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## BOMB FIEND IDENTIFIED BY LAUNDRY MARKS LEFT ON TATTERED CLOTHING

## Philadelphia Anarchists Sought as Perpetrators of Dastardly Crime Against Public Officials

NATION-WIDE PLOT PROBABLY HATCHED IN PENNSYLVANIA, SECRET SERVICE MEN FIND

The head of the dead anarchist was found on the roof of a house more than a block away from the scene of the explosion and taken down by firemen who were searching for possible evidence.

Washington, June 3.-Washington police inspectors to-day believed they had identified the man who was blown to pieces last night in an effort to kill Attorney General A. Mitchell Palmer with a bomb, as an anarchist of Philadelphia. They also expressed the belief that the nation-wide plot against the lives of government officials and prominent businessmen, had been laid in that city.

A blood-stained conductor's identification check, found in front of Mr. Palmer's residence early to-day, showed that the anarchist arrived in Washington at 10.30 o'clock last night from Philadelphia. He went directly from the Union Station to the Palmer home and only a few minutes before the explosion he was seen alighting from a street car a few blocks away, by C. S. Briggs, of Marion, S. C.

Failed By Stubbing His Toe

Detectives are positive that the stubbing of the anarchist's toe on a small concrete coping six feet from the front door of Attorney General Palmer's house, was solely responsible for the bombplacer himself being blown to bits instead of the house and, possibly, its occupants. The explosion blew out a section of the coping and dug a hole in the earth under it. The anarchist apparently was approaching the doorway from an angle and in the darkness failed to notice the low coping.

8 EXPLOSIONS

IN BOMB PLOT

By Associated Press.

Washington, June 3.—Department of Justice agents and police
throughout the country to-day
were hunting the organized band

of anarchists who last night launched what they called an attempt to overthrow the government by assassinating with high losive bombs Government offi-

losive bombs Government officials and prominent men. Explosions took place in Washington, Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Newtonville, Mass.; Boston, Philadelphia, Paterson, N. J., and New York. None of the men for whom the bombs were intended was hurt, but one man, a watchman in New York, was killed, several persons were injured, buildings were wrecked, and in Washington one of the plotters himself was blown to pieces. The outrages committed last night were believed to be a sequel to the May Day bomb plot, when infernal machines were mailed to a score of prominent men over the country.

REDS USE BLACK

TOURING CAR IN

PLOT TO MURDER

Attorney General Schaffer Is

Impressed With Reports In-

dicating Terror Outbreak

By Associated Press

An examination of the fragments of the bombplacer indicated that he was swarthy and slender. He wore a collar of a well-known make on which was a laundry mark. From this the detectives hope to learn much. His arise are recommended in the state of the s tectives hope to learn much. His suit apparently was black with a green stripe. He wore winter underclothing, tan lisle socks and a white shirt of poor quality with green and yellow stripes. Fragments of papers which he apparently had been carrying in his pockets, as well as the parts of two pistols, also were found.

Powerful Explosive

Lieut. S. J. Magee, U. S. A., an authority on high explosives, who happened to be in the neighborhood at the time, declared his belief that the bomb had been loaded with cordite, one of the

most powerful explosives known. The police would not reveal the dentity of the man, but they felt confident the facts they had gathered in their investigation since last midnight would lead quickly to the apprehension of his associates, who they believe also were responsible for the May Day bomb plot in which many infernal machines addressed to government officials, members of Congress and businessmen were placed in the mails.

Freaks of Explosion

The anarchist apparently was of Italian birth or parentage. His scalp, found by the police at daylight, had upon it hair that was dark and curly. Included in the heap of lattered, scorched fragments of clothing and articles belonging to the man was a much-thumbed Italian-American dictionary, indicating its owner knew little English.

By a break of the explosion, the man's hat remained intact. On the sweat band was inscribed the name of "De Luca Brothers, Hatters, 919 south Eighth Street, Philadelphia."

It was at first thought that two men had been killed, because parts of two legs were found where they had been blown. Later, however, the police established definitely, only one man had been killed.

