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WEEK END SPECIALS
THURSDAY, FRIDAY
and SATURDAY

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CROWDS CHEER
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people at the Palace gates. They swarmed about the Queen Victoria memorial. A number climbed on the memorial itself. The crowd sang "God Save the King" and "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow." There were constant cries of "We want Albert" and "We want the King." Weir's gait was subdued. Women-faced men and women behind the vendors of newspapers. In shops, where French and Italian restaurants abound, little groups around cafe tables eagerly discuss the new reign.

A firm of booksellers in Charing Cross had placed in the window a sign which read: "A book that will not be published." The title in gold lettering was "Edward VIII—King and Emperor." One hundred and fifty thousand copies of the book were to have been cancelled. The title will be at the time of the abdication. Thousands of copies of the book had been ordered. The entire stock of Common Prayer and other essential books will now be out of print. Makers of coronation medals and coronation mugs—a popular item of present to schoolchildren—will be affected.

Outside 145 Piccadilly—where the Duke and Duchess of York reside—crowds overflowed.

Until 8.30 p. m. Princesses Elizabeth and Margaret Rose could be seen peeping from under a blind in the storey room. They evidently were excited to sleep.

The many speculations recall an incident at King George's funeral. When the coffin was being borne in a gun carriage to Westminster Hall, the cross of the Imperial Crown on the coffin fell to the ground. Was it a portent, people are asking.

Clams in the beautiful valley of Strathmore, the ancestral home of the new Queen, was excited over the thought of a daughter of the house becoming Queen. She always has kept close touch with her own folks in the village. It is hoped now that King and Queen will continue to spend the holidays at Glamis Castle.

The question of new postage stamps will be considered as early as possible. The King Edward VIII stamps were regarded as the greatest success recorded by the post office. More than 30,000,000 were sold the first day.

WOMAN BECOMES FARM MACHINE

BRISBANE, Queensland, Dec. 10—The turning of swords into plowshares has a variant in the fate of a mountain battery gun and carriage captured by Australian forces from the Turks at Gallipoli.

The gun was presented to the school of art of the University of Brisbane. The gun was recently requested to take it away as it was in need of repair.

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—FUR BUYER—Mr. Justin Roter of Paris, France, is purchasing silver fox pelts at the office of B. Graham Rogers, Summerside. —1007-12-3-1mo.

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THE DAUGHTER OF JAIRUS IS PRESENTED BY PRESBYTERIAN CHORUS

The beautiful Cantata, The Daughter of Jairus, was presented last night by the choir of the Presbyterian Church at Summerside. Miss Muriel Leach presided at the organ. The solo parts were taken by Miss Vera Malcolm Campbell, Messrs. T. W. Bentley, J. C. Mountain, Lowell Hancock and Arnold Taylor. The choir have been practicing for some time for this performance and the time spent was well rewarded, as their presentation of this stupendous production was very high class. The service closed with Christmas hymn and

ST. MARY'S BADMINTON CLUB

St. Mary's Badminton Club entertained the St. Mark's Club, Kensington to a social evening on Wednesday in St. Mary's Hall. Friendly games of badminton were played and refreshments served. The Club invited their guests to come again.—S.

BENEFIT PERFORMANCE

The S'ide Citizens Band present their benefit performance this evening in aid of the Community Chest Fund. The concert is being held in the High School Auditorium. Among the numbers will be the well known Colonel Bogey March, Nights of Gladness, Destiny and other popular music. Miss Amanda Cannon will sing "Silent Night," accompanied by the Band. There are other select numbers and a good attendance is expected.—S.

REPEAT PERFORMANCE

The Whole Town's Talking was presented again last night by the C. Y. M. C. players to a delighted audience. Mr. George Clow who directed the play and the whole cast are to be congratulated on their clever presentation of one of the best comedy hits of the season. The young ladies who sang during intermission were heartily cheered for their lively numbers. The pianists were Mrs. Roy Silliphant, Mr. E. P. Foley and Mrs. Joseph Callaghan.—S.

