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## RIOT CAUSED BY ANARCHISTS

Chicago Police Had a Serious Problem on Their Hands.

## WIDOW PARSONS IS ARRESTED

Relic of Long Dead Bomb-Thrower Instigator of Trouble In The Windy City.

An anarchist riot occurred in Chicago Sunday afternoon in which twenty-five people were bruised in a struggle with forty-five police, summoned to quell the disturbance.

Five persons were arrested, among them being Mrs. Lucy Parsons, widow of Albert R. Parsons, who was executed November 11th, 1877, in Chicago, for aiding and abetting the bomb throwing in the Hay Market riot. She was charged with disorderly conduct, obstructing the street and resisting an officer.

The others arrested were: Paul Vandree, charged with distributing incendiary literature; Clement Pfuetzner, charged with assault, disorderly conduct and obstructing the street; Herman Goodman, charged with distributing incendiary literature; Abram E. Delstal, charged with disorderly conduct, obstructing the street and resisting an officer.

A mass meeting had been called at West side Turner hall at which speeches were to be made by Mrs. Parsons and others on the topic, "The Execution of the King of Italy." The call concluded, "workmen, come in crowds and show that the feeling of brotherhood is strong among you."

Mrs. Parsons was on her way to the hall, when, fleeing from the intense heat, she stepped into a shaded doorway to rest. Soon a crowd formed and a police officer, pushing through the crowd, caught a glimpse of Mrs. Parsons.

Thinking she was making an anarchist speech he endeavored to disperse the crowd. His efforts were in vain and the officer sent in a call for reinforcements. Additional officers arrived and immediately a general fight was precipitated. Fists and clubs were used and the officers, finding themselves being worsted, sent in a riot call. The number of police was increased to forty-five and they rushed into the fire. Mrs. Parsons was seized. It is claimed she resisted arrest and her associates fought for her. Bricks were thrown, clubs were wielded and a fierce struggle ensued before the crowd was finally dispersed.

Clement Pfuetzner, one of those arrested, was badly cut in the hand. A number of children in the crowd were knocked down in the melee and trampled upon, but none were seriously injured. In all twenty-five persons were badly beaten and bruised.

After the affair numerous small cards were found on the street and in vicinity containing two verses of poetry, urging the workmen to be free, to throw off the yoke of bondage and fight for liberty and to lay down their lives, if necessary, to overthrow the government and attain freedom. The card bore the heading:

"Workingmen, emancipate your selves!"

The police assert that these cards were printed in San Francisco and were received here by the anarchists several days ago and have been secretly distributed. A large quantity of literature advocating anarchism and a book containing the names and addresses of several hundred anarchist sympathizers were received by the police.

## UNDER GOOD ESCORT

Foreign Ministers Are Authorized to Leave Pekin For Tien Tsin.

Cheng, director general of railways and telegraphs, has at last communicated to the consuls at Shanghai, according to a special dispatch to The Paris Temps, dated August 5th, an imperial decree dated August 2, authorizing the foreign ministers in Pekin to communicate without restriction with their governments and ordering their departure for Tien Tsin under a good escort.

## KENTUCKY POPULISTS

Hold Convention at Louisville and Oppose Goebel Election Law.

The state convention of the People's party of Kentucky was called to order in Louisville Wednesday with the largest attendance ever seen at a Populist gathering in Kentucky. There was no question as to the platform, and as outlined, it was unanimously adopted.

It opposes the Goebel election law and demands direct legislation, these two planks composing its main features.

A. H. Cardin of Cretenden county was nominated for governor.

## TOBACCO GROWERS SUE.

They Alleged That Warehouse Men Have Evaded a State Statute.

Forty tobacco growers filed suits in the circuit court Friday against various Kentucky tobacco warehouses, alleging that the warehousemen have evaded the recent state statute which forbids them to take ten pounds of tobacco from each bough for a sample. The plaintiffs ask a penalty of \$100 in each case and each seeks to establish from five to twenty-five cases.

To Negotiate a Loan.

The St. Petersburgh correspondent of the Daily Express (London) says that Prince Vochotky will leave for America in a few days on important financial business dealing with a new loan which Russia is negotiating in the United States.

Looks Like Carmack.

County Democratic primaries held throughout Tennessee Thursday practically insure the election of Congressmen E. W. Carmack and David R. Snodgrass, the only other avowed candidate.

## ANOTHER BELATED MESSAGE

Received From Minister Conger Through Consul Goodnow at Shanghai.

A Washington special says: A belated message from Minister Conger was received Sunday at the state department. It came through Consul General Goodnow at Shanghai, who transmitted messages received by Mr. Bagsdale, United States consul at Tien Tsin, from Mr. Conger and Mr. Squires, secretary of the United States legation at Pekin. The advices are the same as those received a day or two ago by the state department from Consul Fowler at Chee Foo. The message was transmitted to President McKinley at Canton, and Mr. Adele, acting secretary of state, issued the following statement concerning it:

"Consul General Goodnow, in a cablegram dated Shanghai, August 5th, which was received at the state department at 5 o'clock this (Sunday) morning, reports the receipt by Consul Bagsdale at Tien Tsin of message from Minister Conger and the secretary of the latter, Mr. Squires, dated July 21st, to the following effect:

"All well; no fighting since the 15th by agreement. Enough provisions. Hope for speedy relief."

