

KAISER VISITS POPE

Rides from Embassy to Vatican in Carriage Brought from Berlin.

GIVEN HEARTY RECEPTION BY ROMANS

Giant Guardsman Receive Almost as Much Attention as Emperor.

SPENDS FORTY MINUTES WITH PONTIFF

Two Sons of Emperor Are Also Introduced to the Pope.

ENTERTAINS PRINCES OF THE CHURCH

After Visit to Vatican Emperor William Returns to Neutral Ground in Deference to Pope's Wishes.

ROME, May 3.—Emperor William was received by the pope today. He had a conference with the pontiff for forty minutes, and then returned to the residence of the Prussian minister to the holy see. The day was bright and as the emperor and his suite traversed the streets of Rome he was enthusiastically acclaimed by his majesty's presence.

His majesty held a long conference with Chancellor von Bülow, looked over the dispatches concerning the situation in Macedonia, expressed his views thereon, and gave instructions to be sent to Berlin and Constantinople.

At 9:30 o'clock the emperor and princess, accompanied by the imperial suite and escorted by cuirassiers, drove to the German embassy. Outside the embassy the emperor was met by the German residents of Rome, among whom were the pupils of the German schools, who brought flowers to the emperor.

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WILD RUMOR STIRS LONDON

Story in Circulation that King Edward Had Been Assassinated.

LONDON, May 3.—A rumor that King Edward had been assassinated gained circulation here this morning. It caused a feeling of uneasiness until it was ascertained that the report was absolutely unfounded and that the Sunday program of the royal visit was being carried out in Paris without a hitch.

DREYFUS' APPEAL IS DENIED

Minister of War Holds It Should Have Been Directed to Minister of Justice.

PARIS, May 3.—(New York World Cablegram-Special Telegram.)—General Alfred Dreyfus' appeal asking for a reopening of his case. The request has been refused, because the letter was addressed to the minister of war instead of to the minister of justice.

Strike on State Railways.

COPENHAGEN, May 3.—There is a prospect of a serious strike on the part of the employees of the state railroads. For several weeks these employees have been agitating for an increase in pay. There is now a bill before the Rigsdag which revises the scale of pay, but in the case of two-thirds of the employees this bill practically reduces salaries. The president of the employees' union says if the bill is adopted a general strike will be called.

Berlin Ridicules Du Barry.

BERLIN, May 3.—David Belasco's "Du Barry" was produced for the first time in Germany at the Theater des Westens last night. Frau Odilon of Vienna appeared in the title role. The play was splendidly staged and the house was filled. It was considered a success, however, and it was greeted with much hissing. The critics this morning exhaust their vocabulary in ridiculing the play.

Langer to Seek Redress.

BERLIN, May 3.—The United States consul at Solingen, Joseph P. Langer, who was fined \$750 by a judge in Solingen for disorderly conduct in the courtroom, and sentenced to one day's arrest for continued disorderly conduct, will appear before the minister of justice at Schoenstatt for redress. The sentence against the consul was suspended by the Solingen judge, but it was not cancelled.

Emperor's Brother-in-Law Quits.

BERLIN, May 3.—The hereditary prince of Sax-Meiningen, commander of the Sixth army corps at Breslau, and brother-in-law of Emperor William, whose recent orders against the maltreatment of soldiers and drunkenness in the army created a sensation, has resigned.

CONFERR ON FINANCIAL BILL

Senators Aldrich, Platt of Connecticut and Spooner to Formulate Measure.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Senator Aldrich, chairman of the senate committee on finance, who is spending a few weeks at Hot Springs, Va., has invited Senators Allison, Platt of Connecticut and Spooner, all republican members of the finance committee, to visit him there for the purpose of conferring over the provisions of the financial bill to be introduced early in the next session of congress. They are expected to reach Hot Springs tomorrow. The conference will continue for ten days or two weeks.

