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Flood Situation in the Mississippi Delta Greatly Improved.

THE RIVER FORTY MILES WIDE.

Relief Sent from Memphis to the St. Francis River Country, Where the Destitution Is Fearful—Ten Thousand Men Have Fought the Floods.

Memphis, April 2.—The flood situation in the Mississippi delta above Greenville is decidedly improved. The half dozen crevasses on the Arkansas and Mississippi shores, between Helena and Greenville, have drawn an immense volume of water out of the main channel, which is spreading over the lowlands, but not rapidly enough to cut off the escape of the inhabitants of the low counties. The river shows a decline from a point below Helena to the Wayside crevasse. The decline above Greenville in many places is as great as ten inches.

Helena, Ark., is not, however, out of danger, for the water from the St. Francis basin in Arkansas is swelling the channel of the main river from the mouth of the St. Francis to a point south of Helena. The worst at Helena will be over by Sunday. The damage to the farming country in the delta cannot be estimated. Five counties will be for the most part under water for 40 days, and the main line and branch lines of the Yazoo and Mississippi Valley road will have more than 100 miles of track inundated. Opposite Perthshire, the upper crevasse, a mile of track has been completely washed away.

Probably 20 railroad stations and small towns are flooded, among them being Gunnison, Rosedale, Perthshire, Terrene, Phalia, Riverton, Dahomy, Strom, Benoit, Beulah, Wayside, Longwood, Refugee, Swiftwater, Deeson and Australia. But the danger is now to the south of Greenville, and the levees from Wayside to the mouth of the river will begin to feel the pressure of the movement of water back into the channel from the delta, the White river country and the St. Francis basin.

From Memphis to Crawley's Ridge the river is now 40 miles wide. A line east and west on the water across Rosedale would probably be 50 miles long. All of this water must pass out between two walls of levees in many places but a few miles distant from each other. Another rise of one-tenth at Memphis is shown by the official bulletin from the office of the weather bureau. At Cairo an encouraging fall is shown, while Paducah reports a fall of seven-tenths of a foot. At Vicksburg the river is stationary. Shreveport and other points below Vicksburg report a continued rise. The Louisville and Nashville and the Louisville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railways resumed traffic connection with Nashville last night after a cessation of two weeks, due to the high water in the Tennessee river.

The local relief committee yesterday afternoon sent a steamboat carrying supplies to the St. Francis river country. It is said that the destitution in the territory to be covered is fearful, but news of it did not reach Memphis until yesterday.

A Greenville, Miss., dispatch says: The levee board has ceased work, believing the danger to the levees in this vicinity past. The campaign in the levee district has cost $120,000. There have been 600,000 sacks and 1,000,000 feet of lumber used and 10,000 men employed on the work.

They are so small that the most sensitive persons take them, they are so effective that the most obstinate cases of constipation, headache and torpid liver yield to them. That is why DeWitt's Little Early Risers are known as the famous little pills. C. H. Hagenbuch.

Murderer Butler Off for Australia.

San Francisco, April 2.—A first class stateroom in the cabin of the steamer Mariposa has been turned into a prison cell, and in it Murderer Butler will be taken to the scenes of his crimes in Australia. The vessel left this afternoon. Close to the floor a strong steel ring has been riveted, to which the prisoner will be fastened if he should show a surly disposition. Three Australian detectives will take turns in sitting in that room with the prisoner until he leaves the vessel at Sydney.

E. E. Turner of Compton, Mo., writes us that after suffering from piles for seventeen years, he completely cured them by using three boxes of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cures eczema and severe skin diseases. C. H. Hagenbuch.

A Monster Enterprise.

New York, April 2.—A powerful syndicate is being formed to turn the hitherto comparatively useless coast of New Jersey into an immense center of maritime railroad commerce. The plan is to build a sea wall from Liberty Island to Robbins Reef Light, a distance of three miles. The mud flats within this territory are to be excavated and the land built up with piles and piers extending inward several thousand feet. Cement bottoms will probably be laid when the mud is dredged out. Then wharves and warehouses will be built on the reclaimed land and, it is said, will be leased by great railroads and steamship lines.

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More Cuban Resolutions.

Washington, April 2.—The Cuban question was revived in the senate yesterday after a long period of a comparative calm. Four distinct Cuban resolutions were brought forward in rapid succession. The last and most important one came from Senator Morgan, of Alabama. It declares that a state of war exists in Cuba, and announces the policy of the United States to accord both parties to the conflict full recognition as belligerents. Mr. Allen, of Nebraska, introduced a resolution proposing a protest against the reported purpose of the Spanish authorities to try General Ruis Rivera by military drumhead court martial. Senate adjourned until Monday.

