

200 ARE DEAD AT DAYTON OHIO

Latest Reports Indicate That the Loss of Life in Ohio Is Over Estimated.

DEATH TOLL IN INDIANA IS STILL UNCERTAIN

White Slavers Are Operating in Omaha and Authorities Are Alarmed.

Continued from Saturday, March 29.

Dayton, March 29.—Dayton's loss of life probably will not exceed 200.

This estimate is based upon a personal canvass of almost 100 of Dayton's leading citizens, men of unquestioned judgment and reliability, who have been engaged in relief and rescue work in every section of the city ever since the rising waters invaded the business section.

The property loss, tangible and real, will probably exceed \$50,000,000. This includes damage to real estate and public works in those parts of the city where these forms of property are most valuable; to automobiles stored in two leading garages and other personal property, much of which was owned by the more prosperous residents; to manufacturing, mercantile and jewelers' stocks, which were swept away, and to public utility plants and equipment.

The cost of building miles of asphalt streets and walks, which literally were ripped from their beds, is also included.

The loss of life was confined almost entirely to North Dayton, inhabited by foreigners and laborers, west Dayton, which comprises districts of a more substantial character, and to Riverdale.

Omaha, March 29.—White slavers menaced the peace of Omaha today for the first time since Sunday's tornado. They were discovered taking in refugees in the stricken district and the detective force of the city was put to work at once rounding up suspects. Some of them became so bold as to represent themselves as relief workers and began taking young girl refugees into homes which apparently had been furnished to attract white slave victims. Two women and one man were arrested this afternoon. They are believed to have come from Chicago.

The central relief committee, when its members discovered the presence of these dangerous persons in the city, almost abandoned its relief work for a few hours to take time to meet the new danger. A meeting was held immediately and detectives and militiamen were put to work on the case.

West Dayton, O., March 28.—Members of the United States lifesaving crew of Louisville, who have navigated along sections of flooded Dayton heretofore unexplored, returned today at noon, reporting conditions in North Dayton and Riverdale quite as deplorable as the first estimates indicated, so far as the suffering of the people was concerned.

Indianapolis, March 28.—Indiana's flood death toll remains uncertain tonight, with all reports confirming more conservative estimates of the loss of life.

Panic is attacking cities in the southern valleys of the White and Wabash rivers and all along the Ohio, as rising waters threaten repetitions of the up-state horrors.

Sunshine and disappearing waters relieved sufferers in the cities that have been flooded, but authorities at various localities face a great problem in fighting off disease. Refugees are demanding insistently that they be permitted to return to their devastated homes.

SUCCESSFUL OPERATIONS PERFORMED THIS MORNING

D. O. Woodworth Underwent Operation for Appendicitis; 2 Others Performed.

Mrs. E. A. Sibbett, of Junction City, was operated upon this morning at St. Mary's hospital for appendicitis by Dr. J. P. Wallace and Dr. Russell Wallace. The operation was pronounced very successful and the lady was reported this afternoon as resting comfortably.

D. O. Woodworth, the prominent druggist of this city, also underwent a successful operation for appendicitis this morning at St. Mary's hospital. The operation was performed by Dr. Russell Wallace and Dr. M. H. Ellis. Mr. Woodworth was reported as resting easily at the hospital this afternoon.

Dr. Russell Wallace and Dr. A. G. Hill, of Seis, performed an operation this forenoon at the hospital on Mrs. A. J. Amann, of Shelburn, for tumor. The operation is reported to be very successful and an early recovery is anticipated for the patient.

Prof. L. A. Bexel, of the O. A. C., was in the city today.

S. E. YOUNG & SON WILL CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Have Been in the New Location One Year; Special Values Show Appreciation.

The big dry goods firm of S. E. Young & Son will celebrate its first anniversary in the magnificent new building, corner of Second and Broad-albin Streets, Monday, March 31.

It will be exactly a year ago tomorrow, Sunday, that the big concern removed from the old location, where the new First National bank building now stands, into the new building. On account of this date falling on Sunday, the occasion will be observed on Monday.

