

"AN OLIGARCHY OF PLUTOCRATS"

German Socialist Papers Comment on American Treatment of Colorado Union Miners--Pernicious Traffic of Exporting Girls.

Berlin, June 25.—The German Socialist papers devote considerable space to comments on the treatment by the American authorities of union miners in the Cripple Creek district, and, incidentally, the German government comes in for a certain amount of praise in this connection.

In a leading article commenting on the persecution of the union miners a prominent socialist paper in this city says editorially: "To those who were wont to consider the great republic on the other side of the Atlantic a haven of refuge for the downtrodden classes the course of political events in America is greatly regretted."

"With every safeguard thrown around the freedom and liberty for which their forefathers fought the great intelligent American people has allowed the power to drift into the hands of a few."

Oligarchy of Plutocrats. "Daily it becomes more and more evident that the United States is no longer a democratic republic, but a mighty world power, governed by an oligarchy of plutocrats."

"The worship of money and the reckless use of it by scheming magnates in corrupting legislatures is the primary cause of this change which seems almost incredible."

In Colorado, the so-called higher classes—that is to say the millionaires and their followers—are daily violating the laws of the state to annihilate working men, whose only crime is that they have formed unions for their own protection, unions which are perfectly legal under the existing laws of the state.

Corralled Into Pens. "Working men have been corralled into pens as if they were wild beasts, and not having a place to banish these unfortunate people to, they have been deported into a neighboring state, Kansas. One wonders what the next stage of the military tyrant will be."

"We Socialists in Germany have been subject to much oppression, and there is little doubt that the late Prince Bismarck, in his palmy days, would like to have treated German workmen in the same manner, but with hundreds of thousands of bayonets behind him he did not dare to do this."

Flames of Revolution. "Nobody will think of accusing our present German government of loving the Socialist or the labor unions over much, but it knows that should it ever try to

MISS PAFFRATH ACCEPTS THRONE

Will Rule as Carnival Queen Vice Miss Mae Mason, Who Resigned—Reception to the Naval Officers and Men.

Miss Margaret Paffrath last night accepted the invitation of the carnival management to serve as queen of the festival, vice Miss Mae Mason, who resigned on account of ill health. Miss Paffrath expressed herself as gratified at the opportunity to aid in promoting the success of the carnival and stated that as far as was in her power she would endeavor to make this gala season memorable. She will get the fine new auto which was offered as a prize.

"I am especially grateful to my friends, who through their support and untiring efforts in my behalf gained for me this honor," said Miss Paffrath, "and feel that the credit of my coronation will be chiefly due to them, for without their earnest support I would never have gained second place in the race. I was somewhat disappointed at not receiving the first place after the struggle of my friends, but realized that the fortune of the game was against me and prepared myself to give up any aspirations when I found I was second in the race, but now that the queenship has been offered I will do all in my power to fill the royal throne as it should be filled, in the automobile that will become the property of the victor, I expect to take my friends for pleasure trips over the city."

Miss Paffrath has invited the following to serve as maids of honor: Miss Anna Simmons, Miss Retha Fowler, Miss Stella Carlson, Miss Amy Church, Miss Sarah Stringer and Miss Ethel Styles. The first two young women were contestants for the queenship and Miss Simmons was a close third in the race. Misses Alice and Florence Canimack have been named as pages.

Though the action was in no wise compulsory nor expected, the carnival management last night returned to Mr. Mason, father of Miss Mae Mason, \$24.70 which represented the amount he had expended in securing the election of his daughter as carnival queen. The management stated that since Miss Mason was unable to serve as queen they felt it their duty to return the amount which he had expended.

The United States warships will arrive this noon, as per program, and they will be given a royal welcome by every citizen, man, woman and child in the city. The officers of the Mardi Gras and a citizens' committee consisting of Colonel Jackson, Colonel Gantenbein and I. N. Fieschner will leave this morning on the steamer How Hoop anchored at the river to meet the visitors. The ships will arrive at noon and will anchor just above the steel bridge. The receiving hours have not yet been announced, but will be arranged as soon as the officers arrive in the city.

A reception will be tendered the visiting officers Monday evening at the armory, when the public will have an opportunity to pay its respects to the citizens. The effort will be made to have both officers and men present. This will also be the occasion of Colonel Gantenbein's quarterly inspection. Among the notables present besides the men from the fleet will be Brigadier-General Funston and staff and Colonel Houston and staff from Vancouver barracks. After the inspection and reception a banquet will be served to the guests.

Great secrecy surrounds the name of the king, but it is said that he is very dignified and well suited to the exalted position which he will fill. His majesty will arrive Tuesday noon and will parade through the streets of the city on his way to Multnomah field, where he and the queen will hold court.

Another feature is announced for the carnival. This is in the form of a German wedding. The names of the contracting parties have not yet been announced. The wedding will take place on Fraternal day, Tuesday, July 5. The wedding will take place on the platform in the big circus tent, in the presence of the king and queen.

