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FLAMES STILL WATCHING 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 133 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 peacefully swept out of existence the great city of which all were proud. There are no evidences of reactions 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 determined to arise stronger than ever out of the ruins which now surround them. There is little left today of the great city by the Golden Gate. There seem little hope now of saving the choicest residence section of the city lying west and north of Van Ness square. The men of the fire department who have through out 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 so dry as to 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 which were unburned. The sky presented a lurid picture. The strongest fire seemed to be in the western end of the city, where 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 Brewer, Calif., and other portions of the city were destroyed by the earthquake. More than 100 buildings in Brawley and the surrounding valley were damaged. 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 is furnished to the Associated Press by President Jordan of Leland Stanford Jr. University, was received at 11:45. 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 Ströhm. Eight students were injured, none seriously. The buildings wrecked are the Memorial Church, the new library, the gymnasium, the Memorial Hall and the power house. Many buildings of the outer quadrangle were seriously damaged as well as some of the shops. The chemistry building, Deane Hall and the inner quadrangle are practically unharmed. The damage will approximate \$4,000,000. The books, collections and apparatus are not greatly damaged. The message, together with 400 printed 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, a revel in Sacramento early today and gave 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 tel grams to be sent to friends and relatives in the east and abroad. "The roads skirting the bay were slight dips in places by faulting, but no serious faulting of underlying rock was observed. "From San Jose the loss of life is not as great as was at first reported, only 10 dead being reported up to date. The Yosemite area is completely ruined as well as the coast 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 flies and spots. "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."

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 1866, 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 Riordan, assisted by Rev. Sub-Dean Street and other clergymen. The funeral service was held in the cathedral at two o'clock, which was enclosed in a casket of solid oak, laid in state in the cathedral of St. John's, N. B., and was viewed by hundreds of people. The regular service, which was held at the cathedral at two o'clock, was conducted by the bishop, assisted by Sub-Dean Street, Rev. Dr. Raymond, Rev. Dr. Dibbs, Rev. Dr. Murray, Bishop Flew and others. The Board of Governors of Kingsgo were represented by Archbishop

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Honolulu Has One Too (HONOLULU, April 20.—A telegram to the Honolulu Star-Bulletin says: "For six minutes yesterday earthquake vibrations were felt quite plainly throughout the city. While earthquakes are by no means infrequent in the islands, that of yesterday was much more severe 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 partially demolished. The disturbance by the vibrations caused the water in the harbor to rise and fall and 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 disturbance had the effect of creating 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. The city authorities their offices in the sugar plantations the open air. The citizens of Honolulu 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. "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."

Remorable Predictions (An interesting prediction relating to San Francisco is contained in Zedler's Almanac and B. Bennett for the present year. "At San Francisco, Mass and Seattle are on the fourth angle or lower meridian in the vicinity of that great city underground tremors—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 propitious one for California."

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 expression of Boston's sympathy for the sufferers from the earthquake in California. The city of Boston has been gathering from many donors in such a short time after an earthquake shock the western shores of this continent has never before. The cities of Montreal, Toronto, Quebec, Ottawa, Kingston and other points were all represented. The delegation visited on St. Willard Laurier and Hon. Charles Fitzpatrick, Messrs. Grosvenor, Hamnerman, Barker, Hale, Bland and other M. P.'s accompanied the delegates. While the delegates ask is an amendment to the law in regard to combines.

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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 Willich, United States consul, who has seen yesterday, took occasion to prove the pleasure he felt at the efforts which were being made in St. John to assist the needy and homeless of San Francisco, and he willingly consented to take part in the entertainment. Judge Willich was today offered the Opera House for a concert in behalf 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 spectating his way, at times does good with his money. (St. John Globe.) Those who are suffering will be looked after.

GROCCERS 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 visited on St. Willard Laurier and Hon. Charles Fitzpatrick, Messrs. Grosvenor, Hamnerman, Barker, Hale, Bland and other M. P.'s accompanied the delegates. While the delegates ask is an amendment to the law in regard to combines.

THE HAWKE RYAN CASE 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 done 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 tops are down up river and already a quantity of logs have been brought to Indiantown five miles up the river. Holly's tops are down up river and already a quantity of logs have been brought to Indiantown five miles up the river. Holly's tops are down up river and already a quantity of logs have been brought to Indiantown five miles up the river.

MONTEAL STOCK MARKET (MONTEAL, April 20.—The stock market was very quiet today with stocks keeping the same level as yesterday's closing. Dominion Iron sold at 22; Montreal Power at 58 1/4; Mackay, 63; pld 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, \$1,308.87 Water and Sewerage, 1,122.14 Ferry, 194.40 \$2,625.41

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. I pay commission of agriculture, F. A. Peters, is in the city. The funeral of Countess DeBarry takes place this afternoon at 2:30 from the residence of her son-in-law, Daniel Mullin, 10, 104 St. Matthew street. Services at the Cathedral will be conducted by Rev. Father O'Keefe, and interment will be made in the new Catholic cemetery.

OTTAWA ASSN. SENDS 1000 (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, with a majority of 34. A resolution was unanimously passed, voting \$100 for the sufferers by the San Francisco earthquake. Ministers for 415 cars of American products were received at the Ottawa House today, the largest of any one day's haul for the season.

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.

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San Francisco, April 19--Practically the entire city has been burned or is now burning. The fire cannot be checked but must exhaust itself in the outskirts of the city. Nearly the whole population is homeless, and even the wealthy people can, with difficulty, buy food.

All efforts to check the spread of the flames at Van Ness avenue by blowing up a mile of buildings on the east side of the avenue proved fruitless.

The fire has spread across the broad thoroughfare, and from present indications the entire western addition, which contains the homes of San Francisco's wealthier class, is now doomed.

The destruction of the western addition of San Francisco completes the work of the devouring flames, and marks the devastation of the entire city.

Metropolis of the Pacific Coast in Ruins and Ashes.

San Francisco, April 19.--San Francisco tonight is the city desolate. It seems that the acme of its misery was reached at dusk when the flames burst from all sides of the beautiful hotel Fairmont, the structure that above every other was apparently most strongly entrenched against the attack of the all-consuming fire.

And surrounding that lofty pinnacle of flames as far as the eye could see to the south, to the east and far out to the west lay in cruel fantastic heaps, charred and smoking, all that remained of a prosperous city.

