, we intend to hold a second mineral symposium and to continue the Mineral Task Force, to ensure the proper development of our resources. We expect to complete our intensive investigation into the energy situation in Yukon, and to be able to present to the Legislature a long-term energy policy for Yukon. We expect a number of major tourism projects approved in 1980 to be completed in this year.

This government has consistently stated its commitment to the preservation of the White Pass and Yukon Railway, as an energy-efficient tool for economic development in Yukon. The Government of Yukon firmly believes that the railway can be a viable entity in the longer term, provided short-term financial assistance is forthcoming. After a year of intensive negotiation between this government, the Federal Government, White Pass and Yukon Railway, Cyprus Anvil Mining, and the Government of Alaska, an agreement has been reached in which the Government of Yukon will provide assistance totalling one million dollars to the White Pass and Yukon Railway. This loan will be repaid over a twenty-year period, and will provide a mechanism whereby the long-term viability of the railway can be ensured, with a minimal investment of public funds.

As part of the terms of providing these funds, the Government of Yukon is requesting one seat on the Board of the White Pass and Yukon Corporation.

Mr. Speaker, the Department of Tourism and Economic Development will continue with its energy conservation programs, as well as its efforts to promote tourism. The department, in addition to these and other activities, is involved with the mining industry in the formulation of a Yukon mineral policy. Coupled with the energy policy presently being developed, the mineral policy will give Yukon the long overdue direction that past governments have been unable to provide.

Mr. Speaker, we have expanded our commitment to Yukon's tourism industry through the secondment of John Kostelnik, a senior tourism development officer, to the Yukon Visitors'

Association. Yukon's second largest industry has tremendous potential, and we are encouraged with the cooperation that exists between government and industry in efforts to realize that potential. An achievement of significant interest will be this government's hosting of the Federal/Provincial Ministers of Tourism Conference in September, 1981.

We are optimistic that these and other events will trigger a significant recovery period throughout 1981 as our economy begins to rebuild to its pre-1978 levels. Our optimism is based on a wide range of factors. Projections that metal prices will remain at reasonable levels are expected to give encouragement to the industries to open major new mines. In particular, a positive decision by AMAX to begin construction of the Mac-tung Mine in the MacMillan Pass area would add a significant boost to our economy. The resurgence of placer mining as a significant economic factor is anticipated, as the resurrected gold dredges make a comeback in the Klondike this year, and innovative techniques for recovering fine gold are introduced on a large scale. Exploration expenditures are expected to be maintained at current levels. Expansion of Cyprus Anvil will add 260 jobs during construction and some 200 permanent employees by 1983. Finally, a number of medium-sized mining operations are expected to begin production over the next two years to mine high-grade deposits of lead, zinc, silver, and barite.

The decision by Foothills Pipeline to construct the Quill Creek test section for the Alaska Highway Gas Pipeline and its commitment to commence surveying right of way, and clearing the pipeline corridor, will provide significant opportunity for Yukoners to become involved at an early stage in the proposed pipeline. As much as 50 million dollars could be spent in the Territory by the Company in 1981-82. This activity reinforces our confidence that the pipeline will commence on time and will add considerably to our economy.

As a result of the completion of the Quill Creek test project, my government has been able to gather vital information which will enable us to plan for mainline construction in a more effective manner. We have been able to view on a first-hand basis actual pipeline construction, and we have learned a great deal. Certainly problems have been identified, but we now have the opportunity to take steps to resolve these issues before pipeline construction begins, and you can be assured that we will do our best to find the necessary solutions to ensure Yukoners realize substantial benefit from the project.

The Yukon Government cost-shared programs initiated in 1980 are expected to bear significant fruit over the next few years as the millions of dollars are injected into the economy. The most visible impacts, of course, will come from the expenditure of the \$6 million Canada-Yukon Tourism Agreement, and the contribution provided under the Energy Conservation Program will provide long-term support in this government's drive to reduce energy consumption in the Territory.

