

FRANCE ACCLAIMED IN ROME'S STREETS

Entire Garrison Is Used to Guard the Vatican and French Embassy.

THROUGH CHARGES TROOPS

Until Late in the Evening the Streets Are Swarming With Thousands of Shouting and Singing Demonstrators.

ROME, Dec. 16.—Thousands of demonstrators friendly to France and of anti-Vatican tendencies gathered tonight in the piazza adjoining the Farnese Palace, the seat of the French Embassy, in an endeavor to express their pleasure at France's action toward the church.

The whole garrison of Rome was employed to disperse the demonstrators and protect the Vatican, which is surrounded by cavalry, and the bridges to the apostolic palace are barricaded by troops.

The demonstrators, led by a dozen radical Socialists and Republican members of the Chamber of Deputies, including Prince Borghese, after vainly attempting to break the cordon, provided themselves with candles and formed into a mock procession, singing the "Marseillaise" as an indication of the death of clericalism, amidst cries of "Long live France!" "Long live Clemenceau!" and "Down with the Vatican!"

Deputies Costa and De Felice tried to harangue the people, but the police interfered. The demonstration occurred near the monument to Giordano Bruno, the monk philosopher, who was buried alive, a victim of religious intolerance.

Deputy Costa finally made himself heard. He said: "Before this monument to Bruno, of free thought, let us send our applause to France, for this great people is continuing the traditional obstinate struggle against the moribund clericalism."

Fresh attempts were then made to beat back the cordon, and the cavalry charged the demonstrators, a few of whom were slightly injured. Amid shouts and the singing of the "Marseillaise" the foment continued until late in the evening.

A committee of the demonstrators was received by M. Barro, the French Ambassador, who expressed his appreciation and sympathy for the Roman people.

The statement that the government is taking its stand as friendly to France, she does not wish to take sides in the dispute, especially when her relations with the church are better than they have been since 1870.

Communication Touches on Nunciature Affair and Hohenzollern Memoirs

ROME, Dec. 16.—A communication issued at the Vatican this evening reiterates the previous statement given out that the object of the French government in seizing the archives in the nunciature at Paris after the expulsion of Mgr. Montanini was to diffuse false news in order to make the public believe that in the papers taken were "low insinuations of a money bargain for the appointment of bishops, gambling on the stock exchange," etc.

The statement repeats the Vatican's original denunciation of the tactics employed in securing the archives, and especially denounces what is alleged to be an effort to make appear as negotiations of the Vatican with Mgr. Montanini some of the letters which, it says, may have been received and kept in the nunciature, but which no honest man could take as a basis for facts that did not exist.

With regard to the alleged arrangement with the Spanish Ambassador at Paris for the care of the archives of the nunciature, the communication says that neither the Vatican nor the Spanish Ambassador is to be held responsible for communicating with the Spanish Ambassador at Paris without first entering into an agreement.

With regard to the statement published in the National Zeitung of Berlin attributing to hitherto unpublished portions of the memoirs of Prince Hohenzollern the declaration that Pope Leo XIII. asked Emperor William for a review of the communication declares it to be absurd.

FRENCHMEN ATTEND MASS. Hat-Wearing Rowdies Quickly Ejected From the Churches.

PARIS, Dec. 16.—The serious disturbances that it was thought would ensue the first Sunday under the law separating church and state were not realized. The services in this city in particular passed off quietly. There was a notable increase in the size of the congregations, and in them were large bodies of men who were determined to prevent the interruption of masses by rowdies. There were only a few cases where rowdies entered the churches wearing their hats, and they were promptly ejected and arrested.

Reports from the provinces show that there was great excitement at many places. Large congregations chanted the psalms. Counter demonstrations took place in several cities, notably Perpignan and Amiens, where the Catholics and free-thinkers came into collision, necessitating interference by the police, who quickly dispersed the crowds. Several of the demonstrators were injured.

Bishop DeByr, while receiving the official notice to attend mass, was seized by Maux this morning, suffered a violent nervous shock and fell unconscious. Later, however, he recovered.