The metropolis of the Pacific coast was in ashes. This has been another day of an uneven struggle of man against an unconquerable element. Aero after aero has been ground into dust and ashes, despite the heroic perseverance of the firemen to limit the conflagration.

Tonight there is a hope that the worst has been nearly reached and that when tomorrow's dawn comes, the end will have come; but the hope is faint.

San Francisco is not discouraged. Its best and highest class has already begun to plan for restoration and to care for the stricken ones, and the relief will be immediate and effective. Total subscriptions of \$150,000 were announced tonight. Arrangements were made for the immediate relief of the needy.

The baking of 50,000 loaves of bread daily will begin tomorrow. Free transportation will be provided by the Southern Pacific R. R., to destitute persons desiring to go to the interior points.

Three Distinct Fires Raging.

San Francisco, April 19.--It was announced that to-morrow they would begin a drive to the city of 12,250,000 gallons of water.

Tonight, for the first time, direct telephone communication was re-established between San Francisco and the outside world, and this message and the honor of it is the first to be sent.

By the most energetic efforts in the face of 250 obstacles, the Postal Telegraph Company succeeded in restoring one of its stations here, and its managers are hopeful of bringing back its service to normal in a day or two. The Postal office tonight is in a little wooden structure erected on piles at the water front.

Three distinct fires were burning. One was in the territory that extends from Nob Hill easterly towards the water front. It was traveling slowly north, and may die out from lack of material or may creep towards the extreme water front. The second centre was in the Mission district. Here the fire had reached Eighteenth street, but was making little headway toward the hillsides to the west, where thousands of people are camped. The third and most dangerous fire is that

threatening the western part of the city. This is really a continuation of the Nob Hill fire. It is wedge-shaped, with the apex pointing toward the city. This is the point against which the firemen are bending their greatest efforts. Dynamite was used for back firing purposes with only fair success. Tonight many blocks may be blown up.

Chief of Police Dignan tonight said 250 would cover the number of dead. About fifty bodies have thus far been found. There was considerable shooting of looters today, but the offenders escaped with wounds.

Thousands Flee Before Flames. San Francisco, April 19.--Thousands upon thousands of people are fleeing from the city today, which is raging through the hills. They are flocking to the ferries, to the parks, to the military reservations, and to the suburbs. Residents of the hillsides in the central portion of San Francisco, seemingly were safe from the roaring furnace that was consuming the city towards the extreme water front. Suddenly there was a whistling alarm up and down the long line of watchtowers and they hurried away to drag clothing, cooking utensils and scant provisions through the streets. From Grant avenue the pro-

cession moved westward. Men and women dragged trunks, packed huge bundles of blankets, boxes of provisions--everything they could lay their hands on quickly. Wagons could not be hired except by paying the most extortionate rates.

But there was no panic. The people are calm, stunned. They seem not to realize the extent of the calamity. They hear that the city is destroyed insofar as business plants are concerned; they tell each other in the most natural tone that their residences were destroyed by the flames, but there is no hysteria, no outcry or excitement.

Mayor Schmitz and Chief of Police Dignan have been forced from place to place by the firebreak. They found them directing the municipal council which is a committee of safety, from the Fairmont Hotel. The populace hereafter that stood on the top of Nob Hill. The hotel caught fire and they retreated to the corner of Larkin and Sutton streets, then to the North End police station in Sacramento street. Here the council, composed of financial leaders of the city, met this morning and decided to resort to the most heroic measures yet undertaken since the city has been in the path of devastation. This was to lobar the entire section of the city lying along the east side of Van Ness avenue, from Golden Gate avenue to Pacific avenue, sixteen blocks in all, containing the homes of many millions and numerous apartment houses.

Decide to Blow Up Sixteen Blocks.

The military was notified and barrels of gunpowder, the only remaining explosive in the city, were taken from the presidio, Fort McDowell, Alcatraz and other nearby posts. Hundreds of police, regiments of soldiers and scores of volunteers were sent into the doomed district to warn the people to flee. The populace heroically responded to the demand of law and went bravely on their way, trading painfully over the pavements with the little they could get together. Every available wagon was taken by the military to carry the powder.

General Funston is cooperating with Mayor Schmitz and orders have been issued to all officers to kill without sparing all malefactors. When men have been needed to carry out the plans of rescue, they have been pressed into service. In a few instances it was necessary to resort to the revolver and drawn swords, after which there was no hesitancy. The Presidio reservation, the vast Richmond district of thousands of acres, Golden Gate park, and surrounding hills resemble one vast circus ground. Tents and improvised coverings have been erected everywhere, fireplaces built in the streets, beds and mattresses thrown down all over the section. The people thus situated are philosophical.

Food Supply Low.

But there is the one great danger for the homeless and that is that their food supply will run out. Every grocery in San Francisco has been taken by the authorities and each family is being sold only one article at a time. In many places the police and military prohibit overcharging. General Funston announced this morning that railroads would soon reach the city and then the people will be supplied from the Presidio. Bakers' strikes have been built within the reservation and the bread supply therefore has not failed completely. The government has begun to aid in the flight the people to Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda. The tug boats and steamers are being pressed into service for the purpose and there is a vast army on the way to the ferries.

From the water front the burned city can be seen today in all its smoky majesty. From the Pacific Mail dock to Valjejo street on the west side, a distance of one mile, wreckage and ruin is the rule. Although the fire did not jump East street, the damage has been enormous. Big buildings are much twisted by the earthquake. Looking up Market street

from the ferry building the city is a smoldering mass of ruins. Great manufacturing, mercantile houses, banks and office buildings are nowhere to be seen and only in spots as there so much as a tower, the monument of a burned structure.

Today many of the tired workers and rescuers. There is scarcely any water to relieve the thirst of the suffering. The dead, in many instances, are lying in the streets and the ruins. The authorities are doing all in their power to remove bodies in order that the pestilence may be prevented. It has been necessary repeatedly to move the injured from places where they had sought refuge, for the fire kept increasing with alarming rapidity. Water is the incessant cry of the firemen and the people; one wants it to fight, the other to drink, but there is only a scant drinking supply.

Thrilling Story of Man Who Fleed.

