RAILROAD MEN IN DISTRESS.

Engine's Return to Land Blocked by

calling for help

waters in those cities.

from the lowlands here.

River Still Rising at Lexington.

down the river today. A Governmen

steamer has removed many flood sufferers

River Falling at Lawrence.

Loss at Council Grove Is \$1,000,000

EMPORIA, Kan., June 2.-The finan

cial loss at Council Grove caused by the flood will amount to \$1,000,000.

BUILDINGS THAT HAVE SUFFERED

Large Structures Which Have Been

Belt Line Railway bridge, Kansas-avenu

rescued from huts near Armour's pack

WILL BE NO LEGISLATIVE AID.

Rely on State to Meet Bills,

to approve of his course.

succor that seems impossible

Secretary Hay Sets June 15 as Date

WASHINGTON, June 2-Simon Well

has written to Secretary Hay to make

carried away from Armourdale.

\$36,000.

Damaged or Swept Away.

Postal Receipts Are Increasing Fast.

MORE PAY TO POSTMASTER

His Salary Will Be Advanced \$100 Per Year.

OTHER OREGON CITIES STEP UP

For Extraordinary Gains, Sampter and Cottage Grove Officials Will Receive \$200 and \$300 Respectively After July 1.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash ington, June 2.—Because of the increase in the postal receipts of the Portland postoffice during the past year, the salary of the Postmaster will be increased on July 1 from \$3000 to \$3700. At the same time a number of other increases in salaries will be made in Oregon as follows:

	Salary.	Salat
Balem	\$2600	\$2
Pendleton	2300	2
Eugene		3
Oregon City	1900	- 2
Ashland		1
Roseburg	1860	- 2
Grant's Pass		1
Corvallis	1760	1
McMinnville	1790	1
Medford	1600	1
Hood River	1500	1
Marshfield	1500	- 3
Union	1400	1
Hillsboro		3
Newberg	1200	3
Tillamook	1200	- 1
Burns		- 1
Independence		- 3
Silverton	1100	3
Milton		1
Huntington	1000	1
Woodburn	1000	1
Pop awten and the saw to see	water Was year	

ceipts, the salary of the Postmaster at Sumpter will be increased from \$1500 to \$1900, and at Cottage Grove from \$1300 to \$1500. No Oregon presidential offices have been relegated to the fourth class.

Remodeling of Portland Office. Plans for remodeling the Portland Postoffice building have been completed, and are in the hands of computers. Specifica tions are also being prepared. It is expected the plans will be put upon the nurket about July 1. This work has no been hastened, as the department has been advised that the rented quarters in the Snell, Heitshu & Woodward building cannot be ready for occupation before October 1. The plans will be advertised for one month, and if favorable offers are received, the contract will be awarded in

VANCOUVER BIDS ARE TOO HIGH. War Department Decides to Revise the Plans for Gymnasium,

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash ington, June 2.-The Quartermaster-General today rejected all bids recently received for the erection of a gymnasium at Vancouver Barracks, as the price asked is in excess of the departmental estimate. It has been necessary to revise the plans of the proposed building by reducing its height five feet, most of this space being taken in the attic. Instructions have been telegraphed to local particular and to readvertise at opce This cut in the wall should reduce the cost several thousand dollars.

The Secretary of War has allotted \$40,000 for the erection of a gymnasium complete. and it is expected, under the revised plans, satisfactory bids can be secured The building will be of brick, with stone

PERMITS FOR GRAZING SHEEP. Oregon Men Will Place 71,800 Head in Cascade Reserve.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash ington, June 2.-Permits have been issued by the Interior Department for grazing 71,800 sheep in the northern division of th Cascade forest reserve, from June 15 to October 15, as follows: A. Young & Son. Shaniko...... k Butte Land & Lavestock Co

Staters
Charles Levin, Antelope
B, E, Darling, Prineville
John Kerlen, Bakeoven
Alvert S, Roberta, The Dalles
H, C, Rooper, Antelope
P, J, Waish, Shaniko
D, Cartwickt Crosskeys J. Waish, Shaniko
B. Cartwright, Crosskeys
G. Condon, Antelope
Duff McAndle, Antelope
S. McCoth, Culver.

atjers Bros, Bakeoven
ames P. Abbott, Wapinitia
Zwin R. Teary, Sisters
mil Hackier, Wapinitia
Villiam Johnson, Princyllie
V. E. Hunt, Victor
tenry Wakering, Bakeoven

EVERETT WILL GET BATTLESHIP. Navy Department Will Aid Fourth of July Celebration.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash ington. June 2.-The Navy Department has advised Representative Cushman that if there is a naval vessel on the North Pacific Coast early in July, not then un-dergoing repairs, but in commission, it will be sent to Everett, to participate in Fourth fo July celebration, as has a several times requested by Mr. Cush-n. It is not known at this time whether or not any naval vessel will be within reach of Everett. It is not proposed to detail any ship that may, at any time, be out of commission at Bremerton.

