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FLAMES STILL MARCHING ON

San Francisco is Flame Swept From End to End and the Conflagration is Still Beyond Control---Leland Stanford jr. University Suffers Fire Loss to the Extent of $4,000,000---Two Lives Lost and Eight Persons Injured ---Firemen Take 103 Bodies From Ruins of Wrecked Asylum --- Tales of Disaster From Outlying Towns.

Oakland, Cal., April 20.

Editor Telegraph,
St. John, N. B.

For Mayor Schmitz and stricken people, I thank you.
Geo. C. PARDEE, Governor of California.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20—The people of San Francisco, homeless and starving, are facing the calamity which has overtaken them and practically swept out of existence the great city of which all were proud. There are no evidences of weakness to be seen among the crowds of stricken people moving back reluctantly upon each advance of the destroying flames, which continue to sweep toward the ocean. Appalled for the moment, but undaunted, the bravery exhibited by men, women and children in the face of overwhelming disaster, is that of a race destined to arise stronger than ever out of the ruins which now surround them

There is little left today of the gay city by the Golden Gate. There seems little hope now of saving the choicest residence section of the city lying west and north of Vanness Avenue. The men of the fire department who have throughout the entire conflagration done splendid work, are still making strenuous efforts to check the all-devouring flames, but without avail.

Water is in better supply but of little use apparently against the headway now gained by the fire. Owing to the intense heat the buildings for some distance from the fire are as dry as tinder and seem to disappear like a flash the minute the flames reach them.

Flames Steadily Advancing

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20—At midnight the flames were slowly but steadily moving on portions of San Francisco still untouched. The sky presented a lurid picture. The strongest fire seemed to be in the western end of the city while the volume of flame in the Mission district would indicate that the conflagration was less severe than during the day.

100 Buildings Damaged

LOS ANGELES, April 20—Late reports last night show that Brawley, Calif. suffered less by Wednesday's earthquake than originally stated. About 100 buildings in Brawley and the surrounding valley were damaged but none destroyed. There were no fatalities, Brawley was the only settlement in southern California affected on Wednesday.

Leland Stanford Wrecked

SACRAMENTO, April 20—The following signed statement furnished to the Associated Press by President Jordan of Leland Stanford Jr. University, was received at night.

"The earthquake did great damage to the buildings of Stanford University. Only two lives were lost, one a student named J. A. Hanna, of Bradford, Pa., and a fireman, Hans Stroth. Eight students were injured, none seriously. The buildings wrecked are the Memorial Church, the new library, the gymnasium, the Memorial Arch and the power house. Many buildings of the outer quadrangle were seriously damaged as well as some of the shops. The chemistry building, Encina Hall and the inner quadrangle are practically uninjured. The damage will approximate $4,000,000. The books, collections and apparatus are not greatly damaged The message, together with 400 private messages from the University community are sent from Sacramento as all telegraphic communication to Palo Alto and all around the bay is out of commission."

Whole Region Devastated

SACRAMENTO, Calif., April 20—C. M. Leach, who has made a complete circuit of the earthquake devastated district around the bay, including San Jose, Niles and Alameda arrived in Sacramento early today and give out the following review of the catastrophe as he viewed it from the automobile in which the tour was made. He said:

"All telegraphic communication with the nearby cities is cut off. Prof. Durand and Prof. Green, accompanied by myself started for Sacramento in an automobile carrying over 400 telegrams to be sent to friends and relatives in the east and abroad.

"The roads skirting the bay were slightly injured in places by fissures, but no serious faulting of underlying rock was observed.

"At San Jose the loss of life is not as great as was at first reported, only 16 dead being reported up to date. The Vendome annex is completely ruined as well as the court house and all brick and stone structures.

"From San Jose to Alviso the road is lowered in places by the shock and the front of the principal hotel in Alviso has sunk at least ten feet.

"Beyond Alviso, toward Niles, the road is in very good shape and the only evidences of the shock are tumbled down fences, and water tanks. Haywards escaped damage comparatively, the only damage being confined to flues and some stacks.

