## FINLAYE SAYS HE WILL FACE CHARGE

Will Return to Kentucky When His Case Comes Up.

## REQUISITION BE REFUSED

Governor Mount Will Not Surrender Accused to Beckham-Trial of Colson-Captain Golden Put on Witness Stand by Commonwealth.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 18 .- Charles Finlaye, former secretary of state of Kentucky, who has been here for several weeks, has been notified of the indictment that has been returned against him and other Kentucky Republicans, was called upon today by the Kentucky Republicans who are in the city.

"I intend to return to return to Ken tucky and face the indictments against me," he said. "My mind has not been changed by the news of the indictment. I have all along intended to go back to my state. I cannot say just when I shall go, probably not until the trial on the indictment, for I am not willing to go back and be thrown into jail. When the time for the trial comes, however, I shall go to Kentucky and defend myself against the unjust charges they have brought against me."

Mr. Finlaye said further that he had no doubt that he would have been thrown into jail like Powers and Davis were in Lexington, if it had not been simply by chance private interests had

As to his belief as to whether Beckham would make another attempt to remove him from Indiana by requisition Mr. Finlaye politely declined to talk.

## CANNOT ARREST FINLAYE.

Governor Mount Will Refuse Requisition of Governor Beckham.

FRANKFORT, Ky., April 18 .- It is believed here that there will be some trouble in securing the extradition from Indianapolis of ex-Secretary of State Charles Finlaye, who has been indicted by the grand jury in connection with the murder of Governor Goebel.

Governor Mount of Indiana has refused to recognize requisitions from Governor Beckham and Governor Taylor will not be asked to make the requi-tion by the Franklin county officials, because that would be a requisition of the contestee, who has an adverse decision from the state courts.

#### COLSON PLACED ON TRIAL Captain Golden Appears as Witness

For Prosecution. FRANKFORT, Ky., April 18.-The taking of testimony in the Colson trial commenced this morning in the circuit

The first witness introduced by the comonwealth was Captain B. B. Golden who was badly shot during the duel and who is supposed to have entered the hotel office with Ethelbert Scott. Golden testified at length as to his whereabouts after arriving in this city up to the time of the shooting.

Golden said he left Scott at the cigar stand and started across the office to the main entrance. Did not know whether Scott was following him or not, got almost to the door when he saw Colson arise from his chair and heard some one moving rapidly behind him.

"Colson took steady aim and fired the first shot," said the witness, "but I don't know who fired the second. I was shot in the back while trying to get out of

In the cross examination nothing new was brought out and after two hours on the stand Captain Golden was excused.

## ELECTION IN LOUISIANA.

Democrats Carry State by Large Majority-Light Vote Polled.

NEW ORLEANS, April 18 .- The Democrats elect every one of their senators and representatives. The storm interrapted communication with many of the country districts, but such returns as have been received indicate Democratic majorities, and it looks as though the two Republican tickets together had received not over 15,000 votes, a Democratic majority of 3 to 1.

The total vote will scarcely exceed 60. 000 against 207,000 a year ago and with a total registration of 140,000.

The state senate will be unanimously Democratic, and the house of 105 mem bers will contain about three Populists and two Republicans. This assures the re-election of McEnery to the United States and M. J. Foster to succeed Senaator Caffrey.

## Democrats Carry New Haven.

NEW HAVEN, April 18 .- The annual election of city and town officers resulted in a complete victory for the Democratic candidates. No mayoralty candidate was voted for. The Democratic majorities range from 2,000 to 2,300 and are the largest in years. The Democrats have control of both branches of the common council.

## Illinois License Elections.

CHICAGO, April 18. - Of 145 cities. towns and villages in Illinois, 70 voted against license, 55 for license, Joliet for high and Lockville for low. Republicans carried 11 of the 18 communities in which party lines were drawn.

## Present to Deweys.

PITTSBURG, April 18.—Admiral George Dewey and his wife have been tendered magnificent portraits in oil of themselves by President Charles M. Schwab of the Carnegie company and M. Chartian, the famous French painter, has been commissioned by Mr. Schwab to do the work.

Mrs. Bere Married. New York, April 18 .- The newspapers announce the marriage in this city yesterday of Mrs. Bernard Bere, the actress, to C. W. Oliver, a former priwate secretary of Lord Louidale.

SERIOUS RIOT AT SELMA. Strike Sympathizers Refuse to Allow Operators to Work.

