

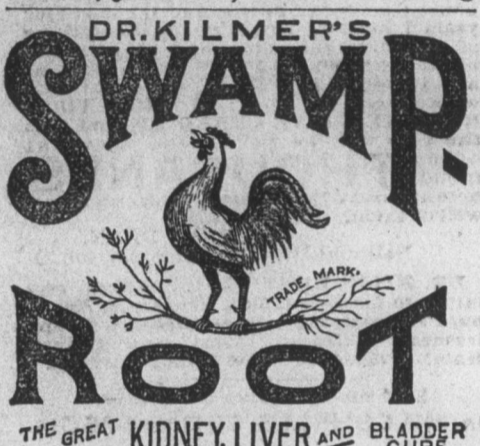
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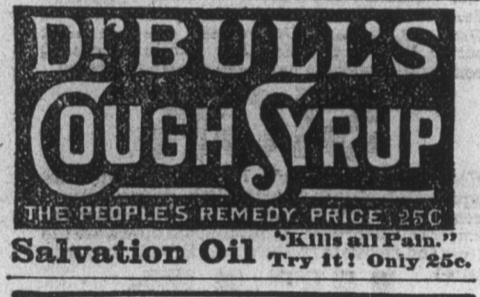
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### OUT OF THEIR BANKS.

Pennsylvania Towns Suffer Much from an Overflow of Several Rivers.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Feb. 8.—The flood that threatened disaster to Pittsburgh and Allegheny has, it is thought, been checked by the cold weather, and the worst is believed to be over. The sudden rise in the Monongahela and Allegheny rivers was unexpected, and when it was announced Tuesday morning that a volume of water that would inundate the lowlands was on its way here there was consternation among the residents of the flats and the merchants and manufacturers doing business on the banks of the two streams. Preparations were at once made to remove goods from the lower floors, and many residents hastily left their houses for safer quarters.

At 10 o'clock in the morning the water touched the 18-foot mark and all day kept creeping steadily up the gauge until at midnight the marks showed 25 feet. The rivers were still rising, but from 6 inches of a rise an hour they had dropped to less than 3 inches, and it was confidently expected that a few hours more would again see the water falling. The stage reached was 2 feet above the danger line, and the result was that the lower parts of Allegheny and the south side were submerged and the merchants and manufacturers on the river fronts were greatly inconvenienced by the flooding of their cellars. The damage, as far as known, is not large, but the poor people, who were forced to leave their homes, suffer greatly from the cold. The high water seriously affected the railroads and nearly all through trains were delayed.

The famous Conemaugh is swollen so that it has broken over its embankments in several places, causing fear and consternation among many who have residences along the stream. From Conemaugh down it has spread once more through the valley, and if the cold weather does not check it serious damage may be expected at Johnstown. Turtle creek is also a raging torrent, and is causing inconvenience to residents along the Pennsylvania at that point.

The Lake Shore line has been compelled to transfer mail and express matter to other lines. Over 30 miles of telegraph lines on the Franklin division of the Lake Shore road, east of Youngstown, was destroyed by last night's storm, many of the poles being washed away by the torrent of water.

At Wampum the ice is piled 40 feet high on the railroad. The telegraph lines are in bad shape along the Lake Erie road and the F. & A. division of the Pennsylvania road. All the factories along the river bank at Beaver Falls are driven by water power and they have been compelled to shut down for the first time since the high waters of 1884.

Dispatches from various points throughout the western end of the state indicate a serious condition of affairs. At Oil City, Parker's Warren and Freeport, on the Allegheny, the flats are submerged and the water is still rising. Many people have been compelled to move out of their houses.

At Greenville the prospects are that great damage will be done by the high water. Immense ice gorges at different points below the town have backed up the water so that the lower sections are already inundated and many families were moving out in boats before nightfall. The exodus is going on, as the water creeps up into places that have been dry for years.

At New Castle an immense ice gorge that had formed above the city broke and water and ice came down in a body 8 feet high, completely flooding the lower part of the city. Several houses were swept away and many families were taken from their homes in boats. All cellars under business blocks were flooded, and the damage will amount to thousands of dollars. At Franklin a gorge in French creek broke and carried away a number of county bridges.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 8.—There is a big flood in South Buffalo, caused by the overflow of the creeks. Water covers the lands and streets to the depth of 2 and 3 feet. The Seneca street cars were forced to stop Tuesday afternoon. All the region between Buffalo and Cazenovia creeks is more or less flooded.