Salinas, Cal., April 19.--(By long distance telephone, to Los Angeles)--J. P. Anthony, a business man of Pacific Grove, arrived in this city today, having made the trip from San Francisco by automobile. Mr. Anthony is one of the few witnesses to bring direct information from San Francisco. He says that he was sleeping in his room at the Nations Hotel on Ellis street, near Mason, and was suddenly awakened at 5:23 yesterday morning. The first shock that brought him out of bed, he said, was appalling in its force. The whole earth seemed to heave and fall. The building where he was housed, which is six stories high, was lifted from its foundation and the roof caved in. Mr. Anthony says he saw a score or more of people killed. Women became hysterical and prayed in the streets, while men sat on the curbing appearing to be dazed. It was twenty minutes before those who had faintly sensed able to realize the extent of the catastrophe. The crowds became larger and in the public squares of the city, and in empty lots thousands of people gathered.

It was 9 o'clock before the police were in control of the situation. When they finally assumed charge the officers directed their energy toward warning the people in the streets away from danger, many buildings being on the point of toppling over. Mr. Anthony says he was walking on Market street, near the Emporium, about 9 a. m., when a severe shock was felt. At once the street filled again with with excited persons and thousands were soon gathered in the vicinity, while the spectators could hear what had happened the walls of the building swayed a distance of three feet. The thousands of bystanders stood spellbound, expecting every moment that they would be crushed, but another tremor seemed to restore the big building to its natural position.

Flames Drove Thousands.

Mr. Anthony said that he momentarily expected that with thousands of others who were in the neighborhood, he would be crushed to death. He made his way down Market street as far as the Call building from which flames were issuing at every window with the blaze shooting out of the roof. A similar condition prevailed in the Examiner building across the street. He then started for the depot at Third and Townsend streets, determined to leave the city. He found several thousand persons headed in the same direction. All south of Market street along street time was a crackling mass of flames. He made his way to Eighth and Market then down Eighth to Townsend and to Third street and the entire section which he traversed was a fire, making it impossible for him to reach his destination. He attempted to make his way back but found that retreat had been cut off by the flames. He then went to Twelfth street and reached Market street again.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCrystal, a magnificent municipal buildings had in the meantime caved in like eggshells. The steel dome was still standing, but the rest of the \$3,000,000 structure was a charred ruin.

It was not yet noon but the city's injured and all available storerooms were being pressed into service. Dead bodies were being carried from the streets in garbage wagons. In every direction hysterical women were seen. Men walked through the streets, many of them weeping and all with white, drawn faces. Transfer men were being offered fabulous sums to remove household goods, even for a block distant. Horses had been turned loose and were running at large to prevent their being incriminated in the burning buildings. Women had loaded their personal belongings on carts and were pulling them through the city, the property being huddled in the public square.

'Frisco a Heap of Ruins.

San Francisco, April 19.--The magnitude of the calamity that has befallen San Francisco became apparent this morning when a red sun arose above the horizon and disappeared the pall of darkness that hung over the stricken city. Looking eastward from the heights in the central portion of the city, everything attested to the awful havoc wrought by earthquake and flame. Where once rose noble buildings now stand nothing but frail walls, tottering chimneys, here and there twisted iron and huge piles of brick and mortar. Adding to the horror of the situation was the fact that the work of destruction here had reached its conclusion. In several sections the fire was still raging with unabated fury, converting into smoke and ash everything in the shape of combustible material and turning into ruin structures that had cost millions of dollars.

It was with saddened hearts that the community viewed the ruins of their city. (Continued on Page 7.)



A Little Talk

on the Spring Furniture Topic

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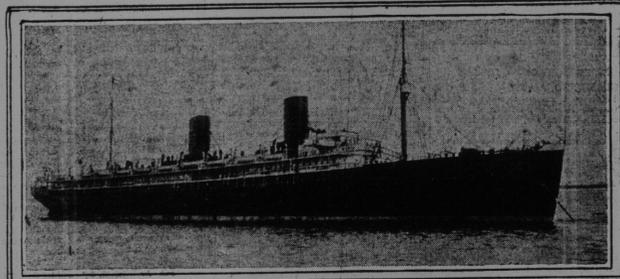
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French Liner Makes 23 Knots



The New French Line Steamship LeProvence.

Despatches received by the agency of the Compagnie Generale Transatlantique (French line) in New York city told of a most successful trial trip made by the new vessel of the line, the Provence, on Thursday.

On the Cherbourg course, which is used for trial trips for French men of war, the Provence maintained an average speed of twenty-three knots an hour.

This, according to an official of the company, is about one and one-half knots bet-

ter than the Savoy's record on her trial trip. The Provence was built under the supervision of the French government, at St. Nazaire, and French naval officers supervised the trial trip. She is scheduled to leave Havre on her maiden voyage to New York on April 21, and should reach here on April 27.

With a length of 627 feet, a beam of 66 feet, and a depth of 45 feet, the Provence has a registered tonnage of 14,200 and her

develops 30,000 horse power. She is about 4,000 tons larger than the Savoy and the Lorraine, and is eighty smaller than the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, of the North German Lloyd line. She has accommodations for about 400 first and 200 second cabin passengers, and her staterooms will hold comfortably about 900. Captain Ailly, formerly of the Lorraine, will command the new vessel. She will sail from New York city on May 3.

MORE LINKS BINDING ST. JOHN TO 'FRISCO

Yesterday brought into notice the names of quite a few more New Brunswick people who had made their homes in San Francisco or vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. James K. Swincock, formerly of St. John, were settled in the stricken town.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McCrystal, who left here some weeks ago, are in Los Angeles. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, of St. John, is in Los Angeles.

Deputy Mayor Lewis has relatives in the stricken city.

Mrs. William Anderson, of South Bay, has a son and two daughters living in San Francisco in the district which is said to have suffered worst from the effects of the earthquake shock. Naturally she is very anxious about their welfare. She sent a despatch yesterday forenoon, but at a late hour last night she had no word in reply. The son's name is William. He is a mining expert and has lived in 'Frisco for the last five years. The daughters, who have been in the city of the Golden Gate for three years, are Gertrude and Cora. They all lived with a brother-in-

law of Mrs. Anderson, James Anderson, who belongs to Sussex. Dr. Melville E. Smith and H. W. Smith, brothers of E. A. Smith, of the Smith Brokerage Company, Ltd., Water street, are located in Oakland. Mr. Smith has as yet had no word from his brother.

Mrs. H. A. Morton, widow of Dr. Morton, and two daughters, formerly of Freeport, reside in San Francisco at 350 Golden Gate avenue. They are cousins of Mrs. J. E. Cox, of this city.

