

WATER RECEDES AND DANGER IS NOW OVER

Brings Relief to Paris
The Government Officials Display Great Devotion and Zeal in Work of Salvage and Rescue...

EXPLANATION OF FLOOD

Paris, Jan. 30.—Slowly, very slowly, the swollen waters of the Seine, which reached their high mark at 2 o'clock this morning, are subsiding...

ASHEVILLE MAN SHOT BY BANDITS

Mainly Thompson Tried to Prevent Holdup and Was Shot.
Portland, Ore., Jan. 30.—The life of Manly Thompson, who was shot by bandits at Seven-Mile House last night, hung by a thread today...

BANDITS HOLD UP A FARMER AND ROB HIM

Outlawry in Goldsboro
Most Sensational Wlaylaying in the History of the Town—Relieved of Watches, Jewelry and Money by Gang of Thieves.

HELD UP SEPARATELY

Goldsboro, N. C., Jan. 30.—The boldest robberies in the history of Goldsboro occurred last night when three men were sandbagged by several masked men...

YOUNG MAN PASSES AWAY

John Gurganus Died Yesterday—Funeral This Afternoon.
Yesterday morning at 5 o'clock, from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gurganus, on Fifth street, passed into life eternal the soul of John Gurganus...

WOMAN BOUND, THEN GAGGED, THEN BURNED

Meets Horrible Death
Mother Burned to a Crisp on Stove While Her Children Were Playing in Adjoining Room Unconscious of the Tragedy.

HER HUSBAND HELD

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 30.—Bound and gagged, the body of Mrs. Alice Van Zant burned to a crisp, was found this morning lying on top of the gas stove in her kitchen.

REPORTS MADE BY DELEGATES

Messrs. Carty, McKeel, Morris Spoke Last
The Laymen's Convention at the First Methodist Church today evening, was much enjoyed...

TO DRAIN SWAMP LANDS OF NATION

Value of the Project
Cong. John H. Small Makes Some Suggestions in the House During Consideration of Appropriation Bill.

SENTIMENTS APPLAUDED

Washington, D. C., Jan. 30.—During the consideration of the agricultural appropriation bill in the House this afternoon Representative John H. Small took occasion to speak on the importance of the drainage of the unclaimed swamp lands of the nation...

To Organize Order League

After the regular meeting of the Young Men's Christian League at the Chamber of Commerce rooms Sunday afternoon it was moved that a Law and Order League be organized in Washington...

FORT FISHER MAY BE NATIONAL PARK

Washington, Jan. 27.—Senator Root launched the movement for the establishment of a national park on the site of Fort Fisher, N. C., by the introduction of a bill today...

8 Killed, 30 Injured

London, Jan. 29.—One of the most serious railway accidents in England since the disaster to the steamer train at Salisbury, in July, 1906, when many Americans lost their lives, occurred at St. Paul's Station near London, on the London and Brighton railway this afternoon...

Violates the City Ordinance

J. I. Cohen and Thomas Clemons, both colored, were up before Mayor Sterling, Saturday, charged with violating the ordinance as to hack drivers obstructing the passageway at the Norfolk and Southern. Each defendant was fined the cost, amounting to \$2.75 each.

Shall Lawlessness Continue, Subject of Rev. M. T. Plyler at Christian League Meeting

Quite a number were present at the Young Men's Christian League Sunday afternoon. One of the features of the occasion was the vocal solo by Mrs. Ira M. Hardy, and also the duet by Mrs. Hardy and Miss Ada Rhodes...

A Small Fire Sunday Morning

Yesterday morning between 10 and 11 o'clock the alarm of fire was turned in. It proved to be the residence of Captain James H. Harris, East Second street. The fire originated in the dining room, being caused from a defective flue...

DISCOVERS THE MISSING LINK

Bloomington, Ind., Jan. 28.—Dr. John Hazeman, on an exploring trip in South America for the Carnegie Institute of Pittsburgh, has discovered the missing link in animal life between the Salamander and the fish...

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining uncalled for in this post-office for the week ending January 29, 1910.
Gentlemen—B. Archbell, T. S. Coleman (two), W. W. Gorham, Walter Ebron, W. H. Moore, W. B. Mayo, E. A. Oldham, E. R. Pellerson, Allen Rutherford, W. H. Thompson, Dmetri G. Vapnavi, H. M. Wheelock, H. Wood, P. Webb, Walpole Cigar Co.

ONE ADDITION

There was one addition to the membership of the First Baptist Church Sunday morning.

New Advertisements in Today's News

- Brooks' Shoe Store—Evening Slippers.
Hyomet.
Bogart's Drug Store—Seeds, &c.
Atlantic Coast Line R. R.—Special Rates.
E. R. Mixon & Co.—Starch.
Wm. Bragaw & Co.—Insurance.
J. K. Hoyt—Hair Turbans.
Jas. E. Clark Co.—The Over-Gem Theater.
Gaiety Theater.
Stocked Sale.
Chesapeake Steamship Co.
Vick's Remedies.
Capudine.

FARMERS LOSE HEAVILY

The local government authorities are displaying great devotion and zeal in the work of salvage and rescue. Nevertheless, the conditions, especially in the country districts, are pitiful. The houses of farmers are submerged to their roofs and in many cases the inhabitants have lost everything including their live stock.

SAW THE PRESIDENT BUT GAVE OUT NO INFORMATION

Washington, Jan. 29.—State Chairman Adams, accompanied by Congressman Cowles and A. H. Price, of Salisbury, went to the White House today and had a conference with the President. Congressman Morehead later saw the President. After the conference they had nothing to say about the North Carolina Federal appointments which are expected to be made within the next week or so.

BISHOP CYRUS D. FOSS DEAD IN PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia, Jan. 29.—Bishop Cyrus D. Foss, retired, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, one of the best known clergymen in the country, died at 8:40 o'clock tonight in the Hahnemann hospital from a stroke of paralysis which seized him while riding in a trolley car on January 18.

MASHED FOOT

Mr. J. T. Bland met with the misfortune yesterday to mash his foot badly. It occurred while he was on his way to the fire. In attempting to jump upon the hose wagon he failed to leap quick enough and the wheel ran over his left foot. While the injury is painful it is not serious.

EXPLANATIONS OF FLOODS

The explanations of the floods given by French scientists are of special interest. Etienne Stanislas Meunier, the eminent geologist, considers the phenomenon to be more of a geological than a meteorological nature. After explaining the action and reaction of the water in the strata below the surface, he declares that the soil of the entire basin of the Seine and the other big rivers of France had become impregnated with the point of complete saturation during the preceding three months of gentler rains with moderate temperature.