"President Jordan, in an address to the students after the shock asked them to remain at Stanford and help clear the debris. He thinks the University will be rebuilt as soon as possible. Though he was recently tendered the presidency of an eastern university he will remain with Stanford. He said that the university did not depend entirely upon its buildings."

103 Bodies Found

OAKLAND, Calif, April 20—An associated press correspondent who arrived here last night from Santa Cruz reports that up to noon Thursday 103 bodies had been taken out of Agnow's State Hospital, near Santa Clara. Official estimates place the number of injured insane patients at 207, and of these 30 were not expected to live. The main building of the hospital collapsed, pinning many of the patients under fallen walls and debris. The padded cells had to be broken open and the more dangerous patients were tied to trees out on the lawn in lieu of a safer place. The doctors and nurses stuck heroically to their posts and a hundred students from Santa Clara College went over in a body to assist in succoring the wounded. Very little damage was done to the buildings at Santa Clara College and not one of the students or priests was injured.

Fatal Land Slides

OAKLAND, Calif, April 20—The Associated Press correspondent arrived from Santa Cruz last night having come over the Santa Cruz mountains. He reports that Santa Cruz was not seriously damaged and no lives lost in the city. The damage to buildings in Santa Cruz is $200,000. A landslide on Loma Prieta mountain, buried nine men alive in their cabins at the Hinckley Creek Mill of the Loma Prieta Lumber Company. The mill and cabins were buried under 100 feet of earth. Another fatal landslide occurred at Deer Creek Mill where two men were caught in their cabins and killed. Watsonville sustained much damage to buildings, the Pajaro Valley Bank, the Porter Building and the High School being damaged.

Canadian Companies Lose

TORONTO, April 20 (Special—That several Canadian companies have been heavy losers as a result of the San Francisco disaster is made clear in a statement issued yesterday by the Western Assurance Company. The following companies doing business in Canada are represented in San Francisco and their income in that city is herewith shown. British and Foreign Companies—Alliance $43,749; Atlas $39,721; Caledonian $47,325; Commercial Union $49,002; Liverpool and London and Globe $56,878; London Assurance $87,719; Law, Union and Crown $28,030; London Lancashire $68,558; Northern British and Mercantile $44,569; Northern $53,890; Norwich Union $30,339; Phoenix $53,830; Royal $83,601; Scottish Union and National $21,916; Sun $40,019; Union Assurance Society $42,302;

American Companies—Rochester German $10,701.

Canadian Companies—British American $13,335; Western $17,458.

White & Calkin, St. John, received a wire from the manager of the New York Underwriters Agency this morning as follows:- "Shall promptly pay San Francisco losses same as done Chicago and Baltimore."

Feeding the Hungry

BERKELEY, Cal. April 19—The work of providing meals and sleeping accommodations for the large number of refugees that are pouring into Berkeley by every train from San Francisco, was carried on today and tonight by university and townspeople alike.

President Wheeler has thrown open the grounds of the University of California to the refugees from the burning city and the churches are supplying food.

Meals are served from a great tent which has been erected under the campus oaks while sleeping accommodations have been provided by strewing the baseball grounds with a deep layer of straw.

The women of Berkeley are baking all the bread possible to alleviate the situation in San Francisco where the bakeries that remain standing are not allowed to build fires under their ovens.

To provide protection, all the student cadets of the University of California tonight were detailed for guard duty on the campus.

Aid for the Sufferers

PORTLAND, Ore., April 20—The Southern Pacific last night started a special train of 26 cars for San Francisco, carrying ten physicians, twenty trained nurses and 800,000 pounds of provisions.

Twenty-six more cars will start today. All available blankets and mattresses in Portland are to be sent.

A train load of bread and provisions will follow each day. Two cars of potatoes and one car of bread will leave Salem, Ore., this morning.

JUNCTION CITY, Kan., April 20—Three express cars loaded with 1,000 tents and more than five hundred cots left Fort Riley last night on the Union Pacific for San Francisco.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., April 20—The entire tentage and camp equipment of Fort D. A. Russell were shipped last night to San Francisco. The outfit is sufficient for 2,000 persons.

