







SAMUEL FIELD

LOUIS LINGG.

Attention Workingmen!

CREATERING CREATERING

MASS-MEETING

TO-NIGHT, at 7.30 o'clock,

CONTRACT AT THE CONTRACT

HAYMARKET, Randolph St., Bet. Desplaines and Halsted.

Good Speakers will be present to denounce the latest atrocious act of the police, the shooting of our fellow-workmen yesterday afternoon.

Workingmen Arm Yourselves and Appear in Full Force!
THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE









The prosecution at the Haymarket trial expected the death penalty for only four of the eight accused. The jury wanted to hang seven.

This is a copy of an original Mayday flyer. The Chicago Haymarket martyrs: Parsons, Engel, Spies and Fischer were hanged, Lingg killed himself in prison. Those who lived were later pardoned by the Illinois governor. When Spies addressed the court after he had been sentenced to die, he was confident that this conspiracy would not succeed.

"If you think that by hanging us you can stamp out the labour movement... the movement from which the downtrodden millions, the millions who toil in misery and want, expect salvation - if this is your opinion, then hang us! Here you will tread on a spark, but there and there, behind you - and in front of you, and everywhere, flames blaze up. It is a subterranean fire. You cannot put it out".