A group of smaller projects have been announced to begin in Yukon in the next year, and these projects will add significantly to the transportation and construction industry. The opening of a barite mine, two gold refineries, a fourth wheel at Whitehorse Rapids Dam, and the Haines Junction Health Centre are a few of these many projects.

The Department of Highways and Public Works will continue to assist in the economic development of Yukon by providing engineering advice to the Department of Tourism and Economic Development, and by providing services under recovery agreements to mining and exploration companies in matters concerning transportation. Two more tangible examples which may be of interest are the maintenance of 33 kilometres of the Carcross-Skagway Road on a cost-recovery basis for United Keno Hill Mines, who are developing the Venus Mine property;

And the early opening of the Canol Road to allow the hauling of exploration equipment and supplies to the MacMillan Pass area. This latter project is cost-shared between mining com-

panies and the Yukon Government, whereby the mining companies pay for costs over and above road opening costs the Yukon would normally have incurred at a later date. Also included in the road maintenance provision are funds for training to upgrade current staff and to allow for training of residents in Yukon communities as equipment operators — people who would not normally have been considered for highway maintenance positions due to lack of knowledge and training. It is our sincere hope that this additional opportunity made available to Yukoners will be beneficial to both the government and residents, both by providing year-round employment and by creating a more stable work force.

The long-promised customs station for Beaver Creek is finally to be built. We have made do with the old one, in its poor location, for many years, but the federal government has informed my government that construction of the new facility will begin this year.

Residents of communities outside of Whitehorse are, at times, hard pressed to avail themselves of necessary government services. My government has made a conscious decision to improve access to these services whenever possible. This simply means putting the services in the community. In following our program we have provided funds in our Capital Budget to build an administration building in Mayo, with work to commence this summer.

The City of Dawson has been allocated monies under the Tourism Sub-Agreement which will see several new projects carried out, and will add to the enhancement of the city as one of Yukon's major tourist attractions. This fall, a new information centre—YTG office building will be started, and completed for the 1982 visitor season. The downtown area of Dawson will receive new boardwalks, signs, and street upgrading this summer and a new building facade program is ready for implementation. My government also plans to restore the Carnegie Library and then put it into use as the Dawson Public Library.

In Watson Lake we are negotiating with the community in regards to a combined information centre-museum and hope to reach a decision and get work underway as soon as possible.

The government intends to introduce an amendment to the *Lands Ordinance* at this Session, which will provide greater flexibility in the pricing of Yukon government land. This flexibility will enable us to set the price of land, based on use and location, in a manner which better meets the aspirations of all Yukoners, while preserving the principle that where development costs are incurred they be fully recovered through the sale of lots.

My government wishes to reaffirm at this point that it is committed to the principle that Yukoners should have the right to purchase the land they use. Accordingly, we intend to proceed with the sale of recreational cottage lots to interested lessees. This government is pleased that, after protracted discussions, the federal minister responsible has agreed to transfer the majority of the cottage leases to our administration.

Planning is now virtually complete, and designs for rural residential developments are being finalized. Disposal and pricing policies and processes are being completed and will be in place shortly.

Once the necessary changes to the *Lands Ordinance* respecting price have been approved by this House, and the mechanics of the transfer process completed, we will be in a position to make attractive sale offers to existing lessees.

Mr. Speaker, the Public Service Commission is continuing to develop and implement policies which encourage employment of Yukon residents in their government to meet the dual challenges of rising labour market costs and the aspirations of Yukoners to play a major role in the administration of public affairs in Yukon. To support the local hire policy, additional funds will be provided to the Public Service Commission to expand its in-service training and post-secondary education programs.

My government's concern with the training and develop-

ment of public servants should not, however, be regarded as reflecting a service that is ill-equipped to do its job. Our public servants compare favourably in expertise and experience with those of other jurisdictions, and are nowhere excelled in their loyalty and dedication to the community they serve.