This is one of the largest department stores in the Willamette Valley and is a credit to a city of this size. S. E. Young and son, P. A. Young, members of the firm, have been in business in this city for many years and have always enjoyed a large patronage. They are probably the best known merchants in this section. They have taken an active part in the mercantile world of this city and have been closely identified with the advancement and upbuilding of the community.

Knowing of no better way to show their appreciation of the patronage during the past year, than by offering special values on their superb stock, to their many patrons, the firm has taken this course to show their gratitude. Accordingly, a special sale on all the stock in the big store will prevail Monday at extremely low prices. Preparations have been made to handle large crowds expected to visit this store during the day and if there is a store in this city that can make its patrons at home and comfortable, it is the store of S. E. Young & Son. The splendid rest room on the second floor will be at the disposal of everyone.

UNSKILLED FOREIGN LABOR SHOULD BE PROHIBITED

This Is According to Ruling of Judges in the Oregon and Washington Debate.

That the immigration to the United States of unskilled laborers of the Slavonic, Italic and Hellenic races of Eastern and Southeastern Europe should be prohibited was the judgment of the court that tried the case in the debate at Eugene last night between the University of Washington and the University of Oregon, won by Oregon on the affirmative. The Washington team was composed of Arthur Younger, a former Albany boy, native of this city, a bright young man with a splendid future in view, and Vincent Roberts, another very capable young man, and the U. of O., by David Pickett, of Prineville, and Vernon Motschenbacher, of Klamath Falls, two young men of ability and good address. Two of the judges were from Albany, President Crooks, of the College, and F. P. Nutting, and one from Salem, Col. E. Hofer, who voted unanimously for the affirmative, though recognizing the splendid efforts of the negative.

ALBANY MEN APPOINTED DELEGATES TO CONFERENCE

Pres. Crooks and Rev. Geselbracht Will Attend Christian Citizenship Conference.

Among the many distinguished men who have been appointed delegates to the great Second World's Christian Citizenship Conference to be held in Portland, Oregon, June 29th-July 6th, 1913, are Pres. H. M. Crooks of Albany College and Rev. F. H. Geselbracht of the First Presbyterian church.

In fourteen states definite organizations are now being formed under state secretaries and it is certain that some eminent man in this state has been or will be named for this important post.

More than 100 of the world's greatest orators will take part in the conference which will doubtless attract 20,000 persons to Portland. The affair is everywhere regarded as the most important social and religious event of modern times.

Wells Fargo & Company will carry all relief supplies for the flooded districts in Indiana and Ohio when addressed to organized charitable institutions of municipal authorities.

C. B. WINN, Agt.

Sam Richardson, the veteran lawyer of Salem, twenty-nine years in the practice of his profession at the Capital City, was in the city this morning on his way home from Corvallis, where he had been on a legal battle.

Arthur Younger, of the U. of W., Seattle, spent this forenoon in Albany seeing the big improvements of the Hub, since he left here about ten years ago. He resided with his folks in the eastern suburbs of the city for a number of years, a grandson of J. P. Galloway, going from here with his folks to Washington to reside.

J. Fred Yates, of Corvallis, went to Salem this morning on a legal trip.

SUPREME COURT TO DECIDE LAND TITLE

Oscar Black Will Endeavor to Prove That He Is Son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Black.

RIGHT TO 102 ACRES OF LAND NEAR WATERLOO UNSETTLED

Case Was Tried in the Circuit Court Last October; Attracted Much Attention.

In a new effort to establish his alleged right to 102 acres of land located near Waterloo, Oscar Black of Prineville, Ore., has served notice of appeal to the state supreme court, from the decision rendered in his case in the state circuit court of Linn county last October.

This case occupied considerable attention when it was tried before Judge Galloway last year. It was one of the biggest trials on the docket, growing out of a suit filed by Black against Mary E. Hurst, to establish his title to the land, now owned by the defendant. In the suit Black claimed that the property was his by inheritance.

