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RECEEDING.

The Water Leaves the Delta
Everything Safe at New Orleans--
Levees Will Stand the Strain

MEMPHIS, April 10.—Notwithstanding the high winds and heavy storms reported from the overflowed Mississippi delta last night, the situation in the flood-stricken district is certainly no worse, if not better tonight. The water, which has been pouring through five big crevasses for more than a week, is rapidly flowing into the Mississippi again at a point twelve miles north of Vicksburg, and is sweeping southward with a terrible force. The strain on the Louisiana levees will be something terrific for a week, and if they stand that length of time all will be well.

The Sunflower river is almost on a rampage. Two-thirds of the water from the Flower Lake crevasse is rushing into this stream, and a large area will be inundated from the flow. The Tallahatchee and Coldwater rivers are gradually falling. At Aelena the river is slowly falling and indications are that the big stream will continue to decline. The waters below the Arkansas Midland levee are at a standstill tonight.

The number of refugees is increasing at Helena almost hourly. The steamer Maud arrived there this afternoon with more than 100 flood sufferers, swelling the list there to 3,000. At Greenville the situation has not changed. All levees along the Mississippi front safely withstood the storm of last night. At Memphis the river continues to fall.

All railroads, with one exception, are again open for business and in good shape, and all trains are being run on schedule time.

The Postal Congress.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—The post-office department has leased the old Corcoran Art Gallery building for the use of the postal congress, which is to assemble on May 15th. It is expected congress will be in session six or eight weeks. The entire building will be fitted and furnished expressly for the congress.

The union embraces the whole world excepting the Chinese empire, Korea and the Orange Free State. These latter countries are expected to be represented by delegates. Each nation can send any number of delegates but has but one vote.

An appropriation for the congress has not been made, but the pending sundry bill appropriates for this purpose \$100,000. The usual cost of conferences is said to be about \$250,000.

Declined Aid.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—The people of the submerged district of the Red river of the North have declined the government aid voted them by congress on Wednesday.

When the flood came in the Red river quarter, a million dollars' worth of property was destroyed at Fargo, N. D., and 50 miles of fertile territory inundated. An appeal was made to congress through the mayor of Fargo. Yesterday the prospects all along the Red river of the North, were brighter, and this morning Representative Johnson received the following telegram from the mayor of Fargo: "Have declined aid from congress. Water receding fast. Damage not as great as expected."

A Cyclone in Alabama.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., April 10.—A special to the Advertiser from Ozark, Fla., says:

A cyclone passed over a portion of Dale county, last night, leaving wreck and disaster in its path. Many houses were demolished. Mrs. Powers was caught by the falling timber of her home and died before she could be rescued. The rest of the family were rescued. This is the only fatality reported. For many miles the farmers are suffering, everything they had being swept away by the wind or ruined by the torrents of rain. The citizens of Ozark, have sent several wagon loads of supplies to those in need.

A Revolt Suppressed.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—Adyices from Tahiti state that Queen Manae, who for seven years, as ruler of the islands of Raiatea, has defied the French, has surrendered, and that the long-standing rebellion on the islands of Raiatea and Huahine has been put down.

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GREECE.

Greek Brigands Engage Turks
The Greek Invaders Completely
Surrounded.

ELASSONA, April 10.—A dispatch received at Turkish headquarters here from Grovena says the fighting between Greek and Turks continues. The Turks, following out the instructions of Edham Pasha, have surrounded the Greek irregulars and the greater part of the Turkish division stationed at Grovena is now advancing. It is impossible to distinguish whether the invaders are supported by any substantial portion of the Greek regular army, but the correspondent of the Associated Press is informed the moment the Turkish officers ascertain the presence of uniforms of Greek regulars in the ranks of the aggressors, Edham Pasha will order an advance of the entire Turkish army. The situation is most serious.

All Europe Excited.

NEW YORK, April 9.—A Herald special from St. Petersburg says:

At a reception given by the Spanish minister, Count Muraviev was much congratulated on the soundness, completeness and masterliness of his note. Another subject discussed was what are generally considered the warlike words of Mr. Balfour. Astonishment was the general expression, for there was, according to a leading diplomat, no reason why such a speech of provocation language should be indulged in at a moment when England and France were thought to be getting on well for once.

It is commented upon that during the recent interview between Lord Salisbury and M. Hanotaux, the latter complained about the undue violence of words used by certain English statesmen as regards France in the Egyptian question. The former agreed that it was a pity and said he would use his influence that it should not occur again. Now comes this sort of a second defiance, the first being that of Sir Michael Hicks Beach, which so stirred the Chauvinists that made M. Hanotaux's position difficult.

