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—**DEATH OF MOSES BLAQUIERE**.—There passed away in the Prince County Hospital Tuesday afternoon, Moses Blaquiere at the age of 51 years. He leaves to mourn his wife and seven children. The funeral will be held Friday morning from his late residence to St. Paul's Church, Summerside.—S

—**BRILLIANT STUDENT**.—Many friends in Lower Bedeque and Summerside will be pleased to hear that Miss Mary Bowden of Vancouver, B. C., and formerly of Lower Bedeque, P. E. I., has been awarded the I. O. D. E. scholarship for three years from the University of British Columbia and is now attending the University of London, England.—S

PERSONALS

—Mr. Thomas Harris and Mr. Louis Harris, O'Leary were in Summerside Tuesday disposing of fox pelts.—S

—Miss Georgia Burleigh, Ellerslie spent Tuesday in Summerside.—S

—Mrs. Murray Sweet, O'Leary was a visitor to Summerside, Tuesday.—S

—Mrs. John Silliker of Summerside East left Wednesday morning to spend the winter with her son, Mr. Harold H. Silliker in Hollywood, California.—S

—Mrs. A. W. Len of Calgary, Alberta, who had been home owing to the serious illness and subsequent death of her brother, John W. Hall, Summerside left on return Wednesday morning.—S

—**VARIETY CONCERT**, North Bedeque Hall Friday, 20th, 8 p.m. Admission 20c and 10c. Candy sale. L-3921

—**MR. B. L. MACDOUGALL** of the headquarters staff of the Dominion Silver Fox Furs, Ltd., at Summerside is assisting our representative Mr. J. D. Jenkins at Charlottetown. The quantities of fox pelts coming in to our Charlottetown office have increased so heavily that it became necessary to give Mr. Jenkins this assistance. Mr. MacDougall is ready to give them full time attention and we can recommend him as an authority on any phase of the fox business. Cash advances are still being given out and pelts coming in now are in plenty of time for the January Sales. The Dominion Silver Fox Furs, Ltd., L-3856.

HOARE RESIGNS POSITION

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himself; that Neville Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, might get it; that Sir John Simon, Home Secretary who was succeeded last June as Foreign Secretary by Sir Samuel Hoare would return to his former post; and that Eden, whose diplomatic rise has been almost meteoric, might be entrusted with the job.

Following parliamentary custom, it was learned, Sir Samuel will rise from his seat in Commons tomorrow as a private member of the House and present a "personal explanation" of his resignation.

He has represented the Chelsea district of London for a quarter of a century.

The official announcement said: "Sir Samuel Hoare placed his resignation from the office of Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs in the hands of the Prime Minister, who accepted it."

Sir Samuel had already prepared a speech of 4,000 words as the opening blast of the government's defence tomorrow, indicating how sudden his action was.

Labor and Liberal ranks had fired shaft after shaft into the government for the plan, which would give Premier Mussolini control of roughly two-thirds of Ethiopia although Italy herself was indicated by the League of Nations as an aggressor. The revolt had even extended into the ranks of Conservatives, who won an overwhelming victory in the last general election.

The government was accused of an about-face in its hitherto determined stand in the Italo-Ethiopian crisis.

Sir Samuel remained in the seclusion of his Chelsea home tonight, a footman announcing: "Sir Samuel cannot see anybody and is making no statement." A policeman was posted outside the house.

The government left the peace plan to its fate in Geneva and completed preparations for the battle during the debate tomorrow.

By Richard G. Massock, Associated Press Foreign Staff PARIS, Dec. 19. — (Thursday) — Minister of State Edouard Herriot withdrew his decision early today to resign from the Cabinet because of a disagreement with Premier Laval on foreign policies, saving the Laval Government from a threatened collapse.

Herriot announced late last night he would resign today and it was reported in radical socialist circles he would take this action because he disapproved of Laval's "weak" support of the League of Nations in the Italo-Ethiopian crisis.

Herriot reconsidered his decision to quit the government after he had resigned his leadership of the Radical Socialist party.

His announced intention of staying in the Cabinet heartened supporters of the Laval Government, which had been shaken only a short time before by an announcement of the resignation of Sir Samuel Hoare, the British Foreign Secretary who helped Laval write the Anglo-French peace plan.