BERKELEY, Calif., April 20—This town is caring for over a thousand refugees who have been brought across the bay to escape the terrors of San Francisco conflagration. The homeless and hungry were fed last night at the station from long benches provided by the citizens' relief committee. The women students and professors of the University of California are doing great work for the sufferers and the work of finding shelter is proceeding satisfactorily. The university gymnasium has been turned into a lodging house where hundreds have been installed, while other hundreds have been provided with blankets in the open air under the university oaks. For the women and children rooms in private houses have been secured.

To Administer Relief

NEW YORK, April 20—Dr. Edward T. Devine, Secretary of the New York City Charity Organization Society and Professor of Sociology at Columbia, left this city yesterday to take control of the Red Cross work in California. He was appointed by Secretary of War Taft.

Sending Provisions

BOSTON, April 19—Governor Guild late tonight issued a statement calling upon the cities and towns of the state to contribute to a common fund in behalf of the afflicted citizens of San Francisco. The Governor tonight received a telegram from Governor Pardee, of California, in which he set forth the great need of food supplies. Following the receipt of the communication from Governor Pardee, Mayor Fitzgerald of this city, tonight issued a statement advocating that Boston send a special train laden with provisions to California.

LOS ANGELES, April 19—E. E. Calvin general manager of the Southern Pacific at San Francisco today wired Superintendent Ingram to get a special train, buy five carloads of canned goods and send them to San Francisco at the earliest possible moment. Calvin says conditions in the stricken city are so appalling as to be beyond belief or comprehension.

CHICAGO, April 19—The Union Pacific and the Southern Pacific R. R. with their connections, the Chicago & Northwestern, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, Illinois Central R. R. and Santa Fe. R. R. today announced to the Chicago Commercial Association their willingness and intention to handle free all supplies for the relief of San Francisco consigned to "Authorized relief committees of San Francisco."

Remarkable Predictions

An interesting prediction relating to San Francisco is contained in Zadkiel's Almanac and Ephemeris for the present year. The Almanac says:

"At San Francisco, Mars and Saturn are on the fourth angle or lower meridian In the vicinity of that great city underground troubles—possibly a serious earthquake—will be destructive about Christmas day or the latter half of February, The winter will be stormy and colder than usual. Otherwise the quarter will be a prosperous one for California."

Among Prophet Spangler's predictions for 1906 were:-

"A destructive eruption of Mount Vesuvius.

"Destructive earthquakes in California and the Philippines.

Boston Sympathy

The city of Boston wired $25,000 on Wednesday for the relief of San Francisco. Commenting on such prompt action the Transcript says:-

"It was an exceptionally large and earnest assemblage of Boston's men of affairs at Mayor Fitzgerald's office this noon to take appropriate action in view of the San Francisco calamity. That the busiest persons in the community could be gathered from many directions in such a short time after an earthquake shook the western shores of this continent is suggestive anew of the accomplishments of the telegraph and the telephone. Governor Guild made the excellent point that other cities in California beside San Francisco had probably suffered and that others beside Boston in this state would like to join in affording relief. The maxim that he who gives quickly gives twice has rarely been followed in a more practical way."

Cliff House May Be Safe

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20—The report that the famous Cliff House had toppled into the sea cannot be verified and is probably untrue. In the confusion it is impossible to get to it.

Australia Is Sympathetic

SYDNEY, N. S. W., April 20—Lord Northcote, Governor-General of Australia, on behalf of the commonwealth, has cabled to the mayor of San Francisco an expression of Australia's sympathy with the sufferers from the earthquake disaster.

More St. John Men in 'Frisco

Samuel Clifford of this city has two nieces and a sister-in-law living in San Francisco.

Officer Wm. White has several relatives in Oakland and he has made several unsuccessful attempts to get word of them.

Walter Graham is Safe

ST. STEPHEN, N. B., April 20—(Special)—This forenoon Collector Graham received the following telegram from his son Walter at San Francisco—dated Wednesday: "Have had feadful earthquake. City is in flames. I am well."

