

SUFFERERS' FUND GROWS BY BOUNDS

Portland Stands Ready to Offer Assistance at Other Storm-Swept Points.

NEARLY \$5000 IS ON HAND

Aggregate of Collections Exceeds \$20,000, With Money Still Coming and Vast Quantity of Supplies in Shipment.

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Portland has done more than its proportionate share in relieving flood sufferers in Ohio and Indiana and now stands ready to offer assistance to possible victims of high waters in the Ohio and Mississippi river valleys.

When the Chamber of Commerce committee in charge of local relief work met yesterday morning, E. C. Giltner, secretary, reported that money coming into the office so rapidly that the \$10,000 mark would be reached without counting the \$1125 collected by individual members of the Commercial Club and the \$1101.50 raised through the "Follies" production on Saturday night.

With \$483.42 remaining on hand and money still coming in, it is probable that more than \$5000 will be available tonight.

Many checks came into the office of Secretary Giltner yesterday by mail. Other persons have advised him that their contributions are in the mail, so he expects that the fund will be substantially increased today.

Some of the churches that took up collections on Sunday for the benefit of the flood sufferers yesterday sent the money to the Chamber of Commerce. Other churches forwarded their funds direct to their respective denominational representatives in the field.

The collections in the Commercial Club far exceeded the sum that was expected would be raised there. While each member was asked to give but \$1 many gave \$5 and some gave as much as \$50 each.

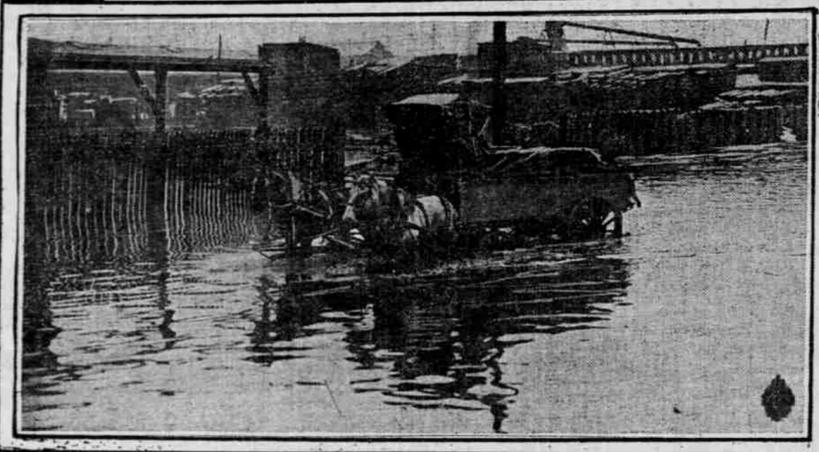
Outside Help Material. Many donations have come into the fund from nearby points in Oregon and Washington. The engineers having charge of the work on the Cello Canal near The Dalles made up a substantial amount. The women at the same place collected \$11.

A Commercial Traveler left \$5 in The Oregonian office yesterday to be turned over to the Chamber of Commerce.

Another man left \$5 cash last night for the same purpose.

Exclusive of the Commercial Club's fund and the receipts from "The Follies" performance, the collections at the Chamber of Commerce yesterday were as follows:

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ABOVE—BRIDGE BEING SWEEP AWAY AT CLEVELAND. MIDDLE—NAVIGATING UNDER DIFFICULTIES IN CLEVELAND. BELOW—ANOTHER CLEVELAND FLOOD SCENE.

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Aggregate Exceeds \$20,000. Taking into consideration cash contributed through other sources Portland now has collected more than \$20,000 for the benefit of the storm victims.

List of Identified Dead Is Now 60. News From Outside World Begins to Filter Into Stricken City—Aid Given Many.

South Dayton, O., March 31.—Orville Wright, who like thousands of other Daytonians was engaged today in shoveling mud from his home, had no chance to use an aeroplane when the flood came.

When warning of the flood was received, his father, Bishop Wright, and his sister, Katherine, left the Wright home in a wagon. In some way they became separated, and for two days the inventor could not find his father, who, however, had experienced no mishap.

Fire broke out in a building near the old shop where the Wright brothers worked for many years perfecting their flying machine. Orville was greatly relieved to find that the flames had spared the shop and its valuable contents.

City Provides \$50,000. At a meeting of the relief committee and members of the City Council, who have been relieved of active participation in the city government, Councilmen declared their individual willingness to co-operate with the committee for the protection and rehabilitation of the city.

WRIGHT IS TRAPPED

Aviator at Dayton Has No Chance to Use Aeroplane.

COURTSMARTIAL ARE HELD

15 NEW YORK LEADERS OPPOSE DROPPING OF 'PROTESTANT'

OFFER WAS SO FAIR IT APPEALED TO ME

Said Seattle Man, Speaking of Plant Juice, Which Has Benefited His Wife Greatly.

"MADE IN OREGON"

LUNCHEONS will be the feature of the Imperial Grill Wednesday noons. Phil Metschan will serve at these luncheons only food grown or produced in Oregon.

