

California City Is Shaken By Series of Earthquakes

DEATH AND RUIN FOLLOW IN SECOND SHOCK IN WESTERN AMERICA

Property Loss Estimated In to the Millions—Series of Shocks Rock and Sway Main Business Section of Santa Barbara

Santa Barbara, Calif., June 29.—A series of earthquakes, described by survivors as rocking and swaying the business center of Santa Barbara as if it were on a turbulent ocean, early today left the principal structures of the channel city a mass of debris and ruins. The loss of life was not large due to the tremor occurring at 6:44 o'clock in the morning and also that the mass of ruins fell in the second earthquake, some 15 minutes after the first tremor.

Estimates of the loss vary from \$5,000,000, a "conservative figure" by the city manager, to \$30,000,000, a figure quoted by the city engineer. Indications are that 12 lives were lost although this rests upon the recovery of several bodies asserted to be in the ruins.

State street, the main thoroughfare, is a ghastly avenue of ruin, portions of its most stately buildings being tumbled down, and cornices, walls and fronts of practically all principal structures shattered down.

The earthquakes continued throughout the day. They menaced the water supply by crashing out the dam of Sheffield reservoir, but a by-pass has been established to a main reservoir back in the hills and water provided for the city.

Hotel Demolished
The terror-stricken 30,000 inhabitants in most cases settled down to an emergency existence by noon, many of them living on the lawns.

"I have been through 50 earthquakes but never one like this before," said Manager Richmond of the Arlington hotel. "It just took the hotel that we considered strong as a fortress and shook it back and forth as if it were a rag."

"It was precisely as if one were at sea in a storm. One would not believe it were possible for a building to move with such force in so many directions and apparently so limply as did the Arlington. The hotel is a total loss."

Other stories of the motion of the earthquake were similar. "The twisting of the earth was like a violent storm at sea," said Harry Afford, janitor of the Daily News. He was one of the comparatively few men in the downtown district when the earth began its shivering.

Like Ship in a Storm
"The first shock shook the Daily News building like a little ship in a big storm. It knocked several of us down. There was nothing to do, it was just a question of getting up and holding on. Then came the second shock. This was the one that did the damage. It just rocked back and forth, until the crumpling and crashing sounds showed that the buildings were being torn down."

Ole Hanson, former mayor of Seattle, gave the following eye-witness account of the earthquake:
"It was about 6:44 a. m., the air was sultry. Everything was quiet I noticed as I lay on my bed that quite a large wave dashed against the beach. The ground seemed to raise up with a crunch something like a million dogs crunching a bone. I leaped out of bed and the floor seemed to rise up and hit me. I stepped again and it seemed as though I could not reach the floor."

"Like all animals except the horse, in time of trouble I dashed for the open air and began to hang on the neighboring bungalows to rouse the occupants and get them out in the open park."

Power Plant Wrecked
"Then I heard an explosion like a great fuse and I saw the walls of the power plant a block away fall, then a bright blue flame such as they see in movies at night lit up the heavens and then flashed out. Right behind me I heard a rending. Two blocks away I saw the walls of the new California hotel lean over, gradually and collapse leaving the occupants lying safely in bed some covered and some uncovered. They all escaped."

The ground rolled like a slight

wave hitting a canoe. There was no excitement. Crash after crash from the business district. The man sweeping the streets on the water front never quit sweeping. He shoveled and swept.

Plans for the rebuilding of the devastated residential and business sections of this city are already under way.

William G. McAdoo, of Los Angeles, who owns one of the finest residences in the city, led a number of financiers in arranging with the local chamber of commerce for reconstruction funds at a meeting here this afternoon.

Mr. McAdoo suggests that the clearing houses of the state furnish a revolving loan fund of two and one-half million dollars for the purpose of assisting in the re-building of the business district of Santa Barbara. The plan is not worked out in detail but the local authorities are now taking it up.

FATHER OF PRESIDENT UNDERGOES OPERATION

Col. John Coolidge Suffered Relapse and it Was Found Necessary to Operate—He is 80 Years Old.

Plymouth, Vt., June 28.—Col. John C. Coolidge, father of the President of the United States, underwent an operation in the dining room of his home today.

Dr. A. W. Cram, of Bridgewater, Vt., Colonel Coolidge's physician said however, that the operation was to relieve pressure symptoms by draining the bladder. Dr. Cupal and Dr. F. L. Chute performed the operation which was given under a local anesthetic and which required 35 minutes. No complications developed, Dr. Cram said, and the patient's heart action stayed good at 72 to 80.

Colonel Coolidge, who is 80 years old, joked with doctors while they worked, Dr. Cram said. He refused to be carried from his bedroom on the second floor, to the room in which he gave his son the presidential oath of office three years ago and where the operation was performed today.

