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Alfonso.

King Alfonso is now the real thing in the line of royalty. Even a stage king can be crowned with a lot of pomp and ceremony, but it takes the bomb of an anarchist to give the baptism of fire that makes true royalty.

Why anyone should wish to harm that poor little boy is beyond the imagination of any brain not entitled to a brevet for distinction in insanity. That the possibilities of world advancement and for the progress of liberty involved in the friendly courtship of France and Spain, expressed in the visit of Alfonso to Loubet, should be overlooked by a few idiots may be understood; but that anyone, without a sense of personal wrong, should attempt to cripple the two governments because to his perverted mentality all government is iniquitous, is an aberration of thought that will ultimately kill anarchy itself.

The killing of rulers is almost invariably the work of imbeciles and degenerates. Almost as invariably it accomplishes a result the very opposite of what the killer intended. In our own country, the killing of Lincoln was a blow to the very cause the perverted imagination of his slayer thought he was advancing, and today the name of Lincoln is held in veneration in the South and that of Wilkes Booth held in detestation.

If the overzealous friends of progress and liberty, who now class themselves as anarchists, could only recognize the cowardly nature of their principles and the inherent laziness of their methods, perhaps some lingering sparks of manliness within their might be blown into the flame of individual endeavor for personal and civic righteousness.

Give the \$1 Man a Chance.

Washington's need for \$1 shareholders in public enterprises like the playgrounds, the city gardens, and the auditorium, as set forth in these columns yesterday has been confirmed by the great body of Times readers. The discussion provoked by the editorial, "Not \$1,000—\$1," however, suggests two aspects of the city's present situation which have not yet been considered.

Times has not heard of it. But canvasses of the most comprehensive and fine-tooth character have been made among the city's merchants and professional men times without number. The city needs more of the \$1 spirit, as The Times said yesterday. One of the most valuable manifestations of that spirit will be found in committee work. At present the \$1 men are practically excluded from that work. It rests with the present committee to raise the bars.

Charles J. Bonaparte.

There is method in Mr. Roosevelt's appointments, and there is and will be commensurate madness among the machine politicians and grafticulturists.

Mr. Roosevelt, by divorcing himself from all thought of a further term of office, has made it possible to select his lieutenants according to his own view of their personal and public fitness for the duties assigned them, and has disarmed criticism of its most irritating sting—the allegation of ulterior motives.

Mr. Roosevelt is a hard worker, a clean fighter, a type of American citizenship accepting public office for the purpose of infusing high ideals and honest intelligence. He is strenuously opposed to graft in all its branches, scions, offshoots, flowers and fruit. In selecting Mr. Bonaparte he has picked a man of his own general type, a man who has won more than his spurs in the great war of decency against corruption.

Mr. Roosevelt knows the Navy Department; he served there as assistant secretary just before the Spanish war; the country knows Mr. Bonaparte's reputation as a crook-catcher and graft-prosecutor; there may be no connection between these apparently separate knowledges, but there is at least no reason to anticipate an immediate rush of grafters to the corridors of that department.

There may be no grafting in the Navy Department, but there is undoubtedly a Navy Ring. American bureaucracy has there reached its highest development and out of its scrap-heaps has blossomed the most resplendent Jimson-weed of pompous officialdom. It may not be possible for Mr. Bonaparte to teach some of our Sir Joseph Porters when to splice the main-brace or the proper time to sail three sheets in the wind; he may not know the proper tone of voice in which to address the marines; but it will be instructive to our sea aristocrats to observe the modest bearing of a man who traces his line through one of the oldest Colonial families and through the brother of the greatest military genius of modern Europe.

Count Cassini should remember that a harsh answer turneth not away Japs. There is no doubt that August Machen would recommend Charles J. Bonaparte as a pretty successful man. The Western towns are probably beginning to marvel at the great number of men who think they ought to be Presidents.

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BRIDES OF JUNE LED TO THE ALTAR

Lawrence A. Janney Weds Miss Marion Robins.

MARRIED AT ST. THOMAS'

Miss Rita Ryan Now the Wife of Alan O. Clephane—Other Nuptial Ceremonies.

