

GERMANS AGAINST MONARCHY

Germans are Opposed to Restoration of Monarchy

Vote to Confiscate Property of Ex-Rulers Fell Short by Nearly Five Million—Majority in Favor, However, Was Overwhelming—Compromise Bill Will Likely be Put Through the Reichstag—Minor Disorders Marked the Voting.

(SPECIAL TO THE DAILY MAIL)

BERLIN, June 21—Even though the failure of the Anti-Monarchist expropriation bill frustrates the confiscation of the former dynasties' treasure, estimated at half a billion dollars, it is by no means a foregone conclusion that these immense riches will be returned intact to their previous owners.

The government is still confronted by a powerful opposition which it could only disregard at the risk of provoking serious political consequences and perhaps even violent outbreaks.

Following yesterday's referendum in which the move to confiscate the treasure was defeated, the government today announced that it would immediately push a compromise bill through the Reichstag whereby they would retain part of this vast property while the remainder would be returned to the overthrown monarchs and their families.

Opposition Reaffirmed

One of the most significant features of the referendum is that 15,000,000 German citizens have reaffirmed their opposition to the old regime by voting for expropriation of the estates of their former rulers.

Even the defeat of the bill, the great favoring vote strongly impressed observers here. It is seen as an indication of a deep spirit of opposition to the old regime—a renewed assurance that no attempt will be made to restore the monarchy in Germany.

The final vote in the referendum yesterday stood: For expropriation, 14,889,000; Against, 5,400,000.

These opposing the measure had argued their group from voting. The vote cast all that mattered, for the measure couldn't have been carried unless a majority of the nation's qualified voters cast their ballots. With anything less than 19,000,000 votes defeat was automatic.

Only minor disorders marked the voting. In Berlin 214 persons were arrested, while eighteen were wounded in a revolver battle between communists and fascists at Halle.

WHERE WOMEN WEAR BOOTLEG SILK STOCKINGS

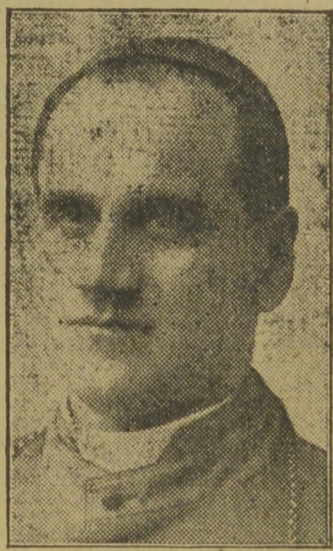
Bucharest, Rumania, June, 21—Bootleggers of silk stockings are reaping fortunes in Rumania. There is a prohibitive duty on silks, lingerie, perfumes and articles "de luxe" generally. But the Rumanian woman who is the best dressed in the Balkans demands these articles at any cost.

The result is that bootleggers many of them women, bring in clandestinely thousands or pairs of silk hosiery and sell them to the retail stores or direct to users. Their profits are enormous.

Directors Named.

Additional directors of the New Brunswick Women's Institutes which were in convention here last week are Mrs. R. J. Hooper, Saint John; Mrs. H. S. Jones, Apohaqui; Mrs. J. E. Porter, Andover and Madame Blanchard of Caraquet.

The poisoning of several dogs owned in the West End has been reported within the past day or two.



WILL HEAD DELEGATION OF CANADIAN CATHOLICS

Most Rev. Pietro Di Maria, Apostolic Delegate to Canada and Newfoundland will be the leader of 75,000 Canadian Roman Catholics who will attend the 28th Eucharistic Congress, June 20 to 24, at Chicago. Nineteen special trains will be required to carry French-Canadian pilgrims alone.

LIVELY DEBATE EXPECTED IN CUSTOMS PROBE

Ottawa, June 20—Parliament tomorrow enters on what will probably be the last week of the present session. There is every indication, however, that in the debate on the customs probe, the week will be marked by one of the sharpest discussions since the opening of the house over five months ago. The debate is now expected to begin on Tuesday afternoon.

