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EMERGING FROM FLOOD

Rivers Are Receding and Rain Has Ceased Falling. All Danger Has Been Passed In Pittsburgh and Allegheny, But In The Ohio Valley and West Virginia There is Still Cause For Alarm—Much Damage Done.

PITTSBURGH, April 23.—The flood is over. Notwithstanding the fact that early in the day there was every evidence of a renewal of the high water, the announcement can be made authoritatively that there is not the least danger of another rise at this point nor above for the present, but towns on the Ohio river below here are not yet out of danger because of rains in the valley.

IN AND ABOUT CINCINNATI Business Still Hampered, While Comfort Is Out of the Question. CINCINNATI, April 23.—Mayor Fleischmann and the city officials yesterday made a tour of inspection in patrol wagons and boats around the flooded districts.

THEY DIED TOGETHER.

Guilty Bank President and His Cashier Succeeded. VANCOUVER, Wash., April 22.—Charles Brown and E. Canby, president and cashier respectively of the First National bank of Vancouver, which was closed Saturday by the controller of the currency, committed suicide Saturday night, two miles from this city, by shooting themselves with revolvers.

FOUGHT A MAD DOG. Mother Faints Away After Her Long Struggle to Protect Her Child. JERSEY CITY, April 22.—To save the life of her 4-year-old boy, Mrs. Ira Willits of Near Larry's Creek, heroically fought a mad dog with a club until she fainted.

AGUINALDO FOR PEACE.

Urges Filipinos to Embrace American Sovereignty. People Have Decided For It—Says There Has Been Enough Blood, Enough Tears and Enough Desolation and Talk to a Patriot of the Glorious Banner of the United States.

MANILA, April 20.—The following is Aguinaldo's address to the Filipino people, made public last evening: "I believe I am not in error in presuming that the unhappy fate to which my adverse fortune has led me is not a surprise to those who have been familiar with the progress of the war.

PITTSBURGH AND ALLEGHENY

Flooded Rivers Are Receding But Widespread Damage and Much Misery Remains. PITTSBURGH, April 22.—Pittsburgh and Allegheny are slowly emerging from their murky flood. The rivers are receding nearly a foot an hour.

WOMAN REQUIRED TO DISROBE AND WALK AROUND A SICK COW TO CURE THE ANIMAL. SCRANTON, April 20.—Harry Anthony was placed under arrest in Mayfield, this county, charged by Eric Drinbock with practicing the black art. Drinbock had a sick cow and Anthony went to him and declared his ability to cure the animal if certain forms were observed.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS.

Pointed Paragraphs Chronicling the Week's Doings. Long Dispatches From Various Parts of the World Show of Their Findings and Only the Facts Given in a Few Words as Possible For the Benefit of the Harried Reader.

THURSDAY. Monet's painting, "A View of Sandham in Holland," which was sold in 1881 for \$1 francs, brought, says a special cable dispatch, the price of \$8,000. Pope Leo XIII has created 12 new cardinals, among them Mgr. Martini, papal delegate to Washington.

FRIDAY. A strong force of German and French soldiers, under General Von Gylé, is moving against the Chinese in Shan Si province. It was currently reported in London that J. Pierpont Morgan had bought the Gainsborough picture recently recovered in Chicago. Mr. Morgan said he had not purchased the picture.

SATURDAY. Sir Alfred Milner, former British high commissioner in South Africa, says in official reports that the Boers have steadily gained ground during the last six months of the campaign. Consecration of the Right Rev. A. F. W. Ingram as bishop of London marked by uproarious scenes in Bow church, his opponents charging him with leaning to Roman Catholicism.

REVIEW OF TRADE.

Bradstreet's Report on Conditions of Trade Throughout the Country. NEW YORK, April 20.—Bradstreet's review of trade says: Cold, rainy weather, with its concomitant of bad roads, has been unfavorable to distributive trade this week.

There are few notable changes in prices this week, the general tendency being within a narrow range. The feature in the iron trade, aside from the continued activity and aggressive strength of prices, has been the apparent breaking away of the strike clouds which were menacing that industry.

MARKET REPORT. NEW YORK MONEY MARKET. NEW YORK, April 22. Money on call, 3 1/2% per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4 1/2% per cent. Sterling exchange: Actual business in London at 81.88 1/2, for demand and 81.85 1/2 for 60 days.

NEW YORK PROVISION MARKET. BUTTER—Winter patents, \$3.65@4.00; winter straights, \$3.45@3.55; winter extras, \$2.40@2.50; Minnesota patents, \$3.40@4.20; Minnesota bakers, \$2.90@3.20. RYE—No. 2 western, 90c f.o.b. about; state rye, 55¢@56¢.

BUFFALO PROVISION MARKET. WHEAT—No. 1 northern, old, 84 1/2¢; winter wheat, No. 2 red, 78c. CORN—No. 2 corn, 47 1/2¢; No. 3 corn, 47 1/2¢. OATS—No. 2 white, 33c; No. 2 mixed, 29 1/2¢.

EAST BUFFALO LIVE STOCK MARKET. CATTLE—Extra export steers, \$5.50@5.90; good to choice shipping steers, \$5.15@5.25; coarse, rough, but fat steers, \$4.85@5.15; common old to fair cows, \$3.40@3.60; good butcher bulls, \$3.75@4.00.

BUFFALO MEAT MARKET. HAY—No. 1 timothy, loose, \$11.00@11.50; tied hay, prime, \$11.00@11.50; No. 2, \$11.00@11.50.