Archbishop Blenk Says France Must Yield to the Vatican.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Archbishop J. Blenk of New Orleans, said today that he believed a compromise between the Catholic Church and the French government under existing conditions is impossible. He said further: "I believe the final outcome will be favorable to the established order of things, and I hope that at no far distant date the God-denying republic in France may be replaced by a God-fearing republic and that all inhabitants may learn the solemn lessons of history that all attempts, no matter how audaciously and cunningly made, to rob man of religion and his rights, without which life becomes a curse, shall supreme felix and failure."

References made to liberal French Catholics in a dispatch from France are entirely wrong and should be branded as a vile misrepresentation of facts. Those who are mentioned in this connection are well known in France for their bought subservience to the aims and ends of the French government anti-Christian campaign, and they are simply wearing the mask of hypocrisy for the purpose of entering the fold, spreading confusion there and working out under false cover the nefarious schemes of their governmental employers.

Hibernians Denounce France.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The Ancient Order of Hibernians of Washington today adopted resolutions denouncing France for the action taken in the controversy with the Vatican. The confiscation of church property was termed "downright robbery."

W. J. Spruzen, a member of the Australian Parliament, who addressed the meeting, declared that the people of Australia aspire to independence, and in the end expect to occupy the same position in the Orient as the United States holds in the Western Continent.

Socialists to Express Sympathy.

MILAN, Dec. 16.—The Socialist Federation has decided to organize throughout Italy for a simultaneous expression of sympathy with France and form a committee to be composed of all the democratic parties for anti-clerical agitation.

Deputies Pass the Entire Budget.

PARIS, Dec. 16.—The Chamber of Deputies today in extraordinary session passed the whole day, and by a large majority passed the budget. The Chamber will meet again Thursday.

Brilliant Record on Gridiron and as All-Around Performer Brings Him Honors.

GORDON C. MOORES VARSITY'S POPULAR ATHLETE.

Gordon C. Moores, who has been chosen captain of the University of Oregon football team for 1907, is evidently a popular man with his fellow students. He is the first Oregon man ever elected to head both the track team and the football team at Eugene. The big, good-natured, fleet-footed lad who has won so many honors for Oregon, will no doubt close his college career with a great athletic record.

It was the brilliant playing of Moores that enabled Oregon to tie the University of California and win from O. A. C. and Willamette last season. His playing in the recent Oregon-Multnomah game placed the ball in a position where the famous Moulton had little difficulty in booting it over the crossbar. Moores also shines on the track. He is a good hurdler and sprinter, his favorite event being the 200-yard hurdle, in which he holds the Northwest collegiate record of 22.3 seconds.

He has run the 120-yard hurdle in 18 seconds, the 200-yard dash in 24.45 seconds, and the 100-yard dash in 19.15 seconds. The captain-elect is well known in this city. He is a member of Multnomah Club and in one of the athletes who wore the winged M at the Spokane meet last June. He won the 220-yard hurdle race in this meet and was second to Smithson when he ran the 120-yard hurdle race in 18.25 seconds.

The University of Oregon has never had a better all-around athlete than Moores, and his election meets with general approval. It reports from Eugene are true, Arnsperger, Oregon's crack tackle, had a following on the team, and had he contested the election of Moores, might have developed considerable strength. In order to avoid a contest and to prevent any possible discord in the team, Arnsperger withdrew at the election of Moores, which was made unanimous. Arnsperger's action has been the cause of much favorable comment, and he is more popular than ever with his college associates.

Oregon has a habit of electing her captains unanimously and the men seem always to pull together through thick and thin. If there is any discord in the ranks of the team it never becomes known to outsiders.

It is this spirit and the "fight-to-the-last ditch" spirit that has won for Oregon so many gridiron battles and brought her renown to the varsity on track and field.

PERFECT IN THEIR FIELDING Three Players in American League Make the Record.

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—Three players in the American League showed perfect fielding averages during the last season. They were Pitchers Griffith and Laro of New York, and Third Baseman O'Brien of St. Louis. Griffith played in 17 games, Laro in 11 and O'Brien in 20, without making an error, and all those are credited with a fielding average of 1.000. The highest averages are as follows: First baseman, Crawford, Detroit, .993; second baseman, Shean, Philadelphia, .990; third baseman, O'Brien, St. Louis, 1.000; shortstop, Turner, Cleveland, .989; catcher, Jones Chicago, and Freeman, Boston, .988 each; catcher, O'Conner, St. Louis, and Roth, Chicago, .990 each; pitcher, Griffith and Laro, both of New York, 1.000 each.