SELMA, N. C., April 16.—This village is the storm certer of the Southern railway telegraphers' strike.

Most of the village sympathize with

the strikers. Four railway police are here to preserve order, but are helpless before the mob that snrrounds the station. All efforts to instal the new operator have been in vain, as a mob of 75 or 100 gathered and said it would kill the first man who entered the office. A mob boarded the train from Norfolk looking for another operator, but he was

The wires are cut and the office is still locked. The names of some of the mob were secured. They told the operator that if he tried to telegraph his life would not be worth 2 cents.

At Gibsonville there was trouble. A new operator arrived on the train. The conductor opened the station and the operator was put in, but as the train left the strikers and sympathizers rushed in and ejected the new man.

#### EXPERIMENT WAS A SUCCESS South Carolina Farmers Will Raise More Tobacco.

CONWAY, S. C., April 17.-Last year several farmers in this county were induced to plant tobacco as an experiment, the merchants of the town erecting a large warehouse which was placed at their disposal, and under the management of an experienced man. The transactions through this house last season amounted to nearly 100,000 pounds, the price averaging about \$52.50 per 100

The product was of a high grade and the results so satisfactory that this year tobacco will be the leading crop among the farmers. The soil is excellently adapted to the culture of high grade tobacco, and the farmers are please with it, because it is the best ready money

crop they have yet found. To handle this year's product the old warehouse will be run under the same management, while a new one of equal capacity is now being built.

#### COLONY OF WESTERNERS Several Hundred Have Located Near

Conway, S. C. CONWAY, S. C., April 17.—Homewood colony, situated about 4 miles from Conway, is composed of emigrants from the middle northern states, who have come here seeking better farming lands. Monthly excursions from Chicago enable them to come and look the land over. and they purchase land and send north for their families. They are thrifty. scientific farmers, introducing new methods of farming and more varied crops. Several families located here last winter, while others will come this

#### chased their farms. Deep Water at Georgetown.

fall and winter, having already pur-

GEORGETOWN, S. C., April 17 .- A committee of the board of trade of this city will appear before the river and harbor committee of the house of representatives at Washington this week to recommend an appropriation of \$500,000 for the improvement of the approaches to that city. The report of Reid Whitford, assistant United States engineer. who made the survey of Sampit river, under authority of the act of congress passed at the last session, urges the importance of the projected improvements.

## Will Succeed Judge Ewart.

Washington, April 16 .- In spite of inspired statements from this city and points in North Carolina, it is apparent to all who take the trouble to investigate that Judge Ewart is not to be judge much longer. His name, it is asserted, is not to be reported by the senate subcommittee, and his term of service will end with the last moment of the present session of congress. It is also stated that Senator Pritchard of North Carolina will be Judge Ewart's successor.

Prospective New Railroad. SPARTANBURG, S. C., April 16.—The proposed railroad from this city to Poore's Ford, N. C., to connect with a road known as the Polk County railway. which will soon be built, is being given serious consideration by influential citizens here. The city council several years ago voted \$25,000 in 8 per cent. bonds for a railroad to be built from Spartanburg to Rutherfordton, N. C. This plan can now be realized by con-

## structing the line to Poore's Ford.

Fell From the Bridge. COLUMBIA, S. C., April 17.-While at work on the Seaboard's new bridge across the Congaree below the city, one of the workmen fell from the middle span, turned over several times and disappeared beneath the water. A rope was lowered and one of his fellow workmen climbed down, dove into the water and rescued the unfortunate man. Although he fell about 50 feet, it is believed he will recover.

Accepted by Commission. COLUMBIA, S. C., April 13.—The Seaboard Air Line's new line, Columbia to Cheraw, completing the new Florida route, has been inspected and accepted by the railroad commission of this state. Passenger service will be inaugurated at once and a through vestibule service from New York to Tampa will be run-

## ning at an early date.

State May Appeal. COLUMBIA, S. C., April 16.—Attorney General Bellinger contemplates carrying the question of the Neal indictment before the supreme court. He thinks it necessary to have that tribunal decide whether or not Neal was responsible for the collection of convict hire money, as that question enters largely into the

#### Carolina bank suits. Nearing Completion.

CONWAY, S. C., April 17.-The Conway and Seashore railroad, a short line connecting Conway and the beach, is now within one mile of being completed. Great difficulty is experienced in getting a sufficient number of hands to do the work properly, but the road will be fin-ished in time for summer travel.

