

COPELAND IS PREACHED AND TO PREACH IN A CRUEL ENVIRONMENT People of City That Felt a Blighting Hand Worship Strong in Faith. THROUGHS ATTEND THE SERVICES

The services at St. Mary's Cathedral were held yesterday in the basement, as usual. Masses were said every hour from 6 o'clock till 11. His Grace Archbishop Montgomery celebrated the first mass and immediately left on a visit to the various camps throughout the city. The last mass was said by the Rev. Father Philip O'Ryan and the sermon was preached by Rev. Father Charles Ramm.

Contrary to the usual custom, the final mass of the day was a low one. The children of the Sunday-school were arranged in the side aisles, and sang hymns under the direction of Dr. Harrison, organist of the cathedral. The simple hymns the children lent a pretty effect to the services and impressed the large crowd of worshippers. Rev. Father Ramm delivered a very appropriate sermon on the gospel of the day. He devoted his remarks chiefly to those of the church who remain in the world of God in their youth, but gradually are weaned away from the faith through the medium of the pleasures and business cares of the world, and therefore allow these influences to supplant their religion. "When we train a child," said Father Ramm, "we train it generally to the best of our ability, so that its early education and training may be for its benefit. The child naturally reaches out for this knowledge and grasps at whatever is cast in its way. Generally we manage to imprint on the minds of the youth the necessity of religion and its good example and results, but, sad to relate, in many instances the fruit of the daily teaching is lost when the age of manhood is reached. "Some of them retain their faith to a degree, while others lose it entirely. The business cares and the pleasures offered by life supplant the early teachings. True, some of these youths, grown to manhood, practice their religion to a certain extent, but in many cases it is but a mechanical effect, and does not come from the soul. "It is the impressions we receive that direct us on our way and map out our careers for us. The man who receives the impression and acts upon it, will be the savior of his church, and whom God respects. Then there is the man who receives the impression but falls by the wayside and neglects his church. "It is unlikely that services will be held upstairs in the cathedral for many months. A large army of workmen is now at work repairing the damage done by the recent temblor and other repairs which were put off from time to time will likely be completed now that the workmen are engaged. "Ten masses were said in Sacred Heart Church yesterday morning. Services were held every hour in the main church and every half hour in the basement. The 11 o'clock high mass was celebrated by the Rev. Father Cleary, formerly of St. Francis church, who has been in the city for some months. The local Paulists order, preached an appropriate sermon on the gospel. The evening services at 7:30 consisted of vespers and benediction. "A pretty feature of the day's service was the first communion class at the 8 o'clock mass. One hundred and twenty-five boys and girls received the sacrament from the hands of Rev. Father McQuade, pastor of the church. He preached a brief sermon to the children after the services. "California. Knights of Columbus, held a meeting in the basement of the church at 10 o'clock, and the members of the San Francisco Council met an hour later. The relief work done by the order was reviewed and plans laid for future benefits among the needy. "At the present time most of the members of the Paulist order, formerly at old St. Mary's Church, are making their headquarters at Sacred Heart parish, awaiting the word from Rev. Father Cleary. The Paulist order, in order who will probably make arrangements for the rebuilding of a new house of worship, probably on the old site.

DR. HEMPHILL'S DEDUCTIONS.

Talks of Lessons That Christians Should Learn From the Fire.

Rev. Dr. John Hemphill preached before a large congregation yesterday at the morning service in the Sunday-school room of Calvary Presbyterian Church, his subject dealing with the lessons taught by the recent conflagration. His text was taken from Mark, 14th chapter, 22d verse, wherein is related the cursing of the fig tree by Christ because it was not bearing out of season. "For the time of figs was not yet." To his mystified disciples Christ did not attempt to explain his mysterious act, but exhorted them to have faith in God. This, the speaker said, was what should be done in the presence of the great calamity that has befallen San Francisco. Upon this topic Dr. Hemphill spoke substantially as follows:

"The visitation which has come to our city I don't wish to minimize. It is great, it is appalling, it is inexplicable. Nothing like it ever occurred in the history of the world. Chicago was burned, Boston, Baltimore, Baltimore was burned, but San Francisco in forty-eight hours lost more, twice over, than any other city you can name in the history of the world. The catastrophe that has come to us is gigantic, yet my faith in God never was firmer than it is today. It is not easy to have faith in God sometimes. "We see our city today withered to its roots, its commerce, for the time being, gone—a queen dethroned. Why? Was San Francisco a greater sinner than other American cities that should have suffered so? That was the old way of explaining special chastisement. I don't think that San Francisco was a greater sinner than any other city because this special visitation came to it. Who can explain why? I cannot, and Christ does not. He did not tell the disciples why he blasted that fig tree in particular, which was no greater sinner than other fig trees. All he says to us is, 'Have faith in God.' "It needs faith to interpret judgment. On the 17th of April we retired for the night and slept as serenely as we ever slept before. I had a rude awakening at five minutes past 5 next morning, and we had a full rider awakening and the noise of that awful 15th of April swept by and we saw our city in flames. O, what a sight that was as I rode in an automobile from my house to South San Francisco and saw three continuous miles of flames!

NEW CHURCH ARISES.

Cathedral Mission Consecrated on Former Site in Heart of Ruins.

The first church structure to rear its head among the widespread ruins and the first to be rebuilt on a portion of the old foundations is the Cathedral Mission at Second and Folsom streets, which was consecrated yesterday morning by Bishop Nichols. Services will be held in the church every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday-school in the afternoon at 2:30. After performing the Episcopal service, Bishop Nichols spoke briefly on the past history of the church and the outlook for the future. By good fortune the concrete floor of the gymnasium of the old mission building was left intact and it is on this solid foundation that the new church is built. Bishop Nichols compared the establishment and foundation of Christianity with the firm foundation of the little church. The Bishop then spoke feelingly of the work the mission did in the past and predicted that the parish would do its share in the work of aiding the rebuilders of the city.

LESSONS OF THE DISASTER.

Dr. Leavitt Speaks of the Revelations Brought About in the Works and Natures of Men.

In speaking of the revelations brought about by the recent disaster in San Francisco in the way of revealing the poverty of construction and the faulty designing of the majority of the destroyed buildings, the Rev. Bradford Leavitt spoke yesterday at Century Hall of the underlying good that was brought out. The members of the First Unitarian Church gathered for worship in Century Hall, which will be used by them until the church edifice is repaired. Dr. Leavitt spoke of the innate nature of man showing itself under conditions of emergency and peril, and said that to many their own true instincts were revealed for the first time. He then went on to show that man is almost as far beyond human knowledge as is God, by numerous examples.

A bird in the hand may be worth two in the bush, but a ton in the coal yard will soon be worth two in the bin.

A \$5 gold piece in your pocket is better than a five-pound gold brick in your hand.

OTHER CITIES WILL BE CONCERNED AT THE SPECIAL SESSION City Reservoirs Are Fast Filling to Normal Limit. Urgent Need of Legislation for Various Sections Is Re- cognized. Mayor and Supervisors Visit Spring Valley Works.

The Mayor and the Board of Supervisors were the guests of the Spring Valley Water Company Saturday. Leaving early in the morning on the private car Hermosa of the United Railroads, they were met at the station by President Payson, Engineer Schussler and Expert Accountant Booker of the water company and driven in four-horse coaches over the reservoirs and main works of the Bald Hill Range.

It was the first day of relaxation of the city legislators since the earthquake and they enjoyed it. The Supervisors were like a lot of frisky schoolboys and Mayor Schmitt looked like a fond and indulgent papa. The breaks of the San Andreas and Crystal Springs mains near Baden and their subsequent repairs were examined. The party then drove up to the lakes and viewed the big earthquake fault for the first time. The huge Crystal Springs dam, the pride of Engineer Schussler, was the object of a close examination and then lunch was taken at the cabin at the head of Crystal Springs Lake.

