

K/PP114 - Papers of MANOEL II of Portugal (1889–1932)

1. Plans for the restoration of the monarchy to Portugal

- 1 c.1912-1913 Manuscript document entitled "Esboço d'um plano politico para a restaracao da monarchia" [Draft for a political plan for the Restoration of the Monarchy]. In Portuguese. Includes typescript English translation.

2. Letters from King Manoel concerning the restoration of the monarchy in Portugal

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- 2/1 1912 Mar 14 Letter from King Manoel II of Portugal to E. Schroeter requesting his support in helping restore the monarchy to Portugal. In Portuguese. Includes typescript English translation.
- 2/2 1912 Aug 6 Letter from King Manoel II of Portugal to his cousin Dom Miguel asking to be informed of their mutual cousin Dom Manuel's intentions. In French. Includes typescript English translation.
- 2/3 1913 Feb 26 Letter from King Manoel II of Portugal to Ayres d'Oruellas, expressing his annoyance at the setting up of another pro-monarchy organization without Manoel's consent. In Portuguese. Includes typescript English translation.
- 2/4 1913 Mar 29 Letter and envelope from King George V (1865-1936), Britain to King Manoel II of Portugal wishing him success in his forthcoming trip to Sigmarigen, Germany and assuring him that the diplomat Sir Arthur Hardinge (1859-1933) will do everything in his power to restore Manoel's property to him. In English.
- 2/5 [nd, date has been removed] Letter from King Manoel II of Portugal to Ayres d'Oruellas authorizing the purchase of a warship. In Portuguese. Includes typescript English translation.

3 Telegrams concerning fighting for the King during the Revolution.

- 3/1 c.1912 Manuscript transcriptions of 15 telegrams from various sources giving details of the outcome of the pro-monarchist insurrections. In Portuguese.

Includes typescript English translation.

4 Letters to King Manoel II of Portugal concerning his proposed marriage to Princess Augusta of Sigmarigen-Hohenzollern.

- 4/1** 1912 Jun 8 Letter and envelope from Prince Wilhelm of Sigmarigen-Hohenzollern (1864-1927) to King Manoel II of Portugal, conveying his affection and friendship. In French. Includes typescript English translation.
- 4/2** 1912 Jul 22 Letter and envelope from Princess Augusta of Sigmarigen-Hohenzollern ["Mimi"] (1890-1966) to King Manoel II of Portugal, expressing her disappointment that Manoel could not join them on their trip to Bayreuth, Bavaria. In French. Includes typescript English translation.
- 4/3** [?1912] Aug 6 Letter from Queen Amelia of Portugal (1864-1951) to her son King Manoel II of Portugal, describing her trip to Brussels, Belgium and asking Manoel to let her know of his decision. In Portuguese. Includes typescript English translation.
- 4/4** 1912 Aug 10 Letter and Envelope from Queen Amelia of Portugal (1864-1951) to her son King Manoel II of Portugal, relating the discussion she has had with the Comtesse Marie de Flandres regarding prospective marriage to Princess Augusta of Sigmarigen-Hohenzollern and advising that he communicate with the Countess directly for more information. In Portuguese. Includes typescript English translation.
- 4/5** 1912 Aug 18 Letter and envelope from Comtesse Marie de Flandres to her nephew King Manoel II of Portugal, inviting Manoel to visit her to discuss his prospective marriage to Princess Augusta of Sigmarigen-Hohenzollern. In French. Includes typescript English translation.
- 4/6** 1912 Aug 18 Letter and fragment of envelope from Queen Amelia of Portugal (1864-1951) to her son King Manoel II of Portugal, further pressing Manoel to discuss the problems arising from his intended marriage to Princess Augusta of Sigmarigen-Hohenzollern with the Comtesse Marie de Flandres. In Portuguese. Includes typescript English translation.
- 4/7** 1912 Oct 28 Letter from Prince Wilhelm of Sigmarigen-Hohenzollern (1864-1927) to King Manoel II of Portugal regarding the arrangement of an appointment to meet with Emperor William II of Prussia. Also expressing regret that the proposed union with his daughter will not take place. In French. Includes typescript English translation.

