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(Scripps News Association) swinging it was made a target and the rabble began to riddle the body with

SPARTENBURG MUSICAL FESTIVAL

(Scripps News Association) Spartanburg, S. C. April 25-The twelfth annual music festival of the South Atlantic States will open here this evening with a grand concert under the auspices of the Coverse College Choral Society. In all there will be three evening and two afternoon concerts. The New York Symphony Orchresta has been en gaged, also a number of fine soloists

#### WAALABAMA FEDERATION OF LABOR

(Scripps News Association)

Birmingham, Ala., April 25-The annual convention of the Alabama State Federation of Labor opens a two days' session at the Trades Council Hall this afternoon. The attendance is unusually large and every district in the state is Cobb, will be Maid of Honor and the well represented. Many matters of importance will come up for consideration. among them measures to be submitted to the State Legislature at the next session. the anti-Boycott law and the miners'

meet that was to have been held at Union Oakwood, Texas, April 20-A furious this spring has been tabooed. At any mob overpowered the sheriff here this rate as far as Union is concerned. The negro seventeen years of age. The negro board of Union have expressed a desire had made an unsuccessful attack on a that all funds that would have gone to woman, and the sheriff was notified to encourage and promote athletics, shall be take him into custody. However the fact used to purchase foods and provisions became known and a mob quickly assem- for the sufferers at San Francisco. bled, overpowered the officer and hanged Because of this most generous bump in the negro. As soon as his body was Union hearts, there will be no mest this year at Union nor will there be a four cornered meet anywhere. The loca track team has been working hard that it might carry off honors there this spring and judging from reports coming from the other teams that participate in these

meets, they are doing the same thing. The local management has not recovered from the shock sufficiently have any idea as to what will done in the way of arranging another triangular meet at one of the three places. but it is to be noped that a meet will be arranged either in La Grande or one of the other cities. The end of the school year is not far away and whatever is done must be done soon.

#### BLISS-COBB WEDDING

(Scripps News Association) Washington, D. C. April 26-The wedding of Mr. Cornelius Bliss. Jr. of New York, and Miss Zaides Cobb, of Washington. D. C. will take place here this afternoon. Miss Cobb's sister, Miss Elsie only attendant of the bride. Mr. Bliss best man will be Albert G. Milbank and the ushers selected are Scott McLanaham Hugh Auchinclose, Reginald Hulderkoper, of Washington, Murray Gobb, a brother of the bride, R. B. Bowden, of Fall River

# TO RISE OUT OF RUINS

Efforts Will be Made to Rebuild Make it the Finest City in the World

Serious News Association)

San Francisco. April 28-Before, the ashes have cooled, men are at work building greater than ever, the ruins of the old city. It was announced this morning that capitalist lawyers will erect a twelve story steel structure on Powell street and also rebuild where the Hotel Rex stood, a ten story steel structure. The Pacific officials state that seven hundred and eighty-nine train loads of refugees were sent out between Wednesday and Sunday, carrying out a total of 225,000 persons. This exodus is now over and after Thursday no more free transportations will be given without special orders from army headquarters. Efforts are being made to keep all the able bodied men here. W. J. Barnett of the Western Pacific says that plans are being formulated for rebuilding San Francisco to make it the most beautiful city in the country. He says the funds will be forthcoming when they are needed. All vaults in the city banks have been examined and found to be in good condition, if they are left unopened for two or three weeks. owing to the intense heat. There is a serious friction between the militia and the police, and it has called a strong demand for the withdrawal of the

state troops tomorrow. Militia men have arrested policemen and in some instances have compelled them to work on the streets. Chief of police Dinan has sent a sharp warning to the militia to stop this friction.

CHINESE EMPRESS GIVES MONEY New York, April 25-The Empress of China has sent fifty thousand dollars to

|San Francisco and will send twenty

#### MINES DAMAGED

Santa Rosa, April 25-A cage in the great Eastern quick silver mine at Guerneville was struck by a gigantic boulder during the earthquake and its three oc-

SUMMER SCHOOLS ASSURED

Santa Rosa, April 25- President Wheeler of the University of California has announced that the summer school will be held as usual and according to plans, from June 25 to August 1.

#### MONEY TRANSFERRED

Oakland April 25-Three million doiars have been transferred from the mint at San Francisco to the banks at Oakland to be available to the depositors that the immediate pressing needs may be relieved. The Berkely banks have also received a large amount, and the shipment of coin across the bay continues.

FUSTON STILL IN COMMAND San Francisco, April 25 - Although reports have it that "General Funston has been succeeded by General Greeny, he is

still in common, but General Greeny commands one divisions

SHOOTS THIEF Oakland April 25-An unknown man was shot and killed this morning while dropping from a second story window with loot. He was seen by some marine guards and promptly shot. A hospital aunch was made a target of while crossing the bay, a dozen shots being fired at it off Ferry landing last night. None of shots took effect although the launch was filled with injured on the way to the hospital. Ten looters were caught red handed and imprisoned on board the flagship Chicago.