Afterward the vehicles whirled down to Belmont, where Mayor Schmitt started the big pumps of the station there. These pumps bring 8,000,000 gallons a day into the city across the bay from Alameda Creek through four submarine pipes. The pipes were not injured by the earthquake, excepting where they joined terra firma. Engineer Schussler announced his progress in filling the city reservoirs. Before the earthquake they contained 80,000,000 gallons of water. At the end of the first day they were empty. On May 13 they contained 23,000,000 gallons, on the 14th 30,000,000, on the 15th 40,000,000, on the 16th 55,000,000. In a few days they will hold the normal reserve.

LIMITED TO SOUTH.

Upon later suggestion it was resolved that the following paragraphs be also included: "Such amendments to be limited to the county of Los Angeles and the municipalities thereof. "And for the purpose of considering and submitting to the electors of the State at the next general election, the city and county of Los Angeles and the municipalities of the county may secure an adequate supply. "Paragraphs submitted: A. Ruef providing for the ratification of charter amendment under the constitution and for extending to San Francisco the privilege of amending her charter during a period of two years without obtaining the indorsement of the amendments from the legislature, the amendments to take immediate force, were passed by the joint committee. "Gavin McNab proposed the following amendment to the constitution providing for the lengthening of the term of municipal and other bonds and postponing for twenty-five years the first payment on the town or township bond of education or school district shall incur any indebtedness or liability in any manner or for any purpose exceeding in amount the sum of \$100,000, provided for such year without the assent of two-thirds of the qualified electors thereof, voting at a meeting called for that purpose, nor unless before or at the time of incurring such indebtedness provision shall be made for the collection of any annual tax sufficient to pay the interest on such indebtedness as it falls due, and also provision to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof, and unless provision shall be made for a sinking fund to pay the principal of such indebtedness at a time after the incurring of such indebtedness, which shall not exceed one-fourth of the time of contracting the same; any indebtedness or liability incurred contrary to this provision shall be void. "MORTGAGE TAX. Paragraphs providing for the more equitable adjustment of the tax on mortgages were proposed by Garrett E. Energy and passed by the committee. Two acts were framed by McEnerney covering the subject. One is applicable to San Francisco and the other to the entire State. It was previously urged by members of the committee that change of the mortgage tax law, although wise and beneficial, would be opposed by legislators from outside districts and therefore the author submitted the two acts with the idea of securing, if possible, the legislation for San Francisco. The acts are framed with the intention that they remain in effect five years and if found beneficial after that time they may be made permanent. "E. S. Heller proposed that the Regents of the State University be empowered to mortgage the property owned by the institution on Sutter street, formerly occupied by Nathan Dohrnay & Co., to procure funds to erect a State building and that they also be empowered to enter into a long term lease with the State Board of Equalization for the occupancy of those quarters by the local branches of the State government. The matter will come up for discussion later. "The matters for insertion in the Governor's call that have been approved to date, in addition to those mentioned above are: "The extension of time in civil proceedings to be limited to ninety days, and made at the discretion of the court. "Legislation looking to the making of ninety-nine year leases on real estate. "Changes in the statutes of limitation. "Amendment to the bank commissioners' act. "Appropriations for Supreme Court and Fire District Court of Appeals. "State building at San Francisco. "Repair and reconstruction of the State Normal School at San Jose. "To pay compensation, expense and transportation of the National Guard and the university. "To procure funds for school laws relating to census, daily average attendance and high schools. "Amendments to collateral inheritance

MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP OPPOSED BY ANDREWS

Former Grand Jury Foreman Resents Use of His Name in Call for League Meeting.