The greatest number of errors of the league was made by Parent, shortstop for Boston, who played in 145 games and made 16 errors. His average was, however, .988, and he ranked sixth out of a total of 13 shortstops. Cleveland carried off the honors in fielding, as well as in batting, and ranked the highest as a team, having an average of .966. Chicago was second with an average of .963, and Boston last with an average of .948.

Oregon Clubs Give Concert.

ALBANY, O., Dec. 16.—(Special.)—The University of Oregon Glee and Mandolin Clubs rendered their annual concert in Albany last evening. The concert was well attended and was as usual an event of merit. The clubs were well received, every number eliciting an encore. After the entertainment, the club members were entertained with dancing at Busard's Hall.

TO INVESTIGATE INDIANS Harvard Ethnological Expedition Starts for Andes Mountains.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Dec. 16.—One of the most important ethnological expeditions in the history of Harvard University will leave tomorrow under the leadership of Dr. W. C. Parson, for South America to make an investigation among the Indian tribes of the Andes Mountains.

The general oversight of the expedition lies with Professor Purnam, professor of American archeology and ethnology at Harvard, while the expense will be met by an interested graduate whose name is not disclosed. The party will go by way of the Isthmus of Panama to Mollendo, Peru, and thence to Aruquipa, where permanent headquarters will be made and from which place reports will be sent from time to time to America.

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A LIST OF AFTER-SUPPER BARGAINS

SPECIALS ON SALE TONIGHT AFTER SIX O'CLOCK

We're not going to let you forget that we are keeping the store open evenings this week. And we're going to bring you in to buy, too—those of you who haven't time to come during the day. These worth-while specials are of interest.

Silk Petticoats \$3.29

Not one in the lot worth less than \$5 and up to \$7.50. You'd think it over a long time before you could select a more suitable gift than one of these, and goodness knows this is the best chance you ever had to buy one. Made of splendid quality silk, with accordion-plaited ruffles, some with silk and some with mercerized dust ruffle; come in light blue, pink, navy blue, green, black, gray and all colors, as well as fancy plaid patterns. Every one in the lot worth \$5, \$6.50 and \$7.50; choice, after 6 o'clock only \$3.29.

\$7.50 Hand Mirrors \$4.65

Sterling Silver Hand Mirrors, French plate glass. Regular value \$7.50 each. Special after 6 o'clock \$4.65.

\$4.50 Men's Wallets \$2.85

Made of genuine walrus and sea lion, calf-lined; several compartments. Worth to \$4.50; after 6 o'clock \$2.85.



Women's Silk Hosiery \$1.19

Fine Silk Hose, lace ankle effect; come in pink, blue, black, olive, champagne, etc. They are beauties, and made to sell at \$1.75 the pair; after 6 o'clock \$1.19.

Men's Linen Kerchiefs 10c

Guess that special will bring you into the men's department after dinner. Plain white hemstitched Handkerchiefs, pure linen; regular value 20c each; special for, after 6 o'clock 10c.

\$2.50 Rugs for \$1.68

Fourth Floor, Carpet Department. A lot of 250 of them, come in floral and Oriental designs; fine all-wool Wilton velvet, and they're a good-sized rug, too—27x54 inches. All in all, they're as good a rug as can be sold in the regular way for \$2.50, and that's our regular price—special after 6 o'clock \$1.68 only.

Men's 75c Neckwear for 39c

That price is only for after 6, tho, remember that. English squares, in neat patterns, 75c value, 39c after 6 o'clock.

Here's a Good Linen Special

Table Damask, in a very good quality; comes in exquisitely rich designs, fleur de lis and floral patterns; a regular \$1.50 grade, on sale after 6 o'clock only \$1.24 for only.



And Here Is a Toy Special

BUILDING BLOCKS for little girls—will build doll-houses, doll swings, etc.; a regular 25c set of blocks; tonight after 6, the set, only 15c. Toy Department, Fourth Floor.