An Affidavit.

This is to certify that on May 11th, I walked to Melick's drug store on a pair of crutches and bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm for inflammatory rheumatism which had crippled me up. After using three bottles I am completely cured. I can cheerfully recommend it.—Charles H. Wetzel, Sunbury, Pa.

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Death of Rear Admiral Russell.

Washington, April 2.—Rear Admiral John H. Russell, retired, died at his residence here yesterday after an illness of about a month. He was born in Frederick, Md., in 1827, and entered the navy as a midshipman when only 14 years old. He saw much active service during the Mexican war, and later achieved distinction in connection with the opening of the Chinese ports to commerce, delivering dispatches in person to Chinese officials by which American and English envoys were admitted to audience. In the civil war he participated in all the operations of Farragut's fleet in the Mississippi up to Vicksburg. He was retired last year, having seen 45 years' active service.

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Jersey's State Secretary Sworn In.

Trenton, April 2.—The term of Secretary of State Kelsey expired yesterday, and his successor, George Wurts, was sworn into office by Justice Van Syckel, of the supreme court. Mr. Wurts appointed the present assistant secretary, Mr. Alexander Rickey, as his own assistant. The oath of office was also administered to William Bettle, who succeeds Mr. Wurts as bank and insurance commissioner.

ONE OF TWO WAYS.

The bladder was created for one purpose, namely, a receptacle for the urine, and as such it is not liable to any form of disease except by one of two ways. The first way is from imperfect action of the kidneys. The second way is from careless local treatment of other diseases.

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Colonel Mosby's Ambition.

Washington, April 2.—Senators Perkins of California and Proctor of Vermont, accompanied by Colonel John S. Mosby, the famous Confederate guerilla, saw the president yesterday afternoon relative to the latter's candidacy for the position of consul general to Havana, to succeed General Lee. It is understood that Judge William R. Day of Ohio will return here in about ten days, and after an investigation here of the Ruis case will go to Havana on a special mission. There is an impression that in the event of the retirement of Associate Justice Field, of the supreme court, and the appointment of Attorney General McKenna to the bench, that Judge Goff, of West Virginia, may be induced to accept the position of attorney general. There is also speculation as to the possibility that Judge Goff himself may succeed Justice Field.

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$800 IN GOLD DROWNS A MAN.

At the burning of a steamboat on the Hudson river many years ago, many of the passengers were drowned. Among the bodies brought up from the bottom of the river by grappling was that of a man known to have been an excellent swimmer. Around his waist was a belt containing nearly $800 in gold. That told the story.

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Some of the symptoms alluded to are these: Loss of appetite; distress after eating; heartburn and palpitation; giddiness; foul taste in the mouth; the rising of nauseous acids and gases into the throat; furred tongue; spots before the eyes; unaccountable weariness and fatigue; sluggish circulation; weakness and nervous prostration; constipation or diarrhœa; discolored skin, etc.

The sufferer's friends often advise him to cheer up; to throw off his lethargy and eat freely. Bad advice. He knows better. "No," he answers, "I cannot; my food does me no good." He is right. Food now is gold in the spent swimmer's belt.

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FRED GRANT MAY HAVE OFFICE.

The Son of the Great General Has Been Offered the Position of Assistant Secretary of War, but May Decline—Two Treasury Assistants Named.

Washington, April 2.—The president yesterday sent to the senate the following nominations: Andrew D. White of New York, ambassador to Germany; William Draper of Massachusetts, ambassador to Italy; Chandler Hale of Maine, secretary of embassy at Rome; Samuel L. Gracey of Massachusetts, consul at Fuchau, China; Anson B. Johnson of Colorado, consul at Amoy, China; Benjamin Butterworth of Ohio, commissioner of patents; Oliver L. Spaulding of Michigan, assistant secretary of the treasury; William B. Howell of New Jersey, assistant secretary of the treasury.

Colonel Fred Grant, of New York, the eldest son of President Grant, was yesterday tendered the position of assistant secretary of war by President McKinley, and has the question of his acceptance under advisement. Colonel Grant was summoned to Washington by Mr. McKinley for the express purpose of allowing the president in person to make the tender. It was entirely unsolicited by Colonel Grant, and came in the nature of a surprise to him. Colonel Grant at first was disposed to decline the honor, explaining that he was comfortably situated in New York as police commissioner, and he was inclined to think that a transfer of his residence here would involve too much. At the request of both the president and Secretary Alger he decided to withhold his final decision for a day or two, and then left to visit his mother, who resides in this city.