Fort Casey Army Contract In Let. OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash ington, June 2-A contract was made to day with W. Burrell, of Oakland, Cal., for the erection of one single barracks, two sets of Lieutenants' double quarters, and one set of noncommissioned officers' quarters at Fort Casey, Wash, to cost 170,861 complete.

A FORMER June 2.—H. G. Morse, of Camden, N. J., president of the New York Shipbuilding Company, died suddenly today. He was stricken with apoplexy in the office of J. P. Morgan, and died within an hour. day with W. Burrell, of Oakland, Cal.

GRAND JURY MAY INDICT MACHEN. Case of Deposed Postal Official Will

WASHINGTON, June 2.—The investigament is proceeding as rapidly as possible, and the investigating officials hope to close their inquiries by August 1. The only development announced at the department today was the promulgation of the letter of ex-First Assistant Postmaster-General Heath, who enters a denial of

A. W. Machen are understood to be mem-bers of a firm in Toledo, O., the former nome of Mr. Machen. Postmaster-General Payne said tonight that so far as he is advised no immediate arrests are in con-

advised no immediate arrests are in contemplation.

The preliminary hearing of Mr. Machen
before a United States Commissioner,
witch is scheduled for next Friday, may
be rendered unnecessary in case the grand
jury should report an indictment against
him. The case will be presented to that
body tomorrow, when a number of witnesses subpensed by the Government will
make their appearance. An indictment
would relieve the Government from the
necessity of disclosing its evidence prior
to the trial of the case in court, and would
require the rearrest of Machen on a bench
warrant and furnishing of fresh bonds.

Indians Will Fight Land Entries. WASHINGTON, June 2.—The Delaware indians today instituted in the District Supreme Court proceedings to enjoin the Secretary of the Interior and five civilized tribes from allowing any Cherokees from making entiries on the lands segregated for the benefit of the Delaware Indians. The suit alleges that there were 11.67 acres set aside to remain segregated pending the suit before the United States Supreme Court involving questions affecting those lands. The petitioners ask for the cancellation of all entries on these lands.

ANTHONY HOPE TO WED Engagement of Novelist to Miss Sheldon is Announced.

NEW YORK, June 1.- The engagemen of Anthony Hope Hawkins, the novelist, to Elisabeth Sheldon, of New York, has formally been announced says a Herald dispatch from London at the wedding breakfast of Miss Suzanne Sheldon, ac-tress, whose marriage to Henry Ainely, the young English actor, took place at Childingsford, Surrey. Many well-known theatrical people of America and London attended the wedding.

DANIEL FROHMAN WILL MARRY. Confirmed Bachelor in Dramatic

World Will Wed Miss Illington. NEW YORK: June 2-Miss Margaret Illington, who made her first appearance in "Frocks and Frills" at Daly's Theater, very eleverly and pertly, and who is at present playing the role of Huguette, the part which Susanne Shelton created in Sothern's "If I Were King," is to be married to Duniel Frohman, the most noted bachelor in the dramatic profes-

Mr. Frohman has for years been sidered a confirmed bachelor, who made his home with three unmarried sisters, but before he sailed for Europe he in-formed several of his most intimate formed several of his most intimate friends that he had been cured and that perfore the Summer was over Miss Illing-tion would be his bride.

No public announcement has been made by either, but in the Sothern Company Miss Illington has made no secret of her

Mr. Frohman, who is at present in Eu rope, has during the last years slowly withdrawn from dramatic management, the only star at present under his di-rection being Mr. E. H. Sothern.

He has, however, of late years given attention to musical stars, and his last venture with Kubelik was so remarkably successful that before sailing he said he would in future devote most of

his time to their management.

Mrs. Söthern, better known as Virginia
Harned, is said to be responsible for the engagement becoming public. She was asked if it was true, and replied:
"Yes, it is. Miss Illington and Mr. Frohman are to be married as soon as

MINERS MAY GO OUT AGAIN Operators Will Not Recognize Their Selections for Peace Board.

he returns from Europe."