## MAY INVOLVE THE WHOLE OF EUROPE

America Will Enforce Pay-

## ment of Indemnities.

Unless Claims of American Missionaries Against Turkey Are Immediately Adjusted United States Will Take Charge of Turkish Harber.

SEIZE PORT OF SMYRNA

WASHINGTON, April 18 .- The United States charge d'affaires at Constantinople will be directed to inform the sultan that this government must insist on the payment without further delay of the indemnity for outrages on American missionaries and destruction of their property, unless prompt action on the sultan's part anticipates the ultimatum and the debt is discharged before a resort is made to drastic measures.

Several courses have been urged on the president for the collection of the indemnity, which is admitted by the sultan to be due to the American missionaries. Consideration has been given to a proposition to seize the port of Smyrna and administer its customs revenues until the judgment and expenses of collection are cancelled. This course has not been wholly abandoned in the remote contingency that satisfaction is indefinitely delayed.

It involves serious complications in States is extremely reluctant to assume responsibility for the recovery of so small an amount at the present time. It might precipitate war through Turwarships to Smyrna to resist the tempo- capital stock is to be \$5,000. rary American occupation. In that event the necessity for sending a large fleet to the Mediterranean would create alarm among the powers and disturb the delicate equillibrium now existing in Europe.

Under the circumstances it has been determined to exhaust all resources of peace with confidence that the sultan will be brought to understand that his promises cannot be lightly broken.

The proved claims against Turkey includes about \$300,000 for the destruction of property alone. To these which admitted of practically no dispute, there was added the Lentz claim of \$40,000 which was presented to Secretary Olney.

#### PORTE REPLIES TO POWERS. Serious Complications May Arise From

Increase of Duties. CONSTANTINOPLE, April 18.—The porte has replied to the third of the collective notes of the powers on the subject of an increase of 3 per cent in duties. The note announces the intention of the government to adhere to the plan of increasing the duties on account of the bad condition of the Turkish finances.

The ambassadors have decided to address another note to the porte again stating their objections to such an increase without a previous understanding with the powers.

The pertinacity of the porte threatens to have serious results.

#### LEGRANDE ON ALCOHOLISM. Alabama Physician Has Strong Views on Subject.

Montgomery, Ala., April 18.-Dr. J. C. Legrande of Birmingham, president of the State Medical association in session here, delivered his annual address and complimented the state board of health on the practicability and economy of its yellow fever quarantine service for the past two years and advised that a compulsory vaccination law was a necessity in Alabama. He said typhoid fever should be included among the dangerous contagious diseases and that statistics and conditions concerning it

should be gathered by the association. He called attention to the fact that alcohol had done more than any other agency to wreck the health of humanity. Prohibition and the dispensary had both failed to attain their desired object. He suggested that education with suitable textbooks showing the evils of alcoholism was the true solution. For men who are now inebriates the state should establish an asylum, he insisted.

## CAREY'S WOUND WAS FATAL.

Editor Who Made Fight Against Gam-

bling In Charleston Dead. CHARLESTON, April 18 .- W. J. Carey, editor of The Seashore Review, a small publication which made a bitter fight against gambling in Charleston, is dead. Two weeks ago Carey was cleaning an old pistol when it was accidentally discharged, the ball entering the breast just above the heart. There were sen sational rumors afloat at the time about the shooting and the story was current that Carey was cleaning his firearms in anticipation of trouble. Carey made a bitter fight against the city administration and the police department. What he printed caused a big stir here, but since the shooting the tone of the paper has been changed.

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#### BE NO FUSION THIS YEAR. THE WAR IN Republicans and Populists to Nominate Separate Tickets.

Washington, April 17 .- The efforts

of the Populist and Republican leaders of North Carolina to agree upon terms of fusion have failed, and according to the announcement made by Senator Pritchard, representing the Republi-cans, and Senator Butler, representing the Populists, there are to be tickets represented by each party in the North

Apparently this is an assurance of Democratic success, although both Pritchard and Butler talk hopefully of the prospects. Senator Pritchard has reached the conclusion that the failure of fusion, which gave the Populists and Republicans temporary power in the state, will bring about a Republican victory and the state will go in the McKinley column. Senator Butler, on the

#### can colleague, has been trying to pro-mote, insures a Populist victory. ANOTHER NEW COTTON MILL Commission Issued to Greenville Com-

other hand, is positive that the failure of the fusion which he, like his Republi-

pany-Other Enterprises. COLUMBIA, S. O., April 13 .- The secretary of state has issued a commission to the Carolina mill of Greenville, the cap-

ital stock of which is to be \$50,000. The Blackshear cotton mill filed notice of a decrease of its proposed capital stock from \$100,000 to \$50,000.

