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# HORRIBLE CRIME OF A REGULAR SOLDIER!

A United States Soldier, a sentinel on duty last night, outraged a young woman in San Francisco, using his gun to enforce his demands and to intimidate her terror-stricken relatives.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 22.—An infamous crime, an outrage of the most bestial character, was perpetrated last night by a United States regular stationed at the corner of Bush and Scott streets. The victim was a respectable young colored woman residing with her relatives at 2507 Bush street, whose name is not given for obvious reasons.

The offense was repeated twice between 9 o'clock in the evening and 1:30 in the morning, the

brutal miscreant in uniform using his gun to enforce his bestial demands and intimidate the other members of the family.

### OCCUPANTS OF HOUSE.

The house at 2507 Bush street is occupied by Joseph Dennis (colored) one of three well-known brothers, who is employed as a porter by the State Board of Harbor Commissioners. Edward Dennis, another brother, is messenger for William J. Dingee, president of the Contra Costa Water Company, and A. L. Dennis

is the proprietor of a saloon in West Oakland. With Joseph Dennis resides his aged father, four aunts, each over 75 years of age, a young nephew, and the young woman so frightfully maltreated by a beast wearing the uniform of the United States army. All the inmates of the household agree in the following statement of the outrage.

### SOLDIER'S DEMANDS.

About 9:15 in the evening a soldier on duty on the corner of Bush and Scott streets came to the house accompanied by two men in plain clothes. The soldier demanded all the matches in

the house, and when these were given demanded to be shown the inmates of the dwelling. He then went out, but almost immediately returned and demanded with obscene threats to be shown the room occupied by the young woman in question. Then he warned Joseph Dennis that if he interrupted the hellish deed or any outcry was made by any member of the family he would run his bayonet through the young woman's black heart. He threatened to shoot Dennis if he interfered, and said he would slaughter the aged relatives of Dennis if the latter attempted to leave

the house to give an alarm.

### REPEATS OUTRAGE.

Then the uniformed wretch left the house in darkness, only to return at 1:30 o'clock and repeat the outrage, the circumstances of which were substantially the same as the first, saving that the soldier supplied Dennis with matches to light the dishonor of his own home.

### NOT IDENTIFIED.

In the darkness and excitement the inmates of the household failed to take note of the regiment and the company to which the soldier belonged. As they are not familiar with the

markings which distinguish the different branches of the service they do not know whether he belongs to the infantry, artillery or cavalry. For a wonder, the miscreant did not loot the house.

It should be easy for the officers at the Presidio to ascertain the identity of the unspeakable ruffian who perpetrated the outrage. The soldier stationed at the corner of Bush and Scott streets from 9 till 2 o'clock last night is the man, and the sentry details should be sufficient to identify him.

### AN INVESTIGATION.

The matter will be laid before

Brigadier General Funston in the belief that that gallant soldier will immediately take measures to bring the scoundrel to prompt punishment. Under military law the penalty for the offense is death, and it is a punishment none too severe when the circumstances are considered.

### DEMAND JUSTICE.

The Dennis brothers have many influential friends among the white people of San Francisco and Oakland, who will spare no effort and leave no stone unturned to bring the beast who has disgraced humanity and dishonored the uniform of the United States.

# GOVERNOR PARDEE SAYS

"The situation is as good as can be expected considering the greatness of the calamity that has befallen us. The nation and world is taking great interest in our welfare and is showing material and financial aid. Although I am considering the advisability of calling an extra session of the Legislature, I have not yet taken any action. What we need especially is medical stores, clothing, and shelter for the refugees. Of course food will be needed in considerable quantities for some time to come. An epidemic does not exist at present and it is not probable that there will be any necessity for ordering a quarantine. The work of rebuilding San Francisco has commenced and I expect to see the great metropolis replaced on a much grander scale than ever before."

**MORE HOLIDAYS ARE DECLARED**  
BY GOVERNOR GEORGE C. PARDEE.

SACRAMENTO, April 22.—Governor Pardee issued the following proclamation declaring two more legal holidays:

"In the interest of the public welfare, I, George C. Pardee, Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the laws of this State, do hereby appoint, designate and declare Monday, April 23, 1906, and Tuesday, April 24, 1906, as public legal holidays."

## PHYSICIAN IS SHOT THROUGH HEART

SAN FRANCISCO, APRIL 22.—DR. TAGGART, A PROMINENT MEMBER OF THE LOS ANGELES RELIEF BUREAU, WAS SHOT AND INSTANTLY KILLED HERE AT NOON TO-DAY. HE CAME UP TO HELP RELIEVE THE SUFFERING OF THE NEEDY. WHILE WALKING UP THE STAIRS OF THE EXAMINER HOSPITAL AT THE CORNER OF PAGE AND BAKER STREETS HIS PISTOL DROPPED OUT OF HIS POCKET, AND FALLING ON THE FLOOR, EXPLODED. THE BULLET ENTERED THE DOCTOR'S HEART

**MANY PEOPLE BECOME INSANE  
AS RESULT OF EARTHQUAKE.**

Twenty-seven insane persons have been received at the Receiving Hospital since the earthquake. Some of them were very violent. Numbers of them, not dangerous, have been released. One man has been brought in nine times. He is a young man, apparently thirty years of age, light-haired and complexion, and shaved clean. He is looking for a book and has children, he says, but his identity cannot be learned. He had no coat when first taken, and the Receiving Hospital gave him one. There were no papers on him to indicate his identity.

# SAN FRANCISCO HAS RESUMED ACTIVITY

## GOVERNOR IS RECEIVING MANY MESSAGES

There have been two files of people extending from the city hall, round the plaza to the corner of Fifteenth street and San Pablo avenue, since early morning seeking passes to San Francisco from Governor Pardee, General Lauck and Mayor Mott.

Telegrams have been pouring into the headquarters all day tendering money and provisions or asking for information as to how the senders may aid the unfortunate of San Francisco.

Dr. Louise Harvey Clark sent in a telegram tendering her services for relief work in any capacity needed. The offer was referred to Mayor Schmitt.

**ABERDEEN'S OFFER.**

The following telegram was received from W. R. McFarlane, president of the Chamber of Commerce of Aberdeen, Washington:

"At the suggestion of Governor Meade of Washington, Aberdeen has been settled upon as a central point for shipment to San Francisco for such supplies as will be offered by the people of considerable distance in the vicinity of this city. I am advised that railroads are congested and that shipment by water to San Francisco will greatly facilitate the work. Cities in this vicinity have offered large contributions of supplies, clothing and lumber sufficient to load a vessel of 400 or 500 tons. Can you send a vessel here for these contributions? The steamer Centralia, due in San Francisco from San Pedro Sunday is probably the best vessel available. If the Centralia can not be secured, send another vessel of about her capacity. A quick answer is essential."

Governor Pardee answered that it would be preferable to have the people up north take charge of the whole matter.

**AS TO SPECIAL SESSION**

"FORT MASON, April 22.—General Webb and Judge Black, members of the committee, gone to Oakland to see you about calling a special session of the Legislature. Do not issue proclamation until they see you. Wire me where to make appointment with you for them."

"E. ROLLER,"  
"Relief Ferry Depot."

The question of a special session of the Legislature is one to which Governor Pardee is giving considerable attention in a quiet manner. It is known that precedents in such a matter have been looked up for guidance of his excellency. An impression obtains that a call of the kind referred to will be issued some time this week or early next week, but no one knows the time exactly.

