INVASION OF THE FRONTIER

ETTING BEHIND TURKISE LINES

Bands of Insurgents, With Ammunition, Provisions and Gold, Cross the Frontier, Taking the Oath, "Liberty or Death," as They Go-The Movement in Accordance With a Weil Deduced Programme. Mines, April 11.—Accounts are very conflicting as to what really happened hast Friday, when the frontier was monk from Mt. Athos, assisted by his abbot and two deacons, held a religious more at Koniskas, at which all mem-bers of the invading body partook of the sacrament, and registered the oath. In addition to large quantities of am-munition and provisions, the force has \$2,000 in gold. During Friday night forms the direction of known, had a rendezvous at Nezer with sources of the frontier, about thirty-five kilo-no the frontier, about thirty-five kilo-meters north of Larlssa and near the ped, and took the oath. It crossed the sources of the footier was sources of the footier was provisions the direction of known, had a rendezvous at Nezer or the frontier, about thirty-five kilo-meters north of Larlssa and near the ped, and took the oath. It crossed the sources of the source of the government arrived to-tory and will assist the destitute at once. The Yazoo & Mississippi Vailey Rail-od the source of the government arrived to-tag and took the oath. It crossed the sources of the ready will probably have the sources of the source of the source of the sources of the government arrived to-to and the oath. It crossed the sources of the sources of the source of the sources of the source of the sources of the source of the source of the source of the sources of the source of the source of the source of the sources of the source of the source

of Karya, where Sinsinikos is evident-ly forcing matters. Ueneral Makaras and his staff, with some knowledge of the movements afoot, which they were unwilling to impart, left yesterday for Tyrnaves, the most important Greek position, near Elassona. Four batteries of re-inforcements followed them from the inforcements followed them from the same point. At headquarters they de-clare that nothing is known as to the raid, and will say nothing as to the probable character of the raiders. How-ever, some additional light has been thrown upon the subject to-day by an interview between the Associated Press and a prominent Greek, who is evident-ly in close touch with the league and its plans. The Greek said: "The move-ments of these bands is all in accord-ance with a very clearly defined pro-gramme. For years thousands of Greeks, even little children, have been in the habit, on receiving a shilling, of in the habit, on receiving a shilling, of putting half of it into a national box in the cause of pan-Helenism. For in the cause of pan-Helenism. For many months it has been the plan of the league to stir up all the pan-Hel-lenic peoples by means of armed bands. Now that a great moment has come in Greek history, we have seized upon it. Our aim at present is to get behind the Turkish lines and to stir up all our brethren

Whether or not Europe insists upon the integrity of Turkey, Greece is not animated by selfish views, or with any desire for annexing territory to the desire for annexing territory to the kingdom. She demands not only a true and complete independence for heroic Crete, but the same independence for Epirus, Macedonia and Thrace. And she demands this also for all the sub-jugated populations of Asia Minor. Therefore, Greece will face any danger, in order to reach that end. Years of frightful suffering and unnumber-

ed crimes and tyrannies have been forced upon those who are our kins-men, by faith and bloed in those coun-tries, and we are pledged in the most solemn way and inspired by the most sacred and ennobing principles of lib-erty, to do all in our power to lift from them the curse that burdens them."

NEWS OF THE FIGHTING.

Artillery Battle Between Greek and Turk-The Greeks Lose 23 Men at Chasauga. But Place Their Flag-Severe In surgent Loss in a Battle With Chasseurs. London April 11 - The Times to-mor-aw will print the following dispatch row will print the following dispatch from its correspondent at Larrissa: Coussio, the accredited representa-tive of the Ethnike Hetairria, tells me that he looks for important news to-day (Sunday). He has been in confer-ence with Greek deputies, and with leading supporters of the patriotic movement, who have recently arrived here, and there seems to have been a

movement, who have recently arrived here, and there seems to have been a deliberate plan to leave in the hands of the Ethnike Hetairria, the initiative. The Greek outposts are being quietly strengthened and (small detachments) are proceeding to their positions under

cover of darkness. The latest informa-tion received here on the subject of the raid shows that the invading insur-

The River Steadily Falling and Far rits-The Water Will Disappear By May 1.

THE WORST IS OVER.

crossed, they moving in the direction of Schrewek. A second band, number un-known, had a rendezvous at Nezeros. On the frontier, about thirty-five kilo-meters north of Larissa, and near the coast. This band was smillarly equip-ped, and took the oath. It crossed the frontier on Thursday night, marching on Karya. As everywhere in the Vale of Tempe, in this portion of the frontier, the roads and bridges are in a condition of thorough repair. This (Sunday) morn-ing the roar of artillery can be plainly heard at Larissa, from the direction of Karya, where Sinsinikos is evident-ly forcing matters. theneral Makaras and his staff, with some knowledge of the movements afout which they were unwilling to

THE CHIEF ENGINEER'S REPORT. The Flower Lake Crevassee and the Big

folume of Water Pouring Through It. Memphis, April 11.-Major Dabney, chief engineer of the Yamoo levee board, has arrived in theseity from the scene of the Flower Lake break and had a consultation with Captain Fitch and the members of the levee board, who are here. Major Dabney said that on Thursday he had measured the crev-Thursday he had measured the crev-asse by engineering instruments and found that it was 1.875 feet wide. Since then he thinks that the width has in-creased to no less than 1.960 feet. The upper end of the levee, the one that has been doing all the cutting, has been tied, but Major Dabney says that he is not certain that it will hold at that point. He was asked for an estimate of the volume of water that is passing