Liberal and Conservative members are preparing for the battle on the report and from a political standpoint, the next few days are likely to be the most critical and hectic of the session. The amendment of censure on the question of ministerial responsibility, which it is definitely announced from opposition headquarters will be moved by Hon. H. H. Stevens, Conservative member for Vancouver Centre, who made the charges, will be the chief ground on which the debate will be staged. Another amendment is in contemplation in the Progressive camp.

Adoption of the report was only carried in committee in the early hours of Friday morning by a majority of one, after three lengthy and cordant sittings in the same day. Finally, it was decided to leave the main point of disagreement—that of ministerial responsibility—to the house for decision. This in itself is indicative of the lack of unanimity.

A STRIKE IN PRAGUE ON DUTY ON CEREALS

Prague, Czechoslovakia, June 21—A four hour strike against import duties on cereals was called yesterday by the workers. All stores were closed. Parliament House and other public buildings were guarded by strong forces of police. There were frequent clashes between the police and the strikers and a number of the latter were arrested.

The National Socialist party of which Dr. Edward Benes, the Foreign Minister is a member says it has requested him to resign from the Ministry not because of lack of confidence in him but because of opposition to the Cabinet which imposed the cereal duties.

THE GERMAN CHANCELLOR IS HOPEFUL

Regrets He is Unable to Attend Eucharistic Congress.

HAS FORWARDED A CABLEGRAM

Hopes Congress Will Strengthen World Peace Movement.

(Special to the Daily Mail by British United Press)

Berlin, June 21—Chancellor Marx cabled Cardinal Mundella at Chicago on Sunday regretting his inability to attend the Eucharistic Congress now being held there. The Chancellor expressed the hope that the Congress would strengthen International Goodwill and the movement for world peace.

WERE RUSHED TO OTTAWA BY SPECIAL TRAIN

Ottawa, June 20—The rumor that a special train was chartered to bring two Liberal members of Parliament from Quebec Province to Ottawa in time for an important division in the House is being brought up in the House.

A. J. Anderson (Conservative, Toronto-High Park) asks if telegrams were dispatched to Armand Sylvestre M. P. for Lake St. John and J. E. Debuc, M. P. for Chicoutimi last Tuesday enjoining them to return to Ottawa by special train. Was a special train assembled for transport what did it cost and who is to pay for it? the question goes on.

Last Tuesday saw the debate on the opposition motion of censure regarding the Alberta resources. In the division about 2 p. m., these two members did not vote. The government was sustained by a majority of six.

LATE WILLIAM F. GRACE.

Impressive Funeral Sunday Afternoon
—Gibson Lodge P. A. P. B. Attended.

The funeral of the late William F. Grace took place Sunday afternoon from his home in Brunswick street. It was very largely attended. Gibson Lodge, P. A. P. B. (No. 37) was in charge and the members attended in large numbers. Members of Marysville Lodge No. 23 and Wilmot Lodge No. 47 also were present. The York Reg. Band furnished music. There were many beautiful floral pieces a special carriage being used to convey them to the grave.

The service was conducted at the late home by Rev. F. H. Holmes. At three o'clock the cortege wended its way to the Rural Cemetery via Brunswick street and Woodstock Road.

The mourners were Walter H. Grace, George Grace, Herbert C. Grace, Murray Quartermain, Avery Moorehouse, George O'Hara, William Laskey, members of Fredericton Barbers' Association.

The pall-bearers were Stanley Hodgson, Fred Saunders, Albert Tedford, Guy Dunbar, Henry Boyd, Harold Lindsay.

Hon. L. J. O'Brien Here.

Hon. Leonard J. O'Brien speaker of the House of Assembly is registered at the Queen today with a motor party the other members of which are Mr. McGrath, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Tippet, Mrs. George Flowers and Mrs. M. O'Brien.

Brawny Sailor was Caught Prowling in The Palace Grounds

Had Scaled a High Fence at Buckingham Palace and Was Making His Way to the Private Entrance to the King's Apartments—Only His Majesty Can Prefer a Charge Against Him.