Seek Repeal of Temperance Act

(C.P. by Guardian's Special Wire) TORONTO, Dec. 10—Possibility of an early session of the Ontario legislature was indicated by Premier Hepburn today after the first cabinet meeting in weeks. The Premier announced also the Government would request the Dominion administration to repeal the Canada Temperance Act and indicated there would be no general election until 1938.

He said he intended to pass legislation at the next session which would obviate the necessity of the Ontario Hydro Electric Commission posting security for costs in any of its court actions with regard to the public power contracts which were cancelled by his government.

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MRS. SIMPSON REMAINS IN SECLUSION

CANNES, France, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Wallis Warfield Simpson waited tonight for her unthroned King.

She held herself secluded in her Riviera haven, whence she came Dec. 3 from England when the waves of controversy surrounding King Edward's intention to marry her began to beat about her head.

Today she knew before the world learned that the monarch had given up his Imperial charade in order to make her his bride.

She had been in telephonic communication with London during the morning.

With one obstacle in the way to their marriage thus cleared, she refused through her spokesmen to comment on Edward's world-shaking pronouncement: "I have determined to renounce the Throne." Then she retired to seclusion.

STAND GUARD

Eight French detectives and officers from Scotland Yard in London stood guard inside and outside the grounds of Lou Vici Villa to see that her withdrawal into privacy is observed.

A crowd gathered in a soaking rain, but there was no sign of Mrs. Simpson.

She "has nothing to say," brokenly declared Lord Brownlow, gentleman-in-waiting to the King, who came out, head bowed to meet newspapermen after the world knew love had triumphed over duty in the heart of the King.

"There has been no statement, and there will be no statement," concluded Lord Brownlow as he turned and slowly retraced his steps to the stucco villa nestling near terraces of orange groves and pine trees beside the sea.

Dusk was falling. Lengthening shadows fell across Mrs. Simpson's bedroom windows, which look out upon a lighthouse standing sentinel-like in Riviera harbor.

PLANS UNDISCLOSED

Mrs. Simpson's plans were undisclosed tonight, but it was announced she would not meet Edward here.

Herman Rogers, of New York, owner of the villa announced: "Not only is the King not coming to the villa, but he is not coming to the Riviera."

"What his definite plans are, we do not know, but we do know that much."

"There are no changes so far as Mrs. Simpson's plans are concerned. She plans to stay here at least until after Christmas."

That disposed of the possibility Edward might spend the holiday season with her.

Mrs. Simpson slept late this morning while the man who soon formally was to renounce the Throne for love of her was closeted in a last conference with his brothers at Fort Belvedere in Forsey England.

After that villa servants said, she spent some time on the telephone with persons of undisclosed identity in London where her personal solicitor, Theodore Goddard, returned bearing brief cases loaded with documents.

He had conferred with her here, but it was denied she had signed any papers.

Likewise, her spokesman said she had made no move to speed up the effective date of her decree nisi divorce from Ernest Aldrich Simpson, which would enable her and her royal admirer to be married sooner.

British nisi decrees normally are made absolute in six months. Mrs. Simpson's waiting period expires April 27.

Friends said it is likely they may

Stanley Baldwin "Typical" Englishman



THE DRAMA OF

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negotiations with the King in a speech the like of which, in its quiet dignity and moving appeal, has never been surpassed in Westminster.

He spoke almost without notes. He had before him a few slips of paper with scribbled slips. Now and again he consulted a vest pocket diary to verify a date. But on the despatch box before him lay no prepared oration.

The House, packed to every corner, followed every syllable with an attention that rivaled even the flutter of an order-paper. One felt that it was the story, not of a Prime Minister giving constitutional advice to a monarch, but rather of quiet counsel to a friend. And the picture Baldwin presented of the King was not that of a wayward monarch thrusting aside the advice of his trusted counsellors, but of a man embarked on a course he considered honorable, determined to pursue that course even at the cost of his Throne.