**CONGRESSMAN KNOWLAND.**

The following gratifying information came from the Congressman of the Third District:

"WASHINGTON, April 21.—Governor George C. Pardee, Oakland, Cal.; House has just voted an additional million dollars. We all have great faith in California's future."

"J. R. KNOWLAND."

**TEHAMA'S GIFT.**

TEHAMA, April 21.—Military Secretary: First section relief train leaves Oakland 4:30 this a. m. It will arrive in Oakland at 4 p. m.

"KOBES."

**IN ORANGE COUNTRY.**

RIVERSIDE, April 21.—Riverside's relief fund now about \$7000. Shall we send money or car of provisions? If provisions, what is most needed? Would 100 or 200 boxes of lemons be useful?"

"CLARK."

An answer was sent to the effect that money would be preferred, but that anything would be acceptable.

## THOUSANDS OF MEN AT WORK, CARS ARE RUNNING, MARKET STREET IS NOW CLEARED

By C. E. WILSON

SAN FRANCISCO, April 22.—With the street cars on Fillmore street running and Market street free from debris, this city presents a decidedly more business like and cheerful appearance. All day yesterday pedestrians were compelled to move bricks aside, but today the work of clearing the street is being carried on by the employees of the street department. Several gangs of men were at work not only on Market street, but on the adjacent streets.

By Tuesday night the business portion of the city will be as nearly as possible as it was before the fire. Before the middle of next week it is reached there will be 5000 laborers at work clearing the streets.

**HOPEFUL SIGN.**

One of the most hopeful signs is the fact that the United Railroads has a large force of men at work repairing the tracks where they have been warped by the fire or bulged by the earthquake. At the corner of Mission

and Seventh streets, where the earth sank away from the New Post Office for a distance of four feet, a gang of men are at work leveling the earth and straightening the tracks. In a dozen other places the employees of the railway company are at work and the sight is a pleasing one. It relieves the eye and the nerves, after having seen the miles and miles of desolation, the fact that there is life again in the heart of the city brings a sense of restfulness and encouragement.

**MORE MARINES.**

In response to Governor Pardee's call the marines of the U. S. Cruisers Chicago and Marblehead were rushed ashore this morning and placed along the water front. When the remainder of the Pacific squadron arrives more patrols will be established to prevent looting and thieving. With the addition of the 6000 marines to the regular police force and the U. S. soldiers, the whole of San Francisco can be thoroughly policed.

**RELIEF WORK IS PERFECT.**

There is no suffering from hunger in San Francisco. The organization of the relief work has been perfect. Food in any quantity, including bread, milk

and canned meats may be had. Three additional bakeries started last night and are supplying bread today.

**SANITARY CONDITIONS.**

The sanitary conditions are occasioning some alarm but within the next few days provision will have been made for comparatively good sanitation and it is thought that epidemics will be prevented from breaking out in the tented villages of the homeless.

**THE CALM AFTER STORM.**

The dreary waste which no pen can picture was pervaded by a calm for the first time since the earthquake. There were no dense volumes of smoke rising to heaven nor were there any crackling or roaring of flames to disturb the Sabbath. The calm will be broken tomorrow, however, when unprecedented activity will break forth. Within a week 50,000 workers will be in San Francisco.

**MARKET STREET ACTIVE.**

Market street is a very busy street. Automobiles filled with nurses, physical soldiers and members of the Relief Corps go whizzing along the thoroughfare at a rate which is certainly a departure from the speed ordinance. From one end to the other of the street there is a constant coming and going of wagons containing provisions and supplies. The fact that there is life in the midst of the magnificent ruins has given every one hope.

### Southern Pacific General Office Employees

Report for duty Monday Morning. Union Savings Bank Building, Broadway and Thirteenth Sts.

#### OAKLAND

- General Manager, rooms 303-4-7.
- Purchasing Department, rooms 508-9-10.
- Passenger Traffic Manager, and General Passenger Agent, rooms 604, 708-9.
- Chief Engineer, rooms 802-3-4-7.
- Superintendent of Transportation, rooms 1005-7.
- Telegraphic Department, rooms 1112-13.
- Freight Traffic Manager, rooms 605-6-7-8.
- General Freight office, Telegraph avenue and 18th st.
- Legal Department, 1172 Broadway, Oakland.

## HE ESCAPED BAREFOOTED

A newspaper reporter who is married was telling Mrs. Winifred Black of the "Examiner" yesterday of his experience of that "milk of human kindness" that is not limited by race or creed.

"When the earthquake came," he said, "I grabbed my clothes and shoes, my wife got some clothes for her, and I supposed she had her shoes; but when we got down to the street I saw that her feet were bare, so I gave her my shoes. As we went along I looked for a place where I could buy something of the kind for myself.

"The first place that we came to that looked as though it had anything of the kind was a Japanese curio store. The Jap was just opening up, and was as cool about it as though there had been no earthquake. The only thing he had that would do was a pair of sandals. They were thirty-five cents, and he counted out the change from a five-dollar piece that I gave him as nonchalantly as he would under ordinary circumstances.

"Then I began to hunt for a place where we could get some stockings. This was near Chinatown. The first man I met was a Chinaman, and when I asked him 'Come, I show you' and he took us around the corner to a place. I selected a couple of pairs of stockings for my wife, and when I started to pay him he said, 'No, no; that all right. And I couldn't get him to take that money. Think of that, and a Chinaman, too!'

## ASKED IF SHE WAS DECENT

She wasn't "decent," to be sure. She didn't look bad, but there were words in her speech that are not used in polite society. As she sat her heavy basket down about 10 o'clock at night, near the Macdougough theater, and asked a passing newspaper reporter where she could get a room, she said she had just come from the Home of Refuge, as she called it, at Beulah Park. "I took a bath there," she said, "and while I was about it I went through my things and took a fine silk waist I had. And then they asked me if I was decent. 'Decent,' I said, 'is that what I came all the way out here for, to answer such questions as that?'

"There was some colored women sent out there with me—I'm from San Francisco, burnt out in the fire, you know—and they wanted to know of me if they were decent. How did I know? Supposing they weren't? So I left. I've got all I want of that sort of places. Even the policeman helped me to pack up and get away."

So the newspaper man helped her with her baggage to the car and sent her out to Idora Park, where they supply wandering refugees with something to eat and a place to sleep without asking them too many questions, as long as they are on their orderly.

Adolph G. Nelson, on 1740 Laguna st., S. F., is requested to come to or communicate with his parents at San Jose, Gustave Nelson.

Accommodations for Mrs. T. Cousins of 35 Lafayette st., Mrs. Grace Althaus near Grace Diamond, 1232 st., Lorn Station, South Berkeley.

## SAN JOSE A WRECK

LOS ANGELES, April 22.—"San Jose, which was the prettiest little city in California," said Will A. White, sheriff of that county, as he stepped off the train at River station, "is now the worst looking wreck I ever saw."

"When I left there yesterday morning at 8 o'clock 18 dead bodies had been recovered and there is a possibility that others will be found."

I reached Agnew's Asylum a few hours later in an automobile. There I helped to carry out sixty corpses. At noon when I returned to San Jose it was believed that fully 100 bodies were still in the ruins.

The shock came to San Jose exactly at 5:15:17 according to the electric clock in the St. James Hotel, which was stopped. Supreme Court Clerk Jordan and myself were on the fourth floor of the hotel. The shock only disturbed my napkin, for Agnew's called out in great chunks. The chimney fell and made a great hole in the roof. We immediately made our way out and down to the street.