The delay of the blockade is not deemed a drawback to the decidedly pacific tendencies which are springing up in Greece. At the worst, nothing more is feared than that the Greeks may feel it incumbent upon themselves to suffer one death at the hands of the Turks, if only to appease the national excitement and avoid a possible revolution.

News at Athens.

ATHENS, April 10, 1:30 a. m.—A private dispatch just received from Kalamabak says that a band of irregulars, who were compelled to return to Greek territory, heard a sharp fusillade between the Greek and the Turkish outposts. The dispatches merely report that three Greek bands invaded the Turkish territory. But the sensation of the incident is increasing here, and there is no telling what the effect of it will be in the present inflammable condition of the public mind.

May Spread.

LONDON, April 10.—The Daily Telegraph will publish a dispatch from its war correspondent at Ellassona, confirming the reported invasion of Albania, between Grevena and Krania. The correspondent says: "The invasion took place early in the morning, and a desultory fusillade has proceeded all day long. It is thought probable that fighting will break out along the entire frontier. A Turkish council of war was held here today."

Invading Greeks.

LONDON, April 10.—A dispatch to the Daily News from Ellassona, dated 3:30 p. m. yesterday says: "The invading Greeks number 1000, and are holding their own. Telegrams are proceeding incessantly between Grevena and Constantinople."

Squadron Summoned.

LARISSA, April 10.—It is rumored here that three bands of insurgents, each numbering about 600 men, have appeared at different points in Macedonia.

The Greek trading steamer Thessalia after landing passengers at Volo on Wednesday, was sent urgently to the island of Skiathos with an important dispatch for the Eastern Greek squadron.

Turkish Line of Defense.

ELASSONA, Macedonia, April 10.—The correspondent of the Associated Press was enabled this morning to make a close investigation of the Turkish line of defense. It revealed that everything is in excellent shape. The transport service is excellent. Four thousand packhorses are employed, and enormous masses of war stores, pontoons, cannon, tents, munitions, ammunition, and in fact everything needed for a large army has been gathered here.

Caused By An Explosion.

BUENOS AYRES, April 10.—An immense amount of damage has been caused by the explosion on a car loaded with fireworks. The accident occurred to the car near a block of buildings adjacent to the bourse, and the buildings almost immediately caught fire. The whole block was destroyed before the flames were under control. Ten persons lost their lives from the explosion or during the conflagration.

OFFICIAL.

The Business of the People.
The Case of School District No. 98
Continued.

Secretary of State Kincald will spend Sunday at his home in Eugene as is his custom.

J. S. Wickersham, of Portland was appointed today.

Governor Lord went to Portland to spend Saturday.

An old man named Harris, an inmate of the asylum, escaped from that institution last evening. He was committed from Portland, and was seen near Brooks going north.

Frank Andrews of Jackson county was committed to the state prison today for larceny, for 18 months.

A divorce suit on the grounds of cruelty and failure to provide has been filed in the circuit court by Ica Loughmiller vs. Wilam Loughmiller.

Mary Parkinson was brought to the asylum today from Pendleton. She is 22 years old. When a child she was abused by her playmates.

A remittance of \$5,500 on taxes for 1896 has been received by the state treasurer from Benton county, and one of \$8,000 from Jackson county.

The supreme court will go to Pendleton, on May 3, to hold its annual Eastern Oregon term there.

The governor has granted a full pardon to Richard Barker, who was sentenced two years ago, in Multnomah county, for a term of five years in the penitentiary for defrauding a Portland fraternal organization.

INCORPORATED.

The Benson Drug Company, capital, \$3000, divided into 150 shares of \$20 each; incorporators, J. A. Benson, J. S. Benson and Jane Benson; location, Cottage Grove.

The Independent Warehouse Company, of Pendleton; capital, \$10,000, divided into 100 shares of \$10 each; incorporators, Thomas C. Taylor, Robert Forster, and E. E. Purinton.

The Bandon Light & Water Company, of Bandon, Coos county; to furnish light and water for general use; capital, \$5000, divided into 200 shares of \$25 each; incorporators, Elbert Dyer, A. H. Buckingham and Fanny E. Dyer.

FREQUENT OFFENSE.

The crime of defacing public buildings is altogether too common in Oregon. One can hardly go anywhere in a public place without seeing this work, often ribald and obscene in sentiment. This is especially true about Salem.

Governor Lord has remitted a short part of a sentence passed on a 16-year-old boy at Hillsboro, who was convicted of the offense of defacing a public building in that county.

Charles Bennett, who was in jail for defacing a public building in Washington county, has now been pardoned by Governor Lord. He was sentenced six months and has served most of his time. There are boys and even young men about Salem who should take warning that defacing is a crime.

