

STILL IN CONFUSION

Earthquake Sufferers Not Yet Free From Danger

BUSINESS RESUMING SLOWLY

Some Business Houses Opened at Valparaiso, City Under Martial Law, Traffic by Water and Rail Resumed

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Five minutes afterward fires started in every direction, and the whole town, which had been momentarily in darkness, was illuminated by gigantic flames.

Contracts Awarded. Norfolk, Va., Special.—The board of governors of the Jamestown Exposition has awarded to J. W. Davis, of Newport News, the contract for the erection of the Educational and Historical Arts Buildings at a cost of \$86,000.

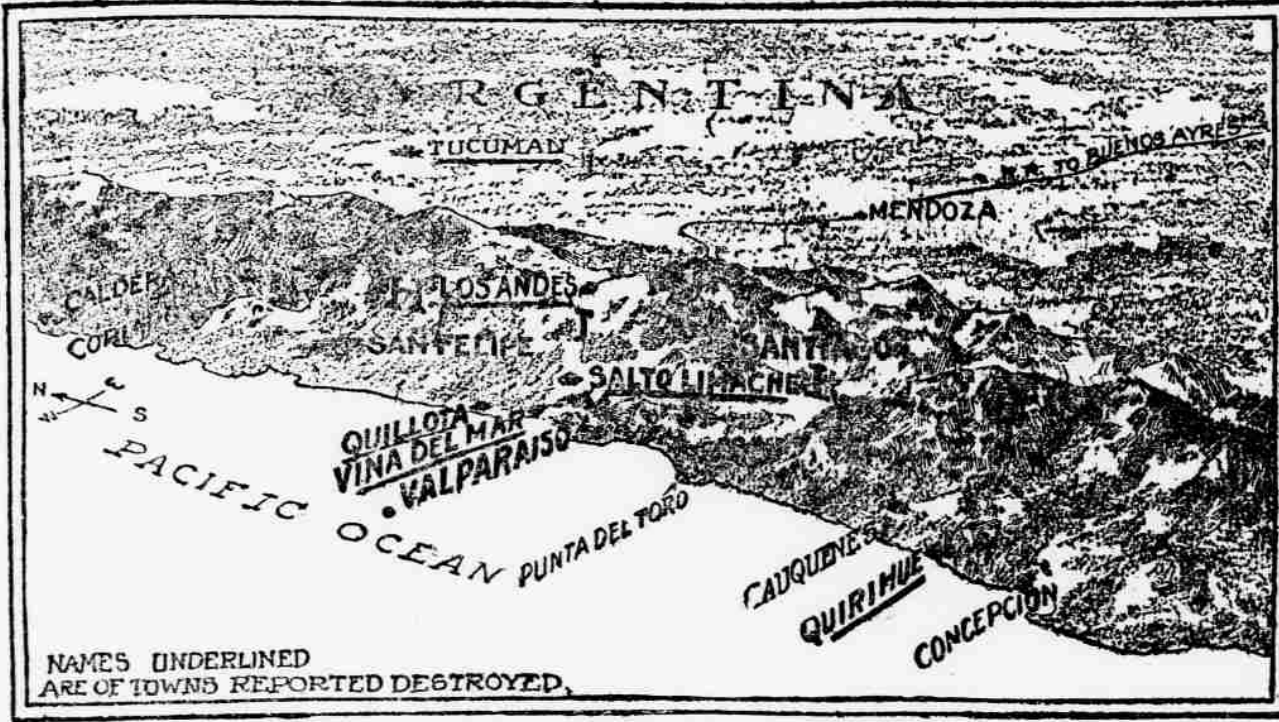
San Francisco Sends Aid. Washington, Special.—San Francisco made the first American contribution for the relief of the Valparaiso earthquake sufferers.

Anxiety is Now Subsiding. Washington, Special.—United States Minister John Hicks, at Santiago de Chile, has sent a cablegram to the State Department saying that anxiety over the earthquake is subsiding in both Valparaiso and Santiago.

Kuropatkin Recalled. Berlin, By Cable.—Gen. Kuropatkin who was commander-in-chief of the Russian armies in Manchuria until after his defeat at Mukden, has been summoned to St. Petersburg by the czar to resume the position he once held, that of minister of war.

Further Details of Disaster. Lima, By Cable.—Further details received from Valparaiso show that out of 40 employees of the telephone company here, 38 were killed.

CHARACTERISTIC VIEWS IN VALPARAISO, CHILEAN SEAPORT DEVASTATED BY EARTHQUAKE AND FIRE



Valparaiso, capital of the province of Valparaiso, is the principal city on the South American west coast.

Paralleling the Chilean coast of twenty-three hundred miles is the same mountain chain which lies at the back of the State of California.

There are two sections of Valparaiso, one devoted to commercial activity and the other to domestic life.

Of course, the streets in the old quarter are crooked and narrow, but the enterprise which struck the city three decades ago is seen in the regular, wide and perfectly equipped thoroughfares in the Alameda.

The harbor is open to exposure from the north, and is a dangerous anchorage for vessels at all seasons of the year.

There are several wharves on the water front where ships of small tonnage can go along, but the larger steamers have to anchor in the bay and discharge and load their freight by lighters.

The town section of the City of Valparaiso is called the Alameda. In it the principal business houses, the Park, and the Plaza Victoria are situated.

ular, and well built. One of the finest new stone houses in this section is the five-story building erected and owned by the Mercurio newspaper.

To the northwest of the Alameda is the quarter known as the Puerto, in which the public buildings, warehouses, and docks are situated.

