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Tenders For G. T. P. Bridges.

On Aug. 18—Tenders for the construction of bridges on the Quebec-La Tuque section of the Transcontinental Railway have been received from the Dominion Bridge Co., the Canadian Bridge Co. and the Levesque Co. of Montreal. The contracts will be awarded some time next week.

Will Maintain Law.

Paris, Aug. 18.—The Cabinet Council discussion of the church and state question yesterday resulted in the Government's firm resolve to maintain the law.

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Miners' Candidates Win.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 18.—The first election for the delegate to Congress from the District of Alaska has passed off quietly. Chas. and W. Foster, the candidates of the miners of Alaska for delegates to Congress, have carried the Nome country, known as the second judicial district, by handsome pluralities. Their election is now conceded.

THE WATCHWORD OF WOMEN.

Modesty is woman's watchword. Whatever threatens her delicate sense of modesty, frightens her. For this reason many women permit diseases of the delicate womanly organs to become aggravated because they cannot bring herself to submit to the ordeal of unpleasant examinations, of offensive examinations, and obnoxious local treatments, which some physicians find necessary. Doubtless the thousands of the women who have taken advantage of Dr. Pierce's offer of free consultation by letter, have been led to do so by the escape thus offered from a treatment repugnant to modesty. Any sick woman may write to Dr. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., in perfect confidence; all letters being treated as strictly private and sacredly confidential, and all answers being sent in plain envelopes with no advertising or other printing on them. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has been long hailed as a "God-send to women," it makes weak women strong and sick women well. "Favorite Prescription" contains no alcohol, no opium, cocaine or other narcotic.

Peaceful Settlement.

Tokio, Aug. 17.—It is now confidently asserted here that the Aleutian Islands incident, involving the killing and capture of a number of Japanese seal poachers, will be amicably settled with out the slightest complications.

Woman's Sudden Death.

St. Catharines, Aug. 17.—Yesterday morning Mrs. Bridget Welch, wife of Maurice Welch, was working about the house, when she suddenly fell over dead. She was 73 years of age.

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A sudden fit of anger may have an influence in many directions.

The noontide sun is dark, and music discord, when the heart is low.

Of all persecutions that of calumny is the most intolerable.

VALPARAISO IS SHAKEN

Practically Every Building in City Damaged by Quake.

Meagre Reports Says Disaster May Prove as Serious as That at San Francisco — Los Andes District Stricken, and Communication With Chile is Badly Interrupted—Business Suspended in the City.

Except for a few private messages received yesterday reporting an earthquake in Chile and damage to buildings in Valparaiso, no direct news from Chile has as yet been received. The early reports coming from different points stated that the earthquake had resulted in great loss of life and widespread damage to property. Up to 11 o'clock last night, however, there had been nothing to confirm these reports.

The Associated Press correspondent at Buenos Ayres cables that it is feared that the Town of Los Andes, in the Province of Aconcagua, has been destroyed. At the same time, he points out that Buenos Ayres has no direct communication with the disturbed district. No official information has reached Washington from Chile, and while positive information is lacking, Buenos Ayres officials of the cable companies express the opinion that the first reports of the earthquake were exaggerated.

All cables reaching New York from Chile and Valparaiso early last night were evidently much delayed, according to the statements of these officials, who are themselves unable to get any information bearing on the situation, other than the fact that an earthquake has occurred; that the disturbance has disarranged telegraphic apparatus and interfered with communication.

The First News.

New York, Aug. 18.—The City of Valparaiso, Chile, is reported badly damaged by earthquake. One report received here is that the situation in Valparaiso may prove to be as serious as the San Francisco disaster.

Practically every building in the city is damaged, and there are fires in different parts of the city. Many persons are reported killed and injured.

Los Andes Stricken.