WILKESBARRE, Pa., June 1-Another dark-streaked cloud loomed up on the horizon of the anthracite coal region today. The executive boards of the United Miners, in session here today, indorsed the selection of their three district presidents on the board of conciliation author-ized by the strike commission, and if these members are not recognized by the erators, the executive boards will contemplate calling a convention of mine workers to declare a general suspension of work until their members are given

recognition.
In a statement tonight the district presidents state that the operators subtected on the ground that the mineworkers' representatives were appointed by their organization as it exists in each district. Another meeting will be held to errow to decide whether a suspension work shall be ordered.

Lumber-Yards Will Reopen,

NEW YORK, June 1 -At the conclus of a conference today between representa tives of the New York Lumber Dealers', Building Material Dealers' and the United Building Dealers' Drivers' Association and the United Board of Building Trades, Michael Stanton, chairman of the committee from the United Board of Building Trades, said that, although no nt had been definitely reached, it aettlem was safe to say the yards would all b open by Thursday or Friday. The settle ment means the return to work of 100,009

Textile Workers Secure Demanda PHILADELPHIA, June 2 .- It was given t by the executive board of the Textile orkers tonight that ten additional firms had agreed to give their employes the 55hour week. This makes is firms that have conceded the demands. It is estimated that upwards of 20,000 persons are now working under the conditions demanded by the unions of the 49 branches of the textile industries affected by the strike. Sixty thousand are still out.

POPE SUFFERS FROM HEAT His Physicians Suspend Ali Not Strictly Necessary Audiences.

ROME, June 2.- The Pope is fatigued on account of the heat. Though he is not ill, his doctor has suspended all not strictly necessary audiences. The probable postponement of the consistory for a few days is not connected with the Pope's health, but is due to the situation in France.

Bourke Cockran Is Much Better.

NEW YORK, June 2.-W. Bourke Cockran, who recently returned from Rome, Berlin and Brussels, has left for Ireland, says a London dispatch to the Herald. His health has greatly improved and he will sail for home in about ten day.
is full of praise for what he termed extraordinary kindness shown him
Egypt during his illness.

THE DEATH ROLL.

A Prominent Shinbuilder

Well-Known Railroad Official. CHICAGO, June 2 - Josiah Caleb Bart-lett, superintendent of the relief depart-ment of the Burlington railroad, is dead of hemorrhage of the brain. Mr. Bart-lett, who was well known in railroad circles, was a grandson of Josiah Bort-lett, one of the signers of the Declaration of nderendence.

Root and Gardner Sign for Fight. CHICAGO, June 2.-Jack Root and Seorge Gardner signed articles tonight for the Tulloch charges.

The go-betweens who it is alleged figured in transactions which led to the arrest of weight championship of the world.

KANSAS ASKS

Governor Issues Appeal for Flood Sufferers.

TOPEKA SITUATION IMPROVES

Looting Becomes More General as the Waters Recede-Officers Are Instructed to Shoot Thieves When Caught Stealing.

TOPEKA, Kan., June 2-The flood sitation in Topeka tonight can be summarized thus:

The river has fallen three feet, and is now receding at the rate of two inches Distress will be great among the

refugees.

Governor Bailey has issued a proclumation calling for help for flood sufferers of the state. Five Deputy Sheriffs, armed with Win

chesters, will go to North Topeka to pro-tect property, with orders to shoot looters whenever they are caught stealing. Scarcity of Food Not Feared Now. The question of provisions, which comed a serious problem at first, is growing brighter as the waters recede. Pota-toes, meat and eggs are the articles most nceded. From all over the city relief is pouring into the relief stations, notwith-standing earlier refusals of outside aid. The Scottish Rite Masons today passed resolutions advocating the placing of North Topeka under martial law, and expressing the opinion that Governor Ealley should cail out the National Guard. They were also in favor of having

President Roosevelt place a company of regulars in North Topeka for a martial Relief Plan of Governor,

Governor Balley's proclamation callin for outside aid was decided upon at a mass meeting today, when the Governor was requested to issue the call. It was decided to make this a general appenfor the people all along the flooded districts of the state, as well as those in Topeka. The plan is to make Topeka headquarters, and to distribute the aid from here to the other parts of the state. There will be made an appeal to the fra-ternal organizations and other appeals

through various sources.