"The streets were filled with people, dressed and undressed, who were running about distractedly."

**LEVELLED TO GROUND.**

The east end of the Vendome Hotel, a three story structure, had fallen in, and some of the guests had to be dragged out of the ruins. My nephew, Thomas Gilroy, was carried into the street.

"There is not a brick or stone building of two stories or over in San Jose today that has not been levelled to the ground or that will not have to be torn down."

"Flames broke out, but the firemen soon had them under control."

"I hired an automobile at 7 o'clock and started for Agnew's with two or three of the visiting sheriffs."

"The sight was awful. Scores of insane persons were running about the grounds, unwatched and unroared for, and I saw the body of Dr. Kelly, the assistant superintendent of the asylum, who had been instantly killed."

"When I left there at noon for San Jose, with the intention of securing a company of the national guard to go out to the asylum, but the sheriff of Santa Clara county had sworn in several hundred deputies and several of these went out at once to take charge."

"San Jose is under martial law and the city is thoroughly patrolled by the militia. Those that died were all residents of the town. Of the many visitors of the Royal Arch, sheriffs and supervisors a few only received slight injuries."

"After getting away from San Jose I saw evidences of the earthquake at Niles and even as far as Livermore, in the shape of fallen chimneys and broken glass."

## RELIEF FROM THE NORTH

A. L. Hawley, of Seattle, who has arrived here to take charge of the distribution of relief funds and supplies sent by the State of Washington, received a dispatch to-day stating that three carloads of goods for the homeless San Franciscans have been sent from Seattle.

The dispatch received by Hawley states that the steamer Buckman sailed from Seattle last night with 1100 tons of supplies. Three shifts of cooks were sent with the Buckman to prepare the food. Additional shipments will be sent to-morrow on the steamer Queen. Other shipments will quickly follow.

The cargoes that have already been sent include groceries, hardware, clothing, bedding blankets, tents, drugs, carpenter's tools, tinware, stoves and cooking utensils. Hawley has been asked to suggest anything additional that is required.

According to the telegram received by Hawley, the cash relief fund collected in the State of Washington exceeds \$125,000. The work of collecting money and goods is progressing vigorously in the northern States.

## DAMAGE IS GREAT

SACRAMENTO, April 22.—Santa Rosa, in proportion to its size, has suffered worse than San Francisco. Mr. Griggs, who is in the employ of Weinstein, Lubin & Co., has lately arrived from Santa Rosa, and his plain and uncolored story sufficiently proves the seismic fury which has practically reduced the city to a ruin.

The list of deaths from Santa Rosa now numbers about 60, but a great number of persons are missing and a still greater number are more or less seriously injured.

As in the case of San Francisco, an admirable organization has the situation well in hand. Forty sailors from Mare Island, fully equipped with apparatus are at work, while volunteer aid has been unstinted. Santa Rosa has suffered the greatest disaster in her history, but the indomitable spirit of her people has been shown all along the line. Even so early as Friday an announcement was made that the public schools and the business college would open as usual on Monday morning, the buildings having been inspected and found to be safe.

**CAUGHT IN RUINS.**

C. O. Duffy, from Owensboro, Ky., was a survivor from the wreck of the Santa Rosa Hotel, but he was one of the number that was caught in the ruins of the falling building. Although entirely hidden from view beneath the debris, Duffy managed to signal to the rescuers and was finally dug out. In relating his miraculous escape he said:

"When I registered at the Santa Rosa Thursday night there were ninety-eight people in this hotel altogether. When the crash came during the awful earthquake none could escape. As I staggered about the room, trying to reach the door to the hall, I soon realized that there was absolutely no hope. But I literally dived alongside a big mahogany bureau in the room and when the timbers, lath and plaster came down I was fortunately left in a three-cornered space of comparative safety. The timbers and debris did not rest on me heavily."

"I could barely breathe and when I heard the rescuers talking above my head I secured a lath which I forced with much effort through the debris and this I waved about until they took notice. And they were quick to the rescue. I could not have lasted much longer."

"Coming through Petaluma, I was surprised to note how little damage was done there. It did not seem to be over \$300."

All employes of LAND DEPARTMENTS of the CENTRAL PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY and of SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY will please report to heads of respective departments Monday, April 23, at 10 a. m.

WM. H. MILLS,  
CHARLES W. EBERLEIN,  
At Oakland Tribune office.

## AETNA INSURANCE CO. NOTICE

The condition of the Aetna Insurance Co. will not be impaired by the San Francisco fire. It has emerged from every conflagration in the history of this country stronger than before, and such will be the case in this conflagration. Every dollar of its liability will be paid as soon as ascertained and adjusted.

The company has agents in every city and town on the Pacific Coast where new insurance may be effected and information obtained concerning policies of the Aetna Company.

Its San Francisco office is now located at

**458 Ninth Street**  
Near Broadway OAKLAND

**BOARDMAN & SPENCER, Gen'l Agts.**

**BUSY TIME AT POSTOFFICE**

Announcement is made by Postmaster Dargie that all outgoing mail is being dispatched per schedule. The trains are running on all of the lines and everything possible is being done to facilitate the mail service.

Great quantities of registered mail was shipped under guard to San Francisco in the districts which were not touched by the fire.

On Tuesday San Francisco postoffice register and mail order department will be in working order.

All mail addressed to San Francisco will be dispatched there until the addresses are changed.

In local postoffice there has been a general delivery all day to-day. Stamps are being placed on all of the correspondence, with an additional number of clerks, doing everything possible to relieve the congestion.

Extra carriers are to be put on, and under the present working plans the mail will be quickly dispatched.

## CAMPED IN FRONT OF THE MINT.

Mrs. L. C. Winchell, formerly of Excelsior rooming house and Mrs. M. Gordan, 1021 Market both elderly ladies are comfortably camped under the porch of the U. S. Mint awaiting to learn whereabouts of relatives.

## NOTICE B. Hart & Bro.

FORMERLY OF 9 AND 11 SANBOME STREETS, S. F., CAL., LOCATED AT TEMPORARY OFFICE, Room 405 Union Savings Bank Bldg. OAKLAND CAL.

## CLUBMEN WELL PROVIDED FOR

Superintendent Shirk of the Reliance Club, announced to-day that the Reliance Club building will be thrown open to members of the Olympic Club and Y. M. C. A. of San Francisco as soon as the water taps supplying the building can be repaired. Until further notice members of the Olympic Club and San Francisco Y. M. C. A. will be recognized as members of the Reliance Club.

MRS. C. SCHIRAKKRAT, 2025 Twentieth avenue, South San Francisco, communicates with your sister immediately. Mrs. C. Tepper, Diamond.

MR. AND MRS. HARRY ANTHONY, 51 Eliza street, camping in Jefferson Square, San Francisco.

LAURENT DAMARIS, 600 Powell st., San Francisco, now at 3800 Grove street.

MRS. HALLOWELL of 3128 Twenty-third street, San Francisco, communicate with her son Charles, Sanvulville, Cal.

MODERN WOODMEN of Fresno will care for fifty to one hundred families. Odd members of Modern Woodmen of America communicate with C. W. Beal.

**BRYANT & DERGE**  
1112 Broadway

Houses Not Reported Taken at Noon April 22d.

We can guarantee none vacant except those under our exclusive control. ---Please tell owners where you got your information.