SYDNEY, Feb. 8.—The city of Brisbane, in Queensland, continues to be completely isolated by the floods. In the region about Widebay, Queensland, hundreds of houses have been demolished by the rushing waters and thousands of destitute people have taken refuge in the hills, without shelter and destitute of nearly all necessities. At Brisbane business is completely suspended. It is reported that several mines at Gympie, in the Widebay district, are inundated, and that great damage has been done to mining operations. The water is 30 feet deep in Brisbane and in the suburbs has covered buildings 60 feet high. Five hundred houses have been demolished. Hundreds of families have lost their homes and have left the city in boats to seek shelter on higher ground. All the gas and water pipes have been destroyed and the city is in darkness. The governor came to the city in a boat. He says that all the towns between Brisbane and Ipswich are submerged. This is the greatest disaster in the history of the colony.

### FIVE OF THE CREW DROWNED.

Norwegian Bark Wrecked at Long Beach, N. J.—Eleven Men Saved.

NEW YORK, Feb. 8.—Superintendent Havens, of the Fourth District life saving service at Point Pleasant, reports that the Norwegian bark Alcega, from Dunkirk for New York in ballast, came ashore at 9:30 Monday night at Long Beach (N. J.) life saving station. Before an attempt was made to rescue the crew by the life saving station five of the crew of the bark attempted to land in their own boat, but it was capsized in the surf and all were drowned.

### BURNED TO DEATH.

Four Children in Michigan, Left Alone by Their Parents, Perish by Fire—Four Lives Lost in Kansas City.

BELLAIRE, Mich., Feb. 8.—The house of Oliver Pattie, 3 miles north of town, burned to the ground Monday night. Three children were roasted to death. Their ages were, respectively, 12, 10 and 6. A neighbor's boy, Taylor by name, had been playing with the children, and it is feared that he was burned too. Neighbors saw the light at 10 o'clock and hurried to the rescue, but were too late to do any good. All the children were in the house alone. The father works nights in a Bellaire factory. The mother was away preaching, it is said. She is an enthusiastic adherent of a sect called the "Groverites," which flourishes in this community, and much of her time is spent elucidating their doctrines. Friendly neighbors at once offered their services in hunting for the dead bodies. The bodies were charred almost beyond recognition and there were evidences of a frightful struggle with the flames. The grief of the father was pitiful in the extreme. It is supposed that the fire started while the children were asleep and they were unable, either through fear or on account of locked doors, to make their escape.

LUDINGTON, Mich., Feb. 8.—Capt. Wilson of the life-saving crew at Point Sauble came to this city Tuesday on foot, the roads all being blocked up with snow. He reports the burning of the house of Ernest Bockus, a resident of Lincoln, 3 miles north of here, Sunday night. In the fire one of the Bockus boys was roasted to death, while another had a narrow escape from a like fate. The children had been left alone by their parents.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 8.—Four lives were lost Tuesday night in a fire in the negro quarter. The fire department was called to 1210 West Eighth street at 12:45 a. m. and found a small cabin on fire. The cabin was occupied by Stephen James and family. When the firemen arrived there Stephen James was just making his escape. He was so badly burned that he became unconscious soon after getting out of the house. The firemen rushed in and dragged out Mrs. James, who was fatally burned and died shortly afterward. The bodies of Emma and Arthur James, aged respectively 8 and 10 years, and Joe Mitchell, a nephew of James, were afterward found in the ruins.

### ALLEN WINS THE PRIZE.

The Nebraska Judge Is Elected United States Senator by a Combination of Independent and Democratic Votes—He Is a Populist.

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 8.—William V. Allen, populist, was elected United States senator from Nebraska on the joint ballot of the legislature Tuesday. The vote for Paddock, republican, was 57. All the independents and democrats voted for Allen. His election was then made unanimous.

Judge Allen was born at Midway, Madison county, O., January 28, 1847. He is 46 years old. In 1866 he moved to Iowa, and enlisted at the age of fifteen years with Company G, Thirty-second Iowa, in the war of the rebellion. He carried a musket for three years. He studied law with L. L. Alsworth, of West Union, Ia. Nine years ago he moved to Nebraska, locating at Madison, Madison county, his present home. He is at present judge of the Ninth judicial district. In 1888 he was senior vice commander of the grand army in Nebraska.

Judge Allen is an enthusiastic believer in the doctrines of the people's party and an uncompromising advocate of the state ownership and control of railroads, telegraph lines and all means of transportation and communication. He is an out and out free trader and an advocate of the free and unlimited coinage of silver.

