

SAD PREDICAMENT.



"I have come to ask your daughter's wing." "Alas! Mr. Drake, I'm afraid you will have to wait until some new ones grow in. The farmer clipped our wings this morning."

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Mrs. Wilkes' Fondlest Hopes Realized—Health, Happiness and Baby.

Plattsburg, Miss.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has proved very beneficial to me, for now I am well and have a sweet, healthy baby, and our home is happy."



"I think I suffered every pain a woman could before I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I think it saved this baby's life, as I lost my first one."

"My health has been very good ever since, and I praise your medicine to all my friends."—Mrs. VERNIA WILKES, R. F. D. No. 1, Plattsburg, Miss.

The darkest days of husband and wife are when they come to look forward to a childless and lonely old age. Many a wife has found herself incapable of motherhood owing to some derangement of the feminine system, often curable by the proper remedies.

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this province has no superior and in profitable agriculture shows an unbroken record of over a quarter of a century. Perfect climate; good markets; all ways convenient; soil the very best, and social conditions most desirable.

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RECORD OF WORK WELL DONE

Anti-Tuberculosis Campaign Fruitful of Results for the Good of All Mankind.

Some comparisons showing the progress of the anti-tuberculosis campaign in the last eight years and the present needs of this movement are made by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis in a brief report of its work recently issued. During the eight years of its work, the national association has assisted in the organization of over 800 state and local anti-tuberculosis societies located in almost every state and territory of the Union.

No Little Girl for Him. The six-year-old son of a well-known Indianapolis family attends a dancing school. He is a chubby little fellow who has not begun to stretch out yet, and he keenly feels his "shortage."

Explaining the Needle. A typesetter in a printing house became very adroit in explaining the large number of misprints for which he was responsible. Even when he changed his work and became a waiter in a restaurant, says Das Echo, his skill did not forsake him.

Good for Small Towns. A few big shoe manufacturers are fighting us because we have always refused to give them better terms than we give to the small manufacturer. The little fellows stand with us because we treat all manufacturers alike, no matter how many machines they use.

Race Prejudice. This is an actual conversation which was overheard in Oregon in the presidential campaign. It was reported to President Wilson himself, then a mere governor and candidate. He enjoyed it, but refused to allow it to be published at that time.

Gone to the Wild Waves. Simon Easy, after living sixty years on a farm, finds his quarters on shipboard somewhat cramped. He obviates the lack of space, however, by stowing his trousers and shoes into a round cupboard in the side of the vessel on going to bed.

Stringent Austrian Building Laws. Austrian laws require that dwellings and business houses be built of solid material from interior to exterior. Building regulations in Austria are very strict and are rigidly enforced.

Logical Sequence. "A sneak thief stole my parlor carpet." "What did you do?" "I called a policeman and he beat it."

Preliminary. "I am going to try this sleeping in the open air as a tentative proposition." "Have you got the tent?"

A boy isn't necessarily good for nothing because his parents refuse to pay him for being good.

When you analyze the ideal husband you will find that he hasn't the nerve to be anything else.

SULZER HURLS DEFIANT TAMMANY FORCES

"No Organization Can Make Me a Rubber Stamp," Says New York Governor.

Albany, N. Y., March 31.—With the declaration that "No man, no party and no organization can make me a rubber stamp," Governor Sulzer made his heralded announcement of political independence and his recognition of the principle of county autonomy in the distribution of patronage.

"I have never been an agent and I never will be. No man, no party and no organization can make me a rubber stamp. I am the governor. Let no man doubt that."

BANKER AND YEGG SLAIN IN BATTLE

Barnes, Kan., March 31.—Robert I. Brown, cashier of the Barnes State bank, was shot and killed today by a man who robbed the institution. Later a posse of citizens shot the robber to death as he was trying to escape from the town with a bag of gold.

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NEW YORK ASSEMBLY ADOPTS MEASURES TO CURE STOCK MARKET

Incorporation and "Blue Sky" Bills Among Those Sent to Senate for Action.

Albany, N. Y., March 31.—The assembly has resisted the influence of "invisible government" and passed bills designed to correct the evils of speculation and to rehabilitate the New York stock exchange in the eyes of the people. The bills passed were those recommended by Governor Sulzer in a special message to the legislature. The measures, which will now be sent to the senate, where "invisible government" will try to accomplish their defeat, were the following:

- 1. Compelling all exchanges dealing in bonds and stocks to incorporate under the laws of the state. 2. Establishing a bureau of securities under the control of the banking department to supervise the character of the securities offered to investors and fashioned after the "blue sky law" of Kansas. 3. Prohibiting stock brokers from doing business on a "bucket shop" basis. 4. Providing a jail sentence for brokers rehypothecating the securities of a customer. 5. Making it a crime to deceive the public by means of fictitious transactions. 6. Prohibiting the stock exchange from refusing orders from members of the consolidated or other exchange.