- 4/8** 1912 Dec 27 Letter and envelope from Princess Augusta of Sigmarigen-Hohenzollern ["Mimi"] (1890-1966) to King Manoel II of Portugal, thanking Manoel for the present of a cigarette case which he has sent her. In French.
Includes typescript English translation.
- 4/9** 1913 Jan 8 Letter from Princess Louisa of Sigmarigen-Hohenzollern to her nephew King Manoel II of Portugal, expressing her hope that the marriage between Manoel and Princess Augusta of Sigmarigen-Hohenzollern will still take place and volunteering to pass on Manoel's letter to Prince Wilhelm of Sigmarigen-Hohenzollern. In French.
Includes typescript English translation.
- 4/10** 1913 Jan 25 Letter from Princess Louisa of Sigmarigen-Hohenzollern to her nephew King Manoel II of Portugal, volunteering to act as an intermediary in the matter of the proposed marriage between Manoel and Princess Augusta of Sigmarigen-Hohenzollern. In French.
Includes typescript English translation.
- 4/11** 1913 Feb 6 Letter from Prince Wilhelm of Sigmarigen-Hohenzollern (1864-1927) to King Manoel II of Portugal, stating that he is not against Manoel marrying his daughter Princess Augusta of Sigmarigen-Hohenzollern but requesting that both parties should meet again to decide whether the match is suitable for both of them. In French.
Includes typescript English translation.
- 4/12** 1913 Feb 13 Letter and envelope from Prince Wilhelm of Sigmarigen-Hohenzollern (1864-1927) to King Manoel II of Portugal, regarding the Manoel's intention to meet with Princess Augusta of Sigmarigen-Hohenzollern in March in order to decide if the marriage will go ahead. In French.
Includes typescript English translation.
- 4/13** 1913 Feb 18 Letter and envelope from Prince Wilhelm of Sigmarigen-Hohenzollern (1864-1927) to King Manoel II of Portugal, advising Manoel that before he can give his permission for the marriage between Manoel and his daughter Princess Augusta of Sigmarigen-Hohenzollern can go ahead Wilhelm must first seek the consent of the Emperor William II of Prussia. In French.
Includes typescript English translation.
- 4/14** 1913 Feb 27 Letter and envelope from Prince Wilhelm of Sigmarigen-Hohenzollern (1864-1927) to King Manoel II of Portugal, explaining that Emperor William II will be considering the financial position of Manoel when considering whether to give his consent to the marriage between Manoel and his daughter Princess Augusta of Sigmarigen-Hohenzollern. In French.

Includes typescript English translation.

5 Miscellaneous personal correspondence.

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- 5/1** 1912 Jan 29 Letter from Ignacy Jan Paderewski (1860-1941) to King Manoel II of Portugal, thanking him for Manoel's letter the gift of a portrait. In French.
Includes typescript English translation.
- 5/2** 1912 Aug 16 Letter from Lucien Daudet to King Manoel II of Portugal, expressing his devotion to Manoel and regret at the death of the composer Jules (Émile Frédéric) Massenet (1842-1912). In French.
Includes typescript English translation.
- 5/3** 1913 Jan 3 Letter from Princess Antoinette Esterhazy to King Manoel II of Portugal, regarding a interpretation of Manoel's signature by a graphologist. In French.
Includes typescript English translation.
- 5/4** 1913 Jan 14 Letter and envelope from Conde de Sabugosa to King Manoel II of Portugal, hoping that the future be more favourable for them both, that the negotiations for the return of Manoel's valuables and belongings are continuing and desiring to meet up with Manoel in person soon. In Portuguese.
Includes typescript English translation.
- 5/5** 1913 Jan 16 Letter and envelope from Princess Antoinette Esterhazy to King Manoel II of Portugal enclosing the analysis of Manoel's signature by a graphologist. Includes typescript English translation.
- 5/6** 1913 Mar 19 Letter from Lord Rosebery to King Manoel II of Portugal, enclosing a gift of a matchbox, which Rosebery did not have engraved with the Portuguese Crown on it in case the engraver made a mistake. In English.
Includes typescript transcription.