

CHILE IS ROCKED BY NEW TREMBLORS

Ruined Walls Shaken Down
and Residents in Panic.

COPIAPO GETS 3 SHOCKS

Bodies at Vallenar Said to Be
Still Under Debris of
Wrecked Buildings.

SANTIAGO, Chile, Nov. 16.—Earth shocks in the afflicted zone still continue. Copiapo reports three strong shocks during the night, which shook down a number of ruined walls and caused a panic among the residents.

The inhabitants of Santiago were much alarmed early this morning when a slight earth shock was felt here, the motion being vertical. The tremor was felt again at 1:42 o'clock. The director of a private meteorological institute had forecast an earth movement at 2 o'clock due to the conjunction of the moon and Saturn.

Dispatches from Copiapo reported the arrival there of a medical and relief party, bringing a large stock of food and medicines. The medical officers of the party found a number of the injured lying in the open air in the vineyards, as the hospital, which was built in 1848, had been completely ruined. Other victims to the number of 50, mostly aged persons, were huddled in a motion picture theater, lacking proper ventilating facilities. The patients were in need of most of the essentials.

Bodies Lie Under Ruins.

These conditions, however, were said to be surpassed by those in Vallenar, where bodies still remain beneath the ruins, decomposing, constituting a serious menace to the public health. The inhabitants, without food, are living in a continual state of terror, sleeping on the nearby hills. Breaking of the pipes has left the town without water. The news that President Harding is sending warships to Huasco with supplies was greeted here with expressions of gratitude on all sides. While doubtless the vessels can not arrive for another week, it is considered certain, judging from continued reports of the serious conditions and appeals for relief from the district, that the aid will be timely.

Despite the railroad connections to the north, the quickest means of communication with the district, even in normal times, is by ship and it is believed some weeks will elapse before it is possible to deliver all supplies necessary to allay distress.

Aid Offer Appreciated.

Much appreciation was expressed for the offer of assistance from the American Red Cross, but so far as known, no decision has been taken. Announcement yesterday that it had been accepted apparently was due to misconstruction of President Alexander's remarks to the press. It is understood that the authorities, before accepting, are endeavoring to ascertain more definitely the extent of the damage and the number of persons in need of assistance.

AMERICANS ARE UNHURT

Diplomatic and Consular Corps
Report on Quake.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 16.—All Americans in the vicinity of Valparaiso and Coquimbo were reported "safe and well" in advices received today by the state department bearing upon the recent earthquake from Consul-General Delichman at Valparaiso, Chile.

Consul-General Delichman also said Edwin Salz at Coquimbo and James C. Frederick at Cruz Grande, consular agents, about whom inquiry had been made, were safe and uninjured. Newspaper dispatches received at Santiago from the distressed regions were referred to by Consul Delichman, who said these showed Americans arriving at Coquimbo from Vallenar had reported that employees of an American steel company at Toro and Cruz Grande also were in good health.

Other advices from Stewart McMillan, consul at Antofagasta, said there had been no damage to American property and no Americans had been harmed in Antofagasta or Chuquibambilla. Similar reports were received from American consuls at Arica and Iquique. These said the shock was mild in Iquique and presumably not perceptible in Arica.

Ambassador Collier at Santiago said that at 5 P. M. yesterday total deaths in the devastated region numbered between 750 and 1000 with about 1500 injured. Property damage was estimated at about \$5,000,000 pesos, nearly all being in Vallenar, Coquimbo, Copiapo, Charral and vicinity.

FASCISTI GIVES WARNING

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themselves: Either the extent of war will become truly a homogeneous group of forces with the same rights and the same duties, or it will sound its last hour for Italy, which will take another course to defend her interests with a different policy.

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She is one of the numerous Russian aristocrats who have lost their all in the bolshevik upheaval. In her halcyon days the countess was acknowledged as the belle of the American capital.

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KILLER'S PARDON FOUGHT

CALDWELL KIWANIS WANTS ORCHARD KEPT IN JAIL.

State Board Censured for Considering Request of Slayer of Governor Steunenberg.

BOISE, Idaho, Nov. 16.—(Special.)—Caldwell, the home city of Idaho's martyred governor, Frank Steunenberg, is up in arms over even consideration on the part of the state board of pardons of application of Harry Orchard, famous murderer, incarcerated in the Idaho state penitentiary. Business men of that city, a majority of whom are members of the Kiwanis club, voted today to close their places of business on November 27, come to Boise en masse, and protest to the state board against liberating Orchard.

Presley Horne aroused the club with an address attacking the state board of pardons. He declared that to liberate Orchard would be a crime against the state, and asserted there was one other man who should now be serving a joint life sentence with him, "Bill" Haywood of Russia.

Horne told of how Canyon county and the city of Caldwell had spent approximately \$200,000 in trying the Steunenberg case. In the course of his speech, Horne referred to Orchard's giving \$5 to the Red Cross, having been solicited by a committee on Main street in Boise.

"This murderer," said Horne, "should have been behind the prison walls at the time and given his money there."

