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EUROPEAN TENSION OVER SPAIN RELAXING

UNITE AGAINST "RED" VICTORY IN SPAIN

Germany Holds Key To Future Claims Eden

British Foreign Secretary Reviews Situations Arising Out Of Spanish Civil War.

LONDON, Jan. 19.—(AP)—Germany holds the key to the future of Europe, Foreign Secretary Eden told the House of Commons tonight.

The Secretary gave the House a look behind the diplomatic scene as he found it in the recent weeks of war clouds and the search for a sure road to peace.

He saw lessening danger that the Spanish civil war might spread outside the Iberian Peninsula and pronounced the story of Mediterranean tensions, arising out of sanctions during the Ethiopian campaign, ended by the Italo-British Mediterranean Agreement.

If Germany chooses the path of "full and equal cooperation with Europe," Eden said, she would have the wholehearted cooperation of Britain.

"There's a great nation of 65,000,000 at the very centre of our continent," he said of Germany, "which has exalted race and nationalism to a creed which is practiced with the same fervour it is preached.

Holds Fate Of Europe

"The world is asking whether these doctrines are to lead Germany and all of us. Germany has it in her power to influence the choice which will decide not only her fate, but Europe's."

Eden sounded the most optimistic official note of recent months when he declared the Spanish danger had lessened, though it had not been completely nullified.

"Intervention in Spain," he told the first session of parliament since the holiday recess, "is not only bad for humanity; it is bad politics," which 24,000,000 Spaniards would oppose as would Britain.

Dominance of a single power in Spain is the most unlikely outcome of the civil conflict he declared.

Eden found another encouraging factor of the European situation in the Anglo-Italian Mediterranean declaration which he said ended a chapter of strained relations.

British interests, he said, demand that the conflict should not spread beyond Spain itself, and that the political independence and territorial integrity of Spain should be observed.

Morocco Incident

Eden disclosed the French ambassador Jan. 8 informed him of the receipt of word of the impending arrival of a strong contingent of German volunteers in Spanish Morocco.

The British government, he said, had received reassuring reports concerning the alleged landing after an inspection of Melilla and Ceuta.

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Federal Field Service Urged For Fox Industry At Association Meeting

Good Demand For All Types Of Pelts

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) MONTREAL, Jan. 19.—Freak crop-fox pelts brought from \$155 to \$200 today at the auction of the Canadian Fur Sales Auction Company, with demand good for all types of skins on the block including white fox, blue fox, lynx, beaver and wolf.

Encouraging Reports Submitted At Largely Attended Annual Convention Of C.N.S.F.B.A. In City Yesterday.

Establishment of a field service for the fox industry by the Dominion Department of Agriculture, in accord with the service provided other livestock breeders, was strongly recommended in a resolution passed by the Canadian National Silver Fox Breeders Association at their annual meeting here yesterday. The resolution was adopted in accord with a suggestion made earlier at the meeting by Hon. W. H. Dennis, Provincial Minister of Agriculture.

Fox men from all parts of Canada were in attendance at the convention, which sat in the Canadian National Hotel yesterday morning, afternoon, and up to a late hour last night.

The President, Mr. L. T. Leeman, Salisbury, N.B., presided, and in his annual report stated that conditions in the industry are showing a marked improvement, with pelts prices very encouraging notwithstanding material changes taking place in world production. Last season 1,762 foxes were pelted by the Association, already more than that number have been pelted this season.

The following directors were re-elected: British Columbia, J. J. Gillis; Saskatchewan, Dr. A.K. McKinnon; Nova Scotia, C. H. Barnhill; Prince Edward Island, G. A. Calbeck; A. S. Robertson, Dr. A. A. Lockhart.

Subjects discussed at the convention included lower freight rates and packing house charges, classification of fox meats, and numerous constitutional amendments. The meeting adjourned last night until 9 o'clock this morning.