Governor Sulzer Gratified. These bills, with two others, passed by the assembly are now squarely up to the senate, the assembly having swept its deck clear of every measure relating to stock exchange reform recommended by the governor.

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WHOLE CONTINENT TO AID SUFFERING

Contributions of Money Now Amount to \$1,000,000—Illinois Points Threatened By Rising Streams.

Estimates of the number of persons who perished in the Ohio and Indiana flood still differ widely early today, especially at Dayton, where probably the greatest loss of life occurred.

It was said by many business men who are familiar with the city that the number of dead would not exceed 150, while undertakers of Dayton estimated the deaths at 800. Money and supplies are pouring in from practically every part of North America, including Canada and Alaska.

Even the far away island possession of Hawaii has made a substantial contribution. \$1,000,000 in Money. Governor Cox said he had received contributions amounting to \$1,000,000 in money and that every hour brings additional aid.

The national government, the Ohio state government, chambers of commerce and charitable organizations of many cities are rushing food and medical supplies to various cities in the flood districts. Secretary of War Garrison, with Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood, chief of staff, reached Cincinnati early this morning and planned to be in Dayton before noon.

The flood in the Ohio river from Parkersburg, W. Va., to Cairo, Ill., today threatened heavy destruction to property. Citizens of Shawneetown, Ill., appealed to Governor Dunne last night for tents in which to shelter people, as it was feared the levees would break and drive many from their homes. Later, however, the sheriff advised the governor that immediate assistance was not necessary.

Review of Situation. Alonzo Burt, vice president of the Chicago Telephone company, received by wire the following analysis of flood conditions in Ohio, compiled by E. A. Reed, general manager of the Central Union Telephone company at Columbus, where he has been directing relief work.

Delaware—Without light, water and telephone service, city and country people who are not affected are relieving the local situation. No outside help needed at present. Washington—City slightly damaged and railroad and telephone facilities somewhat crippled.

Newark—Transportation, telegraph and telephone facilities crippled. People are able to relieve their own suffering. Planning to send relief to Zanesville.

Circleville—No suffering that cannot be relieved locally. Lancaster—No flood conditions requiring outside help. Mansfield—Transportation and telegraph lines crippled and city without water and light, but these will be restored in 24 hours. No outside relief needed.

Muddy Coze May Cover Many Bodies in Dayton. Dayton, March 31.—Digging bodies out of the mud was the chief work of rescuers today. The water had drained off from almost all of the flood area, leaving thick layers of mud, which in some instances, piled up by the edges, was several feet deep. It soon began to dry up in portions of the streets exposed to the sunshine, but for six blocks the searchers for bodies waded through a sea of oozy slime.

DEAD AT COLUMBUS. MRS. — GREENLEE. MRS. SARAH SCOVILLE. ALBERT UNDERWOOD, 11 years old. MRS. DELIA M'NERNY. JOHN STOTTLE. WALTER BECKER. MRS. WALTER BECKER. MRS. MARY KEYS. MRS. JAMES COOPER and two children. GUS GAVEN. CLAUDE HAZLETT. MRS. H. O. MASHEN. MRS. O. C. TOY. MRS. SADIE GARFIELD. MRS. RHODA K. WRIGHT. SARAH SCHRELLA. ALMA DISS, a little girl. HILDA DISS, 10 years old. C. M. SHOUP, baby. ALBERT C. GORE. MRS. MARIE CLOUSER. HANNAH WEETHE. EDWIN D. DAMSELL. EMMA LOUISE COOPER, 5 years old. FRANKIE FORD, 12 years old. MRS. ANNA POLLEBOUGH. MRS. MARY MILLER. WILLIAM GUY. HOWARD PRESTON. ARNOLD WEISENGANGER. WILLIAM FRENCH. MRS. MAE M'DONALD.

FIND 56 BODIES. Columbus, Ohio, March 31.—The work of the searching parties in the flooded Scioto district today increased the list of bodies recovered from the water to 56. The water was subsiding rapidly and the work of rescue was thus made easier.

WILSON NOT NEEDED. Washington, March 31.—Secretary Garrison telegraphed President Wilson today that it was perfectly safe to announce to the country that relief was being well taken care of by those on the ground and that it would not be necessary for him to leave Washington for the flood district.

HAMILTON DEAD WILL NOT EXCEED 100 MARK. Hamilton, Ohio, March 31.—Less than 100 is the estimate today of the dead in the flood here.

WILL FIGHT FLOOD. Jefferson City, Mo., March 31.—Governor Major today ordered General Medard to take three companies of national guards to Mississippi county to protect property from threatened flood.

