

GROWS WORSE

There is Chaos in Neighborhood of St. Louis

DESTRUCTION'S EXTENT

Is Yet Only a Matter of Conjecture but Conditions Indicate That Loss of Life and Property Will Be Great.

St. Louis, June 8.—So great an extent of territory is covered by the flood, so constantly changing are the conditions as the water creeps higher and renders the situation the more chaotic, and so unreliable are the various rumors of the devastation that a substantiated summary of the losses of life and property cannot be obtained, but up to 8 o'clock tonight information from apparently the most reliable sources showed the situation to be as follows:

River stage, 37.5 feet, stationary. Twenty lives known to have been lost. More than 200,000 acres of rich farming lands under water. All of Venice and the greater parts of Madison and Granite City under water. Twenty-five thousand people rendered homeless. Freight traffic completely paralyzed and passenger traffic practically stopped. The shipping and manufacturing district of East St. Louis for three miles along the river front is under from three to eight feet of water. Hundreds and probably thousands of head of stock drowned. East St. Louis threatened with complete inundation. St. Louis flooded only along the water front. Entire property loss estimated at \$3,000,000. River thieves are looting the various vacant houses in Venice, Madison and Granite City and carrying away every thing of value they can find.

Throughout the entire flooded district men with riot guns are patrolling the levees to prevent pillaging and anxious to try their marksmanship upon some possible river thieves caught in the act, but the thieves have pillaged houses situated far from the levees, where they are safe from detection.

Word was received here at 1 o'clock this morning that the levee near Madison, on which gangs of men were working, gave way, and that fifteen men, employees of the American Car & Foundry works, lost their lives. About 150 men were reported imprisoned on a section of the levee that is slowly crumbling and all means of escape have been cut off.

A small steamer from St. Charles succeeded in reaching Black Walnut and the 200 imperiled people were taken from the island in safety.

AFFECTING OF THE MAIL.
Washington, D. C., June 8.—Telegraphic advices to the postoffice department today report that the mail service in the flooded section in the Missouri and Mississippi valleys is improving except in the vicinity of St. Louis, where conditions are rapidly growing worse. The report from St. Louis says: The Iron Mountain and the only lines south of Hannibal and St. Joseph in Eastern Missouri now running. The Wabash and Alton are impassable between here and Mitchell. The Mississippi is very high and rising. Indications are that connections with the east side of the river may be broken here.

THE END IN SIGHT.
The crest of the flood has been reached and the river is falling. At 1:30 o'clock the gauge registered 37.5 feet, indicating a fall of 0.4 of a foot since 7 o'clock this evening. Reports from along the river indicate that it is falling. The highest mark of the great flood of 1903 as established at St. Louis is 37.5.

A "WHISKERS" DATE LINE

Which Grew to Luxuriance in "Twenty-four Hours."

The Phoenix Enterprise, which advertises to "publish news twenty-four hours ahead of other Phoenix papers," made yesterday afternoon what is known in theological writings as a miscue and published some news twenty-four hours after it had been received by freight unaccompanied by ice, a most dangerous proceeding at this season of the year. It purported to be a telegram from Bisbee descriptive of the ordering of the Arizona Rangers by Clifton and Morenci in anticipation of trouble on account of the strike following the going into effect of the eight hour law. The same matter was published in the Bisbee Review of last Saturday couched in precisely the same classical language in which it appeared more than "twenty-four hours" later in the Enterprise. It was a local story in the Enterprise, it was a local story in the Review, it was a local story in the date line grew on it while it was being shipped to Phoenix by fast freight.

The authorities had desired to maintain secrecy regarding the movement of the rangers and had asked that nothing be published regarding the order. The story, however, got out without authorization at Bisbee and Tucson.

CARTER BEAT BUTLER.
Philadelphia, Pa., June 8.—Kid Carter, the Brooklyn fighter, tonight knocked out Joe Butler of this city in the first round.

GOLD EXPORTS.

