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TEN BOMBS WERE EXPLODED IN EIGHT WIDELY SEPARATED CITIES IN TWO HOURS LAST NIGHT INDICATE NEW NATIONWIDE ANARCHISTS' PLOT

New York Policeman and Un-identified Man in Washington Killed; Anarchist Literature Is Only Clue.

Secret Service Men Throughout Country Searching For Ring Believed Responsible For Destruction Of Home Of Attorney General Palmer, And Attempts On Lives Of Other Prominent Men.—Suspects Held In Cleveland And Philadelphia.

Washington, June 3.—Secret service men throughout the country today hunted the anarchist ring believed responsible for an attempt upon the life of Attorney General A. Mitchell Palmer here last night and efforts to kill prominent persons elsewhere in the United States.

In the tattered remains of the terrorist here who was blown to fragments by the bomb which ripped open the front of the Palmer home and shattered windows, furniture and bric-a-brac in Washington's most fashionable residence district, the police have the only clue as to who is behind the death plot. Upon the sweatband of the dead man's hat appeared the name Deiana Brothers, butters, Philadelphia.

Near his bloodstained clothing was found an Italian-American dictionary. Both had been purchased recently. These clues, coupled with the similarity in the mode of attack between the outrages last night and those perpetrated in Philadelphia six months ago when three homes were shattered, led officials to believe the anarchist ring may be directed from Philadelphia.

Prominent Men Guarded. That it may be the same gang that threatened a May Day tragedy, averted only by the finding April 29 of a score of undelivered bombs in the New York postoffice after one had exploded following delivery at the home of former Senator Hardwick of Georgia, was the belief of officials here.

Working on this theory every precaution was being taken to guard the homes of other government officials, who with Attorney General Palmer, were "marked" for death by the May Day plotters. These included Secretary of Labor Wilson, Commissioner of Immigration Caminetti and Postmaster Burdson. Police and soldiers have been thrown about the home of officials whose safety may be threatened.

It was shortly after 11 o'clock last night when the northwestern part of Washington was shaken by a violent explosion at the front door of Attorney General Palmer's home, which crumpled the facade of the house and wrought destruction to doors, windows and furniture for a distance of over a hundred yards in every direction.

Fifty feet from the steps a portion of a man's leg was found. Further search revealed other fragments of a human form.

Abe Martin.



"Talk like you was sendin' a telegram an' you won't make your friends so tired." "If you nick the edges of a round steak with a wire cutter it will hold its shape," said Mrs. Min Nugent, today.

Remnants of the anarchist's suitcase, in which is believed to have carried his death machine to the Palmer home, were found buried under leaves and limbs blown from trees by the force of the explosion. This gave the first direct clue, that the plotter was an anarchist. It contained a pamphlet signed "An Anarchist Fight," which concluded with the following:

"Just wait and design to your fate, since privilege and riches have turned your heads. Long live social revolution. Down with tyranny."

The man's hat was next discovered. Police authorities here got into touch with the Philadelphia officials in an effort to trace down the identity of the terrorist.

Thumb Prints Found. Reports of bomb outrages almost at the same hour as the one here in Cleveland, New York, Newtonville, Mass., Boston, Philadelphia, Paterson, N. J., and Pittsburgh left no doubt in the minds of officials here that the plot was widespread.

Experts from the bureau of mines and army and navy experts in high explosives were called upon in the effort to determine the explosive used in the bomb here. Some believe the machine had been packed with cordite and that a short commercial fuse had been used as detonator. Officials here believed that this fuse burned so rapidly that the anarchist had insufficient time to escape.

Prints were taken of the thumb found and these are being rushed to police headquarters of all the big cities in the east.

FIFTEEN SUSPECTS HELD BY PITTSBURGH POLICE. Pittsburgh, Pa., June 3.—(United Press).—With fifteen suspects under arrest, the police and federal agents continued today to tighten the dragnet thrown out for anarchists who last night exploded two bombs here, wrecking six residences.

All of the suspects are aliens and well known radical agitators of the Pittsburgh district, it was stated. Although the blasts were violent, no one was injured. The first explosion demolished the front of the residence of Burton J. Cassidy, of the Pittsburgh Plate Glass company. Three nearby homes were damaged by the blast.

Simultaneously with the Cassidy explosion another blast was detonated at the home of Herbert E. Josephs, Panhandle railroad train dispatcher.

THREAT AGAINST OAKLAND POLICE CHIEF IS LOCAL. Oakland, Cal., June 3.—(United Press).—Oakland police today had no connection between the bomb blast sent Acting Police Chief Peterson and the eastern dynamitings. They ascribe the threat sent Peterson to a radical opposing the city wide drive being conducted here against radicals.

The letter, written in red ink, was sent from San Francisco. It was decorated with pictures of bombs, etc., and a number of clippings regarding recent dynamitings were enclosed.

NEW YORK POLICEMEN BLOWN TO PIECES BY BOMB BLAST. New York, June 3.—(United Press).—A special policeman was killed, several persons slightly injured and property damaged by a bomb blast in New York today.

