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BLOODY BATTLE IN STREETS OF LODZ

Polish City the Scene of a Frightful Slaughter.

200 DEAD, OVER 1000 INJURED

Lodz, Russian Poland, June 26.—The most serious phase of the fighting between the military and strikers is at an end, but there are still isolated attacks in the suburbs. Over 200 killed and upwards of 1000 wounded is the result of three days of street battles.

At Baluty Cossacks attacked a Jewish family of five persons, who were driving in a cab to the railway station, and shot and killed all, including the cabman.

At Pabjanice, near Lodz, workmen attacked two policemen and shot and killed one and wounded the other.

There is a general exodus from Lodz. Twelve thousand persons have already left and all trains are crowded.

During the disturbances 25 government liquor stores were destroyed by the mobs, which appropriated all the cash and stamps found on the premises. The cash and stamps were added to the funds of the Socialist party.

Some prominent citizens this morning telegraphed General Shustov, commanding the troops here, asking for protection against the brutality of the soldiers, especially the Cossacks, who in one instance killed and robbed the servant of a millionaire named Rosenblatt, who was carrying \$5000 to the bank. The general promised to punish the offenders, but said he required witnesses of the occurrence to testify against the Cossacks.

The city resembles a shambles and the terrible scenes will never be wiped from the memory of the Polish people. The fighting spirit of the people is fully aroused. They have tasted blood and want more. Certainly the revolutionary spirit is abroad, and it remains to be seen whether military measures will have the same effect as previously.

Practically the whole population, numbering over 100,000, is in open revolt. The troops now number about 28,000.

Friday's fighting was of a character vastly different from the mob riots of February. The strikers paraded the streets in martial array, and when threatened by the imperial troops threw up barricades of paving stones. This was repeated in a dozen parts of the city. In every instance the troops, after searching the barricades with rifle volleys, stormed them and bayoneted the defenders. The strikers defended themselves with revolvers and bombs. Through the precautions of the authorities none of them had been able to secure rifles.

women, ripping open children, torturing men with sword pricks. Wounded strikers, trying to crawl from the streets to the shelter of the houses, were fired on and literally mangled by hundreds of bullets.

Saturday the scenes were hardly less frightful, though the slaughter was much smaller than Friday. The strikers did not parade and no barricades were erected, but furtive shooting from windows, from alleyways and from house-tops went on from dawn until sunset, and at night men with long knives lurk at every street corner and patrols of soldiers in many parts of the city have been set upon and slaughtered by these silent, terrible foes.

The soldiers exhibited the utmost carelessness as to whether they killed peaceful persons or rioters, and as a consequence many women and children were among the dead.

PEACE PLANS ADVANCE
Date For Meeting of Envoys Submitted to Russia.
St. Petersburg, June 26.—Negotiations for the peace conference have taken an important step forward, a proposition for the date of the meeting of the plenipotentiaries at Washington having been submitted to Russia and being now under consideration.

The exact date proposed has not been ascertained, but there is reason to suppose that it is some time during the first week in 10 days of August, which is about the earliest period at which the Japanese representatives could be expected to reach Washington, allowing reasonable time for the acceptance of the proposal and the interchange of the nominations of plenipotentiaries.

M. Neratoff, under minister of foreign affairs and the spokesman of the foreign office, in an interview in the Gazette, declares an armistice ending the meeting of the plenipotentiaries is impossible, and he comments on the possibility of a battle taking place before a conference is held.

BRITISH STEAMER SUNK
The Ikhona Sent to the Bottom by a Russian Cruiser.
Singapore, June 26.—The British India Steam Navigation company's steamer Ikhona was sunk by the Russian cruiser Terek, June 3, 150 miles east of Hong Kong. The crew was landed here by the Dutch steamer Perak, which the Terek met June 19. The Ikhona was carrying mails and rice from Rangoon to Yokohama.

[The Ikhona was a steel vessel of 5252 tons, built at Glasgow in 1900. She was 415 feet long, with a 50-foot beam, and was equipped with electricity. The steamer left Rangoon on May 17. Her cargo was valued at \$450,000.]

RUSSIAN FORCE ROUTED
Japs Take Their Position By Assault, Inflicting Heavy Loss.
Tokyo, June 26.—The following official dispatch has been received from the Japanese army headquarters in Manchuria:

"The enemy holding the northwest eminence of Manchenzou was attacked and dislodged on the afternoon of June 22, but a portion of the enemy stubborn resistance, and the hills were finally taken by assault. Another force of the enemy holding the hills due north was attacked from the front, and we simultaneously resorted to a turning movement from the northeast, intercepting his retreat and causing him heavy loss. The enemy in cavalry and infantry was some 3000 men and several guns. Fifty corpses were left on the field. The enemy's loss was fully 200. Our loss was insignificant."

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DEPOSITORS WILL BE PAID
Assets of Defunct Trust Company Exceed Deposits.
Philadelphia, June 24.—Albert L. Taber, temporary receiver of the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety company, which closed its doors Wednesday, said that he was confident that every depositor will be paid dollar for dollar. The deposits amount to \$1,470,347, while a rough estimate of the sure assets he said, would certainly aggregate \$1,525,000. The fate of the depositors, however, will depend a great deal on the way the surety bonds of the company turn out. These now aggregate \$25,000,000, and it is not known what the company may have to pay through them.