Hosts of Government The members were the guests last evening of the Provincial Government at an enjoyable banquet in the hotel, Premier Campbell

New Treason Trial Set For Jan. 23

(A.P. By Guardian's Special Wire) MOSCOW, Jan. 19.—Seventeen Russians including the writer Bar. Radek, were ordered to trial today on charges of conspiring to aid foreign occupation of the Soviet nation and to restore capitalism.

The trial will begin Jan. 23 before the Military Collegium of the Supreme Court, and will be the second resulting from recent investigation of alleged counter-revolutionary activities.

Sixteen Russians tried last summer, including Gregory Zinovieff, were executed for alleged plotting to kill Josef Stalin and others high in the Soviet administration.

In addition to Radek, until recently considered an authoritative reflector of government views in his newspaper editorials, the defendants include Gregory Pyatakov, former assistant commissar for heavy industry; Gregory Sokolnikoff, former ambassador to London; and M. Seredynkoff, former vice-minister of communications.

Treason and conspiracy were the specific charges.

Pontiff Reported Weaker Following "A Bad Day"

VATICAN CITY, Jan. 19.—Pope Pius XI had "a bad day" and was weaker tonight, a reliable source said.

Stricken Dec. 5 with partial paralysis of the legs and ailing from other old-age troubles, the 79 year old Pontiff was said in a semi-official report to have been in less favorable condition than at any time in a week.

His physicians held a consultation tonight. The Holy Father's right arm pained him severely, Vatican sources declared, and it was believed this indicated he had angina pectoris.

MEETING OF TRADE BOARD CONCLUDED

Several Matters Of Interest Discussed At Adjourned Annual Session—Proposed Ferry Project Endorsed.

The Charlottetown Board of Trade at an adjourned annual meeting last night went on record as "endorsing most heartily the proposed ferry service from Wood Islands to some suitable point in Nova Scotia at or near Caribou."

The resolution also urged that the Dominion Government "be requested to provide suitable terminals, to be completed by the spring of 1938, and that a sufficient annual subsidy be provided for such a service."

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Included in those discussing the proposed service were Messrs. Hector Compton, Belle River; D. F. Archibald; W. H. Townshend, Rollo Bay; H. H. Acorn, M.L.A.; Goulet; J. M. Murray; W. A. McLagan; Montague; L. H. Poole, Montague; R. E. Mutch; R. K. Clements, Montague.

In a short statement to the Board Mr. C. E. MacKenzie quoted freight rates on turnpits to Boston from Charlottetown. The all-rail rate, he stated, was 50 1/2 cents per cwt.; the rate on the Farnorth was 20 cents per cwt.; and the rate by rail to Saint John, N.B., and then by eastern steamships to Boston was 35 cents per cwt., 15 for the rail and 20 for the water haul.

In December, about the 9th Mr. McKenzie thought, the railways introduced a water competitive rate of 39 cents per cwt. from Charlottetown to Boston. He would have the Board to judge his statement made at the last meeting of the Board and for which he was so severely taken to task in letters appearing in the press, Mr. McKenzie stated. And he had made no mention of any one concern in his statements at the former meeting, the speaker declared.

A resolution concerning abuses under the Farmers Creditors Arrangement Act was discussed at some length and then left in the hands of a committee to study and report to the Board. Composing the committee were Messrs. J. H. Howatt, R. L. Cotton, D. J. Archibald, A. W. Hyndman, and the President, R. R. Bell.

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

"Fellow members of the Canadian National Silver Fox Breeders' (Continued on page 3)

Sees Price Rise In Potato Shortage

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) TORONTO, Jan. 19.—Because of a general shortage of potatoes on the continent, Ont. growers face a potato shortage within the next six months and the present price level may advance, J. T. Cassin, President of the Ontario Potato Growers' Association said today.

Canada's potato holdings Jan. 2 totalled 2,525,960 hundredweight this year, a decrease of 345,960 hundredweight from the total of 2,875,900 a year ago, he said.