New York, June 8.—Heidelberg, Ickelheimer & Co., have engaged \$750,000 from Poldman, Sachs & Co. \$1,000,000 gold for shipment to Europe tomorrow. It was said yesterday that L. von Hoffman & Co. engaged \$250,000 and G. Amsinck \$450,000, both for shipment to Germany. This makes the total to go out tomorrow \$4,700,000.

CUBAN PORT IMPROVED.

Santiago de Cuba, June 8.—Shareholders of the Guantanamo railroad have decided to improve the port of Guantanamo by building a deep water wharf and storage warehouse. The company will also extend the railroad to Santiago and connect it with the Van Horne system. The plans will open up to the richest agricultural sections of the island.

THE DEWEYS THREATENED.

Gathering of Armed Men About the Imprisoned Cattleman.
Topeka, Kans., June 8.—Reports were received here tonight that large bodies of armed men are assembled at Goodland, St. Marys and at the Berry ranch in Cheyenne county. The gatherings are considered as demonstrations against Chauncey Dewey and his two cowboys, now being escorted to St. Francis by a company of militia.

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From the United States Circuit Court of the Eighth District.

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HE DENIED A DEBT

He Will Never Claim It Again in the World.

A Negro Who So Far Forgot Himself

to Leave the Matter to the Arbitrament of a Bullet.

Macon, Ga., June 8.—W. Cope, Jr., whose father was one of the leading members of the Georgia bar, was instantly killed by a negro named Banjo Peavy, on the former's farm near Fort Valley, this afternoon. The negro owed Mr. Winslow a small amount of money and was asked to work out the debt. He refused and shot Mr. Winslow through the forehead. Peavy was soon captured and turned over to the sheriff. At 5:30 o'clock tonight the officer and guard were overpowered and the negro was hanged. His body was riddled with bullets.

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RIOTS IN CROATIA.

Late Reports Show That the Trouble Was Serious.

Vienna, June 8.—Details of the riots which occurred at Agram, Croatia, Sunday and Monday last, show they were extremely serious. The police were quite powerless until the troops were called out Sunday night after a day of disorder. The rioters extinguished the street lamps and drew wires around Ilea square, with the result that many mounted police were unhorsed. The disturbances continued until after midnight, and only ceased on an officer threatening to order the troops to fire. The riots were resumed on Monday and continued during the whole day. Almost all the windows of the offices of the Hungarian state railroads and the residences of numerous Hungarian officials were smashed, and an attempt was made to burn the offices of the Agrammer Zeitung.

THE DIAMOND CONTESTS

The Results of Struggles in the Four Leagues Yesterday.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
At St. Louis—New York-St. Louis game postponed. New York team unable to arrive on time.
At Chicago— R. H. E.
Chicago 8 9 4
Boston 6 9 5
Batteries—Wycker and Kling; Pittinger, Platt and Moran.
At Pittsburg— R. H. E.
Pittsburg 2 7 1
Philadelphia 0 8 3
Batteries—Leever and Phelps; Sparks and Roth.
At Cincinnati— R. H. E.
Cincinnati 1 7 1
Brooklyn 0 2 0
Batteries—Suthoff and Pietz; Schmidt and Jacklitsh.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At New York—New York-St. Louis game postponed on account of wet grounds.
At Washington— R. H. E.
Washington 2 6 2
Cleveland 6 10 1
Batteries—Orth and Clark; Joss and Bemis.
At Philadelphia— R. H. E.
Philadelphia 1 5 4
Philadelphia 5 9 2
Batteries—White and McFarland; Bender and Schreck.

WESTERN LEAGUE.

At Des Moines—Colorado Springs-Des Moines game postponed on account of rain.
At Omaha—Omaha-Denver game postponed on account of rain.
At Peoria— R. H. E.
Peoria 3 7 2
Kansas City 0 4 2
Batteries—Alloway and Wilson; Cable and Ulrich.
At Milwaukee— R. H. E.
Milwaukee 1 3 2
St. Louis 5 10 1
Batteries—Swormsted and Lucia; Diehl and Garvin.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

At Columbus—Columbus, 5; St. Paul, 2.
At Boston—Boston, 6; Detroit, 1.
At Louisville—Louisville, 2; Milwaukee, 3.
At Indianapolis—Indianapolis, 2; Kansas City, 6.
At Toledo—Toledo-Minneapolis game postponed.