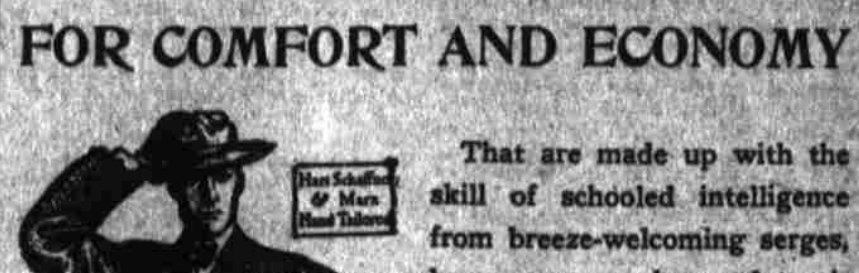
The carnival management will probably make a handsome present to the couple. After the parade on Tuesday evening, the queen will be crowned by the king. In the parade, which will start at 7 o'clock, will be the floats, sailors from the warships, the performers in the society circus, the king and queen and a large number of automobiles.

A prize of a \$100 cup has been offered for the best decorated automobile, decorated in the carnival colors, red and green. These are the official colors and not red, white and green as some suppose. All desiring to enter automobiles in the contest are requested to leave their names with Secretary Mitchell, 610 Marquam building, not later than Tuesday noon.

The parade committee of the Mardi Gras requests the officers and members of all lodges and unions to arrange for carriages in the opening parade on Tuesday evening. The purpose is to have at least one carriage representing each organization in the city take part in the parade. The parade is to start at the steamer How Hoop building at 7 o'clock. All persons taking part should be at the starting point at 6:45 p. m.

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OFFICIAL RETURNS OF THE JUNE ELECTION

A complete summary of the votes cast at the recent election has been compiled by Secretary of State Dunbar from the official returns filed with him by the county clerks of the various counties. This summary shows that the total number of votes cast in the entire state was 92,315.

Frank A. Moore, Republican candidate for supreme judge, was elected by a plurality of 24,217. His total vote was 52,946, and Thomas O'Day, his Democratic competitor, received 28,729.

C. J. Bright, the Prohibition nominee, received 5,514, and 6,419 votes were cast for the Socialist candidate, C. C. Mikkelsen.

J. W. Bailey, the Republican nominee for food and dairy commissioner, was elected by a plurality even larger than that given to Justice Moore, though his total vote was some 4,000 less. Bailey received 48,521 votes; S. M. Douglas, Dem., 44,538; Ira W. Berry, Pro., 5,112 and N. Rasmussen, Soc., 5,998. Bailey's plurality was 24,238.

PARIS IS SHY ON ROYAL VISITORS

MULERS OF EUROPE ARE NOT VISITING THE GAY CITY AS NUMEROUSLY AS IN FORMER YEARS—DROP A COIN IN THE SLOT AND GET A PRAYER.

Berlin, June 25.—The annual crop of royal visitors to this city does not look very promising this year.

Of course we are to have the usual number of visits of King Leopold of Belgium, but there is absolutely nothing royal about him and we hardly count him as a king.

King Wilhelm may come here incognito, as a recently published book states that he has been in the habit of visiting us without our knowledge. But what earthly good a king, or even a kaiser, who travels incognito?

The young king of Spain will be here some time during the summer, and we will have to make the best of him, though he is hardly more than a boy, and the grandeur of his kingdom is a thing of the past.

Gladden Our Hearts. But the boy of Tunis will come to gladden our hearts, and we shall have the pleasure of seeing him drive through our streets sitting next to our very bourgeois president in a state carriage "Atte la Daumont."

Mohammed el Hadi will be accompanied by his oldest son, Prince Tahr, and his prime minister, Mohammed el Assis Ben Attour, Gen. Si Azoub Ben Aissa and Dr. Lovitz, his court physician. He will stop at the Palais Elvisee, and in consideration of the slim crop of royalty to be seen here this summer it has been arranged to have a special gala performance at the opera and several banquets in his honor.

German Telephone Lines. The government of Germany, which has spent \$31,500,000 on interurban telephone lines, has greatly helped telephonic conversations between this city and Berlin.

WILL SPREAD THE GREGORIAN CHANT

POPE PIUS X DESIROUS OF DOING AWAY WITH THEATRICAL AND SENSATIONAL MUSIC AND REPLACING IT BY SIMPLE MELODIES OF GREGORY THE GREAT.

Rome, June 25.—Certainly the pope has a distinct leaning to modernity, and the thought of a gramophone in the Vatican is at first almost startling, but Pope Pius X is an innovator.

He is anxious to spread the Gregorian chant through the whole of the Roman Catholic world and is wisely desirous of doing away with the theatrical and sensational music which has so largely become the ecclesiastical fashion, and to replace it by the grand and simple melodies which have been handed down by Gregory the Great.

One of the great difficulties which have, however, hitherto hampered the scheme is to be met by the fact of the impossibility of indicating, in printed music, the modulations which make the plain song so impressive, and it is this difficulty that the gramophone has overcome.

