

### FLOOD SITUATION IS MUCH IMPROVED

Fine Weather Prevails, and River Is Falling at Many Points.

New Orleans, La., May 13.—With the exception of Conrad's Point, six miles below Baton Rouge, where sand banks have developed near the base of the levee, only encouraging reports were received at the offices of the United States engineers of the Mississippi river flood situation. The weather bureau reported the river at a stand at Baton Rouge this morning, while other points from Cairo south reported falling stages. Fine weather prevailed all over Louisiana to-day.

A hurry call was sent from Conrad's Point to Baton Rouge to-day for workmen and material. Chief Clerk Schmidt, of the United States engineers' office, to-day said that a force of laborers and government employes had been at that place for several days, and he was of the opinion that they were fully prepared to take care of any situation that might arise.

Captain C. O. Sherrill, chief of the United States engineers here, appeared pleased over the good reports sent in by his men to-day, and remarked that the falling stages indicated by the weather bureau was about the best news brought to headquarters since the present flood began.

Water from Texas now is surrounding New Roads, La., and a portion of the negro section of that town is under water, but to-day it was at a stand. A subsistence section was established here to-day, and this place will be used for the time being as a distributing point. Operators arrived here to-day and began making moving pictures of the flooded waters.

The relief committee in New Orleans was busy engaged to-day sending out supplies to the flood sufferers. The chairman reported receipt of a check for \$23,250 from the Atlanta, Ga., Journal Boxes of clothing were received from Winifredville, Ga., and clothing from several other Georgia places.

### AMUSEMENTS

Academy—La Verne Players in "Mother." Bijou—Homer's "Odyssey" in Motion Pictures. La Verne Players at Their Best. However large a royalty may have been required, the management of the Lucille La Verne Players chose wisely and well in selecting Jules Eckert Goodman's successful play of last year, "Mother," for the third week of the summer stock season.

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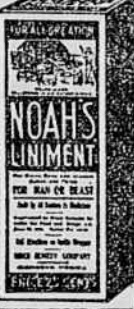
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It would be worth reading even in printed form, while the company, having found itself like Kipling's ship, enters with an unquenched intensity, and skill into its performance that it may readily be understood why the play met with such commendation during its metropolitan run.

The mother has two grown sons, two daughters, and two little boys, just "kiddies" about ten years old. These youngsters supply most of the humor, and humor of the most natural, simple character it is—these such human beings with their loving, generous, constitutional inability to understand the necessity of going to bed when bed time comes, and their love of "Old Slueth" stories.

"Mother" should, and doubtless will, prove to be by far the most successful of the three bills presented by this company.

At the Empire. The Empire's bill this week falls in a few points below the standard established by its previous performances.

Hayes and Alpoint, in a comedy creation entitled "Hans Nix's Baby," are given the place of honor, with an apparent reason. The "Baby" humor is recruited from the rest of the act.

At the Colonial. The Colonial this week is presenting one of the best lists of attractions which has yet been offered at this popular playhouse.

Negro Kills His Wife. A negro farmer killed his wife in Pender county, and was arrested and jailed there to-night. The prisoner's identity is not fully established yet, and the name cannot be given.

### RANDOLPH-MACON WON HANDS DOWN

Whipped Richmond College in Championship Game by Score of 5 to 0.

Randolph-Macon played rings around Richmond College at Broad Street Park yesterday afternoon taking the first championship game by the easy score of 5 to 0. A lusty crowd of rooters from both institutions watched the contest through one hour and thirty-five minutes of clammy weather, and entertained the grandstand with ingenious yells and parodies on the songs of the day.

Between the pitchers there was little to choose. Both Marston and Meredith worked steadily and with good judgment, but the Randolph-Macon twirler had slightly the better of the argument in strikeouts, and he pitched only half as many hits as his opponent.

Tatum's single started things again in the sixth inning. Ives hit to second base, who fumbled, and both runners were safe. Tatum going to third after stealing second. On a bad throw to the plate after an attempt to catch Ives at second, Tatum scored.

Randolph-Macon.		A. B. R. H. O. A. E.				
Anderson, 3b.	5	0	1	2	1	1
Midyette, ss.	4	1	0	1	1	1
Gayle, c.	5	1	2	2	0	0
Walker, 2b.	1	2	1	1	1	0
Tatum, rf.	3	2	2	3	0	0
Ives, 1b.	4	0	1	0	0	0
Bane, lf.	4	0	2	1	1	0
Lipcomb, cf.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Marston, p.	4	0	0	0	6	0
Totals	38	5	8	27	12	3

Richmond College.		A. B. R. H. O. A. E.				
Ancarrow, 2b.	4	0	1	1	1	1
Beale, ss.	2	0	1	3	6	2
Meredith, p.	4	0	0	0	3	0
Stevens, 1b.	4	0	0	13	6	0
Clarke, c.	3	0	1	2	1	0
Taylor, lf.	2	0	1	2	0	2
Lewis, 3b.	3	0	0	1	3	0
Wiley, rf.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Woodward, cf.	3	0	1	2	0	0
Totals	29	0	4	27	12	4

DELEGATES WILL SUPPORT WILSON. Instructions Given by Democratic County Convention of Rockbridge.

Alexandria Va. May 12.—Twenty-two delegates were chosen to-night by the City Democratic Committee with twelve votes to the Norfolk State convention. The delegates go unopposed and are to vote as a unit should a majority decide.

### Rebs Ready for Brownies

Allie Newham and his Johnnie Rebs returned from Washington yesterday, and will endeavor to give a correct imitation of the national sport at the Rockbridge playhouse, beginning at 2 o'clock. These games were originally scheduled for Washington, but an unfriendly rain storm made all possibility of a game in the capital beyond question.

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Patterson, chairman, and William Kennedy, secretary, and the permanent organization was R. G. Paxton, chairman, and William R. Kennedy, secretary. Mr. Paxton, on taking the chair, made a stirring speech.

Without Instructions. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Eureka Mills, Va., May 12.—At a county convention held at Drakes Branch to-day the following delegates were elected to represent the county at the State convention to be held in Norfolk: R. L. Snell, W. S. Pugh, T. Z. Morgan, C. A. Osborne, W. E. Halley, George E. Russell, Dr. J. C. Johnson, B. P. Eggleston, F. B. Watkins, Lee W. Morton, J. C. Harrington, Samuel Handshah, F. G. Cabiness, A. G. Dickerson, R. F. Hutchison. Delegates at-large: Berkeley D. Adams and T. W. Scott.

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