During the coming year, the complete overhaul of the classification and pay plans of the government employees will commence, with the inclusion of senior and middle management positions in all departments of the government into a single management classification and pay plan.

Planning has also begun on a new "bridging" class and underfill replacement which will facilitate the movement of clerks and stenographers into administrative and specialist positions. The revised classification and pay system should achieve a reduction of the present classes by at least fifty per cent.

With no respite from inflation, and a pattern of more generous collective bargaining settlements in both the private and public sectors, your government anticipates continuing upward pressure on the costs of manning the public service, and with these increases the requirement for rigorous control of the permanent establishment. The use of contract and casual employees will be encouraged, to retain maximum flexibility in the adjustment of programs to meet changing public needs and priorities.

The Government of Canada and the Government of Yukon are presently negotiating a new method of budget development. Currently, the Yukon budget is a line item in the Department of Indian and Northern Affairs' budget, and subsequently, the minister of the day defends this budget before Treasury Board. When negotiations are completed, and that will be some time yet, our budget will be a separate line item under Finance; and we will negotiate and defend our own budget with Canada. This represents one of the most innovative steps taken by my government, to ensure that the fiscal responsibility exhibited by this government is maintained and that the accountability for budgetary matters is returned to Yukon.

Substantial amendments to the *Transport Public Utilities Ordinance*, passed in April, 1980 and implemented in November, 1980, will have a positive effect in supporting the further growth of the Yukon transportation industry. The increased authority provided to the Transport Public Utilities Board and the various substantial increases in fees for non-resident permits will ensure a greater opportunity for Yukon firms to participate in the transportation of goods to the Territory. The Board is in a position to respond more effectively to the changing consumer needs and the requirements of Yukon businesses.

A new high-profile department, which we feel is essential at this time, will be proposed to you. Reorganization will create a Department of Intergovernmental Relations, by bringing together the Intergovernmental Affairs Directorate, the Land Claims Secretariat, and the Pipeline Branch. In addition to the amalgamation of the aforementioned agencies, the reorganization provides for the establishment of a Government of Yukon Liaison Office in Ottawa.

This new department promises to provide this Government with an enhanced capability in the area of interdepartmental policy coordination, and in the management of our relations with other orders of government.

Mr. Speaker, intergovernmental relations is a most important aspect of my government's program, as it is with all governments in Canada. The fifth annual Heads of Government meeting was held in late January between the Honourable Chris Pearson, Government Leader; the Honourable William Bennett, Premier of British Columbia; and Governor Jay Hammond of Alaska. While the heads of government discussed many issues of importance to all three jurisdictions, one subject was the Shakwak project. My government has been concerned that while funding for the project is due to run out this year, it is far from complete. We have lobbied the Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs and the United States Ambassa-

dor to Canada to see if they could help. Governor Hammond, as a result of the January meetings, agreed to make every effort to have the additional 20 million dollars, already appropriated but not released, put in the budget. The Shakwak is an important transportation and tourism route for Yukon and we will continue our efforts to see that the project is completed.

Mr. Speaker, the Minister of Health and Human Resources is introducing expanded programs this Session, which will enhance services in the areas of senior citizens, rehabilitation and alcohol services, and child care. All of these will be detailed in the Budget Address.

In recognition of the needs of senior citizens, who are very often on a fixed income, it is proposed to increase the Pioneer Utility Grant from three hundred dollars to three hundred and sixty dollars per year. The proposed pharmacare for seniors program is being developed, and a White Paper on this will be presented this Session.

Rehabilitation services, through the re-allocation of resources, has been able to establish a therapeutic group home which will serve eight residents. This is particularly timely in the International Year of the Disabled. In order to participate in this year, an allocation of ten thousand dollars has been made by the Government of Yukon for the development of community projects involving the disabled. A Yukon Citizens' Committee for the International Year of the Disabled has been established to coordinate activities.

In order to augment existing rehabilitation and health services, additional resources are being budgeted, so that an additional speech therapist/audiologist might be retained.