BELLE COURT APARTMENTS

Trinity Place, near Washington St. Have you seen these beautiful apartments? A place of beauty and artistic appointments.

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anxious to learn of conditions in other cities in the flooded districts. News of the death of J. P. Morgan today first reached the public through a bulletin posted by a representative of the Associated Press. Later the Dayton News, whose plant was inundated, put a two-page paper on the streets in which a few details of the death of the great financier were printed.

NEW YORK, March 31.—The recent agitation in the Protestant Episcopal Church and in its press to eliminate from its name the word "Protestant," or to adopt a new name, has called forth a letter of protest from 15 prominent rectors of New York, which has been sent to the Right Rev. Daniel S. Tuttle, of Missouri, presiding bishop of the church.

Here is a testimonial from M. F. L. Kehoe, of Seattle, by which his wife has been benefited by the use of Plant Juice, the new tonic that is being introduced in the Northwest.

As a tonic, vitalizer and general corrective for all disorders of the stomach, kidneys, liver or blood Plant Juice stands in a class by itself.

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CINCINNATI RELIEF MORE THAN ENOUGH

Ohio River Still Rises but Relief Is Crest of Flood Is Soon at Hand.

DIRECT LOSS \$2,000,000

Conditions in Towns on Kentucky Side Deplorable, All Being Without Lights—1000 Homes in Dayton, Ky., Under Water.

CINCINNATI, O., March 31.—When the Ohio River here reaches a stage of 69.7 which is expected about midnight, the crest of the flood at this point will have been reached. The stage late today was 58.5 feet.

Relief provisions locally and also in the near-by inundated territories are more than adequate and a statement was issued today by Mayor Hunt to the effect that no supplies were required here. The supplies are being turned over to the Red Cross authorities for distribution.

Across the river from here in the several Kentucky cities and towns that practically form one large city, conditions still are deplorable. All of them are without lights.

Relief measures have proved adequate in all the Kentucky towns across the river from here. It is estimated that 1000 homes have been inundated in Dayton, Ky., and that more than 4000 persons are homeless and dependent upon relief measures for subsistence.

Silverton May Raise \$1000. SILVERTON, O., March 31.—(Special.)—A mass meeting of the citizens of Silverton was called at the Opera House yesterday at 3 P. M. by Mayor Bowser to raise funds for flood sufferers.

Springfield Grange Raises \$100. SPRINGFIELD, O., March 31.—(Special.)—During the meeting of the Grange here today over \$100 was raised in a few minutes for the Ohio and Indiana flood sufferers.

Sheridan Sends Foodstuffs. SHERIDAN, O., March 31.—(Special.)—A full car of foodstuffs consisting of potatoes and flour, was donated and loaded today for the flood sufferers and will go by first train to Governor Cox.

Salem Subscribes \$900. SALEM, O., March 31.—(Special.)—Various contributions from sources in Salem for Ohio flood sufferers have reached the \$900 mark up to tonight.

Portland's Best Lunch. Served at the Holtz Store. Daily from 11 A. M. to 6 P. M. Best foods, quick service, low prices. Try it today. "Holtz Corner," Fifth and Washington. Back-street entrance, next to restaurant.

So It Would Stay. Cincinnati Enquirer. "Don't you think that we should have a more elastic currency?" asked the Old Fogey.

Portland's Best Shoe Store. 129 TENTH STREET Between Washington and Alder

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INNOVATION Wardrobe Trunks Conform to the New Baggage Rule

Big Trunks Barred As Free Baggage

Interstate Commerce Board Fixes Limit at 45 Inches. WHAT'LL THE WOMEN DO? Railroad Men Said Trunks Were Growing Larger and a Halt Had to Be Called.

—The revolt against the ungainly trunk has come. According to the new ruling by the Interstate Commerce Commission, trunks over 45 inches in height will be charged for as excess baggage, at the rate of five pounds for every inch over 45 inches.

—If you are buying a new trunk for your Spring trip or Summer tour, you might as well buy one that conforms to the new rules. —Traveling with an Innovation Wardrobe Trunk is a great comfort. Fastidious folk have found that the joys of travel have been increased a hundred-fold since the trunk manufacturers hit upon the scheme of making it possible to transport one's combined bureau and wardrobe direct to one's hotel at the end of a journey and have everything stay put.

Innovation Trunk Sale For One Week Only

—Through a special concession granted by the manufacturers of Innovation Trunks, who rigidly adhere to established prices, we are enabled to offer during this week Innovation Trunks at prices lower than have ever been sold before. This special concession will positively not be conceded again this season.

\$30.00 Innovation Trunks, Special \$24.75 \$50.00 Innovation Trunks, Special \$39.75 \$65.00 Innovation Trunks, Special \$54.75

Sipman Wolfe & Co Merchandise of Merit Only

J.N. Green Trading Stamps With Every Purchase. OUR \$5 Shoes are from the best makers in America—houses that set the styles. You'll recognize their superiority at a glance. Smart Button Boots, Pumps, Colonials, Oxfords. Utmost at, pair \$5

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