DISTRICT NO. 96.

The hold-up in elections of school directors continues and this historical Sunnyside district had another hearing before State Sup. Irwin this forenoon. D. S. Kain, W. H. Miles and J. D. Alexander claim to be the legally elected board of directors.

Wm. Chambers, H. H. Smith and D. S. Kain, are the old board and claim there was never a constitutional election and that they hold over, very much as the Oregon railroad commission holdover. Their argument was that a director must be elected at the regular annual meeting, and that at the annual meeting a clerk was elected, but no director. The directors about which there is a controversy were chosen at a special meeting.

Mr. Kain claims that the new board was elected legally by a majority of the electors, and that the question of majority rule is involved. State Superintendent Irwin has granted a further hearing in this very complicated matter for next Saturday at ten o'clock. His ruling so far has only affected qualification of voters.

He holds that all who are legal voters and own property on which they are taxed in their own name, or voters who send children to school, or women who own property on which they pay taxes in their own name or who send their children to school, are entitled to vote. The opposing parties are to be heard in oral argument or by briefs. In the mean time strong efforts will be made to compromise the matter.

At the City Hall.

Workmen have been engaged at the city hall during the past week in materially improving and beautifying the grounds about that handsome structure. The intervening space between the cement walks has been converted into lawns and flower beds which add greatly to the attractiveness of the city hall itself. Clover and grass seed has been sown and the same has put in an appearance. The work of placing a cement curbing along High and Chemeketa streets, on the edge of the city hall property, has been almost completed. Wm. Feidt, who owns the three cottages on High street adjoining the city hall on the south, is having a cement walk constructed in front thereof, to take the place of a dilapidated plank walk. John Heidecker, the cement artist, is doing the work.

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CHEMAWA.

Mr. Albert Duke departed for his home at Ranier, Wash., Monday. Supt. Patrick, who accompanied the party of students from Round Valley, Cal., took his departure for his home Sunday.

Henry Lewis, of class '90, took his departure from the school Monday. His destination was Turner, Or. Mr. L. Fave, of Umatilla, Or., is at present visiting his children, who are pupils of the school, and seems pleased with their surroundings and progress.

Dr. W. S. Johnson, the school physician, made a business trip to Portland on Wednesday.

A band concert and sociable was held Saturday evening in honor of the twenty-seven new pupils from Round Valley, Cal.

Mrs. Mary E. Reason, the principal teacher, arrived on Friday and will commence her duties on Monday.

Arbor day was observed by the Chemawa Indian school. There were 103 trees planted and a few were dedicated to prominent men. Among those thus honored were: President McKinley, Cornelius Bliss, commissioner of Indian affairs, D. M. Browning, Congressman Tongue, Senator McBride and Wm. Jennings Bryan. The last named person owns a beautiful soft maple, which was selected and dedicated by the farmers.

A game of baseball, the first game of the season, was played on Arbor day by a picked nine, of the boys, and the "grass cutters," a nine composed of employees. Score 40 to 4 in favor of the boys.

Farming has now commence in earnest, and if the weather will only permit, a large crop of early vegetables will be the result.

The boys have organized a basketball team and are undergoing training daily.

Mrs. Flora French of Salem is visiting her daughter, who is a member of the faculty of our school.

Miss Laufman, who has been on the sick list for a few days is now able to be on duty.

Mrs. Kelly paid a business visit to Portland on Thursday.

Salem Goods.

T. B. Kay, of the Salem Woolen mill, returned yesterday from a two weeks' trip to San Francisco where he had gone to dispose of a portion of the factory's output. Mr. Kay says this was the most successful trip he ever made in the interest of the mill, he having taken orders for all the goods it could put out for the present.

A railroad man at Ashland told a JOURNAL reporter Friday that his wife had bought a dress of beautiful blue serge of Olds and King, Portland at 75 cents a yard, which all who looked at it in the store lying along side of imported and eastern serges, declared it was a superior fabric to any of them. It was made at the Salem Woolen mills. This new brand of manufactures should be patronized by Oregon people when buying dress goods. Fashion will not be dictated to in matters of taste, but there is little excuse these hard times wearing imported serges when equal fine if not superior wares can be produced at home.

Created a Disturbance.

John Luke, a deaf-mute, created a disturbance in the Western saloon about 1:30 p. m. today and was immediately ejected at the side door, the proprietor locking the door behind the man. The mute then proceeded to demolish the window lights and re-entered the saloon. Chief A. C. Dille arrived at this juncture and took charge of the man but experienced quite a struggle with him before handing him in the city jail. In the scuffle Chief Dille received a fearful blow over the nose that caused the blood to flow quite freely. The man was beastly intoxicated and will be arraigned Monday before Recorder Edes on two charges viz: that of drunkenness and also of resisting an officer.