6 rooms, 1338 Filbert st. \$30.	7 rooms, 907 Madison. \$22.50.
6 rooms, 410 Walsworth. \$40.	6 rooms, 454 12th st. \$25.
6 rooms, 1519 Orange ave. \$20.	6 rooms, NE. cor Market and 23d. \$25.
7 rooms, 1520 Franklin. \$30.	4 rooms, 32d near Market. \$18.
5 rooms, 4223 West. \$18.	4 rooms, 80th near Market. \$15.
6 rooms, 373 First. \$35.	5 rooms, SE. cor Piedmont & Moss. \$27.
6 rooms, 1855 18th. \$22.50.	4 rooms, Moss near Piedmont. \$18.
6 rooms, 1867 18th. \$22.50.	4 rooms, 80th near Market. \$15.
6 rooms, 753 18th. \$22.50.	5 rooms, 5518 Telegraph. \$25.
6 rooms, 829 E. 21st. \$20.	5 rooms, 2031 Grove. \$25.
7 rooms, 1127 E. 20th. \$22.50.	6 rooms, 704 Telegraph. \$27.50.
6 rooms, 587 24th st. \$22.50.	4 rooms, 1418 9th. \$18.
4 rooms, 735 45th. \$14.	4 rooms, 329 Coner. \$10.
6 rooms, 4163 Piedmont. \$25.	8 rooms, 252 16th. \$20.
6 rooms, 1206 Linden. \$22.50.	9 rooms, 1121 Adeline. \$24.
6 rooms, 1210 Chestnut st. \$25.	5 rooms, 1281 Cypress. \$14.
6 rooms, 1353 11th ave. \$27.50.	4 rooms, 1199 Pershing. \$18.
6 rooms, 970 11th. \$20.	6 rooms, 1281 Cypress. \$14.
5 rooms, 1063 Poplar. \$20.	6 rooms, 588 14th. \$15.
8 rooms, 108 10th. \$35.	6 rooms, 1601 1/2 Broadway. \$25.
6 rooms, 1120 Linden. \$25.	6 rooms, 983 15th. \$15.
5 rooms, 1168 15th. \$20.	6 rooms, 1441 Linden. \$23.50.
6 rooms, 820 E. 9th. \$12.	4 rooms, 483 22d. \$22.50.
6 rooms, 815 31st st. \$25.	6 rooms, 718 20th. \$25.
	6 rooms, 493 28th. \$20.
	4 rooms, 58 Mead ave. \$14.
	5 rooms, 828 20th. \$18.
<b>TWO-STORY HOUSES.</b>	<b>LOWER FLATS.</b>
7 rooms, 853 Grove. \$35.	4 rooms, 2137 Adeline. \$25.
19 rooms, 1238 Chestnut. \$66.	5 rooms, 1120 8d ave. \$20.
8 rooms, 170 8th. \$36.	5 rooms, 1368 Franklin. \$30.
6 rooms, 178 8th. \$30.	6 rooms, 1258 Franklin. \$27.50.
8 rooms, 96 Pearl st. \$36.	6 rooms, 56 11th. \$22.50.
7 rooms, 1415 7th ave. \$35.	5 rooms, 71 11th. \$25.
10 rooms, 822 20th. \$27.50.	6 rooms, 1928 Telegraph. \$22.50.
11 rooms, 1148 Filbert. \$35.	6 rooms, 1815 Telegraph. \$25.
6 rooms, 2118 Adeline. \$22.50.	6 rooms, 652 Myrtle. \$20.
10 rooms, 1127 Telegraph. \$40.	6 rooms, 118 E. 14th. \$32.50.
8 rooms, 555 26th. \$30.	8 rooms, 128 E. 14th. \$32.50.
7 rooms, 1415 Filbert. \$30.	6 rooms, 997 9th. \$20.
8 rooms, 513 Walsworth. \$37.50.	6 rooms, 652 E. 12th. \$30.
7 rooms, 553 19th. \$25.	4 rooms, 32d near Market. \$16.
7 rooms, 414 Claremont. \$30.	6 rooms, 1018 15th. \$22.
7 rooms, 69 Santa Clara. \$42.	4 rooms, 1423 Linden. \$15.
10 rooms, 1461 West at. \$30.	6 rooms, 63 E. 12th. \$30.
8 rooms, 861 27th. \$35.	6 rooms, 1439 Linden. \$22.
4 rooms, 655 6th. \$20.	4 rooms, 1521 13th ave. \$15.
6 rooms, 881 27th. \$27.50.	6 rooms, 1110 13th ave. \$20.
6 rooms, 493 26th. \$25.	3 rooms, 433 22d. \$22.50.
6 rooms, 1543 Broadway. \$25.	5 rooms, 619 16th. \$25.
6 rooms, 6029 Broadway. \$13.	
6 rooms, 1280 Market. \$27.50.	<b>FURNISHED HOUSES.</b>
6 rooms, 1243 Filbert. \$30.	5 rooms, 1194 Alice. \$45.
6 rooms, 1243 Grove. \$27.50.	10 rooms, 782 12th. \$22.
6 rooms, 1612 13th ave. \$17.50.	6 rooms, 1259 Market. \$25.
6 rooms, 735 14th. \$35.	8 rooms, 960 6th. \$40.
6 rooms, 54 11th st. \$25.	3 rooms, 809 Grove. \$16.
7 rooms, 1368 Grove. \$25.	6 rooms, 1254 10th ave. \$45.
7 rooms, 1368 Grove. \$25.	3 rooms, 521 26th. \$25.
7 rooms, 2111 Elm. \$18.	6 rooms, 1077 12th. \$45.
7 rooms, 704 14th. \$25.	12 rooms, 1928 Telegraph. \$45.
8 rooms, 820 E. 18th. \$25.	6 rooms, 1909 West. \$35.
6 rooms, 628 1/2 25th. \$22.50.	12 rooms, 554 E. 16th. \$75.
6 rooms, 1218 Adeline. \$22.50.	6 rooms, 1254 10th ave. \$45.
6 rooms, 1839 Telegraph. \$20.	6 rooms, 752 12th. \$25.
6 rooms, 818 13th. \$27.50.	6 rooms, 410 Walsworth. \$40.
6 rooms, 948 Jefferson. \$35.	6 rooms, 63 E. 12th. \$40.
7 rooms, 772 16th. \$30.	6 rooms, 950 5d. \$35.
6 rooms, 751 Brush. \$25.	6 rooms, 526 Telegraph. \$27.50.
6 rooms, 1409 Brush. \$25.	3 rooms, 526 Telegraph. \$22.50.
6 rooms, Fruitvale ave. \$25.	8 rooms, N.E. cor 19th ave. & 27, 100.
7 rooms, 864 10th. \$30.	Beautiful home, elegantly furnished.

# INFORMATION FOR THE PUBLIC

A list of all the names that have been registered at the Bureau of Registration will be on file at the Chamber of Commerce in Oakland and at the Chamber of Commerce in San Francisco.