DRAMA UNPARALLELED

Even the long and moving history of Westminster presents no parallel for the drama of today. The benches and galleries were jammed. Cabinet ministers unable to find a seat stood near the Speaker's chair. Members whose names are household words sat perched on the edge of benches.

For 40 minutes the House impatiently followed routine questions. Labor members stormed for a few moments over a chamber remark by Ernest Brown, Minister of Labor.

Nobody expected anything but abdication. Yet the final definite act had still to be learned.

"A message from the King," the Speaker announced. Baldwin left his seat and went to the bar of the House, bearing the document. He turned and bowed to Mr. Speaker. He walked quickly towards the Clerk's table, bowed again and then handed the document to the Speaker.

Without further formality the Speaker read the document. It was the announcement of the abdication of the King.

The House stirred uneasily, shocked to its depths. Baldwin rose and in a quiet voice formally moved that the message from the King be now considered.

SORROW

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in passage of—the necessary legislation.

Viscount Craigavon, Prime Minister of Northern Ireland, announced in Belfast: "In this crisis in the history of the realm our heartfelt sympathy goes out to the Royal Family and our allegiance to the Throne remains unalterable."

The statement continued: "His Royal Highness, the Duke of York, on being called to fulfill the highest position within the Empire, is assured of the loyalty and devotion which are characteristic of the Ulster people."

Bombay officials expressed relief that the King's renunciation of his Throne ended a constitutional crisis without endangering the Crown.

South Africa received the actual announcement with calm.

"King Edward has been called upon to make one of the most heart rending choices that can befall to any man," the Rand Daily

Facilitate Home Improvement Plan

(C.P. by Guardian's Special Wire) OTTAWA, Dec. 10—Home owners wishing to obtain loans under the Government's Home Improvement Plan will not, in future, have to make a personal application to their bank.

Arrangements have now been completed under which contractors doing the work may get the owner's signature on a form, take it to the bank, and, if the manager is satisfied, the loan will go through. It was found in the United States, where a similar modernization and repair scheme has been operated successfully for years, that if the contractor was in a position to sign up the home owner and then conduct negotiations with the lending institutions, the results were much more successful than if the owner was required to appear personally at the bank.

Canadian banks are being furnished with special forms which will provide for this changed form of lending. Where the owner is a good risk, arrangements can be made for the bank to pay the contractor directly after the work has been certified as satisfactory, and no money need pass through the home owner's hands.

Fredericton Fox Show Opened

FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 10—Seventy-five live foxes and 50 pelts were exhibited today at Fredericton's first show of its kind.

Ralph Silliphant, Summerside, P. E. I., judged the live foxes and Myer Nelson, Montreal, was judge of the pelts. Interest in the live specimens indicated fox men are paying more attention to the quality and production of breeders.

Dr. A. B. Teakles, Sussex, won the greatest number of points for live fox exhibits and Mr. Teakles showed the grand champion fox, Percy A. Gerow, Fredericton, won a trophy for the grand champion-ship pelts.

Condition Of Pope Pius Unchanged

(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) VATICAN CITY, Dec. 10—Pope Pius XI was stated tonight to have spent a comfortable evening, reading with interest the news of King Edward VIII's abdication, after a day in which His Holiness left his bed for the first time in his six-day illness.

Prelates said he was gratified the British crisis had closed without undermining the Throne and without permitting a divorce to become Queen.

The Pope remained up only a short time when he left his bed this morning and attendants almost carried him.

A reliable Vatican source said he suffered a relapse early in the day and expressed the opinion he never would be able to walk again if he recovered from his present crisis.

His heart action has been irregular and he suffers from the infirmities of old age as well as partial paralysis of the legs.

Well-informed persons said the Holy Father's condition was one of "stasis"—that is, stagnation of the blood.

BALDWIN

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Official Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, was being groomed to take over the reins.

Chamberlain is a bulwark in the Conservative party, power behind the National Government.

But tonight the talk of the Prime Minister's possible retirement and of Chamberlain's succession to his post was over-shadowed by the tributes for Baldwin.

The Prime Minister was acclaimed by members of all parties, bringing hand after hand the most difficult problem of his kind that ever confronted a man in his position.

