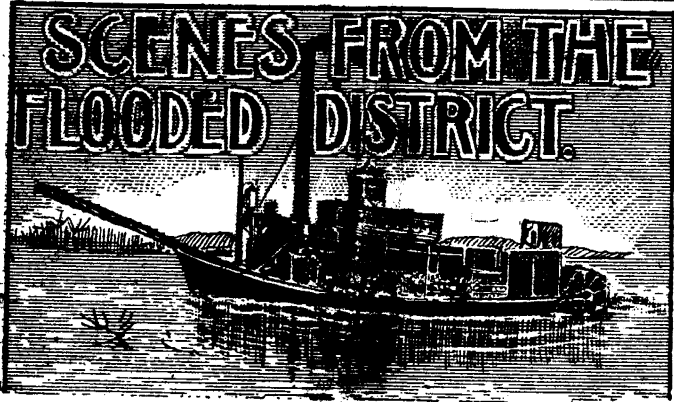




Societies.

ANCIENT ORDER OF UNITED WORKMEN meet in their hall over Heuser's store on second and fourth Tuesday evening of each month. HOWARD OLARK, M. W. J. BLOM, Recorder.



Terrible suffering at many points. The floods of the Mississippi valley and its tributaries continues to grow apace. Millions of dollars worth of property have been destroyed and millions more must be swept away before the waters recede.

Half a hundred towns stand in six feet of water and the yellow stream is creeping up slowly but surely.

Levee at Helena, Ark. Gives Way. Advice received tell of a break in the levee two miles south of Helena, Ark. This is the levee for which the people of Southeastern Arkansas have made such a desperate fight.



A STREET SCENE AT ANOKA, MINNESOTA.

BRIDGES IN DANGER.

FLOOD SITUATION WORSE AT ST. PAUL.

Water Now Stationary, but the Low lands Remain Deluged—Cotton Planters Anxious—Des Moines River Booming—Wheat Killed.

St. Paul, Minn., April 7.—The Mississippi has remained stationary in its position for several hours, but weather-bureau officers are hopeful that it will not go much higher.

At St. Paul, Staples & King's ice-house collapsed, E. Garter's ice-house in twelve feet of water, and the ice contained has floated away. Four hundred people in the vicinity of the Washington avenue bridge, Minneapolis, have been forced to leave their homes.

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South side of Exchange Place, Manchester, Michigan.

Greenville, Miss.—Being Swept Away.

A desert of water, a scene of desolation impossible to describe. The water is in nearly 200 houses and is kept out of the stores in the heart of the town only by the protection of a timely thrown up by the citizens to stop its destructive progress.

Big Break at Flower Lake.

Another disastrous break in the Mississippi levee occurred Sunday morning at 8 o'clock at Flower Lake, six miles below Tunica, Miss. The crevasse, while not yet of great width, is fully fifteen feet deep and the water is pouring through the opening with fearful velocity.

Middlesboro, Ky., is again flooded.

The water is four inches higher than in the flood five weeks ago. Most of the stores in Cumberland avenue are flooded. Sixty-five families have been washed out.



LEAVING THE OLD HOME TO TAKE REFUGE IN THE HILLS.

Reporter Gathering News.

The Post-Dispatch correspondent went by rail from here to all points possible by water in a radius of fifteen miles in every direction from this city, says a telegram from Greenville, Miss. It was a common sight to see rabbits or domestic fowls floating on driftwood, deer on little islands here and there above the water, and the starving creatures do not now fear the approach of man.

On the Upper Mississippi.

The upper Mississippi continues to boom, the gauge showing eighteen feet above low water mark. It has been raining constantly for twelve hours. Dispatches from Aitkin, Sank Rapids, St. Cloud and Little Falls indicate that the river is still rising rapidly and that all records are likely to be broken at St. Paul within the next forty-eight hours.

havoc with railroads in the valley east of Yankton, S. D.

The water is a foot higher and threatens to take out bridges and tracks, as the approaches at both ends of the bridges are cutting badly. Three miles and over of track of the Great Northern, Milwaukee and Northwestern railroads is now completely disabled, thus cutting Yankton off from the outside world.



A NEWSPAPER CORRESPONDENT NEAR GREENVILLE.

It is likely to do great damage.

Bridges are gone in many places and boats are in danger in the vicinity of the depot and railroad yards. Rain has been falling steadily for a week, making country roads impassable and keeping farmers off their fields.

is still solid.

Between there and Fishers a long trestle on the Great Northern went out Sunday. It will require a week after the water has gone down to repair this line.

The Jim River Overflows.

The Jim river is creating general havoc with railroads in the valley east of Yankton, S. D.

The Floods Ravages in Iowa.

A dispatch from Sioux City, Ia., says—Residents of the Floyd river bottoms here are again flying to higher ground. At Merrill, James and Hinton, points above Sioux City, the water is out of its banks and flooding the valley.

Burlington, Ia., telegram.

A huge landslide fell from the water soaked bluff between Burlington and Fort Madison, covering the Burlington railroad track ten feet deep with clay, rocks and trees.

Alton, Ill., telegram.

Two feet more of water will stop trains on the Bluff Line, St. Louis, Chicago and St. Paul, but if the weather remains clear it may not go that high.

Dubuque, Ia., special.

The river registers twelve feet above low water mark, a rise of half a foot today. The water is now within three feet of the danger line.

Of the 10,000 car-loads of oranges that will be marketed in California next season fully 6,000 will be navela.



A BREAK IN THE LEVEE NEAR MEMPHIS.

THE YAZOO DELTA.

Planters in Doubt as to Their Annual Cotton Crop.

Memphis, Tenn., April 7.—The break at Flower Lake, which occurred Sunday morning, has rapidly grown to a dozen feet in length to a thousand feet. This crevasse is at the head of the delta, and will cause an overflow of the northern tier of counties in Mississippi.

Fear at Keokuk, Iowa.

Keokuk, Iowa, April 7.—The Mississippi here is already within an inch or two of the danger line, and the water from the Des Moines will add to it higher. Between here and Quincy thousands of acres of bottom lands on the Missouri side are submerged, and the entire section is likely to be under water in a few days.

Des Moines River Booming.

Ottumwa, Iowa, April 7.—The Des Moines river rose three feet Sunday. It has flooded farms three or four miles from the river banks, and much damage to live stock and buildings is reported. The water is over the banks. Pe tracks here, and has forced 100 head of cattle to remove to higher ground. The river is about at a standstill, but men are working night and day on the levee.

Missouri Continues to Rise.

Omaha, Neb., April 7.—Flood reports from the interior of the state are reassuring, and in addition the Missouri continues to rise. The washout on the St. Paul & Omaha, on the Bloomfield branch west of Randolph, has stopped trains since Friday night. Water in the Logan is very high between Washfield and Pender, and it is expected to rise at Lyons.

Paddlers Resist a Cox.

Pittsburg, Mo., April 7.—The paddlers at the mills of Oliver, Brox, and A. M. Byers & Co. struck against a reduction from \$4.50 to \$4 per ton of pudding, and both plants are closed down. About 900 men are affected. Probably an attempt will be made to resume with new men in a few days.