The area of alcohol abuse has been a continuing concern to this government, and additional funds are being recommended for an extensive alcohol awareness media campaign, aimed at reducing incidence of abuse.

Services to juveniles continue to be a priority, and youth services centre programs will be re-located this spring, from Wolf Creek to two smaller downtown settings.

The people of Yukon and the Yukon Territorial Progressive Conservative Association illustrated their concerns in respect of day care and, Mr. Speaker, we are pleased that we will have in place, for July 1st, 1981, a Day Care Assistance Program, based on a sliding scale fee schedule. It is felt that this will make day care accessible to low income wage earners, and will further the use of quality day care. A more detailed explanation of this program will also be provided in the Budget Speech.

The year ahead will also see the Department of Education institute improvements to existing programs, and some new ones as well. The Government has released the Yukon College study, and a site has been chosen in Takhini. The site has been approved by the City of Whitehorse, and architectural plans for Phase I are underway. The Yukon Vocational and Technical Training Centre will initiate a number of new programs this year, in the areas of apprenticeship training, business administration, custodial and business services, painting and decorating, transport driving, and a variety of trades up-grading courses. These new courses are being implemented to meet the needs expressed by the general public and industry. We are pleased to have the interest and input, and I am particularly proud that we are able to provide the courses necessary to meet the demand.

Anik Educational Receiving Systems, already in place at the Vocational School and the Yukon Teacher Education Facilities, will be expanded to two additional Yukon Communities, one of which will be Faro.

The department is currently developing a comprehensive training program to enable Yukoners to take advantage of employment opportunities at the time of pipeline construction.

Earlier, I outlined my government's commitment to making certain Yukoners benefit from the pipeline. This new training program will be available to anyone who wishes to participate and become involved in the pipeline project. This Resource Corps Program, designed to provide employment opportunities for the unemployed and the disadvantaged, will carry out

projects in several Yukon communities, including Whitehorse, Carmacks and Mayo.

My government knows what jobs mean to Yukoners, and we will continue, through this and other programs, to do our best to either directly or indirectly ensure the opportunities are in place for our local people.

Mr. Speaker, the community of Pelly Crossing will see the construction of their new school commence this year. The funding approval has just been received from Treasury Board, and the government now plans to finalize the design with the people of Pelly and then proceed to let tenders. The communities of Carmacks and Old Crow will, in the coming months, see work begin on major additions to their schools. Both of these programs are designed to provide much needed facilities in the existing schools.

My government, Mr. Speaker, as I have indicated previously, is committed to the principle that we must achieve a greater control of matters which directly affect Yukoners. To this end, we plan to continue our efforts to see the health transfer completed this year, and we are anticipating that serious discussions will take place concerning the transfer of Fisheries from the Federal Government to the Yukon Government. The function of the Solicitor General is yet another provincial responsibility which we will examine soon, and, in talks with our federal colleagues, determine whether we should consider assuming this responsibility.

Land Claims, Mr. Speaker, is considered to be of the utmost priority by my government. This Yukon Indian Land Claim is progressing very well, and we are looking towards an agreement in principle by this fall. We recognize that a fair and just settlement of the claim is essential to all of us in the Territory. We believe our collective future lies in cooperation among Yukoners regardless of their origins, and we will encourage Yukon Indians to work with us to build a one government system to serve all citizens.

The COPE negotiations are at a standstill. We have presented our North Yukon Resource Management Model and the Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs has issued clear instructions to the federal negotiator, Senator Stewart. We look forward to getting back to the table and resolving this very serious issue.

A major concern of my government, Mr. Speaker, is the conservation of our game populations throughout Yukon. Keeping in mind our philosophy that resident hunters have preference in respect to the harvesting of our game population, it is our intention to bring forward during the month of April a long-term policy for the outfitting industry.

Mr. Speaker, an important document to be tabled at this Session is the Executive Council Code of Conduct regarding conflict of interest. The conflict of interest guidelines for MLAs were amended at the last sitting of this House and this new Code of Conduct brings the Members of Cabinet into line with those guidelines.