The Southern Telephone and Telegraph company of Barnwell filed notice of the increase of its capital stock from \$500 to \$5,000. A commission has been issued to the

Farmers' cotton seed oil mill and ginthe Mediterranean, for which the United | nery of Tanglewood, Greenville county. The capital stock is to be \$15,000. A commission was also issued to N. Craig, William I. McBride and F. Evans of Greenville as corporators of the eve of moving his main body of key's sending some of its antiquated the Greenville Hardware company. The troops toward Preteria. Unless all the

#### SUMTER'S WALKING STICK. Aged North Carolina Lady Has It In Her Possession.

WASHINGTON, April 13.-A letter to Senator McLaurin from a prominent citizen of Windsor, N. C., conveys the information that Mrs. Hannah Biddle, an aged lady of that town and a granddaughter of ex-Governor Stone of North Carolina, has in her possession, as an heirloom, the walking cane of General Sumter of revolutionary fame.

The stick is in a good state of preservation, with the exception of some four or five worm holes. It is made of some kind af jointed wood, resembling briar root, and has a buckhorn head, with an ivory capping, upon which is inscribed the word "Sumter," said to have been put there by the old general himself.

#### BENSON'S HALLUCINATIONS. Imagines He Is Dreyfus and Is Pursued

by His Enemies. ASHEVILLE, N. C., April 13.-Michael Benson has developed a case of insanity and labors under the hallucination that he is Captain Dreyfus. The fellow was formerly employed on the Vanderbilt estate at Biltmore. He thinks that his enemies are pursuing him all the time and that they have succeeded in charging him with electricity and avoids all street car rails and all objects which he thinks might conduct an electric current. Benson, while under this hallucination, endeavored to gain an entrance to the Biltmore house and swam the Swannanoa river, thus securing an entrance to the estate.

## Prosecution Fails to Convict.

COLUMBIA, S. C., April 13.—The prosecution of Colonel W. A. Neal, ex-superintendent of the penitentiary has fallen flat. There were three indictments backed by cords of evidence before the legislative investigation committee. On one cause the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty on account of a technicality. The second indictment was quashed on account of another legal technicality, and the third indictment was not pushed It was not nolprossed, because the solicitor objected to that. In the absence of the solicitor it was continued, and that is the end of it.

New Enterprise For Gaffney. GAFFNEY, S. C., April 13.-Plans are being perfected for the development of Gaston Shoals, near here. H. D. Wheat. president of the Gaffney Manufacturing company, has purchased that prop-erty with a large tract of land on either side of Broad river, and is now organizing a company to develop the water power. An electric power plant will be installed and power transmitted to Gaffney. Spartanburg and other nearby towns, while several towns will be furnished with electricity for lighting purposes.

## Will Complete Statehouse.

COLUMBIA, S. C., April 14.—The statehouse commission has awarded the plan of finishing the statehouse to Architect Milburn of Charlotte, N. C. It will take about three months to complete the plans and specifications and call for bids. The cost will be about \$165,000. Mr. Milburn's plan includes generally a handsome portico at the front and rear end of the building.

## Sale of Georgia Pine Land. DAVIS STATION, S. C., April 17 .- C. M. Davis, president of the C. M. Davis

some time ago.

Open For Business COLUMBIA, S. C., Abril 16.-The new State Bank and Trust company of this city has opened its doors for business.

The bank is in charge of Dr. W. H.

Timmerman as president, Edward Ehrlich as vice president, and John Taylor as cashier.

CHARLESTON, April 16.—In the court of common pleas the sealed verdict in the case of Mrs. Mary K. Appleby against the South Carolina and Georgia railroad was opened and found to contain a judgment for \$10,000 for the plaintiff.

British to Move Northward at an Early Date.

LONDON, April 17.-Ladysmith dis patches confirm the report that the Boers have retired from the Elandslaagte district to their Biggarsburg positions. No raiding operations southward have been reported and it is now clear that the Boer advance was ordered for the sake of employing the burghers on active duty and of checking desertions. The British inactivity in one sense is masterly, since it demoralizes the enemy.

