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"A ROYAL SLAVE"

Mexico, the land of flowers, is now absorbing the attention of us Americans, it might not be amiss to give some slight review of the wonderful race that had built up an empire and a composite civilization before the white man had set foot on the shores of the western world.

The Aztecs came to Mexico about the year 1170 and gradually drove back the original inhabitants, and after their successful battle of Chapultepec (Hill of the Grasshopper), where they conquered the Texcoco warriors.

About 1325 A. D. they built the city of Mexico, first named Tenochtitlan, on or rather in Lake Texcoco, as almost all this valley was originally a lake and the city was built upon piles driven in the mud.

The spot, the site of the city was selected by the Aztec high priest Tenoch upon beholding the promising sign of a royal eagle of extraordinary size and beauty, balanced upon a cactus with a serpent in its talons. This became and has ever since remained, the emblem of Mexico.

This city became a rich and magnificent metropolis and the seat of the Montezumas. Nearly two centuries, after the dynasty of the Montezumas was finally established and their wealth enormous, Cortez, the Spanish conqueror, invaded Mexico, and after a carnival of massacre, robbery and outrage, was received by the awed Montezumas on November 8, 1519, and took up his residence in the palace of the Emperor.

Discovering the rich treasures of the Aztec king, the Spaniards went gold mad and began a course of rapine, robbery and murder such as stand almost without a parallel in the annals of history. Seizing the Emperor Montezuma himself they interposed him as a shield between themselves and the enraged natives. He



A Scene in the Second Act, "A Royal Slave"

was hooted at, stoned and wounded by a javelin and at last was assassinated by order of the bloody Cortez. The royal palace was burned, the sacred fires on the sacrificial stove were extinguished. The Aztecs, driven to frenzy, rallied and the Spaniards were driven to the mountains. Cuhtlalnac, the brother of the murdered Montezuma, was made Emperor but after four months of a glorious reign he died and Cuahtemoc, nephew of the two dead Montezumas, governed in their place. He was the last and greatest of the Aztec emperors. When Cortez and his Spaniards rallied as they did in the course of time and came forth from the mountains to besiege him, Emperor Cuah-temoc summoned to his side every fighting man in his domain and proved himself a most intrepid warrior. His was one of the most brilliant and glorious defenses which the history of the world records but in spite of all the valor of the young king and his patriotic warriors it was the old struggle—enlightened and civilized act of murder against blind, unarmed, but noble paganism!

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First Norwegian Ev. Lutheran. Morning service at 10:45, evening service at 7:30, Sunday school meets at 9:30 a. m. Theo. P. Neste, pastor.

First Methodist. The Rev. J. W. Mulligan, of Portland, will occupy the pulpit, both morning and evening on Sunday. All other services as usual. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend. C. C. Rarick minister. At the evening service Mr. James Johnson will sing a solo, and there will be special music by the choir.

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Grace.

Services at Grace Church at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, at 12:30. Services at Holy Innocents' Chapel, Sunday school, 11:15 a. m. and evening prayer at 7:30. The Rev. L. C. Sanford, late rector of St. John's Church, San Francisco, at present the department secretary of the eighth missionary department including the Pacific Coast, will occupy the pulpit at Grace Church in the morning and at Holy Innocents in the evening. The Rev. John Warren will conduct a service at Hammond at 11 a. m.

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Sunday schools as usual, both in the Uppertown and at the German Lutheran Church; Miss Alema Nyland and Mrs. Andrew Young, superintendents; morning service in Swedish at 10:45; theme, "Three Essential Points in the Order of Grace."

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