The following is a copy of a letter sent by T. P. Andrews, former Grand Jury Foreman, to Albert M. Johnson, president of the Municipal Ownership League: "Dear Sir: I beg to acknowledge receipt of a circular dated May 14 and signed by you, and signed by Mr. Edw. R. E. Troy as secretary. "I see that my name was attached to the call for the meeting of the Municipal Ownership League, held at the office of T. E. Hayden, 2450 California street, on Saturday, May 19, at 3 p. m. I am surprised and disappointed that my name should be used in this manner, as it is not in harmony or in sympathy with the proposition of municipal ownership. I am not in any way connected with the league and I never expect to be. My views on this matter have been very pronounced and positive for some time past, and I am satisfied that had I been consulted in regard to this matter, I would not have been attached to the call for the meeting. "With reference to such corporations as the Southern Pacific Company, the United Railroads and the Spring Valley Water Works my opinion is that the people of San Francisco, looking back and viewing the stand they have taken, and the wonderful help and assistance they have rendered the community since April 18, should congratulate themselves that they are not in a worse position than they are in at this time. "We have all criticized and hammered the Southern Pacific, the United Railroads and the Spring Valley Water Works, but we have not criticized the stand they have taken, and we certainly deserve the appreciation of the entire community for so promptly getting their systems repaired and furnishing water as promptly as they did. "In regard to the United Railroads I have always been a warm advocate of their system, and I have before the disaster I argued and preached with out property owners in favor of this system. I am delighted and feel sure that it will be welcomed by nearly the entire population of San Francisco. "Holding such racial views, which are at such a variance to those advocated by your association, naturally bars me from indulging them and would certainly prevent my participating in any movement tending to support them. "Some of the names have been blundered. Very truly, T. P. ANDREWS.

San Francisco Quits Even.

SEATTLE, May 20.—Charlie Hall was very craggy in the first game, sending ten men to first on balls, hitting one man and making a wild pitch. San Francisco dropped in timely hits and won the game by a score of 10 to 3. Hall pitched three hits. In the second game Seattle turned loose on Wells and got a home run, a triple, a double and two singles in one inning, netting five runs. San Francisco could do nothing with Jones. LOS ANGELES, May 20.—Los Angeles played errorless ball today and defeated Fresno by a score of 6 to 1. Nagie kept the visitors' line well scattered. Stelz was ineffective and was supplanted by Schmidt.

Summer Colds.

Laxative Bromo Quinine, the world wide Cold Cure, removes the cause. Call for the full name and look for signature of E. W. Grove. 25c.

GIVEN FORMAL NOTICE.

Insurance Commissioner Wolf notifies Insurance Companies of Loss by the Fire. Insurance Commissioner Wolf has sent out a form of notice of loss to each of the fire insurance companies authorized at the time of the great fire in San Francisco to transact busi-

MISLEADING POSTAL CARDS USED TO INJURE CITY Unscrupulous Citizens Trying to Make Capital Out of Mis- fortune. Views of Fire Ruins Represented as Scenes After the Earthquake.

The Los Angeles citizens' relief committee at a meeting held at Los Angeles last Tuesday passed the following resolution relative to the circulation of untrue and misleading postal cards and photographs that have a tendency to further injure fire-swept San Francisco: "Whereas, This citizens' relief committee of Los Angeles has noticed that certain postal cards and photographs and other literature are being distributed from Los Angeles, purporting to describe scenes entitled 'After the San Francisco Earthquake,' which photographs are in the least by the San Francisco earthquake; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this committee deplores the distribution of such postal cards and photographs as being misleading and liable to create well-grounded offense on the part of our San Francisco fellow-citizens. And, further, that we cannot give too much publicity to the fact that the damage to the earthquake was in an area almost wholly outside of the city, and that the fire, from which damage no city is free, and further, that the committee requests all merchants and citizens to discontinue the practice of disseminating any such literature, and to refrain from any act of sympathy and regard for our fellow-citizens of San Francisco, to which they are entitled. "The Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association of Los Angeles has also taken up the matter and passed the following resolution: "Whereas, Postal cards are being distributed in this city purporting to portray scenes of the San Francisco earthquake and labeled 'Los Angeles was not affected in the least by the San Francisco earthquake; therefore, be it

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NEW FIGURES ON LOSSES.

Underwriters Estimate the Values Destroyed in This City.