The congressional contingent at the White House yesterday was unusually large. One of the things developed by the visit of a delegation was that President McKinley has practically decided to appoint Dr. W. W. Thomas, of Maine, minister to Norway and Sweden. Dr. Thomas was minister to the Swedish court under the administration of President Harrison. Ex-Congressman John M. Farquhar, of Buffalo, after seeing the president, announced confidently that he would be the next commissioner of navigation.

Andrew D. White was born in New York in 1832, and was educated at Yale college and the University of Berlin, Germany. He was professor of history and English literature at the University of Michigan from 1857 to 1862. He was once a member of the state senate in New York, and in 1871 was one of the comissioners to San Domingo. He has been minister to Russia and Germany, and was one of the members of the Venezuelan arbitration commission. The appointment of Mr. White is known to be most satisfactory to Germany, as he made an exceedingly flattering impression when he was formerly minister at that court. He is one of the scholarly men of public life.

General Draper has had a successful career as a soldier, statesman and man of business. He is a native of the old bay state, and as a beardless youth of 19 entered the army and served throughout the war of the Union, being promoted successively from the rank of second lieutenant to that of brigadier general. After the war he engaged in the manufacture of cotton machinery, and amassed a fortune. He took much interest in politics as early as 1876, when he was a delegate to the Cincinnati convention. Although a candidate for the gubernatorial nomination in 1888, he never held public office until elected to the Fifty-third congress. His work in both that and the subsequent congress has been valuable.

Oliver L. Spaulding had an excellent record as a soldier during the civil war. After the war he served two terms as secretary of the state of Michigan, one term as representative in congress and several years as special agent of the treasury department, and later was a member of the commission which investigated the sugar trade with the Sandwich Islands. In 1890 General Spaulding was appointed assistant secretary of the treasury. He is about 64 years of age.

William Barberie Howell was born in New Jersey in 1865. In 1882 Mr. Howell was appointed by Secretary Folger to a messenger's position in the treasury department, and was subsequently appointed to a $900 clerkship in the internal revenue bureau. He was promoted through the several grades in the departmental service, and in October, 1891, was appointed a special employe in the customs service. During his service in the department he attended the Columbian law school of Washington, and was admitted to the bar in 1891. He has been for ten years the confidential assistant to the assistant secretaries in charge of customs.

Benjamin Butterworth, the new commissioner of patents, is widely known throughout the country. He began his congressional career as member of congress from Ohio in 1873, and served until the end of the Fifty-first congress. In 1883 he was appointed commissioner of patents by President Arthur, and served until he resigned to take his seat in the Forty-ninth congress. At the close of the Fifty-first congress both Democrats and Republicans urged him to accept a renomination, but he declined for business reasons, and accepted the position of solicitor general and secretary of the World's Columbian exposition, and went to Europe as the president of the commission to interest foreign governments. It is believed that a new department of industry and commerce will be created, and that he accepted the commissionership to promote that object.

The senate in executive session yesterday confirmed Anson B. Johnson, consul at Amoy, China; Charlemagne Tower, minister to Austria-Hungary; William S. Shallenberger, second assistant postmaster general; Penrose A. McClain, collector of internal revenue for Pennsylvania; Alexander M. Thackara, consul at Havre, France, and several army and marine corps promotions.

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For Tamaqua and Mahanoy City, week days 2 10, 5 25, 7 10 a. m., 12 33, 3 03 and 5 58 p. m. Sundays, 2 10 a. m.

For Williamsport, Sunbury and Lewisburg week days, 3 23, 11 30 a. m., and 7 25 p. m. Sundays, 3 23 a. m.

For Mahanoy Plane, weekdays, 2 10, 3 23, 5 38, 7 10, 11 30 a. m., 2 33, 3 03, 5 58, 7 25 and 9 55 p. m. Sundays, 2 10, 3 23 a. m.

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SUNDAY.

For Wiggans, Gilberton, Frackville, Dark Water, St. Clair, Pottsville, at 6 08, 9 45 a. m. and 3 10 p. m. For Hamburg, Reading, Pottstown, Phoenixville, Norristown, Philadelphia at 6 08 9 45 a. m., 3 10 p. m.

Trains leave Frackville for Shenandoah at 10 40 a. m. and 12 31, 5 41, 7 52 and 10 47 p. m. Sunday, 11 13 a. m. and 5 41 p. m.

Leave Pottsville for Shenandoah at 10 15 a. m. and 12 05, 5 15, 7 25 and 10 20 p. m. Sunday at 10 40 a. m., 5 15 p. m.

Leave Philadelphia, (Broad street station), for Shenandoah at 5 57 and 8 33 a. m., 4 10 and 7 11 p. m. week days. Sundays leave at 6 30 a. m.

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