FLOATING DRY DOCK TESTED
Answered Perfectly Every Demand Made Upon It.
Baltimore, Md., June 24.—The immense floating dry dock Dewey, recently completed for the United States navy by the Maryland Steel company, at Sparrows Point, in the Patuxent river, near Solomon's Island, was tested and answered perfectly every demand made upon it. The cruiser Colorado, 14,000 tons, was raised and will remain in the dock for 24 hours. The Dewey was sunk until the deck was an hour and six minutes. The Colorado was then towed in by tugs and the pumps were started. In two hours the keel of the cruiser was out of the water and half an hour later the deck of the dock showed clear. The pumping was continued until this was two feet above the surface.

Huge Task.
It was a huge task, to undertake the cure of such a bad case of kidney disease, as that of C. F. Collier, of Cherokee, Ia., but Electric Bitters did it. He writes: "My kidneys were so far gone, I could not sit in a chair without a cushion; and suffered from dreadful backache, headache, and depression. In electric Bitters, however, I found a cure, and by them was restored to perfect health. I recommend this great tonic medicine to all with weak kidneys, liver or stomach." Guaranteed by Melville Dorsey, druggist; price 50 cents.

Religious Services at Ocean Grove.
Asbury Park, June 26.—The regular summer religious services began yesterday at Ocean Grove. There were two sermons by Bishop Mallon to large audiences. Evangelist Yatman, the leader of the young people's meetings, began his 25th year here. His meeting was largely attended.

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Maniac at Large.
Harrisburg, Pa., June 26.—John A. Beck, a maniac, escaped from his father, who was taking him from Washington to his home at Altoona, while changing cars in this city, and is still at large. Beck was arrested in Washington, and had with him \$191 and a revolver. He said the purpose of his visit there was to escape from persecutors. Beck is 28 years of age.

Levi Morton's Daughter Turns Catholic.
New York, June 24.—Mrs. Winthrop Rutherford, fourth daughter of Levi P. Morton, former vice president of the United States, was received into the Roman Catholic church. She had been considering the step for the last two years and had been giving much attention to reading on religious subjects. Mrs. Rutherford was, and her parents are, members of the Protestant Episcopal church, as is also her husband. As far as could be learned no opposition to Mrs. Rutherford's change of faith was made by any of her family.

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FRENCH NOTE FAILS TO LESSEN TENSION

Situation With Germany Over Morocco Becomes Serious.

ARE INTRIGUING FOR WAR

Berlin, June 24.—The French note on the subject of the proposed Moroccan conference has been handed to the foreign office. Owing to its great length, the note had to be sent by mail to Berlin instead of by telegraph. The foreign office, while declining to discuss the points of the note in detail, admits that it leaves the situation where it was before. The points of disagreement between Germany and France have not been removed. It is expected that the negotiations will continue for a long time before a positive result is reached.

Germany's answer to Premier Rouvier has not yet been considered. It will require considerable time in order to meet all the points raised. With the delay might under ordinary circumstances be of advantage in affording time for the excitement to subside. German government circles note with some concern that powerful intrigues are going on having for their object war between Germany and France.

Germany's intentions remain thoroughly pacific, but government circles here apprehend the possibility that these intrigues will result in inflaming the French people against Germany and creating a delicate and complicated situation.

Uneasiness Felt in Paris.
Paris, June 24.—An official communication issued after the meeting of the council of ministers says Premier Rouvier acquainted his colleagues with the status of the negotiation with Germany. These follow the normal course without change in the delivery of the note of Prince Radolin, the German ambassador. The note was simultaneously communicated to the French ambassadors abroad for the purpose of informing the powers. Uneasiness continues to prevail in parliamentary circles and among the public generally concerning the outcome of the negotiations.

England Grows Uneasy.
London, June 24.—Forecasts of Germany's probable reply to France's definition of its attitude in Morocco create fresh uneasiness in England. It is apprehended that Germany means to insist on an unconditional conference in order to secure the technical assumption that France's agreement with England and Spain regarding Morocco does not exist. It is supposed that Germany would demand an unconditional conference only with the intention, if possible, of subjecting these signed and sealed agreements to revision.

So far as England is concerned, such a proposition is deemed insulting and intolerable, neither is it believed that France could endure so great a humiliation. For 10 years before England and France formulated their present policy regarding Morocco the two countries constantly fought for supremacy in the councils of the sultan. Finally, tired of the struggle, they decided to adopt a policy that would give France undisputed power in Morocco.

"HONEYCOMBED WITH GRAFT"
Poorhouse Prober Recommends Criminal Proceedings.
Reading, Pa., June 24.—County Controller Livingston filed his report in regard to the poorhouse investigation of the past three months. He says the institution was "honeycombed with graft," adding that the graft amounted to thousands in the aggregate.

Criminal proceedings against ex-Steward Oliver C. Siller are recommended.

Controller Livingston says he has "found many shady transactions, many gifts of property of the institution, many sales without accounting for or paying over the proceeds, extravagance, the utmost looseness and laxity of management, gross mismanagement and indifference to the county's and the institution's interest."

Controller Livingston states that if he had the authority he would remove from office the present directors—W. G. Woods, Jacob Hollenbach and Jacob C. Kestler.

Wheat in Storage For 13 Years.
Chicago, June 26.—To have storage charges on wheat accumulate until they exceed the value of the wheat has occurred but a few times in the grain trade, but there are receipts for 6000 bushels of No. 2 spring outstanding that were issued by the Armour company in October, 1892. The storage charge for 13 years is \$115 per bushel, which exceeds the market value of the wheat by a comfortable margin.

The Armour company has given notice that the grain must be sold in two months or it will be sold.

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