

PENSACOLA has a Depth of 33 Feet of Water in the Channel at the Entrance of the Harbor.

TAYLOR HESITATES; GOEBEL IS AT REST

Governor Has Not Yet Signed That Agreement.

FUNERAL OF DEAD LEADER

Practically All Frankfort Turns Out to Pay a Last Tribute of Respect to the Memory of an Assassin's Victim—No Disturbances.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 8.—Governor Taylor announced this morning that he had as yet taken no action regarding the Louisville agreement and did not know whether he would do so tonight or not. He said that there were some things that he desired to consider further, and it would be some time before he made up his mind as to the best thing to do.

Augustus E. Willson of Louisville, who came down for the conference last night, returned to his home this morning. Mr. Willson was able to give no information regarding the intentions of Governor Taylor, saying that the latter had not signified his intentions to him and he had no means of knowing what disposition would be made of the matter.

Notwithstanding the delay in signing the agreement, the opinion is still general that, with some modifications, it will be accepted in the near future, possibly by the end of the week.

For the first time in several days, a Democratic member of the legislature can be found in the capital. Word was sent to all of them last night that all of them that desired to come to the city for the purpose of attending the funeral service of Governor Goebel would be in no danger whatever from arrest by the soldiers and being taken to London for forced attendance on the session of the legislature now being held there.

A great many of them came back for the funeral, but they will leave as soon as the funeral is over, unless Governor Taylor has signed the agreement by that time.

Goebel's Body in State.

Governor Goebel's body lay in state all of last night, with only a few guards around the door, and very few people passed through the lobby after 9 o'clock. This morning the crowd was even greater than that of yesterday. As early as 5 o'clock people began to arrive from the country for the purpose of attending the funeral services, and by 7 there was a stream of them pouring through the room in which the body lay so great that the few policemen who were on duty had great difficulty in handling it.

The crowd was growing larger with great rapidity and judging by the number that came early in the morning it was predicted there would be no less than 10,000 people present at the funeral exercises.

The storm of last night had entirely disappeared this morning and the weather, which was dark and lowering in the early morning, gave way to brilliant sunshine at 10 o'clock.

By 10 o'clock the lobby of the capitol was a seething, writhing jam, through which it was almost impossible for one to thread a passage. Large delegations from all the neighboring towns, with great white badges proclaiming the town and county from which they came, were everywhere. The trains from Louisville brought an immense throng of people, and as soon as they were off the cars they made a rush for the parlor in which the body lay.

Flowers on Every Hand.

On the whole, fair order was kept by the crowd, but every few minutes there would be a jam, caused generally by a woman or two, desirous of examining the flower pieces, and then there would be a tangle that required a minute or two to straighten out before the crowd could move on again through the room. All during the morning the great floral pieces kept coming until it was impossible to place them in the room in such shape that all could be properly displayed.

The number of pieces, and their elaborate nature was wonderful. It is very doubtful if at any similar occasion in this country they have ever been surpassed. Their value must have been many thousands of dollars and there was every form of device known to the florist that was suitable for funeral decorations and in addition so many cut blossoms that it was at times difficult to pass through the room without knocking some of them down.

As a precautionary measure, Mayor Deloney last night ordered that all saloons in the city be closed, and the order was repeated this morning and rigidly enforced.

The principal source of trouble was expected when the funeral procession marched past the capitol grounds. Many men on both sides of the political question were violently opposed to this portion of the program.

Formation of the Parade.

At 11 o'clock the formation of the parade began. On Wapping street, headed by a platoon of police, were gathered the members of the city council, officials and Grand Marshal David B. Murray, with a dozen mounted aides. On Second street were gathered numerous local societies and organizations, citizens in that in great numbers, behind these carriages in a long row, and last of all were gathered hundreds of men on horse-back.

The parade marched to Ann street, and then turned south to pass the capitol hotel, where the hearse and carriages containing the relatives of the dead governor were waiting.

Simple services had already been conducted in the parlor of the hotel. The ceremonies in the cemetery proper were

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Savannah Liner Gate City Resting Easily To-Day.

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BITTER WAR IN KENTUCKY.

Taylor Has Positively Refused To Sign the Agreement.

Louisville Will be the Democratic Seat of Government and the Legislature Will Meet There To-Day—The R (publicans Still in the Woods at the Little Village of London.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 9.—Governor Taylor finally refused last night to sign the peace protocol and now it is to be war to the bitter end in Kentucky.

The democratic seat of government will be at Louisville and that of the republicans at London, temporarily at least.

The leaders of each side will to-day definitely decide which plans will be followed in the course of the house and senate proceedings. The house and senate will meet for Louisville to be present at a meeting there to-day of the democratic legislature.

Col. Thompson Dead.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Feb. 9.—Col. Richard W. Thompson died early this morning.

Jim Brown Hanged.

JERSEY CITY, Feb. 9.—James K. Brown was hanged in the jail here at 10:10 o'clock this morning.

Cotton Quotations.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Cotton is quoted to-day as follows: March, 8 25; May 8 30; July 8 30; October 7 55; December 7 43.

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at once, cures the child, and thus saves many a life. Mothers need not fear that dreadful disease, if they have this reliable remedy at hand. It is sold by all druggists for 25 cents.

DEMOCRATS AT LOUISVILLE.

Usual Formal Session Held to Comply With the Law.

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 8.—The Democratic members of the legislature, with very few exceptions, did not venture away from Louisville today. A number had made all preparations to go to Frankfort to attend the funeral of Governor Goebel, but the stories from London of a possible attempt to arrest enough Democratic members to make a quorum and take them to the seat of the Republican assembly caused them to abandon the trip.

The usual formal session to comply with the law was held, an immediate adjournment being had until tomorrow. The attendance in the house increased from 40 to 44 over yesterday, the latter figures being seven short of a quorum. In the senate also there was a larger attendance, but not quite a quorum.