One of the reasons advanced by some sources for Herriot's decision earlier to quit the Cabinet was that he felt Laval was "flirting" with Germany and that he feared a projected alliance with Soviet Russia would be pushed aside by the Premier, at the behest of the rightists.

Herriot resigned as President of his party after members of the executive committee had accused Laval of "horse trading" in the Italo-Ethiopian negotiations. The Radical Socialist leader said he could not accept such words.

Severe Blow

LONDON, Dec. 18. — (C.P. Cable) — Informed quarters saw indications tonight that the eventual result of the resignation of Sir Samuel Hoare as Foreign Secretary would be reconstruction of the government.

These quarters considered the outcry against the Franco-British proposals and Sir Samuel's resignation deal the government one of the most severe blows any administration had ever received so soon after an election.

One reason suggested for the resignation of the foreign secretary was that he considered the amendment offered in the House of Commons tomorrow to a labor motion denouncing the government's policy as a virtual vote of censure, upon himself.

The amendment, to be moved by Earl Winterton, says the Commons will support the government in pursuing the foreign policy outlined during the election campaign in the government manifesto, which promised full support of the League of Nations.

Sir Samuel's action is believed by political observers to have eased the situation for the government at a time when tension was increasing, but the storm clouds had not disappeared.

Government supporters make no secret of their extreme embarrassment at facing their constituents as a result of the events of the past week.

The House of Commons will expect the new foreign secretary to be a really big man.

The appointment of Neville Chamberlain, at present Chancellor of the Exchequer, would be popular with the government back-benchers and would undoubtedly calm the situation.

Neville Chamberlain was reported to have led the opposition in the Cabinet to the Franco-British peace proposals drafted by Sir Samuel and Premier Laval.

The fact that Winston Churchill is en route back to Britain cannot be overlooked, in the opinion of informed observers. He is considered as among possible choices for Chancellor of the Exchequer if Neville Chamberlain is transferred. Churchill himself has held a number of Cabinet posts in former administrations, including the chancellorship.

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(C.P. Havas By Guardian's Special Wire)

LONDON, Dec. 18.—The resignation of Sir Samuel Hoare from the post of Foreign Secretary was seen in some quarters tonight as partly the result of Premier Mussolini's strong speech in Italy today, in which he gave no indication of accepting the Franco-British peace proposals.

It Duce's speech caused a heightening of anti-Italian sentiment in public quarters here.

His remarks were interpreted as tantamount to rejection of the provision in the peace project for Italian colonization in Ethiopia.

"The peace plan was buried en bloc at Geneva and in detail at London today," said one prominent Conservative.

Investigate New Theories In Actress' Death

(A. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 18.—Inquest testimony, questioning the conclusion that Thelma Todd died of carbon monoxide gas, turned investigators tonight toward possible new theories in her puzzling death.

Roland West, movie director and business partner of the blond screen star, testified a "Mr. Smith" occupied an apartment above the garage in which Miss Todd was found dead Monday—presumably from exhaust fumes.

But, West said, Smith heard no motor running in the early Sunday morning hours when Miss Todd was believed to have entered the car.

With this and other developments at the inquest, George Rochester, county grand jury foreman, demanded an examination of the actress' stomach for possible evidence of poison.

Further Sanctions

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should be made," declared Eden, "however invidious the task for those who had to make it."

"For that," he continued, "I make no apology. Even if this attempt is to be unsuccessful, the essential importance of conciliation remains, as the League has frequently recognized. The principle therefore is right, even if its application in this instance may not have availed."

Then came his closing declaration. "It must be emphasized," he said, "that the Paris proposals which were put forward last week were not advanced as proposals to be insisted on in any event. They were advanced in order to ascertain what the views of the three parties (the League, Italy and Ethiopia) might be upon them, and His Majesty's government recommended them only for this purpose."

Premier Laval of France urged the Council not to pronounce finally on the plan until Italy and Ethiopia had definitely replied. "As yet," said M. Laval, "we are unaware of the welcome that may be given to our suggestions by the two parties. I assume that pending that information the council will itself not desire to pass an opinion."

are being founded, because the people know that they form part of the nation and that their destiny is a collective destiny.

"The war which we have started in Africa is a war of civilization. It is a war for the people. And the people know that this war is their war."

"A people of 44,000,000 inhabitants, not merely inhabitants, but souls, will not be deceived. Sure of the unanimous and profound consent of the people, the regime will continue in its straight path. It could and does not wish to do otherwise."