Through nearly all his life Senator-Elect William Vincent Allen has been a republican. He has always been opposed to the machine element. He was always a great admirer of Samuel J. Tilden, and in 1876 cast his vote for him. He voted for Garfield in 1880, for Blaine in 1884, Harrison in 1888 and for Weaver in 1892. In 1878 he was nominated by the anti-monopoly republicans and democrats for congress from the West Union district of Iowa, and made a vigorous canvass, though of course he was defeated, as the movement was not then strong enough to hope to win. Since he came to Nebraska he has always been an anti-monopolist republican, and in 1891 was nominated by the populists and democrats for judge of the Ninth district and was elected. He has been the bench for a little over a year, and has proved himself an able and competent jurist.

### THE HOMESTEAD TROUBLE.

Reports Made to Congress by the Investigation Committee.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Mr. Oates' report on the Homestead troubles is accompanied in its presentation to the house by minority reports expressing much the same general conclusion in a different way. Mr. Oates declared that the tariff had nothing to do with the trouble, that the evidence was conflicting as to which party fired the first shot, but the Homestead strikers were the aggressors. Mr. Oates expresses the opinion that agencies like the Pinkertons should never be employed without the consent of the state, previously obtained. Seven members of the committee voted for this report. Before the vote was taken Mr. Bynum offered his report, which avoided comments on the course of either party, but his motion was defeated by a tie vote of 4 to 4 and then the Oates report was adopted. Representative Bynum's report, in which Representative Dayton, of Ohio, joins and in which Representative Stockdale concurs, although he thinks it does not go far enough, condemns without stint the employment of the Pinkertons.

### A TRAIN BURNED UP.

Wreck on the Big Four Near Pana, Ill.—One Man Killed—Many Injured.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 8.—The Big Four east-bound passenger train which left here at 7:45 Tuesday night was wrecked and totally destroyed 1 mile east of Pana at a late hour. The wreck was caused by a broken rail. Fire then destroyed the whole train, including two sleepers, the engine only being saved. The baggage car was killed, six passengers seriously and a dozen more slightly hurt. No names nor further particulars can be obtained.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 8.		
LIVE STOCK—Cattle.....	4 15	5 80
Sheep.....	4 00	5 75
Hogs.....	7 90	8 30
FLOUR—Fair to Fancy.....	2 55	2 75
Minnesota Patent.....	4 25	4 55
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	80 1/2	80 3/4
Ungraded Red.....	74 1/2	75
CORN—No. 2.....	54 1/2	55
Ungraded Mixed.....	54 1/2	54 3/4
OATS—Mixed Western.....	38 1/2	40
RYE—Western.....	58 1/2	62
PORK—Mess, New.....	18 25	61 50
LARD—Western Steam.....	12 05	12 10
BUTTER—Western Creamery.....	25	25
CHICAGO.		
BEEVES—Shipping Steers.....	83 40	85 25
Cows.....	1 25	2 75
Stockers.....	2 00	2 75
Feeders.....	3 00	4 00
Butcher's Steers.....	2 00	2 75
Bulls.....	1 50	2 70
HOGS—Live.....	7 50	8 55
SHEEP.....	3 00	5 40
BUTTER—Creamery.....	18	28
Good to Choice Dairy.....	20	25
EGGS—Fresh.....	30	32
BROOM CORN.		
Hurl.....	4	5 1/2
Self-working.....	4	5
Crooked.....	4	5
POTATOES—New (per bu.).....	72	85
PORK—Mess, New.....	19 25	61 50
LARD—Steam.....	11 20	61 50
FLOUR—Spring patents.....	4 00	4 10
Winter patents.....	3 00	3 30
Bulkers.....	2 50	2 75
GRAIN—Wheat, Cash.....	74 1/2	75 1/2
Corn, No. 2.....	43 1/2	43 3/4
Oats, No. 2.....	31 1/2	31 3/4
Rye, No. 2.....	52 1/2	53
Barley, Good to Choice.....	55	65
LUMBER.		
Flooring.....	16 00	24 00
Common.....	36 00	23 00
Fencing.....	15 00	15 25
Lath, Dry.....	13 50	16 50
Shingles.....	2 00	3 15
KANSAS CITY.		
CATTLE—Steers.....	43 25	5 50
Stockers and Feeders.....	2 25	5 50
HOGS.....	5 50	7 80
SHEEP.....	4 25	6 00
OMAHA.		
CATTLE—Steers.....	43 25	5 40
Stockers and Feeders.....	2 25	5 75
HOGS.....	7 70	7 80
SHEEP.....	3 50	5 00



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