"This is a considerable reduction when you consider the supply last year was barely sufficient," Mr. Cassin said.

Exports to the United Kingdom, while second to those to the United States, showed the largest increase, the gain being 40 per cent while exports to the United States were up 10 per cent.

Jump Shown In Canada's Exports

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) OTTAWA, Jan. 19.—Canada's domestic exports bounded upward during December in comparison with the same month the previous year, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported today.

Domestic exports during December were worth \$98,074,000, an increase of \$20,975,000 or more than 27 per cent compared with December, 1935.

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Offer Reward To Spanish Civilians

VALENOLIA, Spain, Jan. 19.—(CP-Havas)—The War Ministry tonight offered a reward of 50 pesetas (about \$6 before the civil war) to all Spanish civilians quitting insurgent-held territory and pledging allegiance to the Government.

Trans-continent Flight Mark Broken

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—(AP)—Sucking oxygen through a rubber tube most of the way, Howard K. Hughes, millionaire sportsman pilot and movie producer, flashed across the continent at an average speed of nearly 5 1/2 miles a minute today to set a new west-east air record.

The lanky, 34-year-old amateur flier drove his specially constructed, bullet-shaped monoplane from Los Angeles to Newark in seven hours, 28 minutes, 25 seconds by official clocking. The previous record, which he set Jan. 14, 1936, was nine hours, 25 minutes, 10 seconds.

Tired, oil-splattered and "a bit shaky" after rocketing non-stop across the country Hughes climbed out of his cockpit at Newark airport and told of escaping near-disaster when his inhalator failed at an altitude of 20,000 feet.

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SUCCESSION BILL PASSED BY PARLIAMENT

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) OTTAWA, Jan. 19.—Party lines disappeared in the House of Commons tonight as the bill assenting to the charge in the abdication of King Edward VIII received second and third readings.

Supporting the bill were Prime Minister Mackenzie King, Conservative Leader Bennett and Justice Minister Lapointe. Opposing it were Hon. C. H. Cahane, Conservative member for St. Lawrence, St. George, Montreal, and J. S. Woodsworth, C. C. Leader.

Mr. Bennett said the bill should become law out of "an abundance of caution" although it was not strictly necessary. Its purpose was to bar the former King or his descendants from setting up any claim to the Crown in future.

While agreeing he would have taken the same action on the abdication as the Prime Minister had taken, Mr. Bennett said he would have taken a different method. He questioned the propriety of the order-in-council by which the King Government indicated the consent of Canada to the bill passed at Westminster giving effect to the abdication, but declined to say what method he would have adopted.

Describing the whole procedure as futile and irregular, Mr. Cahane said the only important thing remaining was to evolve some formula which would prevent the precedents established being followed in future. He challenged the right of the Government to pass the order-in-council of Dec. 10 and asserted George VI became King automatically regardless of this action.

All the law officers of Canada, the United Kingdom and the other Dominions advised the action of the Canadian Government, said Mr. Lapointe. Mr. Cahane stood in "splendid isolation" among lawyers.

Conservative and radical found themselves in agreement as Mr. Cahane joined Mr. Woodsworth in

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Quiet Restored At Reformatory

(C.P. By Guardian's Special Wire) GUELPH, Ont., Jan. 19.—All errand prisoners of the Ontario Reformatory had come home to roost; tonight and repair operations were well on their way toward restoring the building to the normal condition before Sunday's rioting and incendiarism.

The 22 young fugitives who either surrendered or were netted in the police roundup following the eight-hour riot were moved from cells in Wellington county jail and Guelph police headquarters back to the Reformatory. After their return, a final check-up showed that the roster was intact. Damage to the building was placed at \$25,000.

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Floods Threaten In U. S. Midwest

(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—Forecastes of more rain in the southern portions of Ohio, Missouri and Illinois added to the growing tension over runaway rivers in the middle United States today.