Plotter May Be Victim

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explosions, from a standpoint of loss
of life appeared to have been but
little more successful than those of
May 1. Fatalities resulting, as reported to-day, were confined to the
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ported to-day, were confined to the plotter himself at the Palmer home and to New York where from one to possibly three persons were killed. In that case as here, the body or bodies were so badly scattered it was impossible to determine just how many were slain.

As in the May day attempts the bomb plot last night was directed, in a majority of the season of organized lawlessness. As there was little difference in the time between the explosions with the exception of that in Washington, the police and government agents believe the instruments of destruction were to be timed to explode at about the same hour. The fact that wearing apparel and an-

plode at about the same hour. The fact that wearing apparel and anarchistic literature were found at the Palmer home indicated to the police that the bomb exploded just as the dynamiter took it from the suit case under the front entrance to the building.

Copies of the pamphlet bearing the caption, "Plain Talk," are in possession of the police and Department of Justice officials and may possibly furnish the only clue to the identity of the plotters. Printed on what likely was intended to be red paper, the pamphlets bear no

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# THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Fair, continued warm to-night and probably Wednesday; lowest temperature to-night about 70

River Susquehanna river and all its inches will fall slowly or re-tin stationary. A stage of out 4.8 feet is indicated for versiburg Wednesday morn-

Why Not Begin by Liberating the Prisoner of War?



# INCLUDED IN **MOVIE MERGER**

Means Some Big Changes Here; Many Theaters in **New Corporation** 

Harrisburg is represented in the \$15,-000,000 theatrical corporation organ-ized yesterday in Philadelphia. The name of the new firm is the Stanley Company of America. With the new company will come some big changes on Market street. The company consolidates theatrical and financial interests for showing of moving pictures, vaudeville and other amusements and takes in the Victoria Theater.

Locally, the new firm is represented

Locally, the new firm is represented by the Victoria Realty Company, of which C. Floyd Hopkins is treasurer, and which recently took over the Victoria Theater and the Gilbert property adjoining.

The Gilbert property is to be made a part of the Victoria Theater. The Gilbert store part of the building, three stories in height is to be remodeled for a business place, and to include elevator and other facilities needed in an up-to-date storeroom. The rear of the property will be torn down and an addition to the Victoria auditorium built. When completed the enlarged

Are Not Producers

The new organization announces with emphasis that it will not enter the producing field. Jules E. Mastbaum, of Philadelphia is president.

Included in the merger are the Stanley Booking Company, the Central Market Street Company, the Sablosky

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## **Powers Consider Easing** Yoke on Defeated Huns

By Associated Press.

Paris, June 3.—Two changes in the German peace terms, one territorial and the other financial are being considered by the Council of Four, it became known to-day.

The financial question is the possibility of the acceptance of the German proposal to pay an indemnity of 100,000,000,000 marks, which would involve dissolution of the Allied financial commission, to which the German By Associated Press.

Philadelphia, June 3.—The automobile used by the men who bombed the Catholic Church was found early to-day abandoned in Fairmount Park, the city's big pleasure ground. Later it was learned that the car had been stolen from the street in the upper section of the city.

A chemist who made an investigation expressed the opinion that high-powered explosives were used in the bombs exploded here.

The police later discovered that the suspicious printed matter found

The second proposal is for a plebiscite in Silesia in order to guarantee to Germany a coal supply from the Silesian mines

# Lookout For Bomb Plotters

The police later discovered that the suspicious printed matter found in the motor car stolen by the men who threw the bombs was merely literature issued by a reputable beneficial association of which the owner of the stolen car is a member. Police activity is now centered on the clue from Washington connecting the man blown to pieces by his own bomb in that city with a central organization in this city.

Jagielky Chance Victim

Louis Jagielky, whose residence was bombed, said to-day he believed the attack was due to a misapprehension on the part of the bombers. The police theory is that after the

Sale of the tract of ground at the southeast corner of Cameron and State streets by Spencer C. Gilbert to the Moorhead Knitting Company, was confirmed with the filing of a deed for the transfer of title was bombed, said to-day he believed the attack was due to a misapprehension on the part of the bombers. The police theory is that after the attack on the church the men, hurrying from the scene in an automobile, found themselves in possession of a surplus bomb they must get rid a surplus bomb the

### RUN OVER BY AN GERMANS REACH OUT FOR DORTEN ENGINE, MAN By Associated Press.

of Track

sylvania Railroad, was crossing several tracks while about his duties and failed to notice the approach of

the empty engine. Employes called

to him but the noise drowned out their calls.