Mrs. K. Morrison, of Oakland (Cal.), is an aunt of W. H. Boyd, of St. George.

Mrs. Fowkes, wife of the late Capt. W. H. Fowkes, who lived in four years in San Francisco, and knows the city well, said yesterday that her sister-in-law, Mrs. B. R. Keith, and her niece, Mrs. Ina Keith, lived at the Manhattan hotel, which was within a couple of blocks of the wrecked post office. She also said that the offices of Moore, Tom P. Robertson and R. B. Humphrey are in the destroyed district.

brother of Mrs. A. E. Ellis. John Shipp, Sussex, has two sons there. E. P. Carey, living at San Jose, is a

'92 graduate of McGill, and belongs to Upper Sackville. His wife was Miss De Jarrel, of Amherst.

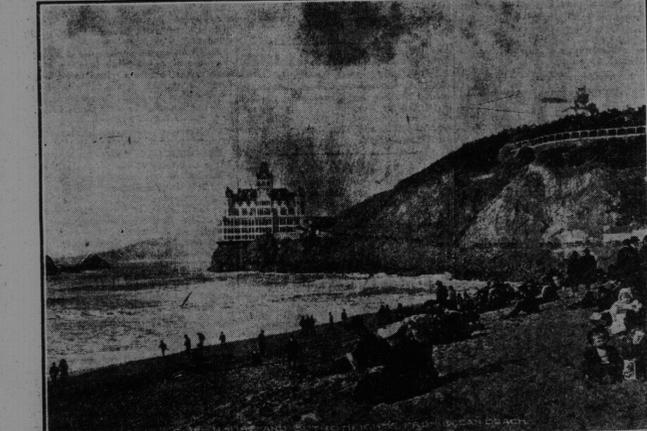
The family of Cornelius Kane, at one time clerk in the city market, went to San Francisco some years ago.

John O'Brien, a sail maker, of Lover Cove, with his family, is a resident of San Francisco. Other people residing in San Francisco who have relatives in St. John are Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bart and their three children and Mrs. C. E. McIntyre. Mr. Bart is a brother of Mrs. H. S. Hammond. Mrs. McIntyre is a sister of Dr. M. Case and Mrs. L. T. Nace. Another former New Brunswick in 'Frisco is Frank Watters, son of Captain Watters, of Watters' Landing. Blanchard Currier, formerly of Upper Sagetown, and F. Stafford, who at one time lived in or near Lepreux, are also said to be in San Francisco. In Oakland is Mrs. Nash, a daughter of A. P. Belyea, of the North End.

Jacob Wilson, a brother-in-law of Policeman S. D. Hann, lives in San Francisco. He is a carpenter.

John Scribner, of Hampton, has a couple of sisters-in-law in San Francisco. The name of one is Mrs. McKay.

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Circulation of The Times.

Table showing circulation statistics for the week ending April 14th, 1906. Includes Monday (7,180), Tuesday (7,074), Wednesday (7,028), Thursday (6,974), Friday (6,970), Saturday (7,182), Total (42,408), Daily Average (7,068), and Average Daily Sworn Circulation First Three Months, 1906 (6,741).

AID FOR 'FRISCO PEOPLE

A million dollars distributed would not give the homeless persons in San Francisco four dollars each. This simple statement will give a clear idea of the vast amount of relief needed. It is true that there are rich citizens who have other resources than those which have been destroyed, and many who will have some thing left out of the wreck of their fortunes, but there are thousands upon thousands of families destitute, while at the present moment all classes are alike the victims of hunger, to appease which there is scarcely any food available.

The extent of the calamity grows hourly, and need for help is urgent. What may be done when the fire has spent itself cannot now be determined. Doubtless the city will be rebuilt. But for months to come there will be confusion and hardship and hunger for the great mass of the poorer people.

There are still claims upon the Relief and Aid Fund raised for St. John at the time of the great fire in 1877, for some never fully recovered from that blow. The people of San Francisco stretched a hand across the continent in 1877, and made a handsome contribution to the needs of the victims of the great fire. They did not pause to consider that this was a foreign country, or argue that there would be help enough from other sources.

But if they had not contributed a cent, the people of St. John today would feel just as they do—that in the hour of San Francisco's dreadful need a hand should be stretched across the continent to them in sympathy and aid.

Contributions to the Telegraph-Times fund are coming in rapidly, and it is gratifying to know that the sympathy and the response are general. Today's news from California tells of the continued progress of the all-devouring flames in San Francisco, and of great damage done in other parts of the state. It is not alone in one city that help will be needed.

AFRAID OF HEARST

The persistent, artful and apparently successful efforts of William Randolph Hearst to become the leader of a great party, which might give him first the governorship of New York, and later the presidency of the United States, is greatly worrying the democratic party. It is said they are even disposed to regard Bryan with favor, as a comparatively safe man compared with Hearst. In a contribution article to the Boston Transcript, in which he tells in detail of the wide extent and vigorous development of the Hearst boom, one writer says:

"William Jennings Bryan as a quiet, safe, conservative Presidential candidate is the latest political surprise sprung by the Democrats upon the good folk of Gotham, and somehow or other the idea has been received with astonishing equanimity. In this world everything is relative, and compared with the peril with which the party leaders of New York state have been confronted in the last few weeks, even the emerald terrors of Nebraska, now that he is said to have shed his 16 to 1 bet, may be regarded as a perfectly palatable alternative to the other candidate, who is pressing himself upon their attention.

"No greater testimony could be presented to the extraordinary condition of politics in the Empire State, William Randolph Hearst has made such inroads upon the Democratic party that its leaders are deliberately contemplating bringing forward once more the firebrand of the west, in the hope that his theories will, in the eyes of the corporations that spent hundreds of thousands of dollars to defeat him, seem innocuous beside the anarchism of the yellow journalist. Economic heterodoxy is a bad thing, but it is not to be compared with the violence that sees in every employer a tyrant and in every administrator of the law a corrupt instrument of oppression.

"There is no doubt that the New York Democrats do not know where they stand, and the Republicans are at an almost equal loss as to the outcome of the political situation. Hearst has loomed up as a meteor on the horizon, and no one can be sure on whom the weight will fall. He is the Gradus of the day and has conducted his campaign with an ability as marked as his lack of principle. With municipal ownership he has gained the support of many whose lives grove their

disinterested solicitude for their fellow men. With his sensational newspapers and their extremely clever editorials, he has gained the ear of the working classes and established himself in their eyes as the friend of the poor. With his wealth and astute advisers he is building up for himself a political organization, with which he may club the old line Democrats into accepting him as the organization candidate, or may procure his own election independently of either of the regular parties.