Buenos Ayres, Aug. 18.—The newspapers last night publish telegrams from Mendoza (an interior city) to the effect that many houses in the Los Andes district were destroyed by the earthquake, and that there have been a large number of casualties. The interruption of all means of communication with Chile causes much anxiety. Many rumors of disaster are afloat.

British Companies Lose.

Liverpool, Aug. 18.—Most of the British fire insurance companies have interests in Valparaiso, Chile, but the amount involved is not nearly so great as was that at San Francisco.

Wire Down.

Buenos Ayres, Argentina, Aug. 18.—All the attempts made here to obtain telegraphic communication from Chile regarding the reported earthquake were fruitless up till late yesterday afternoon, on account of the interruption of wire communication.

Business Suspended.

New York, Aug. 18.—A private cable despatch to W. R. Grace & Co., from Valparaiso, received by way of Lima, Peru, says that the earthquake in Valparaiso is severe, and that business in the city has been practically paralyzed.

Commerce Paralyzed.

London, Aug. 18.—Some London firms trading with Valparaiso have received telegrams from their agents there. One, to James and Alexander Brown, says: "Severe earthquake. Commerce paralyzed. Town safe. Staff safe."

Other despatches give no details, and merely record the safety of their offices and staffs.

The Hamburg firm is alleged to have received a despatch stating that the numerous districts in Chile had been partially or totally destroyed; that Valparaiso had been practically demolished; that many ships had been lost and that over 100 persons had been killed and many hundreds injured. This despatch, however, is not well authenticated.

Several Hours Duration.

Washington, Aug. 18.—The weather bureau yesterday issued the following earthquake bulletin:

"A very heavy distant earthquake was recorded on the seismographs at the weather bureau in Washington yesterday afternoon, beginning at 5 minutes and 22 seconds past 7 p. m., 75th meridian time. Complete and perfect records were obtained of both the north and south and the east and west movements of the earth."

"The earth tremors at Washington were of comparatively slow and deliberate motion, each complete movement covering from 18 to 40 seconds of time. The earthquake lasted continuously for several hours, and finally ceased at about midnight. The most violent shock occurred at 7 hours 42 minutes 26 seconds p. m."

"From press reports this is evidently a record of the great Chilean earthquake of Aug. 16, and is the heaviest recorded in Washington since the San Francisco earthquake."

Where Valparaiso Is.

Valparaiso is a fortified seaport of Chile, and the most important commercial town of the western coast of South America. It has a population of about 150,000. It is the capital of the province of the same name, and is situated on a large bay in the Pacific Ocean, seventy-five miles west northwest of Santiago, with which it is connected by rail.

Severe storms and a tidal wave at Valparaiso, June 30, 1899, wrecked the railroad and did great damage to the city.

Early during the present year there were a number of earthquake shocks in Chile, creating much alarm, but doing little damage.

Military Training in Schools.

Ottawa, Aug. 18.—The Minister of Militia will hold his proposed conference with the representatives of the Provincial Governments in regard to military training in the schools upon his return from England, where he will be about six weeks.

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Immense.

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"See those two girls across the street?"

"Yes."

"Well, the pretty one I would call a vision of loveliness, but the other one—she's a sight."

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What did they do before it was discovered, professor?

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How to Learn a Foreign Language.

One may begin the attempts of free expression, and thus an independent use of the language, with a comparatively small vocabulary. Consciousness of reading and well conducted conversations will then quickly enlarge the vocabulary and develop the facility of expression. But I cannot lay too much stress upon the fact that the free and exact rendering of one's own thought in writing is the most efficient exercise in acquiring a language. In mere conversation we are apt to slip over difficulties by permitting ourselves vagueness and inaccuracies of expression which would sternerly demand correction—and correction, too, easily kept in mind—when the words look us in the face. To quicken the efficacy of this exercise requires, of course, a teacher able not only to pound grammatical rules into the head of the pupil, but also to stir up in the study of the language a mentally active interest in the subjects spoken or written about.—Carl Schurz's Reminiscences in McClure's.

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