At the First Congregational Church, Twelfth and Clay streets, Oakland, Cal.  
E. A. Barnett inquiring for four-year old boy named Charlie.  
H. R. Brooks, inquiring for Mrs. H. H. Brooks.  
S. H. Crum, inquiring for Mrs. McLellan and Mrs. eBal.  
Mrs. Correa, inquiring for mother.  
L. Larson, inquiring for Mrs. Castle, 554 Howard street.  
L. E. Campbell, inquiring for Mrs. Buckman.  
W. H. Coleman, inquiring for sister.  
Mrs. E. Downe, inquiring for Mrs. Rosa, Winchester Hotel; Mrs. J. Spencer, Mrs. E. Blair, Mrs. A. F. Hawes and Rose.  
Mrs. James Dingwall, inquiring for Mrs. Joseph Dingwall.  
Mr. Lane, inquiring for the Green family.  
A. Fremmersdorf, inquiring for Ed Gorsky, Hattie Meyer and husband.  
Mrs. J. S. Hickey, inquiring for Joseph S. Hickey.  
Mrs. A. W. Harper, inquiring for Mrs. Dickinson.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fry, inquiring for Ed Nichols and family.  
Nettie Meyers, inquiring for Dena Meyers, Buchanan street.  
D. W. Oliver, inquiring for Mrs. D. W. Oliver and sisters, Mr. Walker, Mrs. Squires, Miss Cass.  
George Opdyke, inquiring for Mrs. Frank Clarke, Mrs. Fannie Opdyke.  
Mrs. C. E. Pike, inquiring for Julia Redden, from the San Francisco Ladies' Aid Home.  
Wickham Havens, inquiring for Louise Woolley and Anna Holland.  
Mrs. B. Hartly inquiring for B. Hartley.  
Mrs. Kancakes, inquiring for Mrs. Rosebear and sons.  
J. F. Kohlbecher, inquiring for wife and children.  
Louis Meraglia, inquiring for Jim Meraglia.  
D. Lucero, inquiring for M. Lucero.  
Mrs. E. L. Mann, inquiring for Rathbone Sisters.  
Fred Stillmaehner, inquiring for Geo. Stillmaehner of Royal Trousers.  
Mr. Spenser, inquiring for wife.  
Ed C. Toni, inquiring for Mrs. B. C. Toni.  
H. Brand, inquiring for Mr. and Mrs. Winslow.  
Miss E. Weber, for Gunn, Woodward, McNaughton.  
M. Westphal, inquiring for mother.  
Miss Whittier, inquiring for mother.  
Mrs. A. Wilson, inquiring for J. A. A. Stephens, N. O. Mittler.  
Mrs. May Winnings, inquiring for Mrs. Nellie Jarvis.  
J. T. Fitzgerald, inquiring for wife.  
A. Lent, inquiring for wife.  
M. B. Fisher, inquiring for J. Earl Toogood, Helen Fifield, Florence Sylvester.

**BUSINESS MEN TO REGISTER**  
INFORMATION BUREAU FORMED BY LOCAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.  
The Chamber of Commerce of this city has rented the third floor of Pythian Castle at the northeast corner of Twelfth and Franklin streets, where business men who are suffering from the fire in San Francisco may register and thus possibly come in contact with former acquaintances and friends whom they were connected with and of whom they may be in search.  
The rooms will be placed at the disposal of visitors and the Chamber of Commerce hopes they will be utilized to the fullest extent.

# NOTICE TO PUBLIC

It has been called to the attention of this office that hundreds of people are going to San Francisco merely out of curiosity.  
The people of San Francisco are being fed, cared for and distributed as rapidly as conditions will permit. It is absolutely imperative that people remain away from San Francisco. The going of people from this side of the bay disturbs the efforts that are being made to relieve conditions there.  
I therefore request that only those people who have urgent and important business in San Francisco go there and that all others remain away.  
Those people seeking their relatives are advised to wait another day. It is practically impossible to find them unless their exact addresses are known and a register is now being compiled and the addresses of all people who have been rendered homeless will be published in the press at the earliest possible date. When this is done the location of relatives and friends will be facilitated and the lost ones will be more readily found.  
Those people who are compelled to go to San Francisco should provide themselves with a food supply and should be sure of a place of shelter.  
This is no occasion for people to attempt to gratify their curiosity. It is imperative that all persons obey these instructions and co-operate to the fullest extent towards the relief of the great distress with which we are confronted.  
FRANK K. MOTT, Mayor.  
NEW LOCATION.  
OAKLAND, Cal., April 22, 1906.  
In view of the terrible calamity that has befallen San Francisco, we beg to advise that until further notice the headquarters of our Pacific Coast Sales Department will be suite 94-95 Bacon block, Oakland, Cal.  
Our San Francisco office is a total loss, but our Oakland factory escaped with damage to the buildings only, leaving our stock and equipment undamaged and we expect to be operating the plant within a few days.  
In communication with us relative to past quotations or correspondence, it will greatly facilitate matters if you will kindly enclose copies of our communications in your possession bearing on the subject.  
Assuring you of our best attention to all inquiries and orders, of which we trust you will favor us liberally, we are,  
Very respectfully,  
STANDARD UNDERGROUND CABLE COMPANY.  
A. B. SAURMAN,  
Pacific Coast Manager.

# GENERAL OFFICE

GENERAL OFFICE Construction Department, Western Pacific Railway Company, formerly located in Safe Deposit Building, San Francisco, are now in room 2, Abrahamson Building, Oakland.

## NEW LOCATIONS

**G. W. McNEAR,**  
PORT COSTA MILLING CO.,  
PORT COSTA WAREHOUSE  
AND DOCK CO.,  
PORT COSTA WATER CO.,  
THE MARINE INSURANCE  
CO., LTD., LONDON,  
McNEAR & WAYMAN, GEN-  
ERAL AGTS. INS. DEPT.,

are located in Union Savings Bank Building, Eighth floor. Telephone number for the present, Oakland 2014.

The extensive Warehouses and Docks of the Port Costa Warehouse and Dock Co., situated at Port Costa, with rail and water facilities for all parts of the country, are open for general business. Arrangements are being made to have one of the houses used as a Bonded Warehouse. For particulars apply as above.

**Wm. Knapp & Co.**  
(INC.)  
OF SAN FRANCISCO, IMPORTERS  
OF BOTTLED SUPPLIES,  
**Cigar Labels  
and Bands**

CALENDARS, ADVERTISING NOV-  
ELTIES, ETC., HAVE OPENED  
TEMPORARY OFFICES AND ARE  
READY FOR BUSINESS AT  
**Cor. School and  
Champion Sts.**  
FRUITVALE, ALAMEDA CO.  
PHONE VALE 1181.

**BOWRING & CO.**  
Office Now at  
**1056 Washington St**  
C. B. WELCKER,  
Acting Manager.

**CALIFORNIA  
ELECTRICAL  
WORKS  
EMPLOYES**  
Report at Once for Work  
either at  
**Sunset Telephone Co.**  
OAKLAND  
OR  
**642 Folsom Street**  
SAN FRANCISCO  
California Electrical Works

TEMPORARY OF-  
FICES OF OLNEY &  
OLNEY, LOUIS  
BARTLETT, AND J.  
M. MANNON, JR.,  
ARE AT 1068 BROAD-  
WAY, OAKLAND,  
CALIFORNIA.

Office of  
**HILLS BROS.**  
COFFEE MERCHANTS  
AND  
BUTTER MERCHANTS.  
TEMPORARILY AT  
**544 Ninth Street**  
Oakland, Cal.

## NEW LOCATIONS

**W. V. STAFFORD**  
State Labor  
Commissioner  
HAS ESTABLISHED HEADQUAR-  
TERS IN THE  
**New Tribune Building**

LABOR UNION SECRETARY AND  
CONTRACTORS ARE INVITED TO  
COMMUNICATE WITH HIM.