"Time will be necessary, but when a fight has started, it is not time which counts, but victory."

It Duce's speech was delivered while the League of Nations was deliberating a peace plan for the Italo-Ethiopian war and the Fascist Grand Council was preparing to meet to reply to the proposal.

ROME, Dec. 19. — (Thursday) — Benito Mussolini's grand Fascist Council ended more than three hours of discussion of the Anglo-French peace terms early today without announcing its judgment.

It Duce called another meeting of the Council for 10 p. m. Saturday.

After that meeting, he may announce whether Italy will discuss the peace terms or reject them and try to solve her own problems without the help of the League and its powers.

Queen Elena's gesture, carried out with all the impressive ceremony of Fascism, inaugurated the voluntary ring-offerings of Italian patriots in pairs of the country.

Standing in rain before the tomb of the unknown soldier, the Queen kissed her ring and that of the King, then threw them into a great bronze vessel containing burning incense.

"In you, sons of Italy, who defend her sacred rights and open new paths to the luminous advance of the Fatherland, we hope for the triumph of the civilization of Rome in the Africa which we are reclaiming," the Queen said.

"Our greeting goes to the glorious flag, to the officers and soldiers of the land, sea and air forces, to the Blackshirts, to the workers, to the faithful Askaris. Merry Christmas!"

As the Queen drove away amidst the acclaim of the crowd, a long line, headed by gentlemen and ladies of the court, moved forward to throw their wedding rings into the urn. They received in turn, steel rings from the government.

Count Galeazzo Ciano, It Duce's flying son-in-law, arrived here. It was believed he was on a secret mission from Marshal Pietro Badoglio in East Africa. He reached the capital shortly before the Grand Council's scheduled meeting at midnight tonight.

Premier Mussolini spoke at the dedication of the city of Pontinia, but on reclaimed swampland for the benefit of ex-soldiers and their families.

"What we have done here in the Pontine," he said, "shows our strength, our will and the capacity of the Blackshirts for accomplishments."

"It is not only in Italy that cities

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EXPORT TRADE CREW OF FIVE SHOWS INCREASE RESCUED FROM BATTERED SHIP

(C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)

OTTAWA, Dec. 18.—An increase of 35 percent or more than \$12,000,000 was shown in Canada's exports to British Empire countries during November compared with Nov., 1934, according to a report issued today by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. At the same time exports to foreign countries increased by 21 percent or more than \$6,000,000.

Exports to Empire countries during November amounted to \$48,256,475 compared with \$35,560,381 in Nov., 1934, while exports to foreign countries totalled \$35,858,515 against \$29,564,131. Total exports in November amounted to \$84,114,990 against \$65,124,512 in Nov., 1934.

The United Kingdom was the best customer among Empire countries taking goods to the value of \$41,208,464, an increase of \$11,136,012 or 37 per cent over Nov., 1934, while the United States was the highest among foreign countries with \$23,598,093, an increase of \$5,752,726 or 28 percent.

Biggest Express Business In Years

(Special to The Guardian)

MONCTON, N.B., Dec. 18.—Shoppers for Santa Claus seem to have started earlier this year as the heavier volume of express matter which arises at Christmas time has already commenced, stated F. M. Smith superintendent of the Canadian National Express here. There is a considerably greater volume of express matter being handled this season than last, Mr. Smith said, which is an indication of the improvement which has taken place in business generally. We anticipate that this season will witness one of the biggest Christmas express movements in recent years.

Lady Kingsford Smith to Complete Plans

(C. P. Cable Via Reuters)

(By Guardian's Special Wire)

SYDNEY, Australia, Dec. 18. — Lady Kingsford-Smith, widow of the famous Australian aviator, decided today to proceed with plans he was making for a regular air service linking Australia and New Zealand.

Sir Charles' widow decided to replace her husband as director of the Trans-Tasman Air Development Co. The company will adhere to Kingsford-Smith's plan for a semi-weekly air service between the two dominions. It will use United States Sikorsky Amphibian planes.

Lady Kingsford-Smith planned to use her own resources until capital of \$200,000 (approximately \$80,000) can be obtained, partly by private and partly by public subscription.

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Petty and Billy are guests in the palace of Santa Claus in Toyland. After a delightful dinner they went to bed tired and happy. Now the morning has come and they are eagerly waiting for Santa Claus to show them lots and lots of wonderful things...