HIGHLIGHTS IN BOMB PLOT EVENTS.

In what may have been a widespread plot, ten bombs were set off in eight cities between 11 o'clock last night and 1 o'clock this morning. Two persons were killed—a special policeman in New York and an unidentified man in Washington.

Anarchist literature was discovered near the scene of the explosions in Washington, Pittsburgh and Roxbury, Mass. Two men were arrested in Philadelphia, the police not making known their names.

In some instances, police said the infernal machines apparently were loaded with shrapnel bullets.

Chief of Postoffice Inspectors Cochran, New York district said today he did not know enough about the outrages yet to determine whether they were the work of the gang that sent many bombs through the mails addressed to prominent men on May Day.

It was believed that, while assassination of public men or big employers may have been intended, the bombs in some instances were planted at the wrong houses.

REVIVAL OF OLD HOLT 'GANG' IS INDICATED

Bombs Used Last Night Same As Planted To Destroy Capitol In 1915.

Washington, June 3.—(United Press).—With the oldest secret service and explosive experts in the government working on the plot to kill Attorney General A. Mitchell Palmer here last night, clues were being pursued to many points in the east today.

Evidence thus far uncovered led officials here to believe that the terrorist ring which showed its hand in several eastern cities, operated either out of Philadelphia or Paterson, N. J. Planter "Old Hand."

The anarchist killed here by his own death weapon while preparing to blow up Palmer's home was an "old hand" at the game, according to the experts. The bomb he used was of a type identical with that employed by Frank Holt on July 2, 1915, when he attempted to blow up the capitol here.

Explosive experts who worked on the Holt case believe that the attempt on the attorney general's life "was perpetrated by the same organization as that employing Holt."

ANARCHIST POSTER CARRIED BY BOMBER URGES USE OF FORCE

Propaganda Sheet, Labeled "Plain Words" Urges Destruction And Death And Predicts Class War.

Washington, June 3.—This is the text of the anarchist poster found at the scene of the bomb outrage here:

"Plain Words: 'The powers that be made no secret of their will to stop here in America, the worldwide spread of revolution. The powers that he must reckon that they will have to accept the fight they had provoked.'

"A time has come when the social question's solution can be delayed no longer; class war is on and cannot cease but with a complete victory for the international proletariat."

"The challenge is an old one, oh 'democratic' lords of the autocratic republic. We have been dreaming of freedom, we have talked of liberty, we have aspired to a better world and you jailed us, you clubbed us, you deported us, you murdered us whenever you could."

Admit Destructive Aim. "Now that the great war, waged to replenish your purses and build a pedestal to your saints, is over, nothing better can you do to protect your stolen millions and your usurped fame than to direct all the power of the murderous institutions you created for your exclusive defense against the working multitudes, rising to a more humane conception of life."

"We accept your challenge and mean to stick to our war duties. We know that that you do is for your defense as a class; we know also that the proletariat has the same right to protect itself. Since their press has been suffocated, their mouths muzzled, we mean to speak for them, the voice of dynamite, through the mouths of guns."

"Do not say we are acting cowardly because we keep in hiding, do not say it is abominable; it is war, class war, and you were the first to wage it, under cover of the powerful institutions you call order, in the darkness of your laws, behind the guns of your bomb-headed slaves."

Intent on Bloodshed. "There will have to be bloodshed; we will not dodge; there will have to be murder; we will kill because it is necessary; there will have to be destruction; we will destroy to the rid the world of"

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SEVEN PLANES START FLIGHT NORTH JUNE 8

Fleet Not To Stop In Salem On Return From Portland Is Report.

Pioneers To Pass In Review Before Pageant Viewers

When you attend the historical pageant to be given over the next week-end at Willamette University there will pass in review before you a long line of Oregon pioneers, and if you happen to belong to that thinning group that still lays claim to that title you may live over again the days when the "Land Where Dreams Come True" was in the making.

If, however, you belong to a latter day, and have the least bit of an imagination you can sit with half shut eyes and see a row of clear cut visions who will stand and smile across the space of many years. Gen. Lane will come riding past on his spirited horse, and although he will perhaps lose something of dignity by his mud-splashed boots, the defect will be lost sight of when you glimpse the tall silk hat, which was over a part of his costume.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Holman (Elmira Phelps), grandfather and grandmother of Joseph Albert will live again, the latter in the person of Miss Josephine Albert who will portray "Miss Oregon," when she emerges from "Miss Chomeketa."

Gen. Clark, of Lewis and Clark fame will remind you of many half forgotten things, as will also Almon Beers, A. F. Waller, Josiah Parrish, Dr. and Mrs. Babcock, George Abernathy, and a host of others.

Original Garments Worn. Many of those who take the part of some pioneers will wear garments actually worn by the characters whom they represent. You will see the coat that Judge Daniel Webster wore at his wedding in New Orleans in 1804, when he was a tall fine looking captain of the First Wisconsin light artillery. This coat saw service in the Civil war until '65. You will also see the quaint bonnet that Captain Webster's bride wore on her wedding day.

