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Painters, However, Hopeful of Winning Out This Week.

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If the other master painters do not soon sign the agreement with the union they will lose their business.

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"We'll never go down the Nile with the clothes we wore while. But we'll still be fighting for the Battle of the Nile."

BID DEFIANCE TO TRADE UNIONS

The Master Builders Association this afternoon issued the following: To the Building Trades Council and Carpenters' Union, No. 10:

CHURCH WORK IS PRODUCTIVE

As the result of an original plan devised by Rev. E. L. House, pastor of the First Congregational Church, that organization has practically freed itself from debt.

MARINE NOTES.

Steamer Ruth arrives this evening with cargo and passengers from San Francisco, Eureka and Coos Bay.

REGULATOR TO BURN OIL

River steamer Regulator today made her first run of the season, taking a large number of passengers and much freight to the Dalles.

ACTION AGAINST PROCTOR

REDDING, Cal., April 15.—The secret of the delays of the McClell River Power Company have been made public by the filing in the Superior Court today of a complaint against George H. Proctor, president of the company.

DISPATCH IN FORT.

The steam schooner Dispatch arrived this morning from San Francisco and is now taking on her cargo at the Eastern Lumber Mills.

REVIVAL CLOSSES.

The revival meetings in the Volunteers' Hall, conducted by Rev. Canadine, closed last night. A large crowd was in attendance.

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EXPLOSION IN MINE.

A powder explosion occurred in a mine at Vivian today. Six miners are reported killed.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

LABOR TROUBLES AIRED IN COURT

Union Carpenters Accused of Assault—Judge Hogue's Lecture.

The troubles arising from the strike situation have found their way into the Municipal Court.

The reception given last night at the Portland Hotel, complimentary to Ella Wheeler Wilcox, was in every sense of the word, a success.

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