Ill for Some Time
Since May 1, when he went to Boston for an examination, the condition of Colonel Coolidge's health has caused the President some anxiety. At that time his condition was diagnosed as "heart block" by Dr. Chute and Dr. White who made the examination at Massachusetts general hospital. Heart block they said was characterized by a slow pulse.

Colonel Coolidge at that time said he did not know he was ill until he read about it in the newspapers and a few weeks later when he was reported to have had a fainting spell at his home here he told inquirers that he did not remember any thing of the sort happening. Dr. Cram then said his patient's pulse and blood pressure were better than they had been for weeks.

Judge Shaw Delivers Sermon From the Bench

Winston-Salem, June 25.—Judge Shaw, presiding over Forsyth superior court, preached one of the strongest sermons in as few words as has ever been heard here, or probably elsewhere, in sentencing Charles Pulaski, a young white man, charged with the larceny and destruction of a Bible. What the world needs today is not a change of interpretation of the Bible, as the world thinks today, but to change the thinking of the people to conform with the Bible, the Word of God, Judge Shaw said.

When he finished his lecture, which although directed at the young man, was meant for the world in general, Judge Shaw placed a fine of \$20 and the costs on the young defendant. Then he told the clerk to make the entry to pay into the court the costs of the case and to turn the \$20 over to the Salvation Army, from which the Bible was stolen.

"This \$20," said Judge Shaw, "I want them to use in purchasing as many testaments, vest pocket size, as they can with that amount, and to distribute them among the men of the city."

Charles Pulaski was charged with the larceny of a Bible from the Salvation Army citadel some time ago and then destroying the Book at the Billy Sunday tabernacle, in front of a number of men who were attending a meeting of the Billy Sunday club. In the municipal court he was given a sentence of 12 months.

MONTANA IS ROCKED BY EARTH TREMORS

Thousands Rush From Buildings, Fearing For Lives. Tourists Alarmed

Billings, Mont., June 27.—Nearly two-thirds of the state of Montana was shaken by two series of earthquake shocks early tonight, the first at 6:23 o'clock and the second at 7:05. Panic seized thousands of people, in Billings, Butte, Anaconda, Great Falls, Missoula, Livingston and Helena and they rushed clear of buildings, fearing for their lives.

Although no loss of life was reported, word that the tremors had taken their toll in property damage soon began to trickle in.

The Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul's electrified railway line between Harlowtown and Three Forks was reported out of commission and an avalanche of unknown proportions was reported at Lambert, Mont.

The walls of a hotel in Great Falls cracked under the upheaval but the building withstood the shock.

Fear Mines Are Damaged

A severe quake was felt at Jardine it was reported. It was feared the mines there had been damaged. Livingston, near Yellowstone park, reported a series of three tremors—the first at 6:03, the second at 7:06 and the third at 7:15. The shock created a panic among tourists in the big playgrounds and Park Superintendent Horace M. Albright ordered out the ranger forces to inspect all active formations.

Police in Livingston said the tower of a high building there swayed with an archlike movement. Many women fainted there.

Out of all the reports panic and minor property damage there was none telling of loss of life.

The earth was reported to be trembling slightly at Livingston at 8:40 o'clock. Helena and Bozeman felt third shocks at 8:37 and 8:49 p. m., respectively.

A telephone operator at Bozeman reported that a school building and a bank building at Three Forks collapsed from the earthquake.

The quakes were felt as far south as Thermopolis, Wyoming, which reported perceptible tremblings of the earth at 6:35 o'clock.

In Idaho and Oregon

Reports were also received that the earth shocks were felt at Bonners Ferry, Sand Point, and St. Mary's Idaho, and at Baker, Ore. No damage was reported.

There was no material damage to Yellowstone park, according to a report made by Superintendent Albright.

Late reports from Manhattan said that the bank building there was damaged and that its windows were shattered.

The quake was felt distinctly in Spokane, Wash. where the seismograph at Gonzaga university recorded one shock and then quit. Persons in the top floor of a 15-story office building declared they felt the structure sway. Seattle was the farthest point in the northwest to report the shocks, and Rosebud, Mont., near the South Dakota line, was the farthest eastern point to report a tremor.

Moonshiners Slay One Officer Wound 3 Others

Johnson City, Tenn., June 25.—Deputy Sheriff Hunter Rollins was instantly killed and three officers were wounded in a gun battle with moonshiners this morning on Point Creek, a mountainous section in the eastern part of Greene county near the North Carolina line.

The wounded men are: S. W. Shelton, United States prohibition officer buckshot wounds in the head and arm; Manley Rollins, shot in the arm, and Perm Carter, shot in the leg. Sheriff D. P. Shepherd, of Greene county, and Deputy Sheriff Hartsell were uninjured.

The officers were returning from a raid in the mountains where they had captured and destroyed two large stills when they were fired upon from ambush. The officers returned the fire and the battle with the unseen mountaineers lasted for 20 minutes.