An official balletin issued at Pretoria contains a survey of the military situation in the various sections and implies that there is activity all along the line. The Boer officials evidently find it necessary to convey the impression to their own people that the enemy's forces have not disbanded, but are actively employed

at various points. The only fresh claim of victory in this report is that General Froneman has defeated a British column and driven it across the Orange river. There is no confirmation of this story from British

General Chermside, with a full division, is moving east from Reddersburg. and the Boers may be caught in a corner some where in the southwestern section of the Free State.

The general situation at Bloemfontein is unchanged. Military experts here do not expect an advance north will follow for a week or ten days. Lord Roberts is probably waiting for large shipments of horses which have barely arrived at Cape Town.

At last Lord Roberts seems to usually reliable sources of information and all the indications smuggled past the censor are at fault, the British army, within a few days, will be marching northward. After many premature and unfounded reports that have purported to tell of this move, there is naturally, even in the best informed quarters, considerable hesitancy in definitely setting upon the day Lord Roborts is likely to leave Bloemfontein, but there is a settled impression that it will occur either at the end of this week or the beginning

of next. The troops have been well rested during the few weeks' stay in Bloemfontein. and unless the British proceed northward now the strategism of the Boers will make itself felt. The advance will propably be made in parallel columns with an advance guard, sweeping northward to the east and west, the force amounting to 75,000 men.

From The Hague come the news that the Boer delegates refuse to make public the object of their mission. They hope to be received by Queen Wilhelm, but nothing in this direction has vet been

decided upon. The Boers, for two days past, have been displaying great activity along the Reddersburg and Rouxville road. Their scouts report them advancing on those places to the relief of Wepener, and the burghers, consequently, are divided whether to remain or retire. A majority of them desire to abandon Wepener, fearing to be cut off, while the minority, led by Commandant Olivier, are reluctant to move as long as there is a chance to capture Colonel Dalgetty's garrison. Scouts have just reported recent firing

#### in the direction of Thabanchu. Both Claim Victory at Wepener. LONDON, April 16.—Conflicting reports regarding the conditions at Wepener continue. But there is no definite or

important news from the front. A Cape Town dispatch says nearly 3,000 horses have been landed there since April 13, which indicates that every effort is being made to remedy the great defect in the British organization.

The chief Boer delegate, Fischer, accompanied by Dr. Leyds, has visited the president of the Dutch cabinet at The Hagne, but the doings of the delegates create little speculation in England. Frederick Williers, the veteran war

correspondent who has arrived from the front says he believes the worst of the war is over, but that guerrilla warfare will continue for some time. An official bulletin issued at Pretoria April 13 reports that the Burghers captured 500 slaughter exen at Wepner and that General Foeneman that day de-feated the British, causing them to fly in the direction of Wolverport, appa-rently over the range everywhere. The Irish-American ambulance arrived

at Pretoria April 13. The Boers report no casualties during the recent fighting at Warrenton.

A dispatch from Ladysmith says native scouts have just reported that the Boers in the Elandslaagte district have

retired beyond Biggarsburg.

Other information tends to confirm the report that the Boers have blown up three important collieries near Wessel's Nek, completely destroying the engine houses and plants.

#### Dewet Engages Brabant. BRANDFORT, April 16 .- Fighting with

Brabant's horse at Jammerberg drift continues. Commandant Petrus Dewet is reported to have engaged the troops sent from Bloemfontein to Brabant's assistance. There was also a brush with Lumber company of this place, is in a British column advancing toward South Georgia, where he is arranging to develop a 10,000 acre tract of long leaf yellow pine stumpage which he bought

Boer Defeat Reported. CAPE TOWN, April 16 .- It is reported that General Brabant has defeated the Boers at Wepener and captured their

Semi-Official Denial. Berlin, April 16 .- The reports circulated of conferences between Count Von Buelow, the minister of fourign affairs

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IN UNITED STATES COURT

and Set for April 30.

WASHINGTON, April 16.—The cases in-

asking for an early hearing. In this

greed statement, it is set forth that

both Taylor and Beckham as governor.

on the republican side and L. H. Carter

as president pro tem of the senate and

John B. Castleman as adjutant general

on the democratic side are each and all

demanding the right to and actually

ttempting to exercise the powers of the

respective offices claimed by them, thus

producing great confusion in Kentucky

by reason of the doubts as to which offi-

cial persons named have the lawful right

to exercise the authority pertaining to

the several offices named, all to the great

injury and detriment of the people of

The supreme court advanced the case

to be heard April 30, and gave each side

TELEPHONE GIRL IS DYING

Was Victim of Peculiar Accident In

Chicago Exchange.