At 4:30 o'clock this afternoon Miss Marion Robins, daughter of Mrs. Annette Beebe Robins, of Boston, and Lawrence A. Janney, formerly of Washington, but now of Boston, will be married in the church of St. Thomas.

The bride will be given away by her mother, and will have as maid of honor Miss Eleanor B. Holbrook, of Springfield, Mass. Her bridesmaids will be Miss Gladys Lawson and Miss Marion Lawson, of Boston, daughters of Thomas W. Lawson. The Best Man, Henry H. Sterratt, of New York, who was a Harvard classmate of the bridegroom in 1902, will officiate.

The brother of the bride, Elliott B. Robins, another Harvard man, is to serve as best man. White and green will furnish a charmingly arranged floral decoration in the drawing rooms. The bride's robe is a lace princess robe, the design partially carried out in hand embroidery. She is to wear the conventional tulle veil and orange blossoms, and will carry a shower bouquet of lilies.

The gown to be worn by Mrs. Robins is of coral-colored silk and rare old lace. She will wear pale pink chiffon, with a beautiful lace bertha, and will carry bridesmaid roses. The Misses Lawson have gowns of white Valenciennes lace with pink girdles, pink shoes, and will carry pink roses. Mrs. Janney, however, the bridegroom will wear violet messeline with old point lace.

There will be a large reception at St. Thomas' church from 5 to 7 o'clock at which there will be a representative number of prominent society people invited. After the wedding Mr. Janney and his bride will start upon a wedding journey, embracing several fashionable resorts. For a going-away gift, the bride will wear a green changeable silk gown and a green hat.

Mr. Janney is the son of Prof. A. B. Janney, supervising principal of the Georgetown public schools. He has established a lucrative patent law practice in Boston and will take his bride there to live.

Mrs. Robins has occupied an apartment at Stoneleigh for a season past, and the bride has been remarkably popular with the young element of resident society.

Clephane-Ryan. St. Thomas' P. E. Church was well filled at noon today with a large number of Washington's most prominent society people to witness the marriage of Miss Rita Ryan and Alan O. Clephane. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Ernest Smith, rector of the church. The decorations were most artistic, the color scheme at the church as well as at the home being white and blue. There were four bridesmaids, Miss Louise Ryan, Miss Cecile Ryan, Miss Elizabeth Middleton Bryan, of Charleston, S. C., and Miss Claudia Trenholm, of New York city. They each wore a pretty frock of French organdie and lace over blue silk, white picture hats with blue bows and streamers, and carried sweet peas.



MISS MARION ROBINS. LAWRENCE A. JANNEY. Principals in a Pretty Home Wedding to Be Celebrated at Stoneleigh Court at 4 o'Clock This Afternoon.

SOCIETY REGRETS LOSS OF MORTONS

Change in Cabinet Takes Smart Set Napping.

CASSINI MUCH ENTERTAINED

Miss Flora Wilson Takes Automobile Trip Through France—Other Personal Gossip.

While the departure of the Paul Mortons from Washington society, where they have held brilliant sway for a season, is greatly regretted by what is termed the smart set, the newly chosen Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Charles Bonaparte are being talked of in the most favorable manner, and their welcome will be a hearty one.

It is not at all probable that Mrs. Bonaparte, who is a semi-invalid, will come to Washington until next fall, for they have a beautiful country home in Baltimore county, Md., where they entertain in a small, but hospitable way.

Mrs. Bonaparte has not taken an active part in society, generally limiting her efforts to dinner parties preceding German or musicals. She is a fine pianist. She is said to be wholly without fads, but a woman of broad culture. In appearance, Mrs. Bonaparte is said to be scarcely above medium height. While Mr. Bonaparte is a Catholic, Mrs. Bonaparte is a Protestant.

Count Cassini, has received word from Baron Rosen, the newly appointed ambassador from Russia, that he will sail June 23 for this country. Count Cassini, during the meantime, is being constantly entertained by his host of Washington friends. The Italian Ambassador and Baroness Mayor des Planches will give a dinner in his honor next week. Countess Cassini, his daughter, was presented at court in St. Petersburg last Friday.