DAYTON SITUATION VASTLY IMPROVED; LOSS EXAGGERATED

Flood Damage Placed at Around \$20,000,000—Suffering Is Intense, But Food Is Plentiful.

Dayton, Ohio, March 29.—The flood situation in Dayton today is this: Previous estimates of the number drowned are greatly exaggerated. The property loss from fire will not exceed more than \$1,500,000.

The damage caused to mercantile houses, factories and residences will run anywhere from \$15,000,000 to \$20,000,000. The water has receded from the business section of the city and from a large portion of the residence district. Residents in portions still inundated are being taken to sections not affected by the flood.

There is no lack of food. The telephone systems are being restored. There is much suffering from cold, but all available fuel has been appropriated and there is prospect of immediate relief.

Order is Restored. One thousand militiamen, arriving today, have the city in rigid control, squelching looters, sightseers that will interfere with rescue work, and all disorders.

Touring the business sections today, officials found the high stage of the flood was nine feet at the corner of Third and Main streets, which is in the very heart of the city. The on-rushing water flooded the city with every store in the business district.

This constitutes the chief financial loss. The tower of the steel high school was leveled and the Leonard building on Main street was undermined so that it collapsed. Houses were swept away in Riversdale, West Dayton, North Dayton and Edgemont. Buildings Withstood Flood.

The following buildings withstood the flood and furnished shelter to about 7,000 people who were marooned in them from Thursday until Thursday: Conover building, Kuhns building, the Arcade, two Cappell buildings, Callahan building, Commercial building, Mendelhall building, Rice-Kunler building, Reibold building, United Brethren Publishing company's building.

None of the public buildings were destroyed. Among the latter were the Dayton club, Victoria, National and Colonial theaters, city hall, court house, Beckel, Phillips, Alconquin and Atlas hotels, Masonic temple, post-office, Y. M. C. A. and all churches. Daring Thief Thwarted.

The fire loss is positively limited to the destruction of the Dayton Gas, Light and Power company's plant, the row of two and three story buildings from Jefferson street to St. Clair avenues, the Clay Pearl laundry plant and two apartment house fires on the west side.

A daring robbery was thwarted today when the police arrested a man who was escaping from the city with a satchel containing \$50,000 in diamonds and jewelry, which he had stolen from jewelry stores.

Alarmingly reports that looters well armed, were active in the district from which water had partly receded, had reached the headquarters of the emergency committee. Militia are preparing an expedition to quell disorders.

A score of motorboats and the life saving boats were in the flood district early today and by tonight it was hoped relief would be extended to all flood victims that were still alive.

Survivors Are Weak. No effort was being made to take out any bodies, the first care being to provide help for the living. The boats began to return early from the rescue sections, each depositing its load of from 15 to 20 survivors. Most of the people rescued were so weak from deprivation and suffering as to be scarcely able to move.

The situation was much brighter today. The trucks sent from the Cash Register company manned by men with military orders to confiscate weapons and food from the farmers, brought back a good supply of vegetables and several relief trains reached the city with the supplies. The rescue work had taken on the semblance of a system and all the streets from which the flood had receded were patrolled by militia. People were urged to get back to their homes whenever possible.

Danger Is Past. "Beware of thieves and burglars," said an official bulletin given wide circulation. "Don't leave your houses without protection. It was thieves who scared you about the reservoir and natural gas explosion. The natural gas has been turned off and there is no danger of explosion."

Sixty Catholic sisters at the academy of the Sisters of Notre Dame, and 18 persons for whom they had provided refuge, were found by the Louisville life saving crew today to have been entirely without food or water since Tuesday. There were several cases of illness.

Fewer Fatalities. Chief of Police Allaback today told the Associated Press correspondents that reports he had received indicating the number of fatalities to be far less than early conditions indicate. As nearly as can be ascertained, about 100 persons were drowned in Riversdale, the first section of the city to be flooded. The rushing waters overturned several houses there and rolled them over and over with their occupants inside.

In eastern Dayton, Dayton View and Oakwood the loss of life, Chief Allaback said, was small. In North Dayton where the topography of the land made the situation more dangerous than at any other point, relief parties penetrated this morning and found that although there would be a large number of fatalities, the number of drowned was not likely to be relatively much greater than in Riversdale, the other section that bore the chief brunt of the flood.

FAR WEST AIDS OHIOANS. San Francisco, March 29.—The San Francis branch of the National Red Cross society announced last night that \$11,000 had been subscribed for the flood sufferers in Ohio and Indiana. This sum will be largely increased. Independent funds are being raised by a number of civic and commercial bodies and labor unions. Throughout the state relief measures are being taken. San Jose has raised \$2,000 and the Fresno lodge of the Free and Accepted Masons, of California, has wired \$5,000 to the Ohio branch of the order for flood victims.