A meeting of the representative people of North Topeka, who are on the South Side, was held today to arrange for systematic protection of their property in North Topeka, Immediately after meeting, a large number of armed men they will guard property, and their orders

The river is three feet below high water mark. The water has receded on Kansas avenue to the platform of the Rock Island

depot, a distance of 250 feet. Few People Now Marooned.

The situation in the flood-stricken districts is better than it has yet been for the reason that fewer people are ma-rooned in houses, in trees and on islands. Nobody is now clinging to trees. Those who had to cling were either rescued or dropped into the water. Tonight, not to exceed 40 people are in North Topekn. The work of taking them out began early day, and it is believed that by night w will be left in the flooded town.

There is no way of getting at the amount of damage done by the flood in Topeks and vicinity. The damage may reach \$2,000,000. Crops in the Kansas bottom are destroyed. This makes an enormous less to farmers. Governor Bailey will communicate with the Federal authorities, and he hopes he will have no trouble in securing the use of whatever tents are needed.

LEVER GIVES WAY IN 10WA. Crops on Thousands of Acres About

Keekuk Are Ruined. ST. LOUIS, June 2.-A special to the Post-Dispatch from Keckuk, Ia., says: land along the Mississippl south of here is under water. The Egyptian leves broke during the night in two places, and there are now more than 20 breaks in it. This levee runs from the Mississippl at Alexandria to the Bluffs, and protects the town and shore as far south as Hannibal from overflow of the Des Mojnes. A strip of country ten miles wide and sixty miles long is now under water, and the crops, which never looked better, will be a total loss. Much of the land overflowed has not been flooded for 33 years. The loss will reach \$1,000,000.

The town of Alexandria, Ia, six miles south of Keokuk, is entirely submerged, and the people are living in the second stories or making preparations to move.
A strip 500 feet long and 25 feet wide along the river front is the only land in the town that is not flooded. This is covered with horses, cattle, hogs and people with their household belongings, and the problem of transporting them is a seri-ous one. Grave fears are entertained for the safety of the Hunt levee, which protects the bottoms from Warsaw to Quincy, on the Illinois side. Men are at work on it, and it can stand a few more inches of rise. The loss of livestock will prove very heavy.

UP TO DANGER LINE.

Indications at St. Louis That It Will Go Higher. ST, LOUIS. June 2.—The Mississippi

River has risen to 20 feet, the danger line, at St. Louis, and continues to rise more than two feet a day. Indications are that the 34-foot stage at St. Louis, predicted by the signal service bureau, Thursday or Friday morning, will be ex-ceeded. A 34-foot stage at St. Louis means immense loss. Already thousands of acres of land, the most productive in the Middle West, on the Missouri and Illinois sides, are under water. Hundreds of thousands have been lost to Illinois and Missouri farmers through suined crops. In a half-dozen places between Alton and St. Louis the river, with its lagoons and bayous, is from five to seven miles wide. At St. Charles, Mo., the wa-ter has spread out over three miles of country, dovering farms and driving out families from their homes.

Six Feet Above the Danger Line. HANNIBAL, Mo., June 2.—The Missis-sippl is tonight six feet above the danger ine. Thousands of acres of fertile farm lands about this city are devastated, causing a loss estimated at not less than \$100,000. The town of Shepherd, Ill., is de-populated, and its residents were driven away by the flood.

WILL RESCUE STARVING SOLDIERS Heavy Artillery at St. Marys Is

Caught by the Flood. LEAVENWORTH, Kan., June 2.—Two companies of engineers left today for St. Marys, Kan., to rescue the heavy artil-

lery, which is encamped at that place and starving, because of the floods, which have completely surrounded the men and forced them to fice to the hills.

Beanty reports received at the post from the place where the battery is encamped show that the condition there is critical. The only nourishment the troops have had for several days consisted of chewing their leathers and drinking the muddy flood water. It will take the engineers

three days at least to reach their com-rades, even though the marches will be forced. Two companies of infantry were also sent to Kansas City, Kan.

Soverament Issues Rations to Many WASHINGTON, June 2.—Adjutant-General Corbin today received the following dispatch from Colonel Minor, commanding at Fort Leavenworth, Kan.:
"Issued 15,000 rations to Kansas City, Kan., lust night. Need was imperative. Kansas Officials Fear It Has Run Into Flood.