During this Session, Mr. Speaker, you will be asked to consider a number of financial bills in addition to a *Lands Ordinance*, *Miscellaneous Statute Law Amendment Ordinance*, *Petty Trespass Ordinance*, *International Child Abduction (Hague Convention) Ordinance*, *a Survival of Action Ordinance*, *An Ordinance to Perpetuate a Certain Ancient Right*, and an *Interprovincial Subpoena Ordinance*.

My government, Mr. Speaker, as you can see, is working very hard to improve the quality of life in Yukon and we will continue our efforts in the coming year. We are taking specific steps to expand Yukon's economic base in a manner which has as its thrust a total planned approach. It is our policy that economic development must encompass social and educational planning, as well as employment and business opportunities.

Mr. Speaker, as you can see, we are a government concerned and acting on the education of our youth, the promotion of small business — the backbone of our industry, the development of larger projects for the employment of our skilled

tradesmen and of the care of our pioneers. We know, Mr. Speaker, that a country advances only on the efforts and achievements of the individual. Working together as Yukoners, we can achieve that which we dare to dream. It is this government's desire to lead Yukoners to the fulfillment of those dreams. We stand ready to serve you.

Mr. Commissioner leaves Chambers, accompanied by his Aide-de-Camp.

Mr. Speaker: I will now call the House to order.

We will proceed at this time with Prayers.

Prayers

Mr. Speaker: At this time I would like to introduce to the House, from Jeckell Junior High School, the pages who will be assisting the House during the forthcoming Session. They are: Shannon Armstrong, Sherri Armstrong, Barbara Sudeyko, David Hansford, Denis Leng, Jason Shorty. It is indeed a pleasure for me to welcome to the floor of the Legislative Assembly our new pages, and I would invite them to attend the House at this time.

Applause

Hon. Mr. Pearson: Mr. Speaker, I move, seconded by the Honourable Minister of Tourism and Economic Development, that a bill entitled *An Ordinance to Perpetuate a Certain Ancient Right*, be now introduced and read a first time.

Mr. Speaker: It has been moved by the Honourable Government Leader, seconded by the Honourable Minister of Tourism and Economic Development, that a bill entitled *An Ordinance to Perpetuate a Certain Ancient Right*, be now introduced and read a first time.

Motion agreed to

TABLING OF DOCUMENTS

Mr. Speaker: At this time I would beg to inform the Assembly that, in order to prevent mistakes, I have obtained a copy of the Speech from the Throne, which I will now lay on the table.

Hon. Mr. Pearson: Mr. Speaker, I move, seconded by the Honourable Minister of Tourism and Economic Development, that the Speech from the Throne be considered on a day following.

Mr. Speaker: It has been moved by the Honourable Government Leader, seconded by the Honourable Minister of Economic Development, that the Speech from the Throne be considered on a day following.

Motion agreed to

Hon. Mr. Pearson: Mr. Speaker, I would like to give notice of the following motion: Moved by myself, seconded by the Honourable Minister of Tourism and Economic Development, that this House approve in general the budgetary policy of the Government.

Mr. Veale: Mr. Speaker, I would like to give notice of the following motion: Moved by myself and seconded by the Member for Klwane that this Assembly urges the Government to conduct an independent full scale investigation into food prices, pursuant to the *Inquiries Ordinance*.

Mr. Speaker: Yes, does the Chair accept that this is a notice of motion?

Mr. Veale: That is correct.

Mrs. McCall: Mr. Speaker, I move, seconded by the Honourable Member for Tatchun, that this House do now adjourn.

Mr. Speaker: It has been moved by the Honourable Minister of Health and Human Resources, seconded by the Honourable Member for Tatchun, that the House do now adjourn.

Motion agreed to

Mr. Speaker: This House stands adjourned until 1:30 p.m. tomorrow.

The House adjourned at 3:40 p.m.

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Speech from the Throne