

Die entfesselte Menschheit (1920)



- Film Name (English): Humanity Unleashed
- Production Year: 1920
- Category: Feature film - Drama, 6 acts
- Producer: Max Nivelli
- Production Co.: Nivo Film Co.
- Director: Joseph Delmont
- Writer: Max Glass. Based on his novel *“Die entfesselte Menschheit“*, published in 1919, the first fictional account of the “Spartacus Uprising” of January 1919.
- Script: Max Glass
- Storyline: A Bolshevik agitator is enticing workers into a violent rebellion in post WWI Berlin, in order to create anarchy and change the social order. He charms the wife of a factory director into helping him, but the forces of law and order are fighting back.
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- Leading Cast: Eugen Klöpfer, Paul Hartmann, Trude Hoffmann, Marion Illing, Carl de Vogt, Arthur Bergen
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- Technical Specs: 35mm, b/w, silent, length 2453 m
- Artistic Advisor: Max Glass
- Camera: Gustav Preiss, Emil Schünemann
- Paintings: Professor E.H. Zirkel
- Artistic Supervision & Set Design: Architect W.A. Hermann
- Set Building: Architect Paul Lachenauer
- Censor: Berlin censor Jun. 29, 1920 - Banned for minors
- Premiere: 19 Nov 1920 at “Motivhaus” Cinema, Berlin
Some press reviews below >>
- *Remark: The film did not survive but most of it was reused in the film *“Einigkeit und Recht und Freiheit”* (1926)

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