AHUIZOTE IS NO MORE

The Famous Comic Paper of Mexico Went Too Far.

Mexico City, June 8.—With an order from the first correctional judge, the police today presented themselves at the office of the illustrated comic paper, El Padre Del Ahuizote, and confiscated the entire issue of the last number, which contained articles against, and cartoons of the high officials of the government. The establishment was closed up and the editor imprisoned.

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DIYING IN ALGIERS

Many Tribesman Who Defied French Authority

Bombardment Which Destroyed a Sacred Mosque and Will Likely Bring the Rebels to Terms.

Beni Ounif, Algeria, June 8.—The French artillery opened a preliminary fire at 5:30 o'clock this morning on Ploguit, the stronghold of the rebellious Zenaga tribesmen who recently attacked and tried to ambush Governor General Jonart and his escort, of whom thirteen were seriously injured. The actual bombardment began at 7:30 o'clock and lasted until 11 a. m., when a great destruction of houses had been wrought. The mosque was destroyed and it is believed that a great number of the natives were killed. At 9:30 a. m. the French troops occupied Juive hill and another eminence, both strategic positions, by a surprise movement. From these hills the artillery made excellent practice, and melting shells made a big breach in the ramparts and destroyed a multitude of houses. Finally the fire was concentrated on the mosque, which was much venerated, and the edifice was blown to pieces. At 11 o'clock the French guns were withdrawn to Djennan-Ed Dar, where General O'Connor was waiting offers of submission when this dispatch left. Throughout the engagement there was no loss on the French side. The French artillery fired 600 shells at the town. At 3:30 this afternoon an envoy from the Ameer of Figuig arrived at this place. It is possible that if the Figuig tribesmen do not come to terms, other villages in the oasis will be bombarded. The expedition will rest tomorrow.

GREAT KISHINEF TERROR

Which Overcame the Jews Is Feared in Another Russian District.

Berlin, June 8.—According to a dispatch from Lemberg, the papers in that town published an account of the renewal of the Jew-baiting at Borostek, Russia, near Brody Galicia. Twenty thousand peasants assembled at the annual fair threatened to massacre the Jews, who are panic stricken, closed their stores and houses and telegraphed to the governor for protection. A hundred of the Jews fled to Uzyn, on the Austrian border.

NORTHWESTERN FLOODS.

All Streams Overflowing from Melting Snows.

Tacoma, Wash., June 8.—The hot weather of the past few days is rapidly melting the snows in the mountains and all the streams are rising. The Green river is bank high while the waters of the White river have already poured water down the Stuck valley until it is up to the fences in the fields. The Puycallup river is also bank full. Railroad men and mill men are watching the situation in expectation of more or less trouble.

THE COMMERCIAL WORLD

The Hammering Down of Stocks Is Going On.

New York, June 8.—Further severe inroads upon prices of stocks were made today under a renewal of active liquidation.

STOCKS.

Atchison, 67 3/4; do pd. 92 1/2; C. & O., 38 1/2; Big Bend, C. & S., 18 1/2; do pd. 59; do second pd., 25 1/2; Erie, 37 1/2; Great Northern pd., 19; Manhattan, 126 1/2; Metropolitan, 125 1/2; M. P., 10 1/2; N. J. C., 163; N. Y. C., 135; Pennsylvania, 24 1/2; St. L. & S. F., 69 1/2; do pd. 74; do second pd., 62 1/2; St. Paul, 49 1/2; S. P., 49 1/2; U. P., 75 1/2; Amalgamated Copper, 53 1/2; Anaconda, 87 1/2; Sugar, 116 1/2; U. S. Steel, 31 1/2; do pd. 89 1/2; W. U., 53 1/2; Santa Fe Copper, 15.