The engine was proceeding slowly and Mehaffle had sufficient presence of mind to pull himself clear of the

or mind to put himself clear of the tracks and as near the center as possible. He was rolled slightly and suffered bruises and contusions about the right arm, the left leg and his body. He was taken to the Harrisburg Hospital where his injuries were

**Apartment House to Cost** 

Work Begins on Big

Knocked down and rolled about as an engine in the Pennsylvania Railroad yards passed over him,

By Associated Press.

Berlin, June 3.—The German
government has issued an order
for the arrest of Dr. Dorten, the
president of the new Rhenish republic, the North German Gazette announces. **ESCAPES INJURY** Samuel Mehaffie Saves Life by Rolling to Middle

zette announces.
The government also, the newspaper states, has entered protests both at Paris and at Spa, the headquarters of the armistice commission, against the behavior of the French authorities in the occupied area of the Rhineland.

## serious injury this morning. Slight bruises and contusions made up the extent of the injury. IN BROILING SUN TO HONOR PRIEST

Five-Mile March to the Ceme-

Second and Mohn streets, Steelton, to Mount Calvary cemetery, Harris-Approximately \$120,000

# Approximately \$120,000 Work on the construction of the fivestory apariment to be erected by C. L. Long at Front and Boas street, was begun to-day. Materials were being hauled to the site, tool sheds were built and a steam shovel started excavating for the foundation. Mr. Long to-day took out the permit for the building, which will be known as the Parkway Apartment House. It will cost \$120,000 and will be 96 by 141 feet, situated on a plot 143 by 141 feet. The deed transferring title from Henry McCormick, Jr., to Mr. Long was recorded yesterday. No consideration was given but stamps on the document indicated the purchase price was approximately \$30,000. William C. Porr took out a permit yesterday to erect a two and one-half story brick dwelling at 1944 Chestnut street, at a cost of \$6,000. Other permits issued follow: William Lyme, George Russel, contractor, frame garage, rear 1723 Market, \$150; Giovanni DiSanto, two-story brick building, rear 1114 North Seventh, \$1,000; Howard Ross, F. L. Morrow, contractor, one-story brick garages, rear 152352-72-92-11 and 1533 North Sixth, total cost \$1,600. Guidance of City's Fire Fighters by Chief Kindler

COATS OFF IN CAPITOL
Hot weather caused members of the
House of Representatives to doff their
coats to-day and the business was
transacted in shirt sleeves. The weather

## PAXTANG VOTERS TO PASS ON BOND ISSUE FOR SCHOOLS

Board of Control Raises Tax From Eight to Twelve

Erection of an additional school building to provide for the needs of Paxtang will be considered on Saturday by Paxtang voters at a special election when they will vote on a proposed bond issue of \$31,000. In the event that the bond issue is favorably acted on, the directors will push the work on the erection of the new building as much as possible. They plan to erect a single-story, three-room, brick building, which will be used in conjunction with the present two-room structure.

Five-Mile March to the Cemetery Made as Mark of Respect

With the thermometer registering more than 100 degrees in the sun, hundreds of men women and chill.

The need for additional school for the structure already has been broken. The work was started after the directors had been erroneously informed that they could borrow to seven per cent. of the total assessments of the district, without about issue when the impression was corrected, plans were made to float the bond issue and work discontinued until action could be taken.

hundreds of men, women and children walked in funeral procession from St. Mary's Croatian Church, Second and Mohn streets, Steelton, to Mount Calvary cemetery, Harrisburg.

In the procession were priests, men and women of the congregation, members of the six societies of which the deceased priest was a member, women of St. Ann's Society and [Continued on Page 11.]

New Rules Drafted For

needed.

At a session last evening the tax rate for school purposes was increased from eight to twelve mills. In the event that the proposed bond issue passes and the school house is built, the additional amount

New rules for the city fire department to be approved by City Council are being prepared by Commissioner E. Z. Gross, Fire Chief J. C. Kindler and Assistant Marion Verbeke. They will probably be presented at the session next Tuesday, Mr. Gross told Council members to-day.