Every Kiwanis club in the state of Idaho will be asked to protest to the pardon board against the pardoning of Harry Orchard.

RATE CASES ARE BILLED

Interstate Commerce Commissioner Will Sit at Inquiries.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 16.—J. B. Campbell, commissioner of the interstate commerce commission, will leave here for the west in a few days to represent the commission at a conference of fruitgrowers and shippers of California, Oregon and Washington to be held at Sacramento, December 12 and 13.

After this conference, Commissioner Campbell will conduct hearings in several rate cases at Portland, Seattle and Spokane. The Portland cases include Alberca Milling company against the Oregon-Washington Railroad and Navigation company, and the Stephens-Smith Grain company against the director-general of railroads.

At Spokane, the cases of the Hawkeye Fuel company against the Spokane & Eastern Railway & Power company, and the Spokane & Eastern Railway & Power company against the Spokane, Portland & Seattle railroad will be heard.

KIDNAPING PROBE BEGUN

Branding of Man on Cheeks Laid to Ku Klux Klan.

HAGERSTOWN, Md., Nov. 16.—Officers here are making a rigid investigation of the attack made upon Edward Fisher, a railroad man, who was kidnapped in Hagerstown Tuesday night by eight men, purported to have been members of the Ku Klux Klan from Waynesboro, Pa., taken in an automobile to a field outside of the city and branded on both cheeks and his forehead with the letter "K." It is understood that his assailants told Fisher that he was marked and beaten because he mistreated his wife. Mrs. Fisher denied such reports.

HAMMER SLAYER GUILTY

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Flipped upon Mrs. Meadows and that afterward her mind went "blank." She said Mrs. Meadows had admitted intimacy with Phillips.

A defense of insanity was also introduced, relatives declaring that Mrs. Phillips and other members of her family were subject to epileptic attacks.

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SHIP SUBSIDY BILL THREATENS DISCORD

Right of Way for Measure
Rouses Opposition.

MIDDLE WEST MILITANT

Modification of Federal Reserve
Act to Aid Rural Credits Will
Will Come Before Congress.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 16.—There was a suggestion from some republican quarters today that the administration ship subsidy bill—certainly as regards the manner of its consideration in the house—might be passed along for determination by a party conference. Reports that the merchant marine committee, which framed it, would ask for a rule giving it the right of way, without opportunity for consideration of any amendments except those presented by the committee itself, provoked some outspoken opposition within the party. This bridge, however, has not been reached.

The rules committee early next week will be asked to give the bill privileged status, but it was said there had been no agreement as to form.

The tariff bill was passed by the house under an air-tight rule preventing any except committee amendments and the customary motion to recommit. Some republicans from middle west states are reported to have declared opposition to that sort of a rule for the shipping bill and it was because of these expressions that the suggestion for a conference was broached.

Representative Mondell, the republican leader, discussed the legislative programs today with the president, but without opportunity for a long talk over plans with his colleagues. Mr. Mondell said the principal measures to be taken up by the special and regular session were ship subsidy, appropriations, rural credits and possibly some changes in the transportation act.

Appropriations Are Delayed.

The appropriations bill will not be ready until the December session. First of these will be the treasury bill, with its appropriation for prohibition enforcement, over which there may be a lively fight.

Proposals for legislation modifying the federal reserve act to provide greater facilities for agricultural credits were expected by treasury officials to make their appearance soon in congress.

The subject has been discussed by the administration and it was said today that Secretary Mellon saw no objection to some modification of the law particularly with respect to providing a longer maturity than six months, the present limit for livestock paper, because of the longer turnover in that industry.

Whether recommendations will be made to congress by Mr. Mellon in his forthcoming annual report was not disclosed.

DRY LAW LOSSES INVOLVED

Compensation to Ships Planned to Offset Prohibition.

(By Chicago Tribune Leased Wire)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 16.—Extra compensation for vessels which have suffered losses as a result of the extension of prohibition to the seas is under consideration by the sponsors of the administration ship subsidy bill.

The question of making some special provision along this line will be taken up by a sub-committee of the house committee on merchant marine and fisheries early next week. Feasibility of an amendment of this character was discussed by Representative Edmonds, Pennsylvania, a leading republican member of the merchant marine committee, today during the drafting of the bill.

One suggestion for an amendment which is under consideration is that the shipping board shall be authorized in making such adjustment of compensation to take into consideration losses incurred as the result of Attorney-General Daugherty's ruling prohibiting the sale of liquor on American vessels.

Another suggestion for increased compensation to make up for liquor losses is that a special compensation for carrying the mails be authorized. The ship subsidy measure provides that the mails, except parcel-post, shall be carried free by ships receiving compensation.

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for consideration in the house on Wednesday and general debate on the bill may start on Thursday. No session is likely on Saturday because of the army and navy football game. The expectation is that general debate will run until about Tuesday of the second week. The bill may come to a final vote in the house Wednesday, but is more likely to go over until Friday or Saturday following Thanksgiving day.

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