"No one at present is sure what his intentions are, and perhaps as yet he does not know himself. It is enough for a few months to nurse his own faction and bind great masses of the electorate in allegiance to his own personality. He can afford to see how the oat jumps, ready to swing in whatever direction he pleases, the voters who like to boast themselves independent. No one ever accused him of being a mean man or fearing to risk his money to gain his ends, and at the present he is spending great sums in the northern counties of New York to secure election to the governorship next November, which seems at present to be the next object of his ambition."

A DEVILISH DELIVERANCE

A Kansas City judge recently made the following statement to a prisoner—"If you'll get drunk, and stay drunk, I'll let you out of jail. You must leave the city. Only remember, you must get drunk and stay drunk. You're a bad man, and whiskey will take you to the devil faster than anything else. The sooner the devil gets you, the better. If you don't live up to these conditions I'll put you in jail and keep you there."

The man was formerly a wholesale merchant, but had apparently gone the limit of utter dissipation. After this deliverance by the judge, friends got hold of the man, gave him money enough to keep him two months, and sent him to Chicago. He squandered the money, stole a value and sample case, and is now in jail. One recoils in horror from the brutality of the judge's statement, and it cannot be justified by any accepted code of ethics. The well-balanced mind does not think about a devil who is going to get a man who drinks himself to death, but of the devil that has him already. No judge has a right to assume that there is no influence on earth powerful enough to redeem such a man. Rather should it be held that society had in some way failed in its duty to the man, and that the fault could not all be laid upon him or upon a traditional evil one. The problem presented in such a case, when it reaches such a stage, seems almost beyond human solution, but man's duty to his fellow-man is none the less plain and urgent.

THE TERRIBLE GORKY

It may be assumed that the prominent American authors and others who rushed to embrace the Russian "man with the muck rake," M. Gorky, are not as enthusiastic as they were. A Paris cable says:—"Maxim Gorky has telegraphed the director of a French publication, for which he is writing, his impressions of the United States. The director suppresses Gorky's bitterest comments, but leaves enough to show that the Russian has formed a bad impression of America and the Americans. Gorky says the Americans are the same spitting, vulgar people that Charles Dickens found them, and that personal liberty is as much hampered in America as it is in Russia. He realizes that his contemplated lecture tour is ruined, but says he is rather glad than otherwise, for the sooner he gets out of the wretched country the better he will be pleased."

To be called "spitting, vulgar people" by this Russian pariah, who boasts that he is a revolutionist from the slums, must be somewhat galling to those who listened to welcome him. He and the interesting artist who is not his wife, can hardly expect even a civil reception hereafter in any American city, except from the anarchists.

CHANCE FOR CANADA

TOKIO, March 18.—It was semi-officially announced today that Antung and Tantung, both near the mouth of the Yalu River, will be opened to trade and travel by May 1. Mukden will be opened June 1, and other places soon after that date.

(Toronto News.) The Japanese Government announces that Manchuria is once more open to trade. This news is of commercial interest to Canadians. There is said to exist in Northern China a demand for food stuffs, mining and milling machinery, electric supplies, hardware, dry goods and boots and shoes. The extensive market thus thrown open to the world's commerce will be competed for by England and Japan. If Canadians desire a share of it they should move immediately. With the completion of the Grand Trunk Pacific and the Canadian Northern to the Pacific coast, and the launching of new trans-Pacific steamship lines, Canadian trade with Oriental nations should rapidly grow to large dimensions. Now is the time to lay the foundations for the commerce of the future.

A very quiet wedding took place last night at the home of Mrs. L. Nicholson, City Road, when Rev. A. B. Colver, of the Brunswick street Baptist church, united in marriage Fred Arnold of Torquay (Eng.), and Miss Mary Sloan, of Halifax. The bride was attended by Miss Lillian Nicholson and C. W. Seman, second steward of the steamer Yarmouth, supported the groom. The happy couple will reside in the City Road.

Harrington Rose Croix, Chapter A and A. Rite, in annual meeting last night held at A. W. MacRae, M. W. S. Dr. Thomas Walker, first G.; Theo. Cushing, second G.; Rev. G. F. Scovill, P.; F. G. Knowlton, Raphael, E. J. Everett, M.; W. H. B. Sadler, Reg.; T. A. Goddard, treasurer; J. V. Ellis, Almoner; W. A. Ewing, Org.; W. A. Porter, C. of G.

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SELF HELP

(Montreal Herald.) There is much justification for the claim set up by the Gazette that Montreal's superiority to some other places is largely due to the willingness of Montreal people to do things for themselves instead of waiting to have things done for them. There might be found, after careful search, a few examples of the Montreal man who believes in his soul there is no use trying to make a living, or a million, unless the tariff is fixed just the way he wants it; but outside of these it is right to say that Montreal men, as a rule, show themselves freely willing to hazard their own fortunes. Some of them, of course, are unduly inclined to look for a sure thing, which is proper enough, and even to make it sure by corrupting popular bodies of high and low degree, which is not proper, and which invites reprisals. But on the whole the city is the better for such private enterprise as has been shown.

One cannot be too careful, for example, that it is better for a business community to take its chances with franchise grabbers, fighting them when they need to be fought, but to trust working men, however, than to be, as all Western Ontario seems to be at present, hanging expectant upon the movements of some public man for the things private enterprise might very well be employed in furnishing. Just at present, Hon. Adam Beck goes about like a leader in Israel, and towns and villages everywhere are waiting for him, and the Legislature is a hotbed of speculation. It is a healthy condition, and the chances are when they get the current of public opinion to use their share. If they do not, then the price must go up, prophet or no prophet. People who are not really enterprising enough to get electricity at a commercial figure are apt not to be enterprising enough to use much of it when they have it.

SPORTING

ATHLETIC. Ford Won the Marathon. Boston, April 13.—P. Ford, of Cambridgeport gymnasium today won the tenth renewal of the 25 mile Marathon road race, from Ashland to Boston. His time was two hours, 45 minutes and 46 seconds. D. J. Kenneland, of the Roxbury Athletic Association, was second, six seconds behind the winner, and T. P. Morrissey, of the Mercury A. C., New York, captured third place. Kenneland's time was 2:48:00, and Morrissey's, 2:53:00. The man who is but 18 years old, and the youngest man in the race, judged he was well qualified to hold a position with the leaders until the last few miles, when calling upon his reserves for strength, he pulled up and finally passed Kenneland who until that point was never in danger of losing the race. Kenneland's time was 2:48:00, and Morrissey's, 2:53:00.