LAST HEARD FROM SUNDAY

kan., lust night. Need was imperative. Ask to have action approved. Rations for this command up to the 20th here. Believe when we get to the country to the west of us it will be destitute of food. Advise shipping rations here as central point to meet this demand. Two companies of engineers and pentoon train are in readiness to be sent west. Believe they might be of use at Lawrence."

The department has taken no action yet The department has taken no action yet upon Colonel Minor's recommendation for concentration of supplies at Fort Leaven-Search of Tog Up the Missouri Is Fruitless, and Many Passengers May Have Perished.

Span of Bridge Going Out.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 2.—A disputch from Kansas City, Kan., says: It is reported that the Misrouri Pacific bridge has gone down. A great crash was heard in that direction, and it looks KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 2-The ournal tomorrow will say: Chicago, Burlington & Quincy passenger train No. 3, from Cificago to Kansas City. due here at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon, has been lost track of. It is not deemed as though one span has fallen. The bells on the switch engines standing on the bridge can be heard ringing, and men are possible, nor the thought entertained by the railroad officials, that the train has run into the flood. Nevertheless, General Agent Harmon was notified yesterday from the Chicago offices of the extra-ordinary occurrence, and Superintendent Mulhern was urged to exercise every pos-Dam Bursts, River Is on Rampage ST. PAUL, June 2.-The Minneseta River is on a rampage, caused by the bursting of the dam at Big Stone Lake, near the source of the river. The members of an sible effort to locate the missing train and relieve its passengers at all cost. A tug was chartered and a voyage made down the Missouri River to Birmingham. unknown family, who recently came here from Oklahoma, were drowned and their house wrecked. Farm buildings near the Nothing was to be seen of the train. Men have been started on horseback to Liberty with orders to keep as close as possible to the track, and to carefully river and the bridges have been damaged and the loss to crops will be heavy. investigate what is known as a great washout two miles east of Birmingham. The possibilities of the train having tumbled into the washout are remote to NEW YORK, June 2.—Telegrams have been sent by Mayor Low to the Mayore of Topeka, Kanses City and Des Moines. s degree, because many people are con-stantly along the railway routes, and they would have seen some parts of the wreck-age. The water is 25 feet deep, howexpressing the sympathy of the citizens of the metropolic for the flood sufferers, and tendering to them his good offices in obtaining contributions for the relief of the sufferers from the inundation of the

STRAIGHT HANNA TICKET Ohio Senator Will Be in Complete Control of Ohio Convention.

ever.

LEXINGTON, Mo., June 2.—The Mississippi River here is still rising, and 50 square miles of bettem land opposite here is covered. Houses and barns are floating COLUMBUS, O., June 2-The Repub ican State Convention promises to be without the usual contests of such occasions, even with a full state ousiness that involves the party in Ohio intil after the next Presidential election, As members of the Legislature who ere elected this year choose the successor of Marcus A. Hanna in the Senate this is LAWRENCE, Kan., June 2.—The river here is falling. No loss of life is reported at this point, and no serious suffering is being experienced by the homeless. called "Hanna's year." Those known as "Hanna's favorites" have already been cominated as the Republican candidates for State Senators and Representatives in the different districts and counties, and everybody now concedes the same "make up" of the entire state ticket.

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While a dozen prominent Republicans were contesting for the gubernatorial nomination until George B. Cox, of Cincinnati, recently visited Senitor Hanna in Cleveland, and then declared himself for Myron T. Herrick, the neighbor of Hanna, all have withdrawn except Albert Douglas, of Chillicothe, who will "move to make it unanimous." make it unanimous.

KANSAS CITY, June 2.—Following is a list of the largest structures that have either been damaged or swept away: Chicago Great Western freight depot. old Southern bridge, Union Terminal rail-way bridge. Twelfth-street steel bridge, Fifth-street steel bridge, Kansas City to make it unanimous."
Senator Hanna will be the temporary
chairman, and will deliver the "keynote"
speech Wednesday evening. Senator
Foraker will speak the next day on assuming the chair as permanent chairman. As aimost everything has been anticivated by the conference of the leafsteel bridge, Metropolitan Street Railway bridge, Bock Island Railway bridge, stockyards bridge, Union Pacific steel bridge, elevator railway bridge at Cenilcipated by the conference of the leaders, the attendance of visitors is not large,

SHIPS LOST IN STORM

Talparaiso Is Swept by a Gale Which Does Great Damage.

