

CROWN PRINCE'S SON CHOSEN BY MILITARY BODY

Abdication of King George of Greece Considered Inevitable—Nephew of Otho Seeks Job—Abruzzi Mentioned.

(United Press Special Wire.) Athens, Via the Frontier, Dec. 21.—The Military League, whose grip on the government is firm enough to allow of executive commands, has decided on Crown Prince Constantine's son, George, for the throne if King George abdicates, as he is expected to do very soon.

There are other candidates. The politicians outside the army want the Duke of Abruzzi. Their theory is that George would be the league's puppet, and they are extremely jealous of the army's power. But the politicians' position is weak; they lack the physical strength to carry out their will.

A nephew of the late King Otho is also reported to be in Athens trying to stir up sentiment for himself. He is not regarded as formidable by army or politicians, however.

The Military League's selection is con-

sidered judicious. King George himself is well liked by the people, and the sentiment which is sure to be felt against the league for compelling him to abdicate would be all the keener if the dynasty as well as the ruler were changed.

The present king's abdication is almost certain. What is thought will drive him from the throne is the league's determination to declare war against Turkey in the spring. His majesty thinks this would be suicidal, but the militarists believe the powers would protect Greece against Turkish vengeance in case of the sultan's victory, while Greek success would bring Crete and a portion of Cyprus to the Hellenic kingdom.

The recent Trpaldos naval mutiny, for which the people held the league responsible, gave the organization a severe setback. By clever management the leaders have regained their lost ground, and have secured a firmer grip on the government than ever.

Colonel Zorbas, the society's president, insists now on admission to every cabinet meeting, ostensibly to explain the league's views, but really, the politicians declare, to act as dictator.

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TAKES CHILD'S FOOD FOR UNPAID RENT

New York, Dec. 21.—Acting as bailiff for Hyman Ellison, who owns the property, Constable William C. Haviland stripped the house at Ashbury Park, occupied as a residence and bakery by Philip Friedman and carried away every piece of furniture, stove fixtures and bakery equipment and also seized the family clothing and food in course of consumption. The proceedings were carried on under a chattel mortgage to secure protection for non-payment of rent. Friedman has not paid his October rent, amounting to \$54.

Friedman and his wife and four children and his brother, Max Friedman, a baker, were left without a place to sleep, so clothing except what they wore and some underclothing that was in a wash tub, and nothing to eat. Carpets were ripped from the floor, pictures torn down and closets and drawers ransacked.

Mrs. Friedman declares that Haviland took a spoon out of her hand as she sat eating and seized her children's school books. She further declares that some cakes on the table for the children to eat were taken up despite her pleading.

Nothing was left in the house but a batch of dough in one of the mixing troughs.

Friedman, ignorant of legal proceedings, did not except his \$200 exemption, allowed the head of every family, from the terms of the mortgage.

Friedman declares that Ellison or his attorney holds \$400 cash security as a guarantee of his good faith in meeting the rent.

A large deposit of quartz containing 80 per cent of antimony recently was discovered near the center of Serbia.

CARTHUSIAN MONKS TO MIGRATE AGAIN

Vienna, Dec. 21.—The Budapest newspapers announce that the Carthusian monks now living at Tarragona, Spain, intend to settle in the neighborhood of Budapest, where the Grande Chartreuse liquor will in future be manufactured.

The reason for this second migration, coming so soon after the expulsion of the order from Grenoble, appears to be that the Spanish climate is not so suitable for the growth of the herbs required.

The monks are also alarmed at the

recent violent anti-clerical demonstrations in Spain. The abbot of the order is said to be in negotiation for the purchase of a deserted monastery at Kleinszell, near Budapest.

The Hungarian government is in favor of the project, as the establishment of a great factory would bring capital into the country.

Our Homeless Ambassadors.

From the New York Tribune.

Concerning American embassies and legations abroad, Henry White, the retiring ambassador to France, just returned to America, said he thought there should be some substantial place for all

American ambassadors and ministers. "When the new ambassador goes to Paris," said Mr. White, "he will find a home waiting for him with the American coat of arms cut in the stone entrance. When a diplomat goes abroad nowadays he has to go house hunting the minute he gets into the country. As a rule few places are to be had and

the prices are all high. Then when he does select a place the others will place to rent are at odds with the ambassador."

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