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HALF IS TOLD OF THE AWFUL CATASTROPHE AT SAN FRANCISCO.

Will Be Many Years Before the City Will Recover, if It Ever Does—Cause Which Helps Out Insurance Companies.

Vancouver, B.C., May 21.—(To the Editor.) We, able writers lay down the pen rather than discuss the awful catastrophe which befell San Francisco, strong men shrink before the task of describing the frightening scenes witnessed in the destruction of the stricken city. We have read many accounts of the loss and suffering, but most of these accounts are the manufacture of some imaginary mind; for actual data has not been furnished in any quantity from the scene of the catastrophe, as most people, in a position to deal with the subject, were either too busy with their interested parties, and therefore naturally felt that not only in a sense of justice to themselves, but also to their city, it was their duty to conceal the terrible facts rather than to reveal from the world. There may be a sense of patriotism in thus concealing facts from the world at large; there may also be some justification, but to my mind the facts of the case are what the public require, and these facts cannot long be concealed.

In discussing the matter with people who went through the awful experiences, and who were sufferers to the extent of losing all they had, and without any hopes of recovery, we are apt to get about as near the facts as it is possible to do, and it is from this source that I have got my information. These people tell me that that awful day may have seemed the description given in the newspapers, yet they did not describe the scenes. I didn't try to describe it, nor didn't want to describe it. Even now, they claim, there are committees appointed to go aboard every outgoing train and boat with a large entourage of thousands of people who are turning their backs upon the stricken city, implying them to be constantly guarded in whatever they may concern the disaster, or the future prospects of the city, laying particular stress upon the fact that San Francisco was their home, and her interests should be guarded with all sacredness, no matter to what quarter of the earth they may go. These people say that capital is feeling pretty rich, and that despite all statements made while the city was yet burning and since, to the effect that a greater and grander city would rise from the ruins, it will be many years before these hopes are realized. Thousands upon thousands who were in a position to do so have already left the city, and there are many thousands more who are anxious to follow. But who are detained either from lack of means, or from the lack of interest, which it is hard to think of giving up without first making an effort to realize something upon it. Just now people in San Francisco are pretty anxious to get out, and while these facts give no pleasure, but rather the deepest regret to the writer, yet they are facts just the same, and cannot be denied. People who are insured upon their property upon all they had of this world's goods, and were resting in the greatest contentment that if they should suffer loss from the destruction of these goods and chattels from any cause they would receive just remuneration have now awakened to the realization of the fact that there is a clause in their policies which states that these policies do not cover loss caused by the act of God. Upon this clause the insurance companies are going to swing out safely, leaving the poor individual sufferer to bear his own loss. To this clause the insurance companies truly grateful for what had not been such a clause this catastrophe would have put many of the insurance companies out of business.

The experience of thousands of the disappointed San Franciscans points out a moral. Reader you have not done your whole duty when you have placed an insurance upon your property, or upon your life either for that matter. There may be something in that policy which you have taken out which you may think is of little consequence as it may be that you have not read it carefully, but rather taken it for granted that any clauses which your policy contains are necessary, else they would not be there. These little technical clauses which the companies are so thoughtful to insert into their policies are not for your protection, dear reader, but for theirs. Read your policy and take in all its meaning. If it is a life policy make sure that you are not leaving something as a protection to your family which will cause them worry and disappointment, with the possible result that some lawyer will get the biggest half of what you intended you loved ones to have. Do not leave anything to be questioned in regard to the matter. Be sure that the company is satisfied that you are properly insured, and that in case of death the claim will be paid promptly without further question. Look into the age clause in your policy. Ask yourself the question, "What is that clause there for," and if you cannot answer it to your satisfaction you had better have it settled at once, and have the clause struck out. It has no business there. If an insurance company accepts you at a certain age, and are satisfied at the time that that age is correct, then

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There are thousands of females all over our land who are broken down in health and dragging out a miserable existence, overworked with domestic duties, their faces apparently growing old while they are young. Often they have pale or sallow complexion, hollow sunken eyes, with a listless look, the face has a pinched and haggard appearance; they are weak, waxy and trembling, often extremely nervous, and sometimes dimness of vision, loss of memory, and often loss of appetite and sleep, and are wearied with terrible dreams. Palpitation of the heart, nervous prostration, swooning and sinking spells, shortness of breath and the sensation of pins and needles are all indications of a weakened condition of the heart or nervous system, and should any of these be present, we would strongly advise the use of

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I fully believe in insurance, and believe it to be the duty of every man who is called away from his singular world, and has neglected to leave some protection for his family, has not done his whole duty towards them. Insurance is a business proposition, and should be entered into as such, with all provisions and limitations, any further than that the premium shall be paid for the time specified, or until death, when the amount of insurance named shall be paid over without question, struck out.—E. H. NEWTON.

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TO MUTUALIZE IT MAJORITY STOCK TO BE VOTED FOR THIS PURPOSE.

Policy-Holders to Rule—Amended Charter Provides for Twenty-Eight Directors to be Elected by Them—Injunction in the Way.

New York, May 28.—Thomas F. Ryan will within a few days make good his public pledge to vote his majority stock of the Equitable Life Assurance Society for the mutualization of that institution. President Paul Horton gave out a statement to-day, to the effect that to each of the directors of the society has been mailed a proposed amended charter of the Equitable, which provides that twenty-eight directors shall be elected directly by the policy-holders at the annual meeting, to be held next December, and that thereafter the policy-holders' directors shall always constitute a majority of the board.

The amended charter will come before the board of directors at the regular monthly meeting on May 31st, for their consideration. It provides that the twenty-eight policy-holder-directors shall be elected with the same safeguards as are provided by the new law for the election of directors of strictly mutual life insurance companies.

The proposed amended charter has received the approval of Mr. Cleveland, and his assurance that as soon as the opportunity is given, Mr. Ryan's stock will be voted for its adoption.

Council have been instructed to apply to the courts for a modification of the injunction obtained by a minority stockholder in the Equitable, restraining the society from carrying into effect the provisions of an amended charter, which was adopted last year ago, as the result of James W. Alexander's efforts to mutualize the Equitable. The charter provided for the same proportion of directors, twenty-eight representing the policy-holders and twenty-four the stock.

WHERE ARE THE MEN?

Women Doing Their Good Works for Them.

Kingston, May 28.—(To the Editor.) In these days of activity it is not a danger of overdoing it, some think the world is near an end, it seems to some that there is so much to learn and to undo that it would be a very sudden change. Perhaps what would be the end of the world to us would be the starting of a new race under a man like Noah. But I want to appeal to the professional Christian world to think if we are acting like men, that "wait for their lord." We are not. I speak advisedly. If we were, would we not be feeling the need of prayer and filling our churches when we are called to prayer. The women even are falling off. Not long ago I heard a minister praying for strength and grace to live like Christ in our homes, and I looked to see how many were there asking for this blessing and saw fifteen women and one man.

Lately some ministers were dedicated to the noble work of the ministry and there were not eight men in the audience, though the ministers were men. Our Saviour was not a woman. No. Surely He was the manliest man that ever lived. Where are the men? We deplore the want of sacredness of the marriage tie and the want of religiousness in our young men. "Is it any wonder the woman is, de facto, the head of the house," said Principal Grant on his return from Australia, but who betide the nation if all the religious earnestness in the woman. A revival we need and let it be seen in the men leading in religion.—M.

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