It is expected that the bill formulated will be along the general lines of the deposit bill last session. The meeting at Hot Springs will not be official.

MORGAN IN NEED OF PALACE

Nothing of Less Magnitude Will Serve to House His Art Treasures.

(Copyright, 1903, by Press Publishing Co.) LONDON, May 3.—(New York World Cablegram-Special Telegram.)—When Morgan arrives in London it is said that the fate of his collections, or rather score of collections, of works of art will be decided. His recent conference with Secretary Shaw at Washington was to ascertain if any feasible arrangements could be made for importing them into the United States duty free.

According to the dispatches received here his errand again proved fruitless, and now when he comes to London he has to decide upon taking a new house, or palace, for nothing less would suffice, to assemble his artistic treasures. He will have more to do here in the way of interviews and appointments than any living man, King Edward not excepted. The leading French, Italian and German art dealers are certain to show him the cream of the masterpieces they have recently secured from the greatest European collections. The appointments he will fill a large folio.

AMERICANS TO LIGHT PARIS

Exactions of Present Gas Companies Cause Acceptance of Proposal.

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This decision is due to the outrageous policy of the city gas companies, who charge high, give poor service and compel consumers to pay 60 cents a month rent for gas meters. It is believed that great benefit will result to consumers and the innovation is keenly awaited.

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EIGHT KILLED BY A TRAIN

Fast Express Plows Into Crowd of Excursionists at Detroit.

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Bodies of Dead and Injured Scattered in Every Direction Swiftly Moving Train.

DETROIT, May 3.—A day of merrymaking and celebration by 1,500 Polish excursionists from Toledo was brought to a close by a frightful catastrophe at the corner of Canfield and Dequindre streets at 8:30 o'clock this evening in which at least eight of the excursionists were killed. The excursion was given by the Polish Lancers of Toledo, over the Lake Shore. The excursionists left the train at the corner of Canfield and Dequindre streets this morning and were met by a number of local Poles and Polish societies who escorted the visitors to St. Joseph's church. One entertainment was held later at Harmonica hall. About 8 o'clock the visitors began to gather again at the corner of Canfield and Dequindre streets to take their train back to Toledo. Both the Lake Shore and Grand Trunk tracks run out from the Brush street station on Dequindre street. Four policemen stood at the corner of Canfield and Dequindre streets, but the excursionists, crowded through the gates on the track. Despite their efforts hundreds crawled under or over the gates and walked down the dark tracks to await the arrival of their train, which could be seen coming slowly up from the station.

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FAITH IN BROTHER PRIEST

Father Reichlin Denounces Arrest of Father Walzer for Murder of Sister.

LORAIN, O., May 3.—Rev. Charles Reichlin, pastor of St. Joseph's church in this city, and brother of Agatha Reichlin, who was murdered last Thursday night, has issued a statement in denunciation of the authorities for the arrest of Father Ferdinand Walzer on the charge of murdering his sister. The occasion was at the services this morning in that church and the place was from the altar steps. Rev. Father Reichlin was greatly affected over the happenings of the week and could hardly speak. He is anticipated today, huskily from emotion and he paused frequently to overcome his feelings. Father Reichlin's statement was as follows:

"Various events have happened during the past week. No doubt they are a lesson to us. The lesson is that we should always be most careful in our conduct, not when it will please the Lord to call us to Himself. Avoid sin and do good. The lesson also is how little we can trust the world.

"Brutality is not a thing that is or was confined to the so-called dark ages. It is the nature of man, and it is non-civilized countries. It is right here in our midst, in this twentieth century. The world sees it every day.

"I am sorry to see that Father Walzer is connected with the murder of my sister. I am sorry because I know, I am convinced that he is absolutely innocent, and that the matter has been a tragedy. It is, however, a matter that public opinion may be. It cannot make him out a murderer, the murderer of my sister. The time will come when I will give my version of the bloodshed story, upon which the scene of public opinion seems to be based. My friends, I believe Father Walzer innocent until he is proven guilty. Personally, I must say that I do not know what assault is most brutal, the assault upon the murderer upon my sister or the assault upon the reputation of Father Reichlin by Senators Burton and Long on that good point.