James-street wagon bridge, Metropolitan and Ann-avenue bridge, Kansas City, Mo., Water-works flow line, Chicago Great Western Railway bridge, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul bridge, building occuwaukee & St. Paul bridge, building occupled by Seavy & Siarsheim, merchandise brokers, T. L. Cassel's refrigerator factory, several piers of the "L" road viaduct, 1999 buildings in Armourdale, 599 buildings in Argentine, 699 buildings in the East bottoms, 200 buildings in Sheffield, 100 buildings in the West bottoms. The approaches to the Burlington and Milwaukee bridges across the Missouri, and the Missouri Pacific bridge across the river are wrecked.

Twenty-eight men and one woman were rescued from huts near Armour's pack-SANTIAGO DE CHILE, June 2-A great storm occurred today at Valpa-raiso. Four vessels foundered in the bay, the Esplanade was destroyed and great lamage was done to the floating docks. There are some fears regarding the safety of the Pacific Steam Navigation Com-pany's atramer Arequips, which, during a lull in the storm, left port and has not since been heard of.

FLOOD IS FALLING.

ing houses. These refugees reported that they had counted 23 of their neighbors who had lost their lives. The relief fund tonight amounts to (Continued from First Page in any comfort, the horde of refugees, the night bids fair to be a repetition of others since the onelaught of the flood. The wretchedness, however, is more mental An enormous number of beer kegs are floating down the Missouri River. One brewer lost \$20,000 worth of kegs that were than physical, although the discomforts due to herding large bodies of people in Superintendent Young of the Swift buildings not built for the purpose, and trying to feed an army without a comnissary department, are many. Leavenworth, to the north, the only way

Superintendent roung of the Switt Packing Company said tonight that there were probably 25 to 30 bodies in the wreckage lodged in the Armourdale pack-ing-house. A Chinaman who was rescued today said that three of his countrymen by which the suburb can be entered with provisions, is the spot to which the rallroads turn constantly in hope. Rations sufficient to last several daya, if carefully economized, were brought in during the day, and clothing and medicine and other supplies are expected within the next 24 Governor Will Help Refugees and

Many Families Separated. DES MOINES, Ia., June 2.—It has prac-tically been determined that there will be no extra session of the Legislature. Much mental discomfort exists because of the separation of members of families, who had barely time to escape from the flood. Since Sunday fathers, mothers, wives, husbands, brothers and sisters Governor Cummins is confident that he can supply the needs of the flood sufferers and tornado victims in an irregular man-ner by borrowing money, the next session have visited every part of the town, par-ticularly the places of public refuge, look-ing for other members of their families, for, in their agitated state of mind, the The flood in Des Moines is still dis-heartening, but the water is falling rap-idly. The wide territory that was flooded presents a sad picture. Men and women worst has always been feared, but in the majority of cases the ceaseless searching has resulted in the reuniting of families. Much good is being done by the cool presents a sad picture. Men and women who have anxiously watched for the water to go down wandered over the muddy streets to the houses which had been homes. As each one looked through the door of his home an expression of misery passed over his countenance. There, within the ruins, furniture was scattered about the rooms, mud covered the carpets and the walls were coated with dirty sime. Many and classing to move out of these heads, who insistently discredit nensa-tional stories of less of life, thus calm-ing those who fear themselves bereft.

Food Station Is Established. Something like order was brought of chaos today in the matter of distributing such food as was at hand. With the supply running short, it became apparent that the distribution must be systematic, and a central station for that purpose was created at 555 Minnesote account. Many are planning to move out of these places. The walls are damp and every effort will be made by the committees in the field to see that they are dried as was erected at 506 Minnesota avenue. From this the food is sent in proper prorapidly as possible, for sickness, it is feared, may come, if people are allowed to enter them in their present condition. Train service here on the main lines is once more nearly normal. At Ottumwa portions to the various schools and other camps of refugees. A tempo-rary hospital, with medical attendants has been established. Farmers sold garonce more nearly normal. At Ottumwa the water has begun to decline, but it is still rising between Keosauqua and Keokuk. Water flows through the main streets of Ottumwa, four miles of the main line of the Burlington tracks are under water. den truck in the streets during the day and 300 beeves were received from Swift's packing-house. This is the total number of beeves saved at that plant.

