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Weather: Rain and snow today, Friday, fair, then decidedly colder.

# EDWARD VIII AND BROTHERS WALKED BEHIND GUN CARRIAGE BEARING FATHER'S REMAINS

## Remains Dead Ruler Removed from The Little Parish Church

Procession Conveyed the Royal Coffin to Westminster Hall

Will Lie in State Until Tuesday

New Sovereign, Members of Royal Family and High Officers of Church and State

LONDON, Jan. 23—The body of King George V, accompanied by Edward VIII, was taken from the little parish church of Sandringham to the Empire's great Westminster Hall in London. Members of the Royal Family and high officers of Church and State also accompanied the remains of the dead Sovereign.

The procession was viewed by thousands along the route, and a thousand times that number throughout the Empire were thinking of this second journey of the beloved King-Empire.

The coffin will leave the humble church borne on a gun carriage drawn by six horses. Grenadier Guards marched alongside.

Immediately behind the carriage walked the new King. Behind him followed his three brothers, the Dukes of York, Gloucester and Kent and the Earl of Harewood.

In two carriages followed the Queen Mother, the Princess Royal, the three Royal Duchesses. Also in carriages drove members of the Royal Household and other guests invited to join the procession.

### Funeral Train

At Wolferton Station the body was placed upon a nine-car train drawn by the express locomotive, "King George V." The cars and engine were draped in purple and black. The journey to King's Cross Station, London will end about 2.30 p.m.

The procession from the station to Westminster Hall took about an hour and a half. Again the body was borne upon a gun carriage, followed by the King and male members of the Royal Family on foot. The coffin was preceded by mounted police and surrounded by guards of honor from the Army, Navy and Air Force. The Imperial Crown will be placed upon the coffin.

At the entrance to Westminster Hall aged and historic building about whose great cedar timbers echo the names and affairs of Guy Fawkes, King Charles I and Warren Hastings, the coffin was received by the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord Great Chamberlain, the Earl Marshal, the Dean of Westminster and other high dignitaries.

### Between Platforms

The coffin was borne to the catafalque over long violet carpets from the entrance. On each side of this draped dais are platforms a foot high.

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## THE LATE KING AT A FOOT BALL GAME

The great apostle of community singing in England is Mr. T. P. Ratcliff. He came into prominence some few years ago, when he was engaged to conduct community singing at famous football enclosures on Saturday afternoons. Instantly he caught on with the crowds, and prior to the matches they sang well-known old-time songs such as "Annie Laurie," "Poor Old Joe," "John Peel," "Love's Old Sweet Song," "Daisy Bell," "Loch Lomond," and "Pack up your Troubles."

When the eventful day arrived it was noticed that His Majesty was singing with the rest of the huge, reverent crowd. At the conclusion the King sent for Mr. Ratcliff and told him how interested he had been, especially in the singing of the hymn. His Majesty urged the gratified conductor

Then one spring he submitted his to continue his good work.

## A Winter Carnival

Throughout the New England States and also in Upper Canada many places are boosting winter sports. Why not try this in Fredericton?

We in this city should have every facility for putting on a winter carnival which in addition to giving pleasure and being something new should be of benefit to merchants, hotel men and others. Skiing, skating, with races in the rink open to skaters throughout the province and a grand ice carnival might be put on.

Why cannot some organization like the A and B Club get together and work out the details? They should receive assistance from the Board of Trade, the Retail Merchants Association and the transportation committees of that organization could take up the matter and in conjunction with the Winter Carnival Week, or whatever you want to call it, have excursions into the city and have special mid-winter sales. The railways would no doubt be pleased to co-operate in the way of giving excursion rates and in helping to bring people here. We have many University students, Normal students and Business College students here as well as our own young people who would be glad to enter these sports and work on committees to make the Carnival a success.

All that is needed is some live organization to start the affair.

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## KING EDWARD VIII MAKES HIS FIRST REGAL SPEECH

LONDON, Jan. 22 — This is what King Edward VIII said to the Privy Council after he was proclaimed sovereign.

"Your Royal Highnesses, My Lords, Gentlemen: The irreparable loss to the British Commonwealth of Nations sustained by the death of His Majesty, my beloved father, devolved upon me the duty of Sovereignty. I know how much you and all my subjects, and I hope, I may say the whole world, feel for me in my sorrow and I am confident of the affectionate sympathy which will be extended to my dear mother in her overpowering grief.

"When my father stood here 26 years ago, he declared one of the objects of his life would be to uphold constitutional government. In this I am determined to follow my father's footsteps and work as he did throughout my life for the happiness and welfare of all classes of my subjects.

"I place reliance upon the loyalty and affection of my peoples throughout the Empire, upon the wisdom of their parliaments to support me in this heavy task and I pray God to guide me to perform it."

## HOLDER OF THE VICTORIA CROSS MOURNS KING

(Special to The Daily Mail)  
OTTAWA, Jan. 23—Filip Konowal, V. C., is mournfully scrubbing the marble floor of the Hall of Fame today.

The King is dead, the King who pinned a little bronze cross with a purple ribbon on Filip's breast and said: "Corporal Konowal, your record is the best in the Empire. I thank you for it."

And Filip Konowal feels he's lost his idol. "He was a great man, a good man. You don't know how sorry I feel," he said this morning as he painstakingly pushed his long handled brush over the dirty marble.

A slight, spare man, born in the Ukraine and a Canadian since 1913, Filip Konowal doesn't look like a man who bayoneted 16 Germans in a wild melee with his machine-gun section of the 47th battalion.

He won his V. C. in heroic leadership of his machine gun section in a mopping up affair. Today he's mopping up grief.