"Mr. Goodnow adds that the director of posts, Sheng, had on the 5th communicated to him an imperial edict dated July 30th, ordering Jung Lu to provide an escort for the ministers to Tien Tsin when the ministers fix the date. The edict says the ministers can receive messages not in cipher, but notwithstanding this, plain messages were returned to some consuls on August 4th."

While the messages from Minister Conger and Secretary Squires bear the date of July 21st, the belief, founded not only upon them, but also upon collateral and later information, is that the legationaries are yet safe from immediate harm.

At present there is no means of knowing whether the ministers will accept the offer of the Chinese imperial government to provide an escort for them to Tien Tsin, but it is surmised that they will prefer to remain within the British legation at Pekin until the arrival of the allied forces.

It is thought to be not unlikely that the Chinese will be very insistent upon the departure of the ministers in the hope, if they can be gotten to Tien Tsin in safety, the storming of Pekin may be averted.

The Chinese government, it is pointed out, is suspicious of the actions and intent of the powers, and probably has adopted this precaution to prevent communication to the ministers of the details of military movements.

## ANARCHISTS MORE RETICENT.

Since Detectives Are After Them They Have Changed Their Tone.

The tone of the anarchists at Pekin is greatly changed during the past few days. They are keeping very quiet and are even inclined to call back what they said early in the week. They know now that besides all that has been published about them the secret service agents are at work and must know more.

In the possession of the police and of the Italian authorities is evidence which the investigators regard as indispensable proof of the formation in New York and in Paterson, N. J., of a gigantic plot against the lives of the crowned heads of the world.

Various shreds and patches of proof have been gathered which indicate that the original fabric woven by the master weaver was intricate and subtle.

## NEW ORLEANS NEGROES

Hold Meeting and Resolve to Re-Establish Friendly Relations With Whites.

At large meeting of the most influential colored men in New Orleans, held Saturday, it was resolved to perfect an organization that would re-establish friendly relations between the whites and negroes in the city, discourage all incendiary pamphlets and literature intended to stir up trouble between the races, and frown on the movement proposed in Boston and other northern cities to send an agent or emissaries to New Orleans to inquire into the condition of the negroes.

## Poisoned By Toadstools.

Seven Persons Mistook Them For Mushrooms and Three Are Dead.

Three persons dead in the home of J. A. Norris, near Harvey, Ill., and four others seriously ill, was the result of eating toadstools which they mistook for mushrooms. The dead are: Mrs. Edith Norris, Mand Norris and Thomas Norris.

Thomas, thirteen years old, undoubtedly saved those yet alive. Half clad and suffering fearfully, he rode bareback to Homewood, three miles away, and fell exhausted as he reached the house of a physician. He died soon after the doctor reached the Norris home, in time to save four lives.

## GAMBLERS FALL OUT.

Young White Man Killed By Two Negro Companions Over Cards.

The navy department Friday morning received the following cable from Admiral Remey:

"Tian Tsin, August 1.—Bureau Navigation, Washington. Chaffee reports that 800 Japanese, scouting toward Pei Tang, lost three men killed and twenty-five wounded. The enemy is truces and loopholed houses."

Remey.

## Walk-Over For Richardson.

James D. Richardson, leader of the minority in the house, was renominated for congress by the democrats of the Fifth Tennessee district in the primary Thursday. He had no opponent.

Full-Blood Ticket Won.

Reliable returns of the election for governor held in the Choctaw nation Thursday show that Judge J. W. Dukes has been elected. He ran on the full-blood ticket.

## Suspects Arrested In Germany.

The police throughout Germany are arresting anarchist suspects. Among them is Professor Strahl, an Italian who has recently lectured on the subject of the Mafia in south Germany.

## WIFE SLAYER RESENTENCED.

Judge Candler Sets Date For Execution of James L. Baker at Atlanta.

Sentence of death was passed upon James L. Baker by Judge Candler in the superior court at Atlanta, Ga., Wednesday morning. There is no appeal from this. Baker will be hanged on August 22. He took the death sentence without the least emotion, appearing as a spectator rather than a principal.

Whitman Again in the Race.

For four consecutive campaigns G. Walter Whitman has been a candidate for governor in this state. Until six years ago Whitman was a preacher, but since then he has been studying politics. He is now making the con-

## BIG BATTLE; HEAVY LOSS

### Allies Go Against Chinese Forces On March to Pekin.

### FOREIGNERS LOSE 1,200 MEN

Fight Occurred at Pietsang, a Village Six Miles Out From Tien Tsin on the Road to Pekin.

The following cablegrams were received at the navy department Monday:

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