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COTTON STILL KING AND YET ANOTHER

South Carolina Mob Adds One More Lynching to Its Score

SHERIFF HANDED OVER KEYS

Third Such Crime Within Ten Days in Palmetto State Takes Place in Dorchester County, Victim Being Young Negro Who Had Attempted to Break Into Dwelling House Where 11-Year-Old Girl Was Alone

Columbia, S. C., Special.—Willie Spain, a North Carolina negro, 21 years old, was shot to death by a mob near St. George, Dorchester county, Thursday afternoon.

This is the third lynching in South Carolina within ten days.

S. L. Connor, manager of the Dorchester Lumber Company's stores at Badham, was notified by a negro that he saw another negro attempting to enter a window of his home and then run away into a near-by cane field.

After finishing his work the mob dispersed and all is quiet at the scene of the lynching.

Italians Use Daggers. Buffalo, Special.—Two men are dead and two more will probably die as a result of a desperate fight with stilettes between five Italians here.

State Department Will Not Interfere. Washington, D. C. Special.—There is on disposition on the part of the State Department to interfere in the Cuban revolutionary affairs.

Murder Committed. Richmond, Va., Special.—At Jarretts, Sussex county, in a personal affray between J. P. Matthews and Frank Johnson, the latter shot and killed the former and was desparately wounded himself.

Assassins Arrested. Cape Haytien, By Cable.—The assassins of Milborne and Thurston, two Americans employed as collectors in the Dominican Custom House Service, have been arrested in Hayti, their extradition is demanded by the Dominican government.

May Join Cuban Revolt. Mexico City, Special.—Central American revolutionists are said to have been preparing to go to Cuba to join the revolutionists there, if the revolution in Guatemala succeeded.

Steamer on Reef is Doomed. Honolulu, Special.—The stranded steamer Manchuria, off Rabbit Island, is suffering great damage and those at the scene of the wreck think the vessel is doomed.

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Late News In Brief

MINOR MATTERS OF INTEREST

News has been sent out from Same Botello, Mex., that seven workmen were killed at that place in a big rock quarry being operated by the National Railroad of Mexico.

While the Polk county, Florida, authorities were taking Will Lawrence, a negro, to Tampa to prevent him being lynched, an infuriated mob at Mulberry, also in Polk county, stung John Bapes, a negro, and riddled his body with bullets.

General Manager Ewing of the Dark District Tobacco Growers' association of Tennessee, has ordered in advance of about 50 cents per 100 pounds is the price of all medium and good grades of dark leaf tobacco.

In a difficulty at the Planters' Denial company plant at Tallahassee, Fla., J. G. Powell, assistant superintendent, was shot and killed by Jim Sims, a negro, and P. T. Crown, superintendent, was shot through the hip.

A report has been circulated of a pitched battle in a Colorado Southern construction camp, 15 miles west of Lakeland in which five whites and five negroes were wounded, several fatally.

President Roosevelt wrote a letter to Congressman James E. Watson, of Nashville, Ill., urging the election of a Republican House of Representatives in order to avoid economic disaster to the country.

The Gould Western Pacific system is extending its lines into Oregon.

There are prospects that Alexander Bowie and Voliva will patch up peace in Zion.

The Democrats of Illinois are displeased to ignore Bryan's expressed wish and endorse him for President.

Mr. Gustavus C. Jacobs, owner of the Riverside plantation in Chesterfield county, Virginia, was killed by a sick from a horse.

Dr. Lee B. Boyers, a physician, and Dr. A. R. Badgley, a dentist, were arrested in Fairmont, W. Va., charged by Dr. G. W. Keener, an optician, with performing a criminal operation.

A report of the chief clerks of the two houses of Congress shows the appropriations of the last session to have totaled \$87,589,185.16, an increase of \$9,404,965.20 over the previous year's budget.

Mr. Lewis P. Nelson, 87 years old, of Calpepper, Va., is dead.

The negro troops at Brownville, Texas, have been ordered to a front-line post as a result of the recent shooting affray in which they killed one white man and wounded another.

The Isthmian Canal Commission has invited bids to furnish 2,500 Chinese coolies to dig the Panama canal, preferring almost prohibitive conditions.

Dispatches from Chile show that the panic resulting from the earthquake has subsided, and Government is active in taking relief measures.

In an interview, Alexander Gueloff said the czar's intentions are good but he is in ignorance of the real conditions.

Census reports show that 242,528 natives of Maryland are now living in other States.

The Pacific Mail Steamship Company's steamer Manchuria went aground on a reef at Rabbit Island, one of the Hawaiian group, and all the passengers were taken ashore.

Stewart Battle, telegraph operator at Collier's Station, on the Atlantic Coast Line railroad, was killed by lightning while at work at his key.

The Cuban Government is much disturbed over the revolutionary movement directed against President Palma.

William Jennings Bryan sailed for home from Gibraltar.

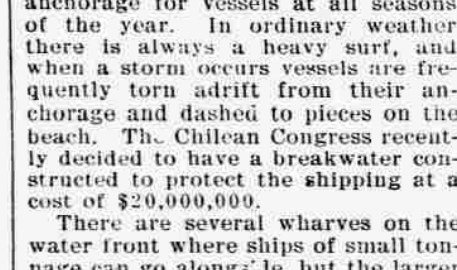
Tunis, By Cable.—A violent storm and lightning killed eight farmers and hundreds of head of cattle.



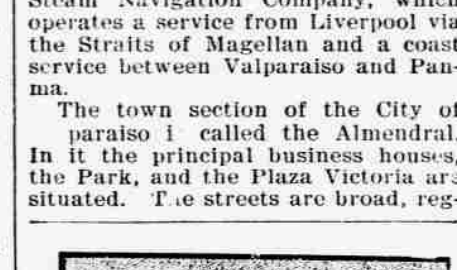
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A BIRD'S-EYE VIEW OF VALPARAISO.



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