LASHES THE COUNT

Russian Uses Horsewhip on the Bois Boulogne.

DUEL EXPECTED TO RESULT

While a Guest of the Du Porsels, M. Greger, ex-Secretary of the Russian Embassy, Was Accused of Stealing Diamond.

PARIS, Dec. 16.—Alexander Greger, ex-Secretary of the Russian Embassies at Washington and Rio de Janeiro, today in the Bois Boulogne horsewhipped Count Rodolphe du Porsels.

The Count says that he was not hurt in the encounter. A duel is expected to follow. M. Greger some time ago, while a guest of Count and Countess du Porsels at Ker-Sterras, Brittany, was accused by the Countess of having stolen a valuable diamond from her. It was found later in a bottle of tooth powder in a handbox belonging to M. Greger. When confronted with the circumstantial evidence of theft, the Russian declared it was the work of a spiteful servant, but later he changed his defense and blamed the Count, who was said to have sought revenge.

A complaint was made against M. Greger, but the Countess withdrew it on the plea that she had decided not to prosecute, but insisting upon the facts in her deposition. Greger then brought suit for slander and defamation of character against the Countess, but this was done only after the Count had refused to fight a duel with him.

DR. AKED IS URGED TO STAY Pembroke Chapel Pastor Denies He Is Offered \$25,000 a Year.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 16.—The congregation of Pembroke Chapel is strongly urging Rev. Charles F. Aked, its pastor, not to accept the pastorate of the Fifth-Avenue Church in New York City, which was recently tendered him. Dr. Aked said today he had not finally decided.

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GREAT CHANGES COMING

Paramount Need Is Patriotic Citizenship, Says Justice Brewer.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—"We are busy denouncing trusts, but the most dangerous of them all is the trust in the future to pay debts," said Justice David J. Brewer, of the Supreme Court of the United States, at a meeting of the People's Forum of New Rochelle.

"Our great expansion and rapid growth in population and resources are developing a habit of extravagance. We have been most unwisely discounting the future." "We are trembling on the verge of women's social and political changes. Those most important, most profoundly involving the social business and political life of the Republic do not spring from rates and rebates, inspection of packing houses, the coal trust or the Standard Oil Company. Far more profound and vital is the building up within this Nation of a universal body of honest, intelligent, patriotic citizenship. In our successes in this direction lies the promise and prophecy of the future."

MARINES DEMAND WAGES Riottous Disturbance Near Gates of the Yildiz Kiosk.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 16.—A serious disturbance occurred here Saturday. Several hundred time-expired marines from the naval arsenal made a mutinous demonstration in an old abandoned cemetery behind the American Embassy, demanding their arrears in pay and their discharge from the colors. A number of naval officers unsuccessfully endeavored to appease the men, but were stoned and otherwise mistreated. A number of personal encounters resulted and one officer, drawing his sword, wounded three mutineers, while Vice-Admiral Ahmed, Pasha, and aide-de-camp in the Naval Ministry were badly injured.

After the demonstration had lasted three hours an officer of the kiosk arrived on the scene with the promise that the men's demands would be granted, whereupon the gathering quickly dispersed and returned to quarters. During the demonstration the public held aloof and neither the police nor the military interfered. During the interval there was much agitation at the Yildiz Kiosk. The Sultan, who was greatly disturbed, repeatedly issued fresh instructions to

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MINER NEAR TO FREEDOM

Rescuers Have to Dig Through Twelve Feet of Granite.

BAKERSFIELD, Cal., Dec. 16.—The release of Hicks, the miner who has been entombed in a mountain of granite at the works of the Edison Electric Company in the Kern River Canyon since a week ago last Saturday, was not affected as was planned, and the officials in charge do not expect the drift to be completed until late tomorrow night or Tuesday morning.

Under the direction of the company's resident physician arrangements for caring for Hicks after he is rescued have been made. The man will be blindfolded and then placed on a stretcher, which ten employees will carry through six miles of completed tunnel to the company's hospital, where he will be given constant attention until fully recovered from his remarkable experience. At 6 o'clock tonight 12 feet of hard granite stood between the miner and his freedom.

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