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BANKS IN GOOD CONDITION

Oakland April 28.—There will be a meeting of the women today for the establishment of an employment bureau. A careful estimate of the resources available of the San Francisco banks upon opening their vaults is placed at \$100,000,000.

The actual loss of bank property by the earthquake is estimated at \$2,350,000. Everything goes to show that the banks are in admirable condition.

HUSBANDS WANTED

(Scripps News Association)

Oakland, April 28.—Twenty-five young women whose homes were destroyed by fire, have started a marriage bureau near the hospital. A large sign proclaims that eligible young women desire to secure husbands and protection immediately.

STREET CARS RUNNING

(Scripps News Association)

Oakland April 28.—Six street car lines are in operation today. The transportation committee meet today and, it is believed, will grant a general resumption of all car lines.

MASSACHUSETTS ARBOR DAY

(Scripps News Association)

Boston, Mass., April 28.—In accordance with a proclamation issued by Governor Guild today is observed as Arbor Day throughout the state. In this city the day is observed by appropriate exercises in all public schools throughout and by the planting of many trees in school grounds, public parks and even along the streets in the residential districts of the city.

POLICEMEN'S ATHLETIC GAMES

(Scripps News Association)

Philadelphia, Pa., April 28.—Judging from the large number of entries for the different events of the Policemen's Athletic Carnival, which will be held on the grounds of the Philadelphia Ball Park this afternoon, the police department of this city has more runners, jumpers, boxers, wrestlers, etc., than any citizen would have suspected. For weeks the men entered for the various events have been training and exercising faithfully and those who had an opportunity to watch their performance, are confident that some remarkable work will be done this afternoon. Great enthusiasm has been shown in this carnival and if it proves a success, which can scarcely be doubted, it will be made an annual event.

FIFTY BODIES RECOVERED

(Scripps News Association)

Santa Rosa April 28.—The bodies of two traveling men named Ward and Smith were taken from the ruins today, making a total of 54 bodies recovered so far.

The work of cleaning up the debris continues. The banks are preparing temporary headquarters. The Bar Association has agreed not to file any suits affecting and titles for six months.

MARRIED

MOSS—HAWKINS—In this city on Saturday April 21, 1906, John Moss and Emma Hawkins. They are both well known in this city and vicinity.

RUSSIAN--JAPANESE WAR DIFFERENCES SETTLED

Some New Light Thrown Upon Affairs of War Here-to-Fore Unknown to the General Public

(Scripps News Association)

Paris, April 28.—A case which has just been concluded at the Palais de Justice and in which the decision has been reserved, casts a curious side light on the Russo-Japanese war. Toward the close of 1904 Russia having at length decided to send her fleets to the Far East, dispatched the first squadron by way of the Mediterranean and Suez Canal, while other ships were to police the cape. In order to protect the Russian ships against surprise several fast going pleasure yachts were chartered with instructions to act as scouts and signal the presence of suspicious looking craft in the Mediterranean, and especially near the approaches to the canal.

Captain Maurice Loir, retired, was in command of the little flotilla, which comprised the Florentina, the Emerald, and another yacht destined to acquire still greater fame in bearing the ill-gotten fortunes of Galley and his mistress the Catarina. These yachts were hired from private owners at the rate

of \$8,000 to \$7,000 a month each, and for a period of two months, which might be prolonged, if the necessity should arise.

M. Tordo, president of the "yachting Agency" played a leading part in the affair, and in order that the yachts might be able to prove, if over hauled, that they were pleasure yachts, he helped to fill them with adventure loving friends, and finally accepted a passage on board the Florentina for his wife and himself braving the dangers of the sea, and, possibly, of cannons and torpedoes.

Once in the Mediterranean the happy family began to quarrel and when the order was given to go through the canal and enter the Red Sea, the "trippers" hastily asked to be put ashore. From November to February M. and Mme. Tordo stuck to the Florentina through thick and thin. Then they were put ashore at Naples, and against their wish, it seems, M. Tordo claimed repayment from M. Loir of sums advanced to him also fees due for month's extra cruising.

BRITISH AMBASSADOR SAILS.

(Scripps News Association)

New York, April 23.—Sir Henry Morimore Durand, the British Ambassador and Lady Durand sailed today for a brief visit to England. They intend to return to this country early in June. Lady Durand will go at once to Lenox, Mass., for the summer and Sir Henry will join her after having spent a few days in Washington.