#### MORE POLICE TROUBLE

Oakland April 25-The unwarranced conduct of the special policy came to a head this morning, when General Funston ordered them off the streets, and threatened them with punishment if they ere found around again. In many o the special police were arrested by the troops. Another organization is being formed and many are joining, that is a citizens' patrol, which guards against fire and watches the property. The Chicago detectives that were sent here were not needed and have returned home. At Fort Mason the refugees are getting accustomed to camp life, and under the instructions of the soldiers have learned how to keep the water out and be comfortable. As a rule they refuse to move into vacant houses until such times as they can find permanent homes. The matter of establishing a municipal railway in abeyance to Rudolph Spreckles. who proposed to supply funds, was refused this morning. The managers of the Sharon estate have decided to replace the Palace hotel with a modern ten story structure.

#### INSURANCE MEN TO DECIDE

Oakland, April 25-Representatives of every insurance company that sustained losses in the fire, are to meet here Thursday morning to decide upon a course of action and make official announcement of the policy to be pursued in making payment of losses. Acting on the advises of the Baltimore Insurance companies, the bankers here have been notified not to open the vaults before thirty

Business men are seeking location in Oakland for the present and some seemed inclined to think that many leading concerns are going to locate permanently. This would give a tremendous impetus to business across the bay and would make Oakland a formidable business rival of San Francisco.

#### DEATH LIST GROWS

Oakland April 25-Twenty-seven deaths occured today. Seven are unidentified one of whom was badly burned. The other twenty were from natural

Portland, April 25-As the official count is being received from the counties of the state, the large majority in Multnomah county received by H. M. Cake for I Inited States Senator has been wiped out, and it is now conceded that Jorathan Bourne is elected by several hundred.

#### BOURNE HEADQUARTERS

At two o'clock this afternoon county clerk received a 'phone message from W. E. Burke, who is in charge of Jonathan Bourne's headquarters, asking for the official returns of Union county. When informed of the result he replied, "This will give Mr. Bourne 500 plurality."

#### RIOT EXPECTED IN PARIS

(Scripps News Association)
Parin, April 28—The military authorit'es here are preparing to suppress the threatened rioting on May 1st. when the strikers had planned a great demonstration in the streets. The commanding general estimates that there will be eighty thousand from abroad and twent thousand will be seeking trouble. However, he says that there will be forty-five thousand troops at hand.

CLEAVER-In Red Oak, Iowa April 21 to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Cleaver a

REWARD \$500.00 for the arrest and conviction of the man who voted for me in the Island City Precinct. Signed JAMES M. MURPHY.

#### NOTICE OF INVESTMENT

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FRED JACOBS.

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festival tomorrow is about complete and the following list of committees will have a very interesting program which also

PROGRAM.

Grand Parade.

10:30. Public assembly at opera house.

Opening.
Selection Electric Concert Company
Address of Welcome Mayor Stoddard

Banquet at Elks' hall, 12 to 1:50. 2 p. m.—Assembly at opera house. strumental Duet, Mardi Gras Guadrille Schubert ..... Misses McCall Recitation, Story of Topsy Banks
Miss Lillian McCall.

Solo, Somewhere ......Mrs. Merton Kiddle Introductory Oration, H. E. Goolidge, N. G. Oration of the Day, Claud Gatch, G. C. P. Recitation, "Jining the Odd Fellers". .....Mrs. Maud Crandall

Instrumental Duet, Il Trovatore Mrs. Lyle and Miss Gertrude Raistor Solo, Selected Mrs. J. R. Forrest Solo, Selected Mr. Edwards Selection Electric Concert Company

COMMITTEES

J. A. Arbuckie Grant Keys H. E. Goolidge Miss Maud Brasel

W. J. Snodgrass C. J. Vanderpoel I. R. Snook Geo. Ball A. C. Huntin E. B. McKiddy Press Lowin

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F. B. Currey Miss Ada Fowler

Mrs. Ella Brasel

Mrs. Addie Grout Mrs. Emma Harding G. H. Powers D. Fitzgerald Mrs. Ella Wines Mrs. Mollie Buck

W. J. Snodgrass, Toastmaster

## A HIDDEN MENACE TO HEALTH

A large variety of the most common diseases will eventually be stamped out by improved sanitation. These are germ diseases. The difficulty of coping with them now is the difficulty of realizing that such germs are about us all the time, always ready to multiply and menace health whenever conditions are favorable. The way to guard against these dangers is to use RELIABLE DISINFECTANTS frequently and thoroughly. Cellars, sinks, drains, closets, and all dark and damp places about the home or premises should be frequently disinfected, especially at this time of the year. We have materials suitable for every purpose and if desired can advise you what to use in any particular instance.

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