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THE CLIMAX OF A WORLD'S TRIBUTE TO A GREAT KING BUT ONE THOUGHT IN ST. JOHN TODAY, AND THAT IS OF EDWARD

Memorial Services in Many Churches This Morning, Large Congregations Attending

Mayor, Civic Officials and Societies Gather in Trinity—Bishop Casey Makes Eloquent Remarks and Cathedral Chimes Ring Out Dead March—Methodists and Presbyterians in Joint Services—Other Features of the Day in the City

In common with every other portion of the empire, the Loyalist city of St. John mourns today the passing of a great and wise ruler. While in England thousands of loyal and loving subjects were listening to the eulogies and prayers of the highest prelates in the land, or the muffled drums of the bands in the funeral cortege, in this city the people were honoring the memory of their late king by attending services in the churches and by appropriate signs of mourning.



His Majesty King George V.

British people, and none has done more to strengthen those foundations than he whose memory we honor today. This afternoon the local militia will parade to Trinity church, where a special service will be held. The parade will be followed by a march to the Barbours square, where the proclamation announcing the accession of King George V. will be read and a salute fired. The Salvation Army will also hold a special memorial service this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Charlotte street chapel.

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IN TRINITY

Rev. R. A. Armstrong Speaks of the King's Good Work—City Council and Societies Attend

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IN THE CATHEDRAL

Bishop Casey's Eloquent Tribute—Catholics Regard for the Late Monarch

In the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, at the 11:15 mass this morning, His Lordship Bishop Casey eloquently referred to the death and funeral of King Edward. The "Dead March in D" was played on the chimes and special prayers were offered after the mass. His Lordship spoke as follows:

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

Rev. Mr. Grant and Rev. Mr. Read Are Heard by Large Congregation This Morning

There was a large congregation in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church to listen to addresses by Rev. K. J. Grant and Rev. H. R. Read, Rev. Gordon Dickie conducted the service and prayer was offered by Rev. S. W. Anthony. Solos were sung by Miss Blenda Thompson and Fred McKean. The members of St. Andrew's Society occupied seats at the front of the church.

HIS TASK IS O'ER

(T. L. S. in Toronto Globe). Once man, also, the passing bell The tidings of our loss: The King is dead, O'er his general, nobler of his name, Few years that happy has the Empire seen, Since from his father's mother's dying hand He took the scepter and with it the crown To live and reign as Great Victoria's son. Now he is gone, and in our heart of hearts We say amen, to his last whispered word. His task is o'er, his duty is well done, God comfort her who sheds a widow's tear.

Probably Greatest Assemblage of Royal Personages in History of The World

Tens of Thousands Who Sought Early for Positions Caught Not a Sight of the Funeral Procession, So Great Was the Throng—Late Monarch's Charger and His Pet Dog Led Behind Master's Body—Service at Windsor

(Associated Press) London, May 20.—The body of King Edward VII was carried through the streets of the capital today in the presence of hundreds of thousands of subjects and with the kings of nine European nations, several future rulers, members of all the royal families of the world and the president of the United States following the caquet from Westminster Hall to Paddington Station.



EMPEROR WILLIAM

The cortege moved through solid lines of caquet soldiers standing with rifles reversed and the regimental colors dipped to the ground. At the railway station the caquet was placed in a funeral car and taken to Windsor where, after the Church of England service had been conducted by the Archbishop of Canterbury in St. George's Chapel, it was entombed in the Albert Memorial. The parade included many of the greatest men of the kingdom with representatives of all arms of the service and delegates from the most famous regiments of the empire and representative groups of foreign armies and navies.

IN CENTENARY

Joint Methodist Service With Sermon Preached by Rev. Dr. Rogers

The Methodists of the city held a united memorial service in Centenary church, and they attended in large numbers. The service was conducted by Rev. Dr. Rogers, and the preacher was Rev. Dr. Rogers of Sussex. He delivered a forceful and inspiring sermon, eulogizing the late king and Queen Alexandra, and breathing a prayer that the new king would prove himself as good and capable a ruler as his father had been.

START AT 9:30

The procession started from the hall at 9:30 o'clock just as the first minute gun boomed. The president of the funeral of Queen Victoria nine years ago was closely followed. The caquet caquet with the crown and cushion regalia and the banner of the Order of the Garter there on was borne on a gun carriage the same as was used at the funeral of the late monarch.

THE ROYAL LADIES

The mounted group was followed by twelve state carriages. The first was occupied by the Queen Mother Alexandra, the Russian Dowager Empress Marie, the princess royal and the Princess Victoria. The second carriage contained Queen Mary of Great Britain, Queen Maud of Norway, the Duke of Cornwall, heir to the British throne, and Princess Mary. The next four carriages carried royal ladies and ladies in waiting. The seventh carriage carried Prince Tsai Tao of China and his suite. The eighth carriage was shared by special American Ambassador Theodore Roosevelt, Mr. Pichon, French foreign minister, and Saad Khan Mottaz, Sultan of Persia.

MOUING EVERYWHERE

The route was lined with thousands of troops, behind whom were massed countless thousands of people in deep black, the pavements below and the house fronts above, with the balconies window every branch of the defensive force of the empire was represented in the long column which preceded the gun carriage. An officer of the headquarters staff, mounted, headed the procession with the bands of the household Cavalry. The Territorials and Colonial came just behind the bands.

FOUNDATION DEEP AND SOLID

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