Boxing Notes. Terre Haute, Ind., April 17.—Benny Yanger of Chicago, won the decision over Paddy Rice, of Ireland, in a fast five-round bout at Lakewood Park tonight. A Philadelphia sporting man suggests as a way of stopping boxers from signing foul that they be paid only for the rounds they boxed in a fair manner. Although it has been repeatedly shown that Peter Maher is no longer a drawing card, New York clubs persist in matching him, but seldom does the bout take place on account of poor attendance. He has been matched to box Joe Hagan in New York tonight!

WEDDINGS

GILLIES-LECKIE. (Montreal Herald, Monday.) A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized this afternoon at Christ Church Cathedral, when Miss Margaret Amy Gilmour Leckie, daughter of Mr. Robert Gilmour Leckie, of Sudbury, was married to Dr. Bertram Digby William Gillies formerly of the staff of the Montreal General Hospital. The church was beautifully decorated in white and green, with Easter lilies and palms, and Rev. Dr. Symonds performed the ceremony in the presence of relatives of the bride and groom and a few intimate friends. The bride wore a smart tailor-made costume of cream broadcloth with Eton coat effect, trimmed with pale blue broadcloth, with this was worn a fancy white straw hat, and she carried a shower bouquet of white roses. Miss Edith Leckie, sister of the bride, who was her only attendant, wore also in cream broadcloth, with touches of pale green, her white hat was trimmed with pink roses, and she carried a bouquet of the same flowers. Mr. Leckie gave his daughter away. Dr. Hanford McKee acted as best man and the ushers were Stuart Buchanan and Arthur Penny. Dr. and Mrs. Gillies left this afternoon for Ottawa en route to Vancouver, where they will be in future residence.

CANADIAN SHIPBUILDING

TORONTO, April 18.—The shipbuilding yards at Bridgeburg are being rushed to completion in order that the owners, the Canadian Shipbuilding Company, may get to work immediately on the construction of the largest steamers ever built in Canada. One is a 10,000 ton steel freight steamer for the Chicago & St. Lawrence Transportation Company and the other is a magnificent new palace steamer for the Canadian Pacific Railway for use on the upper lakes, and presumably to go on the new Victoria Harbor route.

G. T. R. EARNINGS.

The Grand Trunk Railway System's return of traffic earnings for the week ending April 14, show an increase of \$31,316 over the corresponding week of last year, as follows: 1906. \$765,373 1905. 734,057 Increase. \$31,316

W. J. L. Durick, of Newcastle, is in the city. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Doody returned from New York yesterday. Mrs. L. J. Tweedie, of Chatham, was registered at the Royal yesterday. T. C. Burpee, engineer of maintenance on the I. C. R., Moncton, is at the Royal. Miss Ada Granville, of the New Haven Hospital, is visiting her mother here.

Removal Notice.

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With the dawn of the Easter festival society has shown a marked activity and those who during the penitential season withdrew from social functions of any kind have again come to the front. The social functions of the past week were most enjoyable and several interesting events are to take place within the next few days.

The Dominion capital is gay with the festivities of Easter tide, in which the names of several Maritime Province people are mentioned.

Miss Jean Taylor, youngest daughter of J. Gardner Taylor, was hostess at a delightful little soiree dance on Monday evening. There were eight dances after which a very dainty supper was served.

Miss Mabel Taylor will leave shortly for Ottawa, with her cousin, Miss Gray, who is visiting here at present. Miss Taylor will probably remain at the Dominion capital until September.

Miss Nora and Jessie Knight entertained about twenty-five of their friends at a masquerade ball on Tuesday evening. The merry throng of young people delighted in masquerade, and the dancing with unknown partners which added greatly to the enjoyment of the evening.

At twelve o'clock supper was served, the happy gathering dispersed at an advanced hour.

It seems hardly fair to particularize as to the costumes in every instance were excellent, but Miss Florence Pitfield, as Dolly Varden, Miss Rose Foster as Old English and Miss Rena Burton as a Gipsy girl were especially good and well worthy of special mention. Their costumes were nicely gotten up and were the subject of much favorable comment.

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An engagement of much interest just announced is that of Miss Vera Toller, youngest daughter of Mr. O'Connell and Mrs. Toller, to Godfrey Banning Greene, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Greene, 58 Brimrose avenue.

The engagement is announced of Miss Mildred Meredith, daughter of E. G. Meredith, Grand Alice, Quebec, to J. E. Mills, Royal Canadian artillery, son of Dr. Jas. Mills of the Canadian railway commission, Ottawa.

Mrs. George McCormick left Tuesday for the Maritime Provinces.

The following ladies and gentlemen had the honor of being invited to dinner at Government House to meet His Royal Highness Prince Arthur of Connaught: The Apostolic Delegate, the Archbishop of Ottawa, the Bishop of Ottawa and Mrs. Hamilton, the Moderator of the Presbyterian Church and Mrs. Armstrong, the Right Hon. Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier, and Right Hon. Sir Richard and Lady Cartwright, the Hon. R. W. Scott, the Hon. Charles and Mrs. Fitzpatrick, the Hon. Sir Frederick and Lady Borden, the Hon. Sydney Fisher, the Hon. William and Mrs. Fielding, the Hon. William and Mrs. Peterson, the Hon. William and Mrs. Thompson, the Hon. Henry R. Emmerson, the Hon. L. P. and Mrs. Forbes, the Hon. Charles and Mrs. Hyman, the Hon. A. B. and Mrs. Ayres, the Hon. R. and Mrs. Madam Dandurand, the Right Hon. Sir Ezzar and Lady Tas Bureau, the Hon. Sir Mackenzie Powell, the Hon. George E. and Mrs. F. W. White and Mrs. Sutherland, the Hon. Mr. Justice and Mrs. Sedgewick, Mr. R. L. Borden, M. P., and Mrs. Borden, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Monk, Sir Sandford Fleming, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pope, Miss Gordon, Mr. W. R. Baker.

Wednesday's Montreal Herald says: "A wedding was celebrated in St. Andrew's Church, Ottawa, this afternoon, the Rev. Dr. Heritage officiating, when Miss Eva Rhoda Rowan, eldest daughter of Walter Rowan, superintendent of the money order branch of the Post-Office Department was married to William H. Simpson, Montreal, son of the late George Simpson of St. Andrew's, N. B. The bride was attended by two bridesmaids, Miss Mary Johnston and Miss Winnifred Rowan. The best man was Louis McRobie, of Montreal, and the ushers were Geo. Rivers White and Fred McRobie and B. N. L. Simpson of Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Simpson left this afternoon for Atlantic City, and will reside in Montreal.

"Miss Charlotte E. Wiggins, a well-known lecturer of the W. C. T. U., was quietly married last week at the residence of her uncle, W. W. Fox, of Toronto, to Walter P. Chittick, of Ouse, N. S. The honeymoon will be spent in New York, Washington and Boston. Mr. and Mrs. Chittick will reside in Ouse, where Mr. Chittick is connected with the Atlantic cable service."

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PORTLAND Y. M. A.

One of the most successful social functions in the history of Portland Methodist church Y. M. A. took place last evening, when a dinner was given lady and gentlemen friends. The tables were in the association gymnasium, which was prettily decorated. A. W. Lingley presided.

The church, proposed by M. E. Grass, was responded to by F. S. Thomas. Other guests were the association, proposed by T. A. Armour, responded to by A. W. Lingley; the ladies, proposed by Mrs. Samuel Howard and Frank Whelpley.

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Besides relics and curios from foreign lands, there are many objects of local interest. There is an entire room containing articles which eloquently tell of New Brunswick and her people for more than a century.

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Opened by Governor Snowball.

The exhibit was opened by Lieut. Governor Snowball, who was accompanied to the rooms by Lieut. Colonel Geo. West Jones and Mrs. Jones, was received by Dr. G. U. Hay, first vice-president of the Natural History Society, and after all in the room had been visited, he addressed the society. He expressed the pleasure he felt in having Governor Snowball present to open the exhibit.

Dr. Mathew regretted the absence of the society's president, Sena or J. V. Ellis, who had been called away by public duties. Dr. Mathew said the nucleus of the society had been the banding together of a number of other universities, and his object was to frequently meet to discuss such matters and exchange ideas. The late Prof. Hart was one of the brightest members. After his departure from St. John he became identified with Harvard, Cornell and other universities, and his work was of a very high order. He was most enthusiastic in all that he undertook, but even in his studies he was never pursuing his work in the tropics and succumbed to the illness. His death was a great loss to the scientific world. He had intended to visit the province, and was a student worker was Montague Chamberlain, who is now in Boston. Passing to a later speaker, Dr. Mathew referred enthusiastically to Prof. Ganong, whose contributions to scientific papers are read with pleasure and with profit. He referred also to his son, Dr. Wm. Mathew, of New York; to A. Gordon Leavitt, William McIntosh and Dr. U. Hay.

Governor Snowball being introduced, was received with much warmth. He remarks were but few, but he offered his congratulations to the society, for the exhibition was deserving of every praise. He made reference to the in the previous address. In closing, he alluded to the pleasure he felt in making the privilege of addressing so many of these whose efforts had gone so far in making the rooms such places of interest. He then formally declared the exhibit open.

The display of interesting and historical relics is a most creditable one, which it is next to impossible to describe. There are many relics of the Loyalist period, and quaint articles from various countries of the world. All is most tastefully arranged and in charge of ladies in appropriate costumes.

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SAN FRANCISCO'S DOOM IS SEALED



VIEW OF KEARNY AND MARKET STREETS IN WRECKED SECTION, SAN FRANCISCO; THE LARGE BUILDING IN THE CENTRE IS THE CHRONICLE OFFICE

(Continued from page two) but the extent of the devastation has not yet come to be fully realized. The people are seemingly half dazed by the magnitude of the disaster, and it will be some days before the full horror of the situation comes home to them.

Possibility of famine is already presenting its hideous face. At best the city never carried more than three days' supply of provisions and food, and now with the wholesale districts and warehouses wiped out there is a shortage of food already. Prices today were in most instances more than doubled.

Police Regulate Sale of Food. This morning the policemen were stationed at some of the retail shops regulating the sale of foodstuffs and permitting only a small portion of goods to be delivered to each purchaser, the idea being to prevent a few persons from gathering in large quantities of supplies.

British Insurance Stocks Tumble. Liverpool, April 19.—In consequence of the California earthquake Royal Insurance shares today fell 96, 95, to 93, 92, and Liverpool, London & Globe, from 92, 12s. 6d. to 49, 12s.

Will Not Pay Earthquake Losses. New York, April 19.—Officers of the large fire insurance companies leaving their headquarters in this city, announced today that losses by earthquake were not included in the fire insurance policies written for California, and that such losses could not be allowed, even if the companies were so inclined for the reason that the laws of New York State prohibited it.

To Blow Up a Mile of Residences. San Francisco, April 19.—It was decided at noon to blow up all the residences on the east side of Van Ness avenue, between Golden Gate avenue and Pacific avenue, a distance of one mile. Van Ness avenue is one of the most fashionable streets of the city, and is very wide. It is hoped to check the flames at that point.

Los Angeles Buildings "Roaring Like a Boat." Washington, April 19.—The war department has received the following Western Union bulletin from San Francisco: "Los Angeles says buildings roaring like a boat. Last lost connection with Los Angeles immediately after this report. Men probably left building."

A Generous Offer. New York, April 19.—Clarence M. MacKay, president of the Postal Telegraph Cable Company, tonight telegraphed to President Wheeler, of the University of California at Berkeley, saying he will contribute \$100,000 toward the erection of a new building for the university.

Name Sunday for Special Prayers. New York, April 19.—A message requesting that all churches of all denominations in the United States set apart next Sunday as a day of special prayer for the sufferers.

Wealthy People Cannot Get Food. San Francisco, April 19.—The committee of safety, consisting of fifty prominent citizens, met with Mayor Schmitz this morning and organized a finance committee. Before the meeting had organized, Chase, Spreckles gave \$25,000; Rudolph Spreckles, \$10,000; Harry Tevis, \$10,000; Gordon Blanding, \$10,000; Eleanor Martin, \$10,000; H. L. Flood, \$5,000, with a promise of more.

row morning from the plant of the Oakland Tribune.

Ondolences of Notable People. Washington, April 19.—President Roosevelt is in receipt of a number of telegrams expressive of sympathy with this country of foreign rulers and foreign countries on account of the appalling disaster at San Francisco. Following is the text of the messages received thus far:

From President Fallieres of France: "The overpowering disaster at San Francisco causes France great sorrow and joins with our hearts in the sorrow of the great republic of the United States. I extend to you, Mr. President, my most sincere condolences and convey to the sorrowing families of the victims my sympathy."

From President Pardo, of Peru: "My government and the Peruvian people share keenly the grief of the people of the United States over the catastrophe at San Francisco. I convey my heartfelt sympathy in these sad moments."

From King of Italy: "I convey to you and your countrymen the profound sympathy which the Italian people feel for the victims of the disaster at San Francisco. I extend to you and your countrymen my most sincere condolences and convey to the sorrowing families of the victims my sympathy."

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FREDERICTON CLAIMS MANY IN STRICKEN CITY

List of York County People Who Had Taken Up Residence in San Francisco or Nearby.

Many Fredericton and York county people have relatives in San Francisco and vicinity. William Dunlop, formerly of Fredericton, has been a resident of San Francisco for many years. The Misses Dunlop joined him last year.

Mr. George Hatt, formerly of the capital, is residing in San Francisco. Mrs. Harry F. Waugh, of Douglas, is in San Francisco awaiting the return of her husband from the Klondike. Walter Dunphy, Mrs. Waugh's father, who left a fortnight ago to locate in California, is supposed to be in San Francisco.

LeBaron Smith, eldest son of Thomas W. Smith, of Fredericton, conducts a tailoring establishment at Oakland. His brother, Alfred A., is in business in San Francisco. William B. Waycott, brother of Mrs. W. B. Coulthard, of Fredericton, is manager of the Western Union Telegraph office at San Francisco. His mother, Miss Waycott, is visiting friends near there now.

John C. Risten, a brother of J. C. Risten, of Fredericton, is a resident of San Francisco. Building Inspector George Ross, of Fredericton, has a brother, Malcolm, who has been a resident of San Francisco for a number of years.

George A. Cliff, a former Frederictonian, resides in his family in the southern part of the state. Mrs. Everett, a sister of Mr. George P. Barrett, of Fredericton, is a resident of Oakland. Two nieces of Col. Loggie, daughters of the late James Loggie, make their home in San Francisco.

William Morrison, son of the late John A. Morrison, of Fredericton, has been a resident of San Francisco for thirty years. Col. Loggie has a sister, Mrs. E. S. Henderson, and two nieces, living in San Francisco. Arthur Gilbert, of St. Mary's, has an uncle in San Francisco.

Benjamin Rice, of St. Mary's, has a brother in San Francisco. Mr. Havelock Clark, formerly of Woodstock, and a cousin of Mrs. Robert Bonner, of St. Mary's, is living at San Francisco. W. T. Whitehead, M. P., has a cousin who conducts a real estate and mipping business in San Francisco.

Mrs. John Mackay, a sister of E. A. Hanson, has a son in San Francisco in the employ of the Pacific Coast Steamship Co. He was boarding at the Hotel New-England on Market street, which is in the burned district. Harry Palmer, of Millville, has an uncle in San Francisco.

James McElman, of Gibson, has a daughter, Miss Nellie McElman, who recently removed from Portland (Ore.), to San Francisco. William P. Morrison, a brother of Moses, Frank I. Morrison, G. A. Morrison, and Stewart L. Morrison, of this city, is interested in one of the San big dry goods establishments in San Francisco.

Allan A. Crockett, son of Michael Crockett of the Normal school, is principal superintendent in a locomotive works at San Francisco. Frank I. Everett and his mother and family are residents of San Francisco. E. A. James, McCallan, of Fredericton, is now a resident of San Francisco. He is a brother of E. A. McCallan.

The fourth annual dinner of the Fireside Club, which was held last night in White's restaurant, proved to be most enjoyable. The president, C. A. M. Earle, was in the chair, and a few invited guests sat down to table with the members. The toast list included the King, Our City, Canada, St. John's, the Maritime Provinces, the United States, Our Visitors, and the Ladies.

The annual meeting of the Longshoremen's Association held last evening the summer rate of wages was fixed at 40 cents an hour, the same as last year. The summer rate is to be in effect May 1. The meeting also decided to make a change in part of its internal arrangements and the offices of business agent and secretary were unanimously elected to John Kilien was elected to fill the position. The new officers are: President, John McAndrew; senior vice-president, Arthur Mullin; jr. vice-president, James McClair; financial secretary, Charles Cochran; recording secretary, John Kilien; treasurer, Charles Dwyer; committee, Edward Morton, Joseph Welch, Peter LeClair, James Butler, Thomas Snyder, John Kilien, Wm. McElroy, David Kilroy, Wm. Patterson, Philip Garrick. The ten committee men will add to their number.

Rest of the City in Flames. New York, April 19.—The Western Union is in receipt of a despatch timed 3 p. m., Pacific time, giving the area destroyed by fire. It shows that practically all of San Francisco has been burned or is burning. The information was brought in by Sergeant Binkley, U. S. A., who said: "Everything out Market street to about Twenty-third street is burning fiercely. Everything is gone except the mint. The post office was injured only by the earthquake. Only three or four rooms there were damaged. Every building of any importance in the city up to Van Ness avenue, including the entire business section and all the hotels, has been entirely destroyed and the district running north from Golden Gate avenue and lying between Van Ness avenue and Octavia street, has also been burned. Chinatown is gone. The fire is burning on Nob hill. I hear that parts of Nob hill are entirely wiped out. The fire has crossed Van Ness avenue east of Union street, and everything in that district is gone. Certain parts of Nob hill are still burning, though very seriously threatened. The fire is raging around Union and Franklin streets, with every prospect of continuing. It now looks as if a left side of the city north of Market street is a section in the Mission district, south of Market street, which has not been burned. The prospects are, however, that it will go, because nothing can stop the flames until they reach the straggling outposts of the city."

San Francisco, April 19.—The Southern Pacific Hospital at San Francisco, where patients have been removed to places of safety. The Lindavista and the Pines, two large family hotels on Jones street, in the better part of the city, have been blown up to stay the progress of the conflagration. The three morning newspapers of San Francisco, the Call, the Chronicle and the Examiner, will combine in an issue tomorrow.

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