A posse of more than a dozen officers was hastily organized and began a search of the mountain section during the afternoon.

K. K. K. PARADE AT NATIONAL CAPITAL

From 150,000 to 200,000 Knights Expected to Gather There August 8.

Washington, June 17.—After much rumor, with reports made and denied the Ku Klux Klan are going to stage a great demonstration and parade in Washington Aug. 8. It is stated that this will be the greatest demonstration ever attempted by the Knights of the Invisible Empire, and that in this demonstration the invisible Knights will become visible knights, with their hoods drawn back, their faces exposed to all who would see "Who's Who" in the line of march of the Klanmen. The principle feature of the demonstration is to be a parade on Pennsylvania Avenue, the report being that there will be from 150,000 to 200,000 members of the Klan in the parade.

Official information that there was to be such a parade came today when permission to stage it was granted by the Police Department, formal application having been made for the parade. The only proviso of the Police Department was that the section of the District code governing masking be complied with and that "the entire head of every person parading be wholly uncovered except such portion of the head as is covered by an ordinary hat." In the application made by L. A. Mueller, Imperial Representative here of the "Invisible Empire," it was stated that the law with regard to wearing masks was known and would be strictly adhered to in the parade, the visors of the marchers to be up and every face visible.

Big "Konvention"

The demonstration and parade are to be part of the Ku-Klux Klan Konvention to be held here, delegates and members to be present from all parts of the country. It is said that the secret organization expects that the number of paraders will be in excess of the parade of the Catholic organization, known as the Holy Name, in the parade last summer there having been 106,000 persons.

It is perfectly evident that President Coolidge is standing with his back to a wall in a decision that he must make at an early date and the action he will take. This is in the matter of the invitation of the Ku Klux Klan that he review the parade which the Invisible Empire is to stage in Washington on August 8 and that he make an address to the assembled Klanmen who will gather here for their national Klan vacation at that time. The invitation has gone to President Coolidge and he must take a stand some way or other on the invitation that is on his desk.

That the Ku Klux Klan purposes to put President Coolidge on record is shown by the fact that co-incident with the announcement that he had been invited to review and address the Klanmen here there came an announcement from the Klan that the President had reviewed the parade and addressed the gathering of the Holy Name Society here last year and that he should be willing to do the same for the Klan, that having accepted an invitation from a great Catholic organization, he should do the same when in invitation came from a great Protestant organization.

Second Death From Explosion in Rowan

Salisbury, June 28.—Henry Hodge, student of State College, died this afternoon at the Salisbury Hospital from injuries he received Saturday afternoon when a boiler crown sheet of a threshing machine outfit blew out on the Lisk farm 16 miles east of Salisbury.

Young Hodge is a son of L. C. Hodge, living near Richfield. He was engaged in cutting wood near the boiler when the accident occurred and was blown 75 steps. He suffered a broken arm and badly lacerated head, and his body was blistered all over by steam from the boiler.

Charlie Morgan, who was killed instantly by the same explosion, was buried this afternoon at Corinth church, Morgan Township. Other men who were injured at the same time are reported as getting on well and no further deaths are expected.

T. W. Summersett, county coroner, investigated the accident and found an inquest unnecessary. He learned that the boiler had been in operation about twenty years and the accident was probably due to the action of rust on the crown sheet.

Defense To Call Many Experts in Evolution Trial

Names of Principal Defense Witnesses Announced—Malone States His Views On Issues of The Trial

Dayton, Tenn., June 15.—A list of scientific experts who will be called to testify in the defense of John T. Scopes for alleged violation of the Tennessee law prohibiting teaching of evolution in the schools of the State, was announced tonight by Dudley Field Malone, of New York, associated with counsel for the defendant.

The list, made public shortly after Mr. Malone's arrival in Dayton includes both scientific advisors and witnesses. It was published after a conference with Judge John L. Godsey and Dr. John R. Neal, defense counsel.

All witnesses have signified their willingness to appear, Mr. Malone said. The New York attorney was chosen at a recent meeting of defense attorneys to prepare a list of scientific witnesses for the defense.

List of Witnesses

The list follows:
Dr. Henry Fairfield Osborne, research professor of zoology, Columbia University; author of "Evolution and Religion" and "The Earth Speaks to Bryan" and of numerous papers on the relation of science and religion. The most active opponent of Mr. Bryan in the present discussion.

Dr. Edward Grant Conklin, professor of biology, Princeton University; author of "Direction of Human Evolution," prominent member of the congregational church.

Michael I. Pupin, professor of electro-mechanics, Columbia University, distinguished author, scientist and inventor of the loading coils that made possible the long distance telephone.

Professor Kirkley F. Mather, chief of the department of geology, Harvard University; author of many books on scientific subjects and one of the leading geological authorities in the United States. He is a member of the Baptist church and superintendent of the Baptist Sunday school in Newton, Mass.