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## POWERS WILL HELP BRITAIN IF ITALY ATTACKS

France, Turkey, Greece and Yugoslavia Ready to Aid

GENEVA, Jan. 23—Great Britain, in the fact of an Italian protest, officially informed the League of Nations yesterday that a multi-national Mediterranean mutual assistance pact had been concluded.

Simultaneously the League's sanctions committee of 18 agreed to create a special experts' committee to determine the practicability of an oil embargo against Italy—a move which League officials said, lessened the likelihood of such a sanction.

The British memorandum, announced formally by the League disclosed Britain, France, Turkey, Greece and Yugoslavia had agreed finally to aid each other if Italy attacks any of them.

### Also Approve

Later, Czechoslovakia and Rumania approved Yugoslavia's entrance into the pact, thus enlarging the arrangement to include, in effect, seven powers.

Responses from the other nations, the British memorandum said, left no doubt that they are ready faithfully to apply their obligations under the League Covenant as a result of sanctions taken against Italy.

Conversations between the general staffs of Great Britain and France, the memorandum asserted, did not touch upon the situation along the Franco-German borders, but "have been confined entirely to joint action in the event of hostilities in the Mediterranean arising out of the application of sanctions."

Mr. Eden, carrying out his first important act here as Britain's new foreign secretary, revealed that the Anglo-French agreement included "unlimited mutual aid by the air forces and navies" of the two powers.

## MANY TOURISTS WILL SAIL FOR BERMUDA

(Special to The Daily Mail)  
HALIFAX, N.S., Jan. 23—When the Lady Rodney, Canadian National Steamship, sails from Halifax at midnight tonight (Thursday) via Boston on a three weeks' cruise to Bermuda, the Bahama Islands and Jamaica, she will carry a full complement of passengers bound for a vacation to the southern tropical islands. Following this departure, there will be six more cruises to the same holiday resorts before the winter sailings terminate at the Atlantic ports.

Prominent among the passengers will be the following: Thomas V. Bell, director of Kiwanis Club, of Montreal; and Mrs. Bell; Morgan J. Johnston, manager of St. Lawrence Sugar Refineries, Montreal, accompanied by G. W. McConnell, son of President of Company, bound on a survey of the Jamaican sugar plantations, accompanied by their wives; Hon. C. W. Anderson, M.L.A., of Sherbrooke, N.S. Minister in the Nova Scotia Cabinet, and Mrs. Anderson. Other passengers of the present sailing will include F. Coombs and Miss M. MacPherson of Halifax, N. S.

The Lady Rodney will also carry a good cargo consisting of automobiles, lumber, shingles, flour, feeds, hay, cheese, fish products, sardines, drugs, dry goods, footwear, packing house products and a variety of their Canadian manufactured goods for the southern colonies.

### CHIMNEY FIRE

A chimney fire at the residence of Miss Cook on Brunswick street last night at eight o'clock was put out before any serious damage was done.

## King Edward and Dukes York and Gloucester Mourn

They Kneel at Their Father's Bier in Silent Prayer

Solemn Scene in Chapel

Royal Family Circle Complete at Sandringham—Villagers Pay Respects

### ACTING PREMIER



HON. DR. W. F. ROBERTS  
Minister of Health who is Acting Premier During the Absence of Hon. Premier Dysart.

## B. H. KINGHORN STILL CONFINED TO HOSPITAL

(Special to The Daily Mail)  
CAMPBELLTON, Jan. 23—B. H. Kinghorn, member of the Fredericton Curling team, who was stricken suddenly ill Tuesday night while competing in the Provincial Bantam here, is reported to be resting comfortably at the Soldiers' Memorial Hospital. Mr. Kinghorn will remain in the hospital for a few more days, it was learned today.

ORGANIZATIONS INVITED  
(Rev. J. W. Bartlett announced today that all organizations in the city are invited to attend the memorial service for His Late Majesty King George V in the Wilnot Church on Tuesday. Any organizations intending to be present at the service are asked to communicate with Rev. J. W. Bartlett.

Don't forget the musicale which is to be held from four to six o'clock tomorrow, Friday at Wilnot Parsonage, a treat to music lovers.

SANDRINGHAM, England, Jan. 23 —Edward VIII and his brothers, the Dukes of York and Gloucester, walked last night to Sandringham's little parish church to kneel before the oaken coffin of their father.

It was the last night for the newly proclaimed Sovereign to be alone with his sire in the candle-lit chapel where the late King so often worshipped.

Today the body was taken to London for all the panoply of a state funeral.

The reverent visit of the dead King's sons followed quickly up on their simple homecoming to Sandringham House from London where Edward was yesterday proclaimed King.

The arrival of the Duchess of York and the Duke and Duchess of Gloucester, for the first time since prior to the King's fatal illness, completed the family circle here. Both Gloucester and the Duchess of York had been ill themselves.

Soon after the great gates of Sandringham House closed on the bereaved family, the new King caused a wreath to be placed in the chancel of the church, alongside the bier.

The simple coffin itself, inscribed merely: "George Frederick Ernest Albert Windsor, 1865-1936," still was decked with a single white floral piece, although the porch of the chapel was banked with blossoms brought by the sorrowing villagers who during the day, were permitted to pay their final tribute.

So many came during the day that police directed them in a line four deep. It stretched around the old moss-covered walls of the church toward the Norfolk gate, a quarter of a mile away.

Poignant scenes were enacted as old men, women and children, cripples and invalids filed or were taken past for a bow before the flag-draped coffin.

"Tomorrow the King's sons will walk behind the bier on its journey to the railway station. Queen Mary, her daughter and her daughters-in-law will follow in landaus.

## \$200,000,000 MUST BE REFUNDED

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 23—Riding roughshod over government objections, the supreme court of the United States have ordered immediate effect its decisions invalidating AAA and requiring refund of \$200,000,000 in impounded processing taxes.

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