Shriners Are Generous

CHICAGO, April 20—At the spring meeting of Oriental consistory, Mystic Shriners, held here yesterday, it was decided that the $100,000 appropriated for the entertainment of the shriners at their national encampment at Los Angeles in May, be turned over to the relief of the sufferers of the San Francisco catastrophe. In place of the elaborate meeting which had been planned for the shriners they will hold a business meeting in Chicago.

The money which was subscribed for the encampment was given by the city of Los Angeles, its residents, and the masonic order.

Honolulu Has One Too

CHICAGO, April 20—A cablegram to the Chronicle from Honolulu says:

For six minutes yesterday earthquake vibrations which were evidently the result of seismic disorders were felt quite plainly throughout the city. While earthquakes are by no means infrequent in the islands that of yesterday was much severer than any which has occurred in recent years. It caused the buildings in the business section to sway to and fro and in the residence districts some of the less strongly constructed buildings were partly demolished.

The disturbances by the vibrations caused the water in the harbor to rise rapidly and fear was felt that a tidal wave might sweep over the city. The vibrations soon ceased and no further tremors were noted during the day.

The shake-up had the effect of creating almost a panic among the inhabitants, who feared a catastrophe similar to that which destroyed San Francisco. Crowds rushed into the streets and endeavored to make their way out of the business district as soon as possible, preferring to take their chances in the sugar plantations in the open.

A considerable force of marines were quickly landed from the men of war in the harbor. With the assistance of local police they were able to restore order and within an hour after the vibrations had ceased and conditions had become normal again business was everywhere resumed.

Earthquake Shock

SARAYEVO, Bosnia, April 19—At 11 o'clock this morning a short sharp earthquake shock was felt. It was undulatory in character and moved from west to east.

GROCERS ASK AMENDMENTS

OTTAWA, April 20—The wholesale Grocers' Guild, the Retail Merchants Guild, and the Association of Manufacturers of Canada, were represented here today by a delegation numbering over fifty representatives. The cities of Montreal, Toronto, Quebec, Ottawa, Kingston and other points were all represented. The delegation waited on Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. Charles Fitzpatrick. Messrs. Gervais, Hammerman, Barker Bole, Blain and other M. P's. accompanied the delegates. What the delegates ask is an amendment to the law in regard to combines.

The Pokanoket came up through the falls today and is lying at the Star line wharf.

Rev. H. F. Adams will deliver a lecture on Africa this evening at 8 o'clock in the vestry of Leinster Street Church. This lecture is under the auspices of the Young People's Society. All are invited.

A happy family reunion takes place this evening at the home of Capt. and Mrs. D. F. Tapley, Douglas Avenue; the occasion as previously announced, being the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding. The family will gather around the festal board, a number of presentations will be made and congratulations extended to the happy couple. Capt. and Mrs. Tapley have the best wishes of a large circle of friends and acquaintances.

TIMES-TELEGRAPH FUND FOR 'FRISCO SUFFERERS NOW $2935

THE TELEGRAPH and THE TIMES have started a fund for the relief of the afflicted people of San Francisco. Each paper has subscribed $1,000 for the fund, and asks readers to join in the work of mercy and send in contributions, large or small, to help those in need. The necessity is in the immediate present, and promptness in giving will render the work of the donor the more effective. THE TELEGRAPH and THE TIMES will receive contributions, will acknowledge them and forward the sums promptly to the mayor of San Francisco.

Though the fund was opened only yesterday morning a large number of generous contributions were made. St. John people need not be reminded of the warm sympathy and practical aid given them when the fire scourge visited this city. The fearful tale the despatches bring from San Francisco should be an incentive to all to stretch forth a helping hand and do it at once. The entire city has been burned over.

John Bond and John R. Hamilton will call upon as many as possible in the interests of the fund, but it is hoped most people will send their contributions to THE TELEGRAPH or TIMES offices as the time is short.