Mme. Wilenkin, wife of the financial secretary of the Russian embassy, and her two charming children will sail later for New York today. Mrs. Wilenkin and her children will join them and they will all spend the summer at the home of Wilenkin, Eden Manor, in Kent.

Miss Flora Wilson, daughter of the Secretary of Agriculture, has just returned to her studio in Paris after a delightful automobile trip through the chateau district of France. She will spend a month in Paris and will later visit in Scotland. She is exceedingly popular with the American contingent in Paris, though she spends more time in study than in social pursuits.

G. W. STUDENTS AT RECEPTION

The Phoenix Club has hired buses for its annual outing on Sunday next. The club has invited the lady friends of the members. The party will leave the city at 7:30 a. m. and spend the entire day at Great Falls. The chaperones are Mrs. M. Silver and Mrs. S. Young.

Through a mistake the photograph of Miss Beige Bateman, one of Washington's most popular society girls, was printed at the head of the social department of The Times of Tuesday afternoon over the name of Miss Evelyn Walsh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Walsh.

At 4 o'clock this afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, 123 Columbia road, Miss Florence Annie Redway, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. George Redway, will be married to Wallace Brown Allen.

Miss Mary Morgan and John Lawton Norwood will be married this evening at the First Congregational Church. Reception at Raucher's from 8 to 10 o'clock will follow the ceremony.

NEW PROFESSORS NAMED AT G. W. UNIVERSITY

At a meeting of the board of trustees of the George Washington University yesterday, two new professors were elected for the ensuing term. Prof. Henry P. Willis, now occupying the chair of economics at the Washington and Lee University, was called to preside over the chair of finance in the department of politics and diplomacy.

Prof. W. S. Hough, who for many years occupied the chair of philosophy at the University of Minnesota, was elected assistant professor of philosophy in the department of politics and diplomacy. A plan was formulated whereby the old Van Ness mansion will be required for use next year by the engineering classes. Many of the old rooms will be fitted up as laboratories for the use of the students studying engineering.

WILL LAY CORNER STONE OF SCHOOL

Exercises Today at the National Cathedral.

A FINE PROGRAM OF MUSIC

Ceremony in Charge of a Committee of One Hundred—Evening at the Close.

Arrangements for the laying of the cornerstone of the Lane-Johnston Choir School for Boys of the National Cathedral of St. Peter and Paul have been completed, and all is in readiness for the services this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

The clergy of Washington and Baltimore have been asked to take part in the great procession, robed in their priestly vestments, all the boy choirs of the city will sing, assisted by the Marine Band and a chorus from the National Cathedral School for Girls. The congregations of the city churches and the general public are invited to the ceremonies.

President Roosevelt has been invited, and it is possible that he will honor the occasion by appearing. Ministers of other denominations have been specially invited. The Churchmen's League forms the reception and other committees. The committee of one hundred which has given distinct and particular service to the cathedral will also be present. Open air evening will be held after the ceremonies around the peace cross.

Day of Ascension. Ascension Day is Founder's Day at the National Cathedral of St. Peter and Paul, and is always observed by social services. Last year a large multitude thronged there to listen to the services, and the sight of the great crowd, the white choir against the green background of the trees, the sweet music, with now and then the echo of the bird voices, was memorable. The school was given by Mrs. Harriet Lane Johnston, niece of President Buchanan, in memory of her two sons, James and Henry, who died in boyhood.

Bishop Paré will lay the cornerstone, and the Rev. Mr. Hodges, of St. Paul's Church, Baltimore, will preach the sermon. Special car service will be provided.

Under the Stone. Under the cornerstone will be placed Greek containing pictures of the school, points of interest about the cathedral close, pictures of Bishop Satterlee and the founder of the school, coins, daily papers of Washington of this date, and especially a copy of The Washington Sunday Times of May 21, 1905, which contained the first picture of the choir school ever appearing in a Washington paper.

TRISCOT-MATTHEWS WEDDING

Mrs. John P. Matthews has issued invitations to the marriage of her daughter, Miss Mary Grace Matthews, to Thomas Culbert Triscot, on Monday, June 19, at noon, at St. John's Church, Georgetown.

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