(Special to the Daily Mail by the British United Press)

LONDON, June 21—Caught within the enclosure surrounding the Royal Grounds of Buckingham Palace a brawny sailor now finds his fate resigned to the hands of King George.

The seaman, after gaining entrance to the palace grounds early Sunday morning, presumably by scaling a high iron fence which completely shuts in the grounds, was making his way toward the private entrance to the King's apartments when challenged by guards. He did not resist arrest.

He was unable to explain his presence on the grounds. Under British law only the King himself can decide whether a charge may be made against offenders arrested in the Palace area.

Great Britain's ruler has not yet had a formal charge made. Meanwhile the seaman has been placed in a cell.

CARNARVON'S DEATH TRACED TO POISONING

San Francisco, Cal., June 21—The death of Lord Carnarvon, famed Egyptologist, long unsolved has been traced directly to a poison coating on the casket of King Tutankhamen. Dr. Frederick Cowles, Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society of Great Britain occurred upon his arrival here from the Far East.

The deaths of a number of other excavators of King Tutankhamen's tomb have been definitely traced to the same cause, Dr. Cowles said.

"What the poison was has not been determined" he said. "The poison coating of the casket crumbled into dust with the years but apparently did not lose any of its strength. Inhalation of this dust was fatal to Lord Carnarvon and several laborers and caused the acute illness of Howard Carter and others who conducted the excavations."

FIVE STREAM DRIVERS LOST THEIR LIVES

Campbellton, June 19—Word was received from Gaspé yesterday of a particularly sad drowning accident which occurred on the Dartmouth river there, in which five men lost their lives, while engaged in log-driving for the Shepard and Morse Lumber Company.

The tragedy occurred on June 3rd, but it appears that some time elapsed before details of the sad event were available at Gaspé village.

According to information received, six men in a bateau were endeavoring to land on a centre jam when the accident occurred, and their craft was upset by coming into contact with a sunken log. Three of them clung to the overturned boat for some time, but were unable to save themselves. The sole survivor of the tragedy managed to make shore about a mile further down stream. The men all leave families residing at Little Gaspé, Gaspé county. So far only three of the five bodies have been recovered.

RUMANIA HAS CUT OFF PRINCE CAROL

Bucharest, June 21—Prince Carol of Rumania has been dropped from the royal civil list by the Rumanian Government. His abandoned wife, Princess Helene and her 4 year old son, the Crown Prince will receive Carol's former allowance which amounts to \$60,000 a year.

The Prince will hereafter be obliged to live on the revenue from his small land holdings in Rumania and on the income from the money left him by his great-granduncle, King Carol I. These together are said to aggregate about \$30,000 a year. The Prince continues to live in Paris with Madame Lupescu.

Nicholas Nano is former Rumanian Charge d'Affairs at Washington. He says the Prince is showing keen interest in Rumanian affairs. Also he appeared somewhat "bored" with his life with Madame Lupescu. Nano believes Carol is now remorseful for his recent action and that a reconciliation between him and the royal family within six or nine months is not improbable.

Died in the Hospital.

Mrs. Catherine A. Grant wife of Allan Grant of Kingsclear died Sunday morning in Victoria Hospital in this city aged sixty-two years. Besides the husband there survive six sons Roy and Jordan at home, Scovill of Caribou, Me., and Howard, Harry and Arnold of Orono, Me., also four daughters Mrs. David McDonald of Pinder, Mrs. John McGillivray of Houlton and the Misses Thelma and Mary at home. There also are a sister Mrs. Fred Pond of Devon and two brothers William Lockhart of Millville and Joseph Lockhart of Pinder. There also are nineteen grandchildren surviving. The funeral will take place Tuesday at Kingsclear.

Death at Penniac.

William Donald an aged resident of Penniac died Saturday at his home aged eighty-nine years. The funeral took place this afternoon at Penniac.

Miss Agnes Feeney is spending her vacation with friends and relatives in Montreal.