CHICAGO, April 17.—Prostrated by an

electric shock, received while at her

desk in the offices of the Chicago Tele-

pone company, two weeks ago, Mand

Turnbull now lies at the point of death.

the continuous twitching of the girl's

muscles, while the derangement of the

nervous system has caused violent heart

convulsions. These result in sinking

spells, when the pulse ceases to beat un-

til injections of strychnine are admin-

Miss Turnbull was in charge of the

board where connections are made be-

ween the various offices of the com-

any. She had just made a connection.

holding the plug in her left hand and

the receiver in her right, her fingers

chanced to close over the metal attach-

ment, which sent the current through

Four Perish In Flames.

NEWCASTLE, Pa., April 17 .- A large

tenement house occupied by Italian and

negro families, near Rock Point, was de-

stroved by fire last night. David Abi-

atte, an old man, and his three young

Abiatte, were burned to death. Many

of the other occupants escaped by jump-

Judge Candler Breaks Record.

ATLANTA, April 17.-There were 99

cases on the docket when Judge John S.

Candler convened court Monday morn-

ing in the criminal branch of Fulton sn-

perior court for the spring term. When

court adjourned for the day at 6 o'clock

22 cases had been called and disposed of.

Mexican War Veterans Pensioned.

ginning of today's session of the senate.

a bill was passed granting to soldiers of

the Mexican war pensions of \$12 a

Lamplighter Turned Out.

LOUISVILLE April 18 .- The Commer-

oisi says that Charles Patterson, yester-

day before leaving for the east decided

to turn out Lamplighted, his 3-year-old,

that ran last in the New Orleans derby.

Lamplighted gave some promise as a 2

year-old and in the early training this

spring, but his showing at New Orleans

and Patterson decided to end his racing

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THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY MILLIONS ARE STARVING.

Rev. Rockwell Clancy Tells of Cond's Kentucky Governorship Case Docketed tions in India. Boston, April 16.-The Rev. Rockwell Clancy, a missionary at Allahabad, volving the Kentucky governorship have who is visiting his brother in Medford, been docketed in the United States

said last night: supreme court. A brief statement in "The conditions of the famine strick n which counsel for both Taylor and Beckin India today is something perfectly awham joined was filed at the same time ful to contemplate. I cannot tell any. thing about the number who are dying. but when I left Bombay last February John Marshall as lieutenant governor there were some 60,000,000 people suffering from famine and over 30,000,000 were in dire distress, and of these but

5,000,000 were receiving government aid. "When the famine set in the people began to sell everything they had that might get a little grain for food. They took the doors from their houses and sold them; sold their furniture and farming utensils and when they had no longer anything to sell they sold their children. The boys don't sell well and.

the traffic is largely in girls. "I saw girls in one town just before I came away being sold for 30 cents a piece. They were bought up by Mohammedans. But they won't buy the boys, so when the parents cannot longer support their children they abandon them and henceforth they must get on as best they can. These castoffs congregate about the doors of the grain merchants' shops, and the only way the proprietors can get rid of them is to throw out handsful of grain, scattering it wide. The children pick and pick all day and at night perhaps are rewarded by hav-

#### ing collected a single handful.' Physicians have been unable to relieve HEAVIEST RAIN FOR YEARS. Mississippi Is Cut Off From Outside

World. MEMPHIS, April 17 .- Reports from northern and central Mississippi are meager, telegraphic and telephone communications being seriously interrupted. The heaviest rains those sections have experienced for years have fallen within the past two days. Travel and traffic in many instances are suspended. Reports from Jackson state that no trains have passed through the city since the southbound passenger train on the Illinois Central yesterday morning at 5 o'clock. Washouts are reported in all directions. Reports from Crystal Springs and Madison state that both cotton and corn crops

## will have to be replanted in many places.

Meridian Isolated. MERIDIAN, Miss., April 17 .- The flood situation in this section has reached frightful proportions. This city is cut off from the outside world except by three telegraphic communications of the Western Union wires. All trains are marked annulled for an indefinite period.

Heavy Rains In Louisiana. New Orleans, April 17.-There was an unprecedented heavy rain here today, the streets in many places being flooded 6 inches deep. The rain, which is general throughout the state, is still falling, and there is no prospect of a letup.

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