Insurance Commissioner Wolf has been notified by the Atlas Insurance Company that all losses by the San Francisco fire will be paid in full by direct London. The Continental Insurance Company of New York has given notice that \$2,700,000 has been deposited in the First National Bank of New York to pay San Francisco losses. Letters have also been received from officials of companies and insurance commissioners, estimating net losses of many companies as follows: North German Fire Insurance Company, \$200,000; Northwestern National Insurance of Milwaukee, \$499,755; National Union of Pittsburgh, \$1,302,198; Atlas Assurance, \$1,260,000; Prussian National, \$444,947; Agricultural, \$750,000; Assurance Company of America, \$450,000; British-American, \$750,000; Buffalo German, \$200,000; Caledonian-American, \$50,000; Colonial Assurance, \$15,000; Commercial Union Fire, \$110,000; Commonwealth, \$39,000; Continental, \$1,900,000; Duchess, \$175,000; Eagle Fire, \$300,000; Empire City \$40,000. German Alliance, \$225,000; German-American, \$2,000,000; Germania Fire, \$1,650,000; Glens Falls, \$1,000,000; Globe and Rutgers' Fire, \$450,000; Hanover Fire, \$700,000; Home, \$100,000; Indemnity Fire, \$85,000; Nassau Fire, \$150,000; New York Fire, \$200,000; Niagara Fire, \$1,000,000; North British and Mercantile, \$12,500; Northern, \$250,000; North German Fire, \$160,000; North River, \$325,000; Pacific Fire, \$300,000. Pelican Assurance, \$250,000; Peter Cooper Fire, \$400,000; Phoenix, \$1,750,000; Queen Insurance Company of America, \$1,500,000; Rochester German, \$400,000; Stuyvesant, \$70,000; United States Fire, \$100,000; Victoria Fire, \$50,000; Westchester Fire, \$60,000; Williamsburg City Fire, \$750,000; Aetna, \$2,700,000; Alliance, \$500,000; American, \$400,000; American of New Jersey, \$1,000,000; American Central, \$500,000; American Fire, \$500,000; Atlanta-Birmingham Fire, \$100,000; Calumet, \$600,000; Camden Fire Association, \$400,000; Citizens' of Missouri, \$158,000; Colonial Fire, \$100,000; Columbia \$7221; Concordia Fire, \$200,000; Connecticut Fire, \$1,775,000; Delaware, \$402,000; Eastern Fire, \$50,000; Equitable Fire and Marine, \$250,000; Fire Association of Philadelphia, \$1,200,000; Federal, \$600,000; Fireman's Fund, \$2,800,000; Franklin Fire, \$500,000; German National, \$150,000; German of Freeport, \$1,532,716; German Fire, \$100,000; Girard Fire and Marine, \$450,000; Hartford Fire, \$5,700,000; Home Fire and Marine, \$1,200,000; Indianapolis Fire, \$25,000; Insurance Company of North America, \$2,000,000; Insurance Company of the State of Pennsylvania, \$825,000. Mercantile Fire and Marine, \$310,000; Michigan Fire and Marine, \$250,000; Milwaukee Fire, \$170,000; Milwaukee Mechanics, \$1,296,000; National Fire, \$1,740,000; National Union Fire, \$1,000,000; New Brunswick, \$600,000; Northwestern National, \$499,755; Orient, \$700,000; Pennsylvania Fire, \$2,250,000; Phoenix, \$1,600,000; Providence Washington, \$800,000; St. Paul Fire and Marine, \$1,000,000. Security, \$315,000; Security Fire, \$100,000; Springfield Fire, \$100,000; Marine, \$1,476,455; Spring Garden, \$150,000; Star Fire, \$150,000; Teutonia, \$150,000; Traders, \$3,748,000; Union, \$150,000; United Firemen's, \$200,000; Virginia State, \$350,000; Prussian National, \$444,947.

Accused of Dastardly Crime.

George Cuchot, a married man, 39 years of age, living at 1817 Green street, was arrested yesterday morning by Sergeant Cline on a charge of committing a criminal assault upon Frances Webber, a half-witted girl, 16 years of age, who lives with her parents at 1821 Green street. A complaint will be sworn to before a Police Judge this morning.

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