Merchants have bought up large quan-tities of supplies, which will be shipped into the suburbs as fast as possible over

of the Burlington tracks are under water, the light and water plants are shut down and business is prostrated. The main southwest line of the Rock Island has not got a train through Eldon for three days. Numerous bridges have been washed out between Eldon and Keckuk. At Bentonsport, Farmington and Bonaparts, great damage has been wrought by the flood, and half the towns are under water. But it is near the mouth of the river at Keckuk that conditions are the worst today. The situation is appailing. The river is eix and eight miles wide in places, and in every direction may be seen refugees on roofs of houses and in trees shouting for succor that seems impossible. Hair Vigor

Only 35? You look at least WILL CONFER WITH JEWS 60! Restore color to your gray hair. Keep young. Why not? No need growing old so fast. No excuse now that you know how Ayer's Hair Vigor always restores color.

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Swamp-Root, discovered by the emin kidney and bladder specialist, promptly cures kidney, liver, bladder and uric acid troubles. Some of the early symptoms of weak

kidneys are pain or duli ache in the buck, rheumatism, dizziness, headache, nerv-ausness, caturrh of the bindder, gravel or calcull, bloating, sellow complexion, puffy or dark circles under the eyes, suppression of urine, or compelled to pass water often day and night. The mild and extraordinary effect of the

world-famous kidney remedy, Dr. Kil-mer's Swamp-Root, is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures

stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing case. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything, but if you have kidney, liver, bladder or uric acid trouble you will find it just the remedy you need.

Sold by druggiats in fifty-cent and one-dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle of Dr. Klimer's Swamp-Root and a pamphlet that tells all about it, inclinding many of the thousands of letters received from sufferers cured, both sent free by mail. Write Dr. Klimer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., and please be sure to mention. mail. Write Dr. Klimer & Co., Bingham-ton, N. Y., and piense be sure to mention that you read this generous offer in the Portland Daily Oregonian. Don't make any mistake, but remember the nams, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottie.

the only line of road open, the electric road from Leavenworth, Kan Street-cars in the suburb began to run after a fashion this morning with power furnished by the dynamos at Leaven-worth. The lack of gas is severely felt.

More Rescues Are Effected. Fings of distress from partially inun-dated buildings in Armourdale could be seen during the day, a number of rescues

were effected.

The day brought to light no facts on which to base even an approximation of deaths in the flood. Possibly ten bodies have been seen floating since Sunday, but estimates from this are valueless, as the bodies may have floated down the Kaw from Topeka, or the bodies, changing with the ever-changing eddles of the flood, may have been counted several times, and partially submerged wreckage may have been mistaken for bodies.

There is a feeling among business men that Kansas City should show the country at large that it is not disabled by the flood, and that normal conditions will prevail as soon as the rivers shall recede.

EIGHT HUNDRED HOMELESS Tornado in Georgia Causes a Property Loss of \$500,000.

GAINESVILLE, Ga., June 2-The 6000 nhabitants of this city have tonight just begun to realize the extent of the appall-ing disaster of yesterday. It now seems that the death list will not be much abort of 100, perhaps somewhat over 100; a con-siderable number of dangerously wounded. whose chances for recovery cannot be cal-culated.

Figuring from an available source, and giving credence only to those reports which are believed to be trustworthy, the following is a summary of the effects of the tornado in Gainesville and its sub-

One hundred killed, 150 injured, of whom probably 20 will die; 300 homeless, their residences having been wiped out of ex-istence; property loss of about \$500,000, none of which is covered by storm insur-

The death list so far compiled includes 32 at the Pacolet cotton milis at New Holland, all of whom were killed in the demolition of the company's cottages, and 36 at the Gainesville cotton mills, near the Southern Railway station, where the tor-nado first struck. Dubuque Banquets the President.

DUBUQUE, In., June 2.—President Rocevelt arrived here at 6 o'clock this evening. He spent the night here. To-morrow morning at 6 o'clock he will leave for the East. When the President reached here this evening he was greeted reached here this evening he was greeted with the Presidential salute and cheera of several thousand people. The drive through the city ended after a tour of the hills overlooking the Mississippi River at the Dubuque Club, where the President and party were banqueted by the Du-buque Club. ke to 8000 people. Later the President

Bishop Did Denounce Socialism. DENVER, June 1.—The committee ap-pointed by the American Labor Union Con-vention yesterday to visit Bishop Matz and learn if he was correctly quoted in his anti-socialism sermon Sunday reported to-day that the bishop affirmed the newspaper reports. No action was taken by the convention on the matter.

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