The Democratic managers say the members necessary to transact business are within easy reach and will be present tomorrow.

TROUBLE IS SETTLED.

Differences Between the Southern and Operators A Justed.

ATLANTA, Feb. 8.—The differences between the Southern railway and the telegraphers of the road are now practically settled. W. V. Powell of the Order of Railway Telegraphers has returned to Atlanta from Washington, where he had a conference with General Manager F. S. Gannon of the Southern, looking to the final settlement of the differences.

It was mutually agreed that as a basis for any negotiations that might in the future arise the following will be the guide:

Telegraphers will have the right to place their individual grievances in the hands of their division committee with out the necessity of first taking them to the division superintendent, said division committee to consist of division employees only.

Superintendents will receive committees composed only of employees under their jurisdiction and will furnish to them transportation and relief for the purpose of hearings of reasonable request.

If after hearing the committee is dissatisfied with the decision of the superintendent, it shall have the right of appeal in regular order.

The company insists on treating only with its own employees and is disposed to treat them justly.

Telegraphers serving on committees will not be discriminated against by storm thereon.

STORM NEAR INDIANAPOLIS.

Wind Reached Almost the Velocity of a Cyclone at Many Points.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 8.—A terrific wind-storm swept western Indiana and eastern Illinois early this morning. At one time during the early morning the Western Union Telegraph company's wires were down. The Postal Telegraph company reported wires down beyond Edwardsport and a section in the southern part of the state.

Telephone messages from the western border of the state and from points in Illinois indicate that the storm was most terrific at Collinsville, Ill., a town on the Vandalia railroad west of Terre Haute. The officers of the Vandalia at Terre Haute, who began an investigation through their local agents, were unable to verify the report of fatalities. The latest information was to the effect that several houses were destroyed in Collinsville. One house, a telephone message says, was carried some distance by the storm and then wrecked.

OTIS TO BE RELIEVED AT HIS OWN REQUEST

General McArthur Likely to Succeed Him.

A CHANGE IN THE SPRING

When the New Philippine Commission Arrives at Manila the Present Governor Will Be Detached and Ordered Back to United States.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Major General Ewell S. Otis will be detached from duty as governor general of the Philippines and commander of the department of the Pacific immediately after the arrival of the new Philippine commission and will be ordered to return to the United States.

This action will be in compliance with the wishes of General Otis, who has informed the war department that he is in need of a respite. The president believes General Otis can be relieved after the arrival of the commission at Manila—which will occur late in April or early in May—without detriment to the interests of the government. He will be succeeded by the senior officer in the islands, probably Major General Arthur MacArthur, who will be subordinate to the new commission, which will possess plenary powers and will be responsible to the war department.

Granting of such extensive authority to the new commission and its assignment to duty under the war department marks important departures in the policy of the administration. Members of the Schurman commission have complained that they were handicapped in their work by the necessity of subordinating their action to the military. The decision to place the Taft commission under the war department means that the archipelago is now considered domestic territory.

After the suppression of organized resistance on the part of the natives, the archipelago will be divided into four grand military departments.

Judge Taft, as chairman of the commission, will remain in Manila, the supreme head of the archipelago and will be to all intents and purposes the governor, although he will not have that title. Civil affairs of each military department will be administered by a commissioner, who will be in everything, but name, governor of the territory comprised in that district.

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LAWTON'S REMAINS ARRIVE.

Dead General Will Be Laid to Rest in Arlington Cemetery.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—The train bearing the remains of General Henry W. Lawton completed its trip across the continent at 9:30 this morning, when it rolled through banks of mist into the Pennsylvania railroad station. Adjutant General C. Robinson met the party at the depot, and Troop H, Third Cavalry, from Fort Meyer, acted as escort to the Church of the Covenant, where General Lawton's remains will rest until the funeral at Arlington cemetery tomorrow.

Carriages were waiting for those who accompanied the dead general, and they left the station before the remains were removed. Mrs. Lawton, her son Manley and her three daughters were the first to enter carriages. Mrs. Armstrong, widow of Major Armstrong, whose remains are to be interred at Arlington, followed. General Shafter, with his aides, Lieutenant E. T. Wilson and Colonel C. E. Edwards, were next conveyed from the station.

The massive casket, draped with the national colors and covered with flowers, was then carried to the hearse by soldiers of the Fourth cavalry and Fourteenth infantry, who accompanied the funeral party on the special train.

The cortege moved slowly to the Church of the Covenant on Connecticut avenue, where the remains will lie in state until tomorrow.

Insurgents Capture Bogota.

NEW YORK, Feb. 8.—The Tribune has a special from Kingston, Jamaica, which says that news has been received there that the insurgents have captured Bogota, capital of Colombia.

Bismarck's Iron Nerve

Was the result of his splendid health. Indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25c at W. A. D'Alambert's drug store.

Remarkable Rescue

Mrs. Michael Curtain, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use and after taking six bottles, found herself sound and well, now does her own housework and is as well as she ever was. Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at W. A. D'Alambert's Drug Store, large bottles 50 cents and \$1.00.

Heavy Snow in Bombay.

BOMBAY, India, Feb. 8.—The mortality in this city yesterday was unrecanted. There was a total of 405 deaths. The situation is aggravated by the advent of famine refugees.

TO THE PUBLIC.

I have just received a fine lot of all kinds of candies, and sell them at very reasonable prices. M. M. Large, 25 cents per pound. Chocolate Drops, 20 cents per pound. Sultan Mixed, 2 pounds for 25 cents. All Fancied Candy, the best ever brought to Pensacola, 40 cents per pound. Call and see for yourself. They are fresh and fine just from the vines. C. APPELTY.

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