Previously acknowledged	$2311.00
Jos Bullock,	10.00
R. D. Smith,	1.00
Knights of Columbus, St. John Council No, 937	100.00
A Friend	1.00
A Friend	1.00
F. Tufts & Co.	5.00
Jas Patterson	1.00
A Friend	1.00
J. M. Johnson	100.00
A Friend	1.00
J. A. Lipsett	2.00
T. J. Cronin	10.00
Byron J. Grant	5.00
Johanna Ruel	1.00
Elizabeth Ruel	1.00
James H. Ruel	1.00
C. B. Lockhart	5.00
Joseph Cameron	1.00
His Lordship Bishop Casey	100.00
J. S.	2.00
Ald. J. W. Vanwart	5.00
C. P. R. Ticket office staff,	5.00
E. Clinton Brown	5.00
F. A. Dykeman & Co.	5.00
Emerson & Fisher	100.00
G. H. Colwell	2.00
George E. Day	2.00
Douglas McArthur	5.00
Opportunity Circle, Kings Daughters	5.00
W. Frank Hatheway	25.00
Vroom & Arnold	10.00
John Lee & Co.	2.00
Cash	10.00
J. Fraser Gregory	25.00
J. Morris Robinson	25.00
C. S. McNair	1.00
W. J. Potter	5.00
J. M. Ring	1.00
Thos. J. Buckley	1.00
A Friend	1.00
H. P. Lee	1.00
H. Kerr	1.00
J. R. Copp	1.00
R. A. Hanlon	1.00
N. R. Colter	5.00
A Friend	1.00
A. C. La Due	5.00
Dr. Thomas Walker	10.00
Dr. T. D. Walker	10.00

Concert in Aid

It was decided last evening to organize a first-class concert to be given in the York Theatre next Thursday evening, April 26, the programme to be one that will prove a real treat to all who attend. Further particulars regarding the sale of tickets, will be made tomorrow. The concert will present to everyone an easy and simple way of giving a little toward the relief of the stricken, and the entertainment provided will be unusually well worth the admission fee.

Judge Willrich, United States consul, when seen yesterday, took occasion to express the pleasure he felt at the efforts which were being made in St. John to assist the needy and homeless in San Francisco, and he willingly consented to take part in the entertainment.

Judge Willrich was today offered the Opera House for a concert in benefit of the fund, and will accept.

Journalistic Sympathy

(St. John Star.)

It must be pleasant for a newspaper to have thousands of dollars to give to relief funds. Mr. Russell, while spectacular in his way, at times does good with his money.

(St. John Globe.)

Those who are suffering will be looked after.

THE HAWKE RYAN CASE

It Will Come Before the May Term of the Supreme Court.

MONCTON, N. B., April 20 (Special)—Notice of trial has been given by the plaintiff in the action brought in the supreme court by J. T. Hawke, editor of the Transcript, against ex-Mayor Ryan, and the case is set down for the May term of the Westmorland circuit court, at which Judge McLeod presides.

Yesterday at a meeting of the city council one of the aldermen had in his possession a resolution censuring ex-Mayor Ryan in connection with his conduct as presiding officer at last year's city council meeting. The typewritten document was passed among the aldermen for a mover and seconder, but no one could be found willing to bring the resolution before the council. Finally the resolution was shown to the city solicitor, who advised that the council should not interfere in the matter in view of the pending suit.

Mayor Sweeney expressed himself strongly against interfering in a personal quarrel and some of the aldermen took a similar view. The resolution was not forthcoming at the council meeting.

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET

MONTREAL, April 20—(Special)—The stock market was very quiet today with stocks keeping the same level as yesterday's closing. Dominion Iron sold at 32; Montreal Power at 93 1-4; MacKay, 63, pfd 73 1-8 to 3-4; Twin City, at 117 1-4 and Illinois at 97.

CITY PAY DAY

The regular fortnightly pay roll of the civic employes was disbursed by Chamberlain Sandall today, as follows:

Streets	$1,305.87
Water and Sewerage	1,132.14
Ferry	104.44
	$2,542.45

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE

Miss Ethel Mullin, daughter of Dr. Mullin of Fredericton, who has been visiting Miss Cora Scott, leaves for home today.

Mayor White and Dr. G. A. B. Addy returned today from Boston.

Deputy commissioner of agriculture, F. A. Peters, is in the city.

The funeral of Countess DeBury takes place this afternoon at 2.30 from the residence of her son-in-law, Daniel Mullin, K. C., 104 Carmarthen street. Services at the Cathedral will be conducted by Rev. Father O'Keefe, and interment will be made in the new Catholic cemetery.

