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27. 1921., travanj 8., Dodatak izvješću br. 825 Henryja Percivala Dodgea State Departmentu: Izvješće konzula Alfreda Thomsona iz Zagreba poslaniku Henryju Percivalu Dodgeu s „političkim bilješkama o Hrvatskoj i Slavoniji“ u kojem se navodi da je HRSS „još uvijek stranka koja održava svoje sastanke u Zagrebu, ali čini se da gubi utjecaj među seljacima koji su postupno gubili interes u svoje vođe koji nisu ostvarili obećane rezultate“.

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AMERICAN CONSULAR SERVICE
Zagreb, Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats & Slovenes,

April 8, 1921.

Subject: Political notes from Zagreb

Honorable H. Percival Dodge,
American Minister,
Belgrade.

Sir:

Referring to the reports transmitted several weeks ago concerning the activities of the “Radich” Peasant Republican Party, I have the honor to report that, while this party still has an organization which holds meetings at Zagreb, it seems to be losing influence among the peasants who are gradually losing interest in their leaders who did not produce the results promised. However, any new republican movement which may appear in future in Jugoslavia would undoubtedly have the support of this party. In connection with the recent movement in Hungary looking to the re-establishment of a monarchy, local statesmen at Zagreb believe that Radich’s party has been a protection to the new Yugoslav state, in that it has instilled republicanism in the minds of the peasants at the expense of leanings towards the Habsburg family.

With reference to the situation in Hungary, while local officials and newspapers are not giving out any information concerning movements of Yugoslav troops, it is known here that well trained troops left Zagreb, Sarajevo and Novi Sad on April 2nd, and some of these troops crossed the Hungarian frontier on April 3rd. Ex-emperor Karl is understood to have left Hungary on the evening of April 5th.

The advent of the former Hapsburg monarch in Hungary left practically no impression in Croatia. The local press declared itself decidedly against the restoration of Charles and announced itself completely identified with the government of Belgrade. Reactionary malcontents derived hopes in the beginning, but soon became convinced that such hopes were fruitless when they witnessed the careful precautions taken by the

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Jugoslav government to prevent anything in the way of a demonstration. All large political parties of Croatia, although differing between themselves, have shown united antagonism against the restoration of the Hapsburg in Hungary. There is, of course, a very insignificant local party, known as the Frank Party, a small faction of which is flirting with the reactionary elements in Budapest and Vienna with a view to realizing the return of a Hapsburg monarchy.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
Alfred R. Thomson¹⁶⁷
Alfred R. Thomson,
Consul.

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28. 1921., srpanj 14., Izvješće Olivera Fosa Faya, američkoga časnika pri Misiji u Budimpešti o stanju u Jugoslaviji i mogućnosti povratka Karla IV. (I.) na mađarsko prijestolje. Odnoseći se na Hrvatsku istaknuto je da je čak i „republikanac Radić sada Karlist“, te da je „u Hrvatskoj raspoloženje protiv Srba toliko ogorčeno da bi se bez pretjerivanja moglo reći da bi i najžešći bivši republikanac (...) prihvatio Karla otvorenih ruku“.

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The Honorable

The Secretary of State,
Washington

Sir:

I have the honor to enclose herewith, for the information of the Department, a copy of a REPORT FROM THE OFFICE OF THE MILITARY OBSERVER, PREPARED BY MR. OLIVER FOS FAY, A HUNGARIAN SUBJECT, for many years

¹⁶⁷ Vlastroučno.