Professor L. F. Rettger, biologist of Yale University; author of text books on scientific subjects and science and religion.

Professor Maynard M. Metcalfe, of the zoology department, Oberlin College, Ohio; author of works on evolution and zoology, long associated with Congregational churches and colleges.

Arthur M. Miller, professor of geology, University of Kentucky; lecturer and author of books on evolution and religion. Professor Miller was Mr. Scopes' teacher of geology at the Kentucky institution.

Henry Higgins Lane, professor of zoology, University of Kansas; author of "Evolution and Christian Faiths."

Dr. Edward L. Rice, professor of biology, Ohio Wesleyan University; author of address entitled, "Darwin and Bryan," and of numerous articles on science and religion which are generally regarded as authoritative.

Dr. J. G. Lipman, biologist, Rutgers College, New Brunswick, N. J., author works on biology and acknowledged as a leader in his branch of science.

Dr. Ward J. MacNeal, chief biologist of the post graduate medical school, New York City.

Mr. Malone said all these advisers and witnesses are active members of various denominations of the Christian religion.

Declaring that the evolution trial at Dayton is a test of free speech, Mr. Malone said that he sees no reason why a person cannot be both an evolutionist and a Christian. He declared that he has come to Tennessee "in behalf of young men and young women who are entitled in all public and private institutions, to be taught the truth and the whole truth."

Means an Expose

"The chief aim of holding such a trial as that of Scopes at Dayton, is to expose the motives and purposes which lie behind legislation of this kind," said Attorney Malone. "An expose of Mr. Bryan and the psychology of people of his type in this country should do a great deal toward clearing the air for straight thinking."

"The attorneys for the defense have a many different philosophies of life as any other group of men,

but we all agreed that the battle line has been pitched at Dayton to make a stand for the right of teachers to teach and the right of young people to learn the truth and the whole truth about art, religion, literature and science.

"Darrow is, in his philosophy, a pessimist; I am an optimist. Darrow is an agnostic, but I believe in God and in the duty of a Christian. I find no difficulty in holding with devotion to Christianity and also to evolution."

"My love for my mother has never interfered with my love for my wife. There is no conflict in such a dual allegiance. Theology is concerned with the aspirations of the men and with their faith in future. Science is concerned with the processes of nature. Theology may be static, but science must be based on progress, development and constant experimentation. The more we know about nature and the more we learn about nature through science, the greater should be our appreciation of the beauty and power of God."

"This country is not suffering from bad people, but from good people, who in their ignorance, feel ordained to save the rest of us who stand in no need of their ideal of salvation."

"The healthiest bit of advice for the average American today would be: Mind your own business, take care of your own soul, and life, and you will find that you will have no leisure hours to be minding the business of your neighbors."

GEORGIA TO BATTLE OVER EVOLUTION

Legislator to Launch Bill for Law Like That of Tennessee

Atlanta, Ga., June 26.—Another warm battle over the teaching of evolution in the public schools and colleges of Georgia is in prospect as the result of the announcement of Representative Will H. Stanford of Lowndes County, that he will introduce a measure in the House of Representatives prohibiting the teaching of evolution in any institution supported in whole or in part by State appropriations.

The bill is to be almost identical with the Tennessee law. A similar measure was introduced in the last session and provoked a warm debate before the committee to which it was referred. It failed to pass.

Stanford is regarded as one of the ablest of the younger members of the House and exerts a wide influence.

"While I do not believe such a bill necessary," he said, "I am going to support the measure."

"I believe the laws of this State already prohibit such teaching. It is contrary to the law to appropriate State moneys for the teaching of any religious creed or code. Therefore, as in my opinion, evolution is the creed or code of a sect, its teachings are already prohibited under the Constitution."

"It is to clear the situation that I am supporting the measure. I have not the faintest idea whether it will pass the House."

SHEPHERD WILL NOT STAND ANOTHER TRIAL

State Not to Push Charge That He Murdered Young Mc- Clintock's Mother

Chicago, June 27.—William Darling Shepherd, freed of charges of murdering his millionaire foster son, William Nelson McClintock tonight prepared to fight for probate of the estate which is virtually his under the terms of the will.

Miss Pope, fiancée of young McClintock, was given an \$8,000 annuity. Shepherd drew the will.

Miss Pope with several cousins of young McClintock have indicated they will oppose Shepherd in probate court, when the case is called July 1. Shepherd was assured today that he would not be prosecuted on a charge of having slain Mrs. Emma Nelson McClintock, young McClintock's mother.

Shepherd, who had been in jail since March 1, was with his wife, Mrs. Julie Shepherd, at their Kenilworth home today. He had spent last night at a downtown apartment where with his wife and a party of friends he celebrated his acquittal with a banquet.