According to the verdict of the jury Black was barred from any interest, right or title in the land and practically decided that the plaintiff was not a son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Black, former residents of Waterloo.

Facts in the case show that the land was formerly owned by Alexander Black, who died in 1893. The land then went to Mrs. Isabelle Black, his widow, who some time after the death of her husband married David Wright. Afterwards the land was sold to Rebecca Hall who later sold it to Mary E. Hurst.

Oscar Black was born in Canada, in 1879, residing with his parents until the age of 7 years. According to his testimony at the trial, he came to this country with his parents. Shortly afterwards his father died and his mother remarried. He claimed that he was driven from home by Wright, who told him that he was not a child of Mr. and Mrs. Black.

After shuffling for himself for many years, Black realized according to his testimony, that the land was his by right of inheritance, hence the suit was instituted against Mary E. Hurst.

SANTIAM RIVER IS RAPIDLY RISING ACCORDING TO REPORT

However No Alarm Is Felt as High Water Is Not Due This Season.

According to a telephonic communication received here this morning, the Santiam river is rapidly rising due to the heavy rains in the mountain districts which are melting the heavy snows, which has been covering the mountains for some time.

However, no alarm is felt by the people of that section. It is believed that the raise of the Santiam will cause the Willamette river to swell considerably, but the authorities state, that there need be no alarm felt here as the season is late and it is believed that there will be no serious high water.

INFANT SON SUCCEUMBS WITH PNEUMONIA TODAY

Frederick A. Kreger, the 1-month old child of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Kreger, succumbed to pneumonia this morning after a lingering illness, at the home of its parents, who reside 3 miles south of this city. The child was born March 3.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow from the residence with interment in the Christian cemetery, located on the Corvallis road on this side of the river, 5 miles South of here.

Mrs. O. P. Dannels and daughter, Mrs. Merrill, went to Salem this afternoon.

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NO DANGER OF HIGH WATER SAYS LOCAL DISPLAYMAN

According to Records of F. M. French, River Will Not Rise This Late.

That there is no danger from high water this late in the season is evident from the record, kept by F. M. French, local displayman. Since 1861 never but once has there been water as high as even ten feet as late as this. That was on April 7, 1907, when the river reached 21 feet, a stage of the water not at all serious.

Only four times in fifty years has there been high water in March. The dates were as follows: March 3, 1869, 3 feet; March 10, 1904, 21 feet; March 16, 1908, 10.3 feet; March 3, 1910, 20 feet. Since 1861 the river has been thirty feet high only seven times, as follows: Dec. 8, 1861, 36 feet; Jan. 14, 1881, 32.8 feet; February 4, 1891, 33.9 feet; January 15, 1901, 30.5 feet; Jan. 26, 1903, 31.5 feet; Feb. 6, 1907, 30.8 feet; Nov. 24, 1909, 31 feet.

According to the record since 1861, sixty-two years, the river has reached a stage of ten or more feet thirty-two times, segregated in months as follows: November, 2 times; December, 7 times; January, 11 times; February, 7 times; March, 4 times; April, once.

It takes about twenty feet to get over the banks of the river. About 36 feet would be required to reach First street.

Mr. French reports a good deal of interest along the river in the condition of things during the day receiving many telephone messages. It is not at all likely that the river will rise enough to cause any alarm. The above record is an interesting one and speaks for the past.

An eight pound baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. George E. Sanders this morning. All are reported as doing well.

The stork also visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stearns, this morning, and left a bright seven pound baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hofer, of Salem, went to Corvallis this afternoon for a visit with their son and daughter, prominent students in the O. A. C.

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HAMILTONS
P. A. Millard, D. E. Millard, Billie Millard and V. Kulhon, a company of evangelists, passed through the city today for Brownsville, where they will have charge of services in the Christian church.
Dr. H. P. Merrill arrived home this afternoon from Chicago, and will spend some time here before returning East for a couple of years of medical work in a New Haven hospital.

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