Leaves crumbled anew before the pressure of flooded streams, routing families and inundating farms. Thousands of men were sent to the Ohio and Mississippi valleys.

Water spilled over scores of highways in half a dozen states, virtually isolating some communities and the Ohio, already swollen to flood stage along its 980 miles, was expected to rise to 60 feet at Portsmouth and Cincinnati and 58 feet at Maysville, in revised estimates.

ITALO-GERMAN TALKS END IN ACCORD

Will Stamp Out Bolshevism In Western Europe "At Any Cost"

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) ROME, Jan. 19.—General Hermann Goering of Germany tonight announced to the Italian press that Italy and Germany were in complete agreement "against the institution of Bolshevism in Spain."

In an interview at Capri where he is vacationing, the chief aide of Reichschancellor Hitler said the two nations had seen the threat of Communism reach "its most acute phases" in Spain.

Italy and Germany, he asserted, were in harmony on keeping Bolshevism out of Western Europe "at any cost."

He indicated that aggressive plans to this end were carefully studied and checked during his visit this week to Rome when he held several conferences with Premier Mussolini.

Invitation Italy put forth today an apparent invitation to Great Britain and France to align themselves against Communism in an agreement with Italy and Germany.

A Government official declared countries pursuing a middle course—notably Britain and France—had it in their power to decide whether a general European conflict should come from the struggle between Fascism and Communism, one factor in the Spanish civil war.

He said Italy agreed with a declaration by General Hermann Goering, Chancellor Hitler's chief aide who is in Italy, that European nations must line up on one side or the other.

Italy does not feel war is necessary for a settlement and will do all she can to prevent it, the official said.

Italy holds that the only way to fight Communism is with Fascism, the official added.

Premier Mussolini and his Foreign Minister, Count Galeazzo Ciano, finished work on Italy's reply to Britain's latest proposal to strengthen the international "hands off Spain agreement."

Informed sources indicated the Italian answer would accept the principle of international control over volunteers but would insist there be no indirect assistance such as financial aid and propaganda.

It was believed Britain would receive the statement tomorrow or Thursday.

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Regional Drama Festival At Saint John Next Week

SAINT JOHN, N. B., Jan. 19.—Major J. P. Simon, chairman of the New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island Region of the Dominion Drama Festival, announced today that six regional plays would be adjudicated here next Monday and Tuesday nights by George de Warford, expected to arrive from London Sunday or Monday.

Presentations will be a rural play, "The House On The Hill," Saint John Community Drama League; "The Clod," concerning the time of the American civil war, and "The Jewel Merchant," a costume play, both presented by the Saint John Theatre Guild; "Maker Of Dreams," a fantasy, Moncton Little Theatre Guild; "Nocturne," a modern work, presented by Char-

lottetown players, and a play yet to be announced by the 1934 club of St. Andrew's Church, Saint John.

Lieutenant-Governor MacLaren of New Brunswick will award medals for the best individual performance, lady and gentlemen, to the winning group. Lieutenant-Governor DeLois of Prince Edward Island will award a challenge cup, to be competed for annually, perpetually for each victorious cast. The latter will be the first of the regional committee, which also will award a large cup to the runner-up group. The five trophies are the first of the kind offered in any of the Canadian regional drama festivals.

Inauguration Eve Quietly Observed

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—A crowded capital forgot dreary weather tonight and dismal prophecies of more tomorrow in a carnival overture to the second inauguration of President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

A crowd of 250,000 is expected to attend the ceremonies or watch the parade, according to official estimates.

The weatherman forecast rain, possibly even sleet or snow for tomorrow, but even this grim prediction failed to dampen the happy mood of the crowd.

President Roosevelt kept quietly to the White House. There was a small dinner for the heads of campaign committees, but otherwise, inauguration eve was, for the chief executive, an evening of work.

TO CHALLENGE ACT CALGARY, Jan. 19.—(CP)—The Attorney-General of Alberta will challenge the validity of the Dominion Interest Act in Supreme Court here during the hearing of six actions concerning the Alberta reduction and settlement of debts act.