"In your prayers pray for my poor sister. Pray also for Father Walzer. Let us help him carry his cross, and heavy though it be, let us act with fortitude and as become Christians."

The scene of the murder was a point of interest for callers at the certain employment bureau, where the body was in view until it was taken into St. Joseph's church at 3 o'clock, where the vesper for the dead was sung by Rev. Charles Reichlin and two assisting priests. The congregation was so large that it entirely filled the seats and all the standing benches.

The funeral services will be held tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. Father Walzer, who is confined in the county jail at Elyria, was not accessible to visitors today and he has seen no one since yesterday. He is treated as any other prisoner, and he has no special attention of the corridor. His preliminary hearing will be held probably on Tuesday. There is no excitement at Elyria and no sign of unlawful action.

PRESIDENT SPENDS QUIET DAY

Attends Church in Little Kansas Town and Takes Horseback Ride.

SHARON SPRINGS, Kan., May 3.—President Roosevelt attended the little Methodist church at this place today and listened to a most instructive sermon preached by a Presbyterian minister, Rev. William Carter of Kansas City, who came here for that purpose. A number of pastors from the neighborhood also participated. A pleasing incident occurred as the services began. Two little girls were standing in the aisle near the president's pew. As soon as the president saw them he drew them into his arms and during the singing the three shared the same hymn book. At the conclusion of the services the president shook hands with a number of people. In the afternoon he took a horseback ride, and a great many members of the association were in session in Topeka since last Thursday, came to a close tonight. Most of the delegates have already left the city and others will go tonight on special trains. It has not been settled when the next convention of the association will be held, conducted by Rev. J. Wilbur Chapman of New York. His subject was "Three Looks, Up, In, Out."

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PADDING REGISTRY LISTS

Fraud Being Resorted to in the Desperate Effort to Defeat Major Moore.

ARRESTS ARE LIKELY TO FOLLOW TODAY

Nonresidents Brought In from the East and Are Handled Through Railway Employment Bureau.

Reliable information was placed in the hands of the Bureau last night that many nonresidents were registered illegally Saturday for the purpose of being used in the election tomorrow to defeat the re-election of Mayor Moore.

Evidence of sufficient quantity has been gathered already to show conclusively that many imported laborers were undoubtedly registered as citizens of the state, county and city on Saturday, the greatest numbers being in the First, Second, Third and Eighth wards, but a number were scattered in other wards of the city.

More facts are being collected and arrests of men wrongfully registered and their employers are anticipated today. The work was done so openly and so palpably that it required no special acuteness to detect it. In the Third ward alone more than 200 men were registered, although the registration for the election last fall was very complete, owing to the fierce competition of the day.

According to the statements of the man who seems to have handled most of the money to buy the votes in the Third ward, he received his cash from the railroads and his instructions to the men were to vote for Howell, but if they were unworriedly to announce that Benson was the republican nominee and that the votes should be counted for him.

So far as known the nonresidents who were registered were brought from the east and were handled through railway labor employment bureau, it being known positively that at least one of these establishments was concerned in the work.

Early on Saturday the plans of the railroads and local franchised corporations to swell the Howell and Benson votes with ballots cast by men who had no right to participate in an Omaha election, were discovered and during the remainder of the day the registration of these men was prevented by the railway and their managers were closely watched.

The methods used were similar to those employed in the primaries last fall when fraud was used to carry the city for Dave Mercer, and many of the same go-betweens are being used in the present campaign. When the first case they escaped detection and conviction they are better known now.

Every precaution is being taken by the republican city committee and the supporters of Mayor Moore to insure a fair election.

Y. M. C. A. WORK ON RAILROADS

National Convention Decides to Push Its Labors into Foreign Lands.

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