**"Y & E"**  
ALL EMPLOYES OF "Y AND E"  
AND THEIR FAMILIES WILL BE  
HOUSED AND PROVIDED FOR IF  
THEY WILL CALL AT THE HOME  
OF THE MANAGER,  
**1676 Webster St.**  
Oakland  
**Yawman-Erbe  
Man'g Co.**  
Charles H. Victor, Mgr.

**Los  
Angeles  
Times  
Tribune  
Bldg.**  
HEADQUARTERS AT  
ARTHUR L. FISH, Representative.

ALL EMPLOYES OF  
**Main & Winchester  
and Stone Co.**  
WILL PLEASE CALL AT 224-  
228 SAN PABLO AVE., OAK-  
LAND, 11 A. M. APRIL 23d.

OFFICE OF  
**HILLS BROS.**  
COFFEE MERCHANTS  
AND  
BUTTER MERCHANTS.  
TEMPORARILY AT  
**454 Ninth Street**  
OAKLAND, CAL.

**THE  
PARAFFINE PAINT CO.**  
24 Second street, San Francisco, has  
opened offices in rooms  
405-408 UNION SAVINGS BANK  
BUILDING,  
Oakland. Factory is uninjured and all  
orders will be promptly filled. All  
San Francisco employees will please  
report at Oakland offices promptly.

**Matson  
Navigation  
Co.**  
STEAMER HILLO,  
STEAMER ENTERPRISE,  
SHIP FALLS OF CLYDE,  
BARK ANNIE JOHNSON.  
Vessels of this company will leave  
San Francisco for Seattle and there  
load for Honolulu and Hilo, T. H.  
Temporary office of the company,  
**Howard St.  
Wharf,  
Pier No. 3**  
WILLIAM MATSON, President.  
M. J. LINDSAT, Secretary.

**PACIFIC TANK CO.**  
**National Wood Pipe Co.**  
Formerly of 301 Market street, San  
Francisco, are located at 518 Eleventh  
Street, Oakland.  
All employees please report.

## NEW LOCATIONS

NOTICE—OUR SAN FRANCISCO  
HEADQUARTERS, STORE, SPICE  
MILLS AND WAREHOUSES HAVE  
BEEN ENTIRELY DESTROYED.  
OUR BOOKS AND OFFICE REC-  
ORDS HAVE ALL BEEN SAVED  
AND ARE IN OUR POSSESSION,  
ENABLING US TO RESUME OUR  
BUSINESS IMMEDIATELY AT THE

**Cor. Tenth and Clay  
Streets, Oakland**  
WE HAVE WIRED FOR SUPPLIES  
AND SOLICIT ORDERS FOR DE-  
LIVERY ON ARRIVAL.

**Tillmann & Bendel**  
Wholesale Grocers.  
You can Get a  
**Burrough's  
Adding  
and Listing  
Machine**  
Immediate delivery.  
W. W. COOLEY,  
Salesman,  
**462 Thirteenth St.**

**C. W. McCALL**  
ARCHITECT  
HAS REMOVED TO 1607  
TELEGRAPH AVE.  
DURING REPAIRS.  
Phone Oakland 1032.

**PACIFIC COAST  
OIL COMPANY**  
OFFICE AND HEADQUARTERS, 1028  
TENTH STREET, OAKLAND.

**Burlington Route**  
Temporary Office  
**1071 Broadway**  
OAKLAND  
All freight and passenger business will be conducted  
from this office until further notice.  
W. D. SANBORN, General Agent.

Temporary Office  
**Pope  
Manufacturing  
Company**  
Bicycles==Automobiles  
**491 Merrimac Street**  
Oakland  
Phone Oakland 2669

**The Keystone Type Foundry**  
SAN FRANCISCO HOUSE HAS PROCURED QUARTERS IN OAK-  
LAND AND HAS A NEW STOCK OF TYPE, LEADS, SLUGS, BRASS  
RULE, GALLEYS, WOOD GOODS AND GENERAL PRINTING MATE-  
RIAL COMING. ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO  
**KEYSTONE TYPE FOUNDRY, Oakland, Cal.**

## NEW LOCATIONS

**W.R. Grace & Co.**  
OFFICES  
**New Tribune Building**  
8TH STREET, COR. FRANKLIN  
OAKLAND  
EMPLOYEES ARE REQUESTED  
TO REPORT FOR DUTY AS SOON  
AS POSSIBLE.  
R. B. HINE,  
Manager.

**Bradstreets**  
Have established headquarters in  
Bacon Block, this city—Phone Oakland  
6746.

**J. R. MILLER**  
Architect  
FROM SAN FRANCISCO, HAS  
OPENED AN OFFICE AT ROOM 68  
DELGER BUILDING.

THOSE WHO WISH TO COMMUNI-  
CATE WITH  
**Thomas Garrett**  
PUBLISHER OF THE EVENING  
POST, WILL FIND HIM AT 1209  
JEFFERSON STREET, OAKLAND.

**Newsom & Newsom**  
FORMERLY IN PARROTT BUILD-  
ING, SAN FRANCISCO, HAVE OPENED  
AN OFFICE AT 1163 ALICE STREET,  
OAKLAND.

**Standard Oil Company**  
OFFICE AND HEADQUARTERS, 1160  
BROADWAY, OAKLAND.

## NEW LOCATIONS

**M. A. Gunst & Co.**  
**CLERKS AND  
MANAGERS  
REPORT AT  
3410 Washington  
STREET  
SAN FRANCISCO**

**WOOL**  
SAN FRANCISCO WOOL MERCHANTS MEET  
TUESDAY MORNING, APRIL 24TH, AT OFFICE  
OF  
**E. H. TRYON,**  
1070 BROADWAY  
OAKLAND

**METROPOLITAN  
LIFE INSURANCE  
COMPANY**  
San Francisco offices have been established at Jefferson Park  
Building, 925 Golden Gate avenue. Our Employees are instructed to  
render every possible assistance to distressed members. Death  
claims should be reported at once. Special messengers have been  
dispatched to Los Angeles for coin, and we shall be prepared to re-  
sume the normal course of business within forty-eight hours.  
FREDERICK F. TAYLOR, Ass't Secretary.

**AETNA LIFE INS. CO.**  
GENERAL OFFICES ARE NOW LOCATED AT  
**Union Savings Bank Bldg.**  
**13th & Broadway**  
OAKLAND.  
E. H. LESTOCK GREGORY,  
General Agent Life Dept.  
JNO. H. STEVENS,  
General Agent Accident Dept.  
WALTER A. CHOWEN,  
Manager Liability Dept.

**LASTRETO & Co.** **Remington  
Typewriter Co.**  
FORMERLY OF 203 CALIFORNIA  
STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, HAVE  
OPENED OFFICES IN THE  
**Bacon Building, Oakland**  
OFFICE IS LOCATED AT 1232 BROAD-  
WAY, OAKLAND, CAL.

FINANCIAL OUTLOOK ENCOURAGING

By JOSEPH E. BAKER

The most pressing need at this time is money for the purchase of immediate necessities.

As the banks are all closed, and will remain closed till the Bank Commissioners and the State Clearing House Association have perfected a plan of financial adjustment which will meet requirements and protect all interests there is a great deficiency in circulating medium.

The money order department of the postoffice affords little relief

in this exigency, as there are no Government depositories in Oakland or San Francisco through which the postmaster can draw to cash orders.

For comparatively small sums registered letters are available, and postal notes are handy.