WILL BE A GOOD LUMBER SEASON

Opinion Expressed That This Will be Best Driving Season for Years.

Next week the water will be well up over the wharves at Indiantown and everything will be loose up river, if the present mild weather continues. This will mean the best driving season for the past twenty years.

The above statement was made this morning by an Indiantown man who has been watching the lumber situation and thinks the present season will be a good one for local operators. Holly's tugs are busy up river and already a quantity of logs have been brought to Indiantown for Moore's mill which will probably begin cutting tomorrow.

Although the river has fallen at Fredericton it has risen to some extent at St. John.

An Oromocto man who arrived here today says that the river is clear of ice from below Oromocto Island to St. John. There is still ice in the river from the upper end of the island to the capital but this was expected to come down today.

FREDERICTON NEWS

FREDERICTON, April, 20—(Special)—Large quantities of broken ice and quite a number of logs have passed this morning. The water is gradually rising.

The present strength of No. 8 Co. of the Royal Regt. to be transferred from St. Johns, Que., to this city, May first is eighty of all ranks.

An election to fill the vacancy in St. Ann's ward is to be held on May seventh.

It is expected that the supreme court will deliver judgments tomorrow morning.

OTTAWA ASSN. SENDS $100

Ottawa, April 19—(Special)—At the annual meeting of the Reform Association last night, F. X. Journeaux was elected president. There were 610 votes cast and Mr. Journeaux had a majority of 34. A resolution was unanimously passed, voting $100 for the sufferers by the San Francisco earthquake.

Menifee's for 415 cars of American products were received at the Customs House today, the largest of any one day's business for the season.

FUNERAL OF DEAN PARTRIDGE WAS THE LARGEST FOR YEARS

FREDERICTON, N. B., April 20 (special) The funeral of the late Rev. Dean Partridge took place at two o'clock this afternoon and was one of the largest seen here since 1896, when the remains of Governor Fraser were laid to rest. The body was removed from the Deanery to the Cathedral at ten o'clock, and holy communion for the members of the family and clergy was conducted by Bishop Kingdon, assisted by Rev. Sub-Dean Street. The body, which was enclosed in a casket of solid oak, laid in state in the cathedral chancel from eleven to two o'clock, and was viewed by hundreds of people. The regular burial service, which commenced at two o'clock, was conducted by the bishop, assisted by Sub-Dean Street. Other clergymen present included Archdeacons Forsythe and Neales Canons Richardson, Newnham and Montgomery and Revs. Dr. Raymond, Spring, Scovil, Hoyt, Daniel, Colson, Stewart, Dibblee, Duffy, Murray, Dibblee, Flewwelling and Cowie. The Diocese of Nova Scotia and the Board of Governors of Kings College were represented by Archdeacon Kaulback of Truro. The choir rendered, with splendid effect, the Thirty-ninth and Ninetieth Psalms, and the hymns "Jesus Lover of My Soul." "The Saints of God," and "Now the Laborer's Task is O'er," and closed the service with the "nunc dimittus." The official pall bearers were Rev. Canons Richardson, Forsythe, Neales, Newnham, Dibblee and Montgomery, but six sidesmen of the Cathedral bore the casket from the church. The funeral cortege, which was a very long by one, was headed by the members of Islington Lodge, Sons of England. Next came the students and the faculty of the U. N. B., then clergymen representing other denominations. The bishop and clergy of the Church of England and a barouche containing floral tributes, preceded the hearse. The chief mourners included only the members of the deceased's family and were followed by members of the Young People's Society, the lieutenant-governor's private secretary and A. D. C. and the general public in carriages and on foot. The interment was made in St. Peter's churchyard, Springhill, the Bishop and Sub-Dean Street conducting the service at the grave.

GRAND CONCERT!

IN AID OF THE TELEGRAPH-TIMES FUND FOR THE SAN FRANCISCO SUFFERERS.

YORK THEATRE

Thursday Evening, April 26.

The Turner-Weaver-Jones Concert Trio will take part with the best local talent.