MOTHER SEARS HER CHILDREN

(Scripps News Association)

Chicago, April 28.—Michael Janiseek and his wife are held on a ten thousand dollar bail, each. Unprecedented cruelty to children is the charge. Two little girls, Annie, aged four, and Mary, aged six, were whipped by the parents with wire brushes, broom handles and any instrument that happened to be handy. The inhuman mother even resorted to applying red hot irons to the children's flesh as a mode of punishment. When the children were taken to the hospital their bodies were lacerated and heads covered with wounds. Annie's nose is broken and Mary is suffering from a broken arm. The police have contributed to a fund to send the suffering children to an asylum.

TROOPS GUARD COAL FIELDS

(Scripps News Association)

Reading, Pa., April 18.—A troop of state mounted constabulary left here for the coal fields today where they will prevent riot. Each trooper is armed with a Winchester rifle and a revolver.

OUTLAW KILLS MORE OFFICERS

(Scripps News Association)

Portland April 2.—Frank Smith the outlaw who made a sensational escape from the Multnomah jail a few days ago, last night shot Sheriff Shaveck in the abdomen, and Captain O. D. Hender in the groin inflicting such wounds that both will probably die. The desperado escaped a big posse that is pursuing him. After the flight from Portland, Smith killed Policeman Hanlon of Oregon City and robbed the postoffice at Canby.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY

(Scripps News Association)

Palo Alto, April 28.—One hundred men today are at work clearing up the ruins about the Stanford university buildings. It will require weeks to complete the work to ascertain the true extent of the damage.

ELLEN TERRY'S JUBILEE

(Scripps News Association)

London, April 28.—It is fifty years today since Miss Ellen Terry made her first appearance on the Princess' Theatre under Charles Kean's management. The anniversary will be appropriately celebrated tonight. A special performance of "The Merry Wives of Windsor" will be given at His Majesty's Theatre tonight, with Miss Terry in the role of Mistress Page. At the conclusion of the performance there will be an informal demonstration, followed by a reception and banquet, which the theatrical managers and prominent members of the profession have arranged. A considerable sum of money has been raised by contribution from actors and actresses in England and America, which will be presented to Miss Terry as a testimonial in recognition of her great services to the stage.

MINERS' WAR STILL UNCERTAIN

(Scripps News Association)

Wallkesbury, Pa. April 28.—President John Mitchell, received a formal reply from the Operators declining the proposition to settle the Anthracite differences and has issued a statement saying that he could not forecast the outcome until after the big convention to be held soon. He said he was personally disappointed because the proposition was not given more consideration.

THE CASTELLANE DIVORCE CASE

(Scripps News Association)

Paris, April 28.—The hearing of the divorce case of Countess Castellane, formerly Miss Anna Gould, against Count Boni de Castellane, was opened today. It has been postponed several times but it is expected that the hearing will now continue without further delay. The proceedings today were devoted principally to preliminary arrangements. Both the Count and countess are in town. There is still hope that a compromise may be effected between them, but some of the most intimate friends of the Countess doubt this.

OFFICIAL LIST OF THE DEAD

(Scripps News Association)

San Francisco April 28.—The official figures of dead and injured in the earthquake has been made public by General Greely and shows that 296 bodies have been recovered, and that 696 were injured of whom 160 are seriously hurt. Plans for rebuilding the city have taken a good hold, and the supervisors are already receiving numerous applications for building permits. The architects have taken lessons from the recent disaster and are now laying out the city to be as nearly fire proof as possible. Temporary one-story wood structures can be erected without permission. Dr. L. J. Humkin, sanitary inspector of district number four says that he found a man named Golensky issuing supplies in a reckless manner and that about twenty persons were giving orders. Thousands of dollars worth of supplies will be wasted if this wholesale distribution is not stopped. The Red Cross has been robbed of wagon loads of provisions.

DEATH LIST

San Francisco April 28.—The coroner's death list now reaches 338. There were four deaths yesterday as a direct outcome of the fire.

IMMEDIATE BUILDING

Among the buildings to be immediately rebuilt are the Olympic club, on Post street; Western Union, on Montgomery and Pine; Walter building, on Market and Ecker; St. Joseph's church, on Tenth; Louis Straus building, on Crossley and Riata. Thomas Magee of New York asked for a permit to build a two story steel building on Market, just above the Mutual bank building.

John D. Spreckles and family left for San Diego on the steamer Breakwater. A steamer is now placed at the disposal of the Southern California cities wishing to send supplies to the sufferers.

Will Cotner, who is dangerously ill with the appendicitis is having an operation performed this afternoon. The disease has reached such an advanced stage that his recovery is doubtful.



A Listing of Extra Ordinary Values in New Suits For the Boys

Boys' suits in double breasted, single breasted, Norfolk and Buster Brown styles in larger assortment than ever. The items listed below will give you an idea of the range of prices. A visit to the department will be necessary in order to get any adequate idea of the wide range of patterns, the perfect workmanship and the thorough worth of our boys' clothes.

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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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