Other things that are preserved as mementoes of that time and which will be used in the pageant are the coat, wash and blood stained sash of Captain F. J. Babcock, whom many Salem folk remember through their acquaintance with him, when he was county clerk for Marion county. These things were loaned by Captain Babcock's wife, Mrs. Ida M. Babcock.

Bonnet 50 Years Old. The young woman who impersonates Mrs. Josiah H. Parrish will wear a handsome old silk and wool Broche shawl, which the original Mrs. Parrish wore. This was secured by the wardrobe committee from Mrs. Henrietta Parrish to whom it was presented by her mother-in-law, Mrs. Josiah Parrish. Rare old back combs, a epe and time faded waist are among the articles lent by Mrs. Parrish. Another quaint thing is a bonnet worn by Mrs. Halle Parrish Durall at an old fashioned entertainment in Salem, when she was a young girl, and which was made by her mother's sister.

A straw bonnet 32 years old has been contributed by Mrs. J. A. Selwood. It was worn by her mother Mrs. Charlotte Earl, who was also the original possessor of the 54 year old hoop skirt which is to be a part of the pageant wardrobe.

Old Dresses Loaned. Mrs. George F. Holt delighted the wardrobe collector with her loan of three quite wonderful gowns worn by her mother more than sixty years ago. One is of bright blue silk, with a long train. The skirt contains sixteen breadths. Another displays an odd ruffled petticoat through the opening down the front and was a part of the first owner's trousseau. Then there is her wedding bonnet, with the quaint "little ruffle in the back; other bonnets, and shawls from this same collection.

Judge Peter D'Arcy has added a pair of hand made boots of the "vintage" of the early '50s, that were the property of his father, Peter D'Arcy.

There are many other things, with wonderful stories back of them, so many, indeed, that to write about them all would cover a whole newspaper page. Besides these garments there will be many other things of a historical nature that will lend color, interest and beauty to the pageant, and will alone be worth cancelling any other date to see.

It has been suggested that a room in the university be set apart for a collection of these things to be on display during the days of the pageant, and it is quite likely that this will be done.

SMALL PART OF VOTE BEING POLLED TODAY

Ballots Cast Up To Noon Show Only 10 Per Cent Vote Being Cast.

CAPITAL JOURNAL TO BULLETIN RESULTS. Full and up-to-the-minute returns from the various precincts in the city and county will be bulletined by The Capital Journal up to midnight on the results of the balloting on the road bonds and other measures.

LIBERTY UNKNOWN IN RUSSIA

Bolsheviki Surpass Even Czarism In Efforts To Legalize Control Of People And Government.

SOVIET THRUSTING ITS REFORMS DOWN THROATS

Correspondent Assured Of Safe Conduct In Search Of True Information, Is Robbed Of Everything.

(Note: Following is the first of a series of articles by Frank J. Taylor based on the results of his observations in Russia. He went into Russia at the invitation of the bolshevik government, assured of safe conduct, with an open mind and determined to give bolshevism a "square deal." After being threatened in every attempt to conduct a real investigation, he left by way of Finland. The bolsheviks, incidentally, robbed him of everything but his clothes.)

By Frank J. Taylor (United Press staff correspondent) (Copyright, 1919, by the United Press) Paris, June 2.—Russia, under the dictatorship of agitators, is a land where liberty is an unknown quantity. The bolsheviks have surpassed even czarism in their efforts to legalize control of every one and everything. It is impossible to buy a shirt, rent a hotel room or go from one town to another five miles distant without permits from the communists' commissaries.

Russia is now what the United States would be if some box orators could oust the ordinary people from Washington and replace the government with agitators, each of whom would practice his own theories without recognizing precedent, law or customs of living, in an effort to thrust "reforms" down the throats of people.

Had "Perfect Liberty" I entered Russia through the German-Bolshevik front in Lithuania as the first non-official penetrating this front—hitherto only German "secret official missions" used this route—with an open mind. After being passed under guard from the army outpost thru regimental division camps and army staffs, most of which were composed of ordinary youths apparently without qualification for responsibility—I arrived at Moscow. Owing to the fact

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Modification of Hun Treaty Looms

Commander Of NC-4 Says Commercial Trans-Ocean Flying Not Practicable

By Edwin Mullinger (United Press Staff Correspondent) London, June 3.—"Our flight from Heckaway to Plymouth has convinced me that regular commercial trans-Atlantic flying is not yet practicable," Lieutenant Commander Reed, skipper of the American seaplane NC-4, said in an interview today.

"I do not believe the science of aviation is sufficiently advanced to enable an aviator to cross with certainty. The reason is obvious from the fact that of three American and two British planes attempting the flight only one got through."

Commander Towers, Lieutenant Commander Bollinger and I will prepare a lengthy report, to be presented to the navy, detailing our experiences, which is expected to have a bearing on future aviation, including the commercial aspect."

The Poles in Posen are accelerating their preparations for an attack on Germany in the direction of Berlin at such a rate that the offensive is expected to begin within eight days.

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