They paid tribute to him for his convincing, statesmanlike manner and said he added prestige to parliament without wounding the Sovereign.

LABOR CONFERENCE

Labor, the official opposition, held a party conference tonight in which it was stated later, majority of the members supported Baldwin throughout.

But Baldwin, his fellow-members in the Commons stated, carried the day by appearing to deal with the problem almost as if it was a family affair in which every member was equally concerned.

Baldwin, who opposed his King yet kept his friendship, likes to be considered simply an English gentleman. He does not glory in his power.

His ambition is to raise pigs. "I want to go back to Worcester," he once declared, "read books, live a decent life, and keep pigs."

A BLACKSMITH

Earlier in his 69 years of life he decided he wanted to be a blacksmith. In the Baldwin family iron works, he worked as a smithy and developed a sturdy physique.

Baldwin has an independent mind alert and witty. His epigrams are notable in parliament.

When he announced in the House of Commons two years ago, "the frontier of England is now the Rhine," he summed up two days of debate on the national defence program.

Attacks on him by one section of the press during a political campaign he replied: "The press claims all the prerogatives of a harlot down the ages—power without responsibility."

Baldwin's first term as Prime Minister was from May, 1923, to January 1924; the second was from November, 1924 to June, 1929; his present term began June 7, 1935.

OTTAWA VOICES APPROVAL OF ABDICATION

OTTAWA, Dec. 10.—(CP)—Official Ottawa, keyed to a high pitch by the swiftly moving constitutional drama which culminated this morning in the abdication of King Edward, met the situation calmly and with a despatch that indicated a complete preparedness based upon advanced information.

Even before Stanley Baldwin and Mr. Speaker Fitzroy in the British House of Commons had transmitted the momentous decision of the King to members of Parliament.

Prime Minister Mackenzie King was presiding over an emergency session of Cabinet Council. Through the co-operation of Lord Tweedsmuir, Governor General of Canada, steps were quickly taken to render it unnecessary to call a special session of Parliament.

To make it possible for the King's abdication and the accession of a new Sovereign to take place simultaneously in the United Kingdom and the Dominion, an order-in-council was approved requesting and consenting that the British Government embody in its validation bill the approval of Canada.

MEETS MINISTERS

This morning, Mr. Mackenzie King met his ministers. They were in session when the official news was flashed around the world that King Edward had made his irrevocable decision to vacate the Throne and that his brother, the Duke of York, would succeed him.

Members of the press gallery were summoned to the Prime Minister's office shortly before noon for an official statement.

Apparently tired and worn by the days of uncertainty and the last 24 hours vigil, Mr. Mackenzie King first explained to the press the steps that had been taken then communicated to the people in a coast-to-coast broadcast. The facts were repeated in French by Hon. Ernest LaPointe, Minister of Justice.

After making preparations for the necessary proclamations and special issue of the Canada Gazette, the Prime Minister retired to Laurier House to rest. He is expected to make further announcements when passage of the validation bill in the British House of Commons is announced.

Meanwhile the news from London was on every tongue in the capital. Sessions of the National Finance Committee and Tariff Board were held. Provincial Premiers from every province except Ontario were in the Finance Committee but the morning session could not get underway on schedule because of the complete preoccupation of the delegates with the momentous news.

The Finance Committee again got down to business and life went on as usual with an apparent general feeling of relief that the situation had been resolved and uncertainty ended.

On the question of Canada's part in the conversations that preceded the abdication of King Edward, the Finance Committee remained silent. This was a matter, he said, that would have to be discussed with the British Government and the Dominions. If it were deemed advisable to make public the stand taken by Canada toward the King's marriage to Mrs. Wallis Simpson, he would act in concert with the other governments. Calling on Canada's Parliament

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must of necessity be a matter of considerable notice because of the great distances to be travelled by members.

It was obvious that Parliament could not be called in time to permit passage of legislation that would coincide with the validation Act now being considered in the Parliament in London and likely to be passed tomorrow.



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