The new rules will regulate the speed of the apparatus going to fires, will provide for stretching ropes to keep back crowds giving a safety committee authority to keep all persons in citizen clothes outside the fire line.

It is planned to have physicians respond to fire alarms in their district to give first-aid in emergency cases, and also to have the ambulance respond.

One of the important regulations

By Associated Press.

# **ALLIED EXPERTS**

Peace Conference Marks Time City Swelters in the Hottest While Austrians Consider Their Treaty Terms

WILSON IN CONFERENCE MORE THAN 100 IN STREET

Has Failed; New Leader Is Chosen

REDS LOSE PETROGRAD

## Esthonians and Finn Forces Reported to Have Taken Russian City

With the terms of peace, except a few sections, submitted to the Austrian representatives and with allied experts working on the reply that will be made to the German counter-propo-sals, the work of the Peace Conference in Paris is for the time being, marking time. There will be no meeting of the Council of Four to-day, President Wilson conferring with American specialists who have the German answer in hand and with the other members of the American

Renner to Meet Cabinet

Dr. Karl Renner, Austrian chancellor and head of the peace mission of the former dual empire, is expected to leave Paris for Switzerland to-day. He probably will proceed as far as the Austrian frontier, where he is expected to meet members of his cabinet who will discuss with him the answer Austria will make to the Allied terms. The Austrian reply is due on June 17, but before that time Dr. Renrer probably will send to the Peace Conference a numcellor and head of the peace mission [Continued on Page 2.]

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## MERCURY CLIMBS ARE WORKING ON 4 DEGREES BEYOND ANSWER TO HUNS YESTERDAY'S HIGH

Weather of the Summer

Bolshevik Regime in Hungary Sun Beating on Asphalt Pavements Makes Terrific Heat

GOING UP

The steady climb of the thermometer is shown by the readings for the last 36 hours. The first column shows the official reading for to-day as taken by Mr. Demain on the roof of the post office building, the second shows the unofficial readings yesterday on the recorder in front of the Harrisburg Light and Power Company office in Second street, and the third column shows this unofficial reading to-day:

To-day

		To-day		
			Yest.	To-day
8 a.	m.	69	63	78
9 a.	m.	72	70	80
10 a.	m.	80	76	84
11 a.	m.	84	79	86
Noon		86	82	90
1 p.	m.	88	86	91
	m.		88	92
3 p.	m.		90	
4 p.	m.		92	
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cially at the 88 degree mark at 1 o'clock this afternoon, yesterday's

WILSON TRANSPORT ORDERED READY

notice at any time after midnight, June 5. The Mount Vernon, with 6,000 regulars from the Sixth Division, under command of Major General Walter H. Gordon, sailed this morning for New York. The Siboney and the Orizaba, each carrying 4,000 men of the Eighty-first Di-

Orizaba, each carrying 4,000 men of the Eighty-first Division sailed last night for Newport News.

TO RESTORE POWERS TO COMMISSION

Washington — The Senate Interstate Commerce
Committee, by unanimous vote to-day, ordered favorably reported a bill by Chairman Cummins restoring at once the rate-making powers of the Interstate Commerce
Commission

Paris-Two changes in the German peace terms, one

### DETECTIVES OVERPOWER RED LEADEN Pittsburgh - Robert Johnson, president of the

I. W. W. organization here and internationally known as a radical agitator, was arrested after a fight with detectives and agents of the Department of Justice in a downtown office building this noon. Johnson opened fire with a revolver, but was overpowered and taken to police

## ROUND UP RED SUSPECTS

Pittsburgh-A roundup of all suspicious Russians, I. W. W. sympathizers and Bolshevik agents was begun this morning by agents of the Department of Justice as the result of the wrecking last midnight of five homes.

## RESIGNS READING DIRECTORATE

Philadelphia - William H. Vanderbilt to-day resigned as a director of the Reading Company, which posttion he assumed a year ago. Alfred H. Smith, president of the New York Central Railroad, succeeded him.

## **MARRIAGE LICENSES**