Announcement of the provincial challenge against the federal act was made today by W. S. Gray, K. C., agent of the attorney-general.

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TORONTO, Jan. 19.—Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 16 to zero; Victoria, 24 to 28; Edmonton, 26 to 12; Winnipeg, 38 to 8; Toronto, 24 to 28; Ottawa, 16 to 22; Montreal, 16 to 24; Quebec, 10 to 22; Saint John, 28 to 40; Halifax, 32 to 42; Charlottetown, 22 to 40.

Forecast: Maritime Provinces: Fresh or strong northerly to easterly winds; partly cloudy with somewhat lower temperature; probably followed by snow or rain at night or on Thursday.

High tide this afternoon at 3.53 and tomorrow morning at 5.25. Sun sets this afternoon at 4.50 and rises tomorrow morning at 7.31.

Full moon Tuesday, Jan. 26, 12.15 p.m. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

THE CAR FERRY Leaves Borden 9:35 a. m. 1 p. m. Leaves Tormentine 11 a. m. 2:55 p. m. Daily except Sunday.

COMING EVENTS

**Reserve Feb. 18 for Mock Trial in Baptist Schoolroom. L-2351.

**Hockey at French River tonight, January 20, between Sea View and French River. L-2357.

**Hockey at New Glasgow tonight, Maple Leafs vs. Rangers at 8 o'clock. Skating after. L-2349.

**Albany, Wednesday, January 20, card party at home of Mr. James Noonan. L-2350.

**Bedeque Thursday, January 21st, card party at home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan McCordie. L-2350.

**Borden Saturday evening, January 23rd, card party at home of Mr. W. F. MacNeill. L-2350.

**West Royalty Bears vs. Hornet, Milton Rink tonight, league game. Skate after. L-2352.

**Enormous Rummage Sale, St. James Hall, Saturday next 6.30. L-2322-1-19-21.

**Buying live hogs Albany Thursday 21st, Emerald 22nd until noon. G. C. Green. L-2022-1-W-1-t-w-t-t.

**Bingo Party and Dance, Kelly's Cross, Wednesday, January 20th. If not fine, Thursday. L-2338-1-20-11.

**Hockey and skate at Marshfield rink tonight, Dunsaffrage vs. Frenchfort, League game. L-2359.

**Don't forget Social, Pleasant Grove Hall, Thursday evening, if not fine following night. L-2356-1-20-21.

**George Leightner Co., Water Street, buying dressed chicken and fowl. Top prices. Try us. L-954-12-21.

**Postponed Carnival at York Rink Thursday, Jan. 21st. If not fine, first fine night following. L-2334.

**Borden Line Club loading hogs, lambs, calves every Wednesday at Albany. Hours 12-3. L-6972-10-M T W T F.

**Buying live hogs Monday forenoon, January 25th, Lemuel Craswell, Hunter River, Alden Moase, Kensington Everett Haslam, Emerald buying same date, Signed A. E. Wedlock. L-2319-1-19-21.

**The Annual Meeting of the New Perth Dairying Company will be held on Tuesday, January 19th at 2 o'clock. Douglas McLaren, Secretary. L-2319-1-19-21.

**Come to Baptist Schoolroom next Thursday evening and enjoy seeing Portraits of the gay 90's, with music. Also one act comedy "Sardines". Admission 25c. L-2329-1-19-21.

**Reorganization Meeting of Wilshire Hockey League at Howard Balderson's, Wednesday, January 20th at 7 P. M. Teams wishing to enter please be represented. L-2336-1-20-11.

**Do not miss seeing a "Mid-Summer Night's Dream" picture at Prince Edward Theatre, Jan. 25-26-27, sponsored by Y. M. C. A. Tickets on sale at Henderson and Cudmore's, Old Spain and Y. M. C. A. office. L-2358.