However, if it can be arranged to have deposits made in the sub-treasuries at New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago, St. Louis and New Orleans paid out by the San Francisco Mfnt on tele-graphic order, the situation will be relieved and a flood of cash let loose for immediate circulation.

This device will remove the temporary stringency without derangement to business and finance, generally speaking, and without the embarrassment that would be caused by a premature opening of the banks.

It can be positively stated, however, that no matter what happens a way will be found to place within a day or two a considerable quantity of ready money in circulation to meet pressing emergencies. The Bank Commissioners and bankers are acting in concert to provide temporary relief in a way that will not create financial confusion or business derangement.

But it fortifies public confidence to know that financial relief is near at hand and will be ample to supply business needs and tide over the peculiar exigencies created by the disaster to San Francisco. In a few days a great flood of outside money will flow into this State, and within three weeks the vast hoards in the San Francisco bank vaults will be available for commerce and exchange.

In the meantime it is gratifying and reassuring to learn that the Bank Commissioners find the banks throughout the State in excellent condition and in splendid shape to meet all demands upon them. The assured safety of the

contents of the vaults of the burned banks inspires the conviction that the San Francisco banks are entirely solvent and consequently will not be a menace to the stability of their correspondents in the interior. This determines in advance the delicate question of adjusting balances. There is nothing for the interior banks to fear since it has been ascertained the San Francisco bank vaults are perfectly secure.

Nevertheless the public must be patient and conservative for a brief period because the burned bank vaults cannot be safely opened till they have had time to

cool and be bored to release heated air. Premature opening would probably result in the combustion of millions of gilt-edge securities besides other valuable papers. All the tangled skeins must be gathered up and straightened out before we can begin weaving the business web in the regular normal way.

At present the business and financial situation is abnormal and must be dealt with in an abnormal manner. The measures for temporary relief must be adapted to the peculiar conditions existing and to the end in view, and must necessarily be subordinated and governed by the su-

preme necessity for preserving the financial balance and adjusting the monetary supply to the general needs of the entire State.

The general aspect is most hopeful, and it should inspire universal confidence. The Oakland banks, which will have to handle the clearings for the whole State for a time, are sound as a rock and possess ample facilities to meet the extraordinary demands which they will be called on to meet. They are strongly fortified to meet peculiar exigencies, and are in perfect shape to play a leading part in the financial re-adjustment.

THAT AWFUL NIGHT IN SAN FRANCISCO

SALT LAKE CITY, April 22.—Numerous refugees are coming to Salt Lake and each has a similar tale of horror. A typical experience is that of Sam Wolf, who says: "My room was in the Grand Hotel. When I awakened the house was shaking as a terrier would shake a rat. I dressed and made for the street, which seemed to move like waves of water. On my way down Market street the whole side of a building fell out and came so near me that I was covered and blinded by the dust. Then I saw the first dead come by. They were piled in an automobile like carcases in a butcher's wagon. All over blood with crushed skulls and broken limbs and bloody faces.

SIDESTEPS DEATH. "A man cried out to me 'Look out for that live wire.' I just had time to sidestep certain death. On each side of me the fires were burning fiercely. I finally got into the open space before the ferry. The ground was still shaking and gaping open in places. "Women and children knelt on the cold asphalt and prayed God would be merciful to them. At Lake carcases piled in an automobile like carcases in a butcher's wagon. All over blood with crushed skulls and broken limbs and bloody faces. "I took off my hat, put a little money in it and we got enough money right there to pay all their fares. "I forgot to tell you I saved one woman from sure death just before I got out of the hotel. She was running toward an open window and I caught her as she was part way out. "Where are you going?" I asked. "Oh, I was going downstairs," she answered. She would have fallen fifty feet to the stone pavement. She followed me out on the street barefooted and cut her feet on the broken glass leaving a trail of blood behind her. The last I saw of her she was on her knees begging God for mercy on her sinful soul."

THEIR ONE THOUGHT. Charles W. Lawrence of Salt Lake, said: "But one thought seemed to possess the terror-stricken people—that the end of time had come. In

some way the report was started that Chicago had suffered even worse than San Francisco and that the Illinois metropolis had been completely swallowed by an earthquake." Mr. Lawrence is hysterical at times and under the care of a physician. F. H. Duckwitz and wife, of Philadelphia, had a narrow escape, but are now in Salt Lake. W. H. Sanders, consulting engineer of the United States Geological Survey, insisted on paying his hotel bill before he left the St. Francis. He says: "Before leaving my room I made my toilet and packed my grip. The other guests had left the house as I hurried down the lobby. There I met the clerk who had rushed in to get something. I told him I wanted to pay my bill. 'I guess not,' he said. 'This is no time for settlement.' "As he ran into the office I cornered him, paid him the money and got his receipt, hurriedly stamped."

EXPERIENCES OF ADOLPHUS BUSCH. SALT LAKE, April 22.—Adolphus Busch, the St. Louis brewer, who had an exciting experience in the San Francisco earthquake, passed through Salt Lake last night over the Rio Grande road in his private car, en route to St. Louis. Mr. Busch and his party had rooms on the tenth floor of the St. Francis Hotel, and when the shock came the building swayed so violently that several members of the Busch party were thrown out of their beds on to the floor. They quickly abandoned their rooms and sought refuge in the streets. In the opinion of Mr. Busch, no disaster of modern times can compare with this in the extent of damage done and the wide devastation.

LIMES SENT. J. L. Robinson of the F. and A. M. of Berkeley telegraphed the Masons at Fresno to send limes to San Francisco. A carload was sent at once.

STARVES IN JAIL

Walter A. Donaldson, residing at 528 Eleventh street, relates the following story: "Night before last I had occasion to call on a friend of mine living at Ninth and Brush streets. Coming up Clay I was stopped by the guard and was not allowed to continue. I was told that I would have to have a pass and was advised to go up to the court house for it. I had been to the court house earlier in the evening, thinking that I might need a pass through the lines, but they at the court house told me I should not need one. I took the guard's advice and went right up to the court house for a pass and was refused it. "Extremely put out by not being able to get to my house, that was only a block or so away, I turned away muttering to myself. I was grabbed roughly and thrust down into the jail, where I went without food or communication with my friends for forty-eight hours. During the night a man lying beside me died from lack of nourishment."

TO MAKE STUDY OF EARTHQUAKE. Governor Pardee has appointed a commission of scientists to make a study of earthquakes generally and especially in California. The appointment is as follows: "To Whom It May Concern: The bearer, Professor A. C. Lawson of the State University, together with Professor C. K. Gilbert of the United States Geological Survey; Professor Fielding Reid of Johns-Hopkins University; Professor J. C. Brammer of Stanford University; Professor A. O. Leuschner of the State University; Professor George Davidson of the State University; Professor Charles Burkhalter of the Shabot Observatory and Professor William Wallace Campbell, director of the Lick Observatory, are hereby constituted a committee of inquiry into the earthquake phenomena in all parts of the State of California, and all citizens of the State are hereby requested to co-operate with this committee in all possible ways, affording them all necessary information and access to the results of the earthquake disturbance. "GEORGE C. PARDEE, "Governor of California. "Dated, Oakland, Cal., April 21, 1906."

OCEAN IS A FURNACE

PORT LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 22.—The steamer Itauri, bound for Hamburg, Germany, put in here this morning. It is the first vessel to bring by the water route those who witnessed the destruction of San Francisco. "The Itauri left San Francisco Thursday afternoon when the flames seemed to be at their highest," said First Mate Appen, in his description of the catastrophe. "As seen from the bay, it was a sublime but terrible spectacle. We were anchored more than a mile out in the roadstead, but the wind, as it swept over the burning city and down upon us, was like the breath of a demon.