Aural Tradition. The Gregorian congress, which has recently been sitting, drew attention to the fact that aural tradition is absolutely necessary and in order to provide it, they requested Mr. Alfred Michaelis, the well known musical composer, to attend at the vicarage of Rome, together with a number of members of the Gregorian plain song was taken on the gramophone record.

Gramophone sections are being established all over the world, and probably by and by the study of plain song will extend all over the world, and the lesson will be given by this inanimate vocal teacher.

EARL ROBERTS TO VISIT UNITED STATES

LONDON, June 25.—Earl Roberts has definitely decided to accept the invitation of Ambassador Choate to visit the United States. He will pay his visit in the late summer or early autumn. The exact time has not been decided upon.

He has always been anxious to visit this country. As soon as the time of his visit is decided upon arrangements will be made to give him a great reception.

LOOMIS MYSTERY STILL UNSOLVED

BERLIN AND PARIS POLICE BELIEVE HIS FEEL INTO SEA BETWEEN PLYMOUTH AND CHERBOURG EITHER ACCIDENTALLY OR BY VIOLENCE.

LONDON, June 25.—No light has been shed in London today on the mystery of the disappearance of the Loomis.

Loomis was on the deck of the Kaiser when the tender left the slip at Plymouth. They declare he did not board the tender. Mr. Flett, a San Francisco passenger now in Paris, now declares that Loomis boarded the tender but Murphy and Kilduff say it is impossible. Loomis's shipmates declare W. H. Ellis and Loomis were attentive to Marlon and Bertha Ives, New York singers, bound to Berlin.

Dispatches from Berlin state that the Ives girls assert they did not see Loomis after the Kaiser reached Cherbourg. Dispatches from Paris state that Loomis's hold luggage but not his hand luggage.

Consul General Evans tonight said he believed Loomis had landed at Plymouth and is now somewhere in the country. Evans added that he saw the Berlin and Paris police believe Loomis may have fallen into the sea between Plymouth and Cherbourg, whether accidentally or by violence.

The Paris police does not believe Loomis was engaged on any diplomatic mission. Scotland Yard has not been asked to investigate the case.

BERLIN TO HAMBURG AT TERRIFIC SPEED

Berlin, June 25.—Two leading electrical firms in Germany, Messrs. Siemens & Halske and the General Electric company, have collaborated in the construction of a high speed electrical railway from Berlin to Hamburg, a distance of 180 miles.

Messrs. Siemens & Halske offer to construct the railway at a cost of \$2,000,000 for a single line and \$3,000,000 for a double line guaranteeing a speed of 100 miles an hour.

BEREFT OF INCOME AND SLOWLY DYING

MARQUIS OF ANGLEBERT, MOST FIT TABLE OF ALL FIGURES, ENDING IN SOME SHABBY HOTEL ON THE CONTINENT—LARGER IN FRANCE OVER DEFEAT OF DEBET.

LONDON, June 25.—Scarcely any event in recent years has startled society as the revelation of the hopeless bankruptcy of the Marquis of Anglesey, as revealed in the first meeting of his creditors.

Living in some shabby hotel on the continent bereft of income, drifting near the line of actual poverty and slowly dying of incurable disease, the marquis is today the most pitiable of all figures.

His liabilities, it was shown, reach \$2,500,000. Against this sum he had life insurance of \$1,000,000. The insurance companies refused to accept any further risks, even at a premium of 50 per cent.

The Anglesey estate yields nominally an income of a little more than \$500,000, but when mortgages and jointures, including one of \$50,000 per annum, have been deducted, there remains an income of only \$50,000 a year.

No Income for Marquis. The decision of the creditors to throw the whole estate into bankruptcy, will deny the marquis this income for 25 years.

Creditors and friends are asking what has become of the proceeds of the great sale of jewelry held only a few days ago by the marquis went abroad.

One pastor in the bankruptcy proceedings is full of a grim triumph, his position into which the extravagance and unspeakable eccentricities have led him.

As a matter of course, much anger in France has developed over the defeat at the derby of Government, who had seemed certain to repeat the feat of Gladiateur.

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SMITH AND OVERTON SECURE RELEASE

Not true information was filed in the circuit court yesterday by District Attorney Manning, through H. B. Adams, his assistant, and orders of dismissal issued by Presiding Judge George in the cases of W. W. Smith, charged with burglary, and Charles Overton, with assault.

It is said that the evidence would not warrant a trial, as convictions would probably not be secured. Overton was charged with assaulting Christina M. Baxter, a 15-year-old girl, last June 1. Smith was charged with entering a shop at 24 Main street last March 9 and attempting to carry away a number of articles.

PRINCESS DE CHIMAY HAS AGAIN ELOPED

Paris, June 25.—There is considerable interest here over the news that Clara Ward, who married the Prince de Chimay, and afterward eloped with Elgo, a zany violinist, has now run away with a canvasser in the service of Thomas Cook & Sons, tourist agent in Paris.

She made an agreement to pay Elgo thousands of francs a month.

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