Union Club.

The program committee, of the Salem Bimetallic Union, has the following questions for discussion on next Thursday evening:

1. Municipal ownership of public franchises.
2. Further discussion of what should be the legal rate of interest.
3. Oughtold soldiers to surrender their pensions to the soldiers' home?

The Knoxville Fire.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., April 10.—A special to the News, from Knoxville, says S. F. Williams, of Springfield, Mass., and W. H. Holloway, of Newport, Tenn., are known to have perished in yesterday's fire. J. M. Bogle's death is now thought to be a matter of only a few hours. The loss is now estimated at \$1,100,000. Insurance \$600,000.

Will Pray for Rain.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., April 10.—In view of the suffering from protracted drought, the government has proclaimed that April 16, be observed as a day of humiliation and prayer for rain.

Government Supported.

BUDAPEST, April 10.—In the house of magnates, today, Count Dessewsky proposed a vote of want of confidence in the government. It was rejected, with only 11 votes in favor of the motion.

Philippine Insurgents.

MADRID, April 10.—A dispatch received here from Manila, the capital of the Philippine islands, says the insurgents have killed several monks and burned churches in Buena Vista, Guidava and Endagan.

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A Dancing Party.

Miss Bessie Sherman, who has been instructing dancing classes during the past winter, assisted by her pupils, gave a farewell party at Hughes hall Friday evening. The affair was pronounced a success. The grand march was begun at 8:30 o'clock and at the special request of her pupils, Miss Sherman accompanied by Mr. Gains Ford; led the same. Delightful music was furnished by the Gesner orchestra and the complete and happy entertainment of the thirty couple participating was quite evident. Every number from the grand march to the final number on the program passed off very smoothly and time for bidding "good night" came all too soon. The affair will be pleasantly remembered by those present as being one of the most delightful parties of the season.

Arbor Day.

At Lincoln school the program was far more elaborate than numbers indicated. The large area in the center of the school was so crowded that the teachers had difficulty in presenting the drills and marching exercises. Rev. Kantner closed the exercises with an address suitable to the occasion. He expressed regret at the great floods in the Mississippi valley, no doubt caused by the wholesale destruction of the timber lands. All took their parts well and the teachers and janitor had done hard work to transform the interior of the school to resemble a forest as nearly as possible.

A GREAT INVENTION.—John Stanley, of South Salem, recently made a model of what he calls a rotary engine, and a test made at the foundry met the most sanguine expectations. A speed of 3600 revolutions a minute was reached, and as each revolution represents a hundred pounds lift it is easy to see the wonderful power in the new invention. The mechanics at the foundry speak highly of it, and will make a trial machine.

WITH THE WOODMEN.—The local lodge of Woodmen is making extensive preparations for F. A. Falkenberg, head consul of the Pacific jurisdiction of that order, who is to be in this city on the 23d inst. In the evening a musical and literary program supplemented by a number of sawing and chopping contests for which prizes will be awarded, and in which representatives from valley lodges will participate, will be presented in the opera house after which the Woodmen and their friends will repair to their hall for a social time.

SHERIFF SALE.—Sheriff F. T. Wrightman sold two pieces of real estate on execution. In case of Portland Savings bank vs. T. H. DeCaw et al 120 acres were bid in by plaintiff for \$4,734.43. In case of T. W. Davenport vs. C. M. Taut et al, 15 acres near Woodburn bid in by plaintiff for \$1190.55.

TO BE REFORMED.—Ira Cox, aged 15 years, was received at the reform school, Friday afternoon, from Lane county. He hails from Crow, near the Sinslaw.

THE MARKETS.

Talkington, Bottger & Co's. circular today says:
CHICAGO, April 10.—May wheat opened at 66½ and closed at 66; Liverpool was selling at 58 7/8. Cash wheat sold at 65½.

PORTLAND MARKET.

PROVISION.
Portland, April 10: Wheat valley, 72c; Walla Walla, 71.
Flour—Portland, 3.85@4.10; graham, 3.40 superior, \$2.75 per bd.
Oats—White, 10@12c; grey, 36@38c; rolled; in bags, \$4.25@5.25; barrels, 4.50@7.00; cases, 3.75.
Potatoes, Oregon, 50a65c per sack.
Hay, Good, 15.00 per ton.
Hops—10@11c.
Wool, Valley, 10@11c; Eastern Oregon 7@9c.
Mohair, 15@17c.
Milkstuds, Bran, \$14.50; shorts \$16.50.
Poultry—Chickens, mixed, \$2.50@3.00; turkeys, dressed, 12½@14c.



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