BONDS.

U. S. ref. 2s, reg., 105 1/2; coupon, 106; 3s, reg. and coupon, 107 1/2; new 4s, reg. and coupon, 135 1/2; old 4s, reg., 110; coupon, 111 1/2; 5s, reg. and coupon, 102 1/2.

METALS.

New York, June 8.—Copper declined 17 1/2 for spot in London, where it closed at 57 1/2-61 and 2s 6d for futures, which were finally quoted at 55 1/2-6d. Locally, copper was dull and nominally lower. Lake and electrolytic are quoted at \$14.50-14.70 and casting at \$14.00. Lead was unchanged at 11 1/2 in London and at \$4.37 1/2 in New York. Spelter was unchanged at 21 1/2-25 in London and at \$5.75 on the local market.

WOOL AND HIDES.

New York, June 8.—Wool firm; domestic fleece, 20-22c. Hides quiet.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Chicago, June 8.—The grain markets were governed almost entirely by the weather and ruled weaker. July wheat closed 3/4c lower, July corn 3/8c lower and oats down 1/4c. Provisions closed steady, the September products being from 5c lower to 5c higher. July wheat opened at 75 1/2 to 75 3/4, sold off to 74 1/2, closed at 75 1/4.

CATTLE AND SHEEP.

Chicago, June 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 23,000 head; active; steady; good to prime steers, \$4.90-5.50; poor to medium, \$4.00-4.80; stockers and feeders, \$2.00-2.85; cows, \$1.60-4.75; heifers, \$2.25-3.00; calves, \$1.50-3.00; bulls, \$2.50-4.30; calves, \$2.50-6.75; Texas fed steers, \$4.00-4.80. Sheep—Receipts, 16,000 head; sheep choice and strong; lambs steady; good to choice wethers, \$4.50-5.25; fair to choice mixed, \$3.50-4.25; western sheep, \$4.10-5.25; native lambs, \$4.10-7.10; western lambs, \$4.50-7.15; spring, \$5-7.00.

JOHN DOE PROCEEDING

To Be Instituted by District Attorney Jerome Today.

New York, June 8.—The American will tomorrow say that District Attorney Jerome has announced that he will this week begin a "John Doe proceeding" before a magistrate which he will make a thorough and impartial investigation into all the causes that have resulted in the long delay of building operations in this city and the idleness of more than 100,000 men for over a month.

AS VENUS ONCE DID

Kansas City Is Rising From the Sea.

Kansas City, Mo., June 8.—All the laborers obtainable were put to work today in the region submerged. The railroads have reclaimed only a small part of their yards. The Western Union stretched a cable across the Kansas river tonight, thus closing an important gap. The Missouri Pacific has begun to repair its Kansas river bridge and trains will cross late this week. Many of the animals thrown into the river from the stock yards lodged in Kansas City, Kas., and several hundred dead hogs are stranded in the railroad yards of the West Bottoms. Otherwise sanitary conditions are good. Many factories resumed work today and others will start tomorrow. The number of refugees in the sewer camps decreased steadily and the relief work need not be continued long. The stock yards will open for business tomorrow. The cable railroad to the stock yards will begin operations tomorrow morning. The Santa Fe, the Frisco, Missouri, Kansas & Texas and the Rock Island are using the union depot. The Missouri Pacific, the Chicago, St. Joseph & Grand Island, Great Western, the Burlington and the Milwaukee lines are operating by boat to Randolph and thence north by railroad. The Milwaukee is using the Missouri Pacific north from Kansas City, Kas. The Wabash lines are not operating out of Kansas City.

THE MONTANA PURSUIT

Of the Slayer of the Death Watch Is Now a Guess.

Glasgow, Mont., June 8.—Up to a late hour today no report had been received from the posse pursuing the four prisoners who escaped from the city jail here Saturday night after killing the death watch, Charles Williams, and beating into insensibility Deputy Sheriff Rutter and Jailor Dillard.

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