"At times it was impossible for us to remain on deck. The water of the bay became heated. The terrific concussion of dynamite and the firing of artillery along the water front by the soldiery, in their attempts to stop the flames, brought hundreds of fish to the surface. Our clearance papers were burned, but we could not retain our anchorage, and late Thursday afternoon we started toward the open sea.

People Praying. "Wharves along the water front which had not been burned were filled with people. We could see them holding up their hands in an attitude of prayer. It was the thought of self-preservation for us all that kept the course of the Itauri unchanged. As we passed through the Golden Gate the hills on each side were mountains of flame. In some places dark spots showed where the buildings had not been consumed, but they were few.

"It was at dusk when we passed out of the harbor. The waves, instead of scintillating with the rays of a setting sun, burned scarlet from first to right and then to left. At midnight we were well out at sea; I should say thirty miles. The flames were still visible, and until almost the dawn of another day, we stood on deck and watched the reflection of the flames as they played to and fro on the cloud mountains which hung as a pall over the ruined city."

BREAKFAST IS SERVED ACROSS BAY. SAN FRANCISCO, April 22.—Every person left in San Francisco breakfasted this morning on food cooked in the open streets, no fires being allowed in the houses. A few bricks or stones gathered into the semblance of a furnace, with a few dry sticks beneath cans or kettles was the improvised kitchen in which the food of the millionaire as well as the humblest workman was prepared. All through the fine residence section of Pacific Heights people sat on the sidewalks and took their black coffee, dry bread, crackers, and in some cases eggs

NO SMALLPOX IN LOCAL CHINATOWN

At 10:30 last night there was no contagious or infectious disease in Oakland's Chinatown. The sergeant in charge of that territory, two patrolmen covering it, and Interpreter Smith, the well known San Francisco Chinatown guide, who had been pretty well over it and talked with many of the leading Chinese, met on Eighth street in Chinatown, and that was the conclusion they arrived at from information brought by each. In the afternoon a case supposed by

BERKELEY'S MAYOR ACTS

Proclamation issued by the mayor of Berkeley: By the authority vested in me under the laws of California, I, President of the Board of Trustees of Berkeley, considering the large number of persons at present in this town who need assistance, and with the view of preserving public order, do hereby constitute a committee of safety, to be composed of the following citizens of Berkeley: President of the Board of Trustees, President of the University of California, E. L. Parsons, Frank M. Wilson, Bernard Moses, to take such measures as they may deem necessary to maintain good order, to establish and enforce sanitary regulations, and in general to safeguard the personal and public welfare of the community. Given under my hand and seal of Berkeley this 21st day of April, 1906. (Signed) FRANCIS SERRIER.

PORTLAND IS GIVING AID

PORTLAND, Or., April 22.—Mayor Henry Lane has issued the following statement to mayors of Eastern cities: "The citizens of Portland, through the Portland Relief Committee will aid the sufferers of San Francisco and other California cities to the amount of \$250,000. Distribution is being made through General Frederick Funston at San Francisco, with the co-operation of Mayor Schmitz. "Trainloads of provisions and supplies are being sent according to their recommendations from day to day. General stores can be furnished from here as required in unlimited quantities. Free transportation is being furnished by the Southern Pacific Railway and Wells Fargo Express Company. Any money surplus will be applied in properly credited hands. "If the services of this committee are desired, they are at your command."

ATTENTION FORESTERS. The entertainment and dance for April 25th, given by Piedmont Circle and Court Piedmont has been postponed until further notice. The tickets that have been sold will be honored at the future date set by the committee. Mrs. C. B. Moon, chairman.

HAYWARD, Cal., April 21, 1906. To the PUBLIC: I hereby offer a reward of \$500 to anyone who can prove or show that I have sold for cash or credit to anyone best flour for more than \$1.35 for a fifty-pound sack or \$2.55 for a one hundred pound sack, since the refugees from the earth quake and fire in San Francisco began to come to Hayward, or more than regular prices for any other goods. Also, to anyone who can show that I have allowed anyone to buy more than one barrel of flour. JESSE H. WOOD, Dry Goods and Groceries.

CLOTHES FOR THE NEEDY ONES

Ladies of the First Congregational Church are distributing clothes to the needy, beginning at 9 o'clock this morning, at the store of Eilers Music Co., 75 Clay street, Oakland. Clothing supplies will also be received there.

To Prospective Builders: From the experiences we have with brick and stone building and the disastrous effects of the late earthquake on the great majority of them I would particularly call the attention to my patent interlockable cement block construction. Two years ago I constructed for Wempe Brothers (Inc.) Paper Box Manufacturing Company, Fifth and Adeline, the largest factory building in Oakland, 100x100, four stories in height, standing on made ground. Forty large windows on each floor, with no inter-walls, large printing plant on second floor, and other heavy machinery. The building stands today, after the severest earthquake that California ever experienced, uninjured. Why not think this over? Concrete and steel are king. G. A. PETERSEN INVENTOR OF INTERLOCKABLE HOLLOW CEMENT BLOCK CONSTRUCTION. 730 Eleventh Street, Oakland

Office of The Emporium, 1916 Franklin street.

Emporium Relief Committee

Employees of The Emporium requiring relief will please report to any of the following places, giving their addresses and stating their necessities. L. LIPMAN, 2973 Clay. H. E. LEWIN, 888 Eddy. JULIUS LOEB, 1332 Ellis. FRANK JUDD, 1234 Sixth avenue. C. DITTMAR, 18a St. Rose avenue. E. SOMMER, 1523 Laguna. ED. NORTHRUP, 3350 Twenty-first. C. H. FIELD, 1932 Sutter. J. MAYER, 1523 Laguna. M. FOLTZ, 1188 Sherman, Alameda. C. PETERSON, 2961 Webster.

Byron Hot Springs Hotel

NOT INJURED

IS RECEIVING GUESTS AT REGULAR RATES.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC TRAINS RUNNING TO BYRON ON SCHEDULE TIME.

MANAGER BYRON HOT SPRINGS HOTEL.

NOTICE!

TO OUR CUSTOMERS:—OUR BUILDING AND STOCK NOT SERIOUSLY DAMAGED, BUT NO GOODS CAN BE SOLD AT PRESENT EXCEPT ON ORDERS FROM THE MILITARY AND RELIEF AUTHORITIES. DUE NOTICE OF RESUMPTION OF BUSINESS ON USUAL LINES WILL BE GIVEN THROUGH THE PRESS. PACIFIC COAST PAPERS PLEASE COPY. (Signed.) J. A. FOLGER & CO.

Office Carpets, Rugs and Linoleum TO ACCOMMODATE THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS WE HAVE VACATED OUR STORE AT 416 TWELFTH STREET AND ARE TEMPORARILY LOCATED AT THE N. W. Cor. 12th and Franklin Sts., under the Chamber of Commerce Entrance on Franklin Street WE HAVE A LARGE STOCK OF CARPETS, LINOLEUMS, RUGS AND ALL FLOOR COVERINGS, NOW AVAILABLE FOR PARTIES REFURNISHING OFFICES OR DWELLINGS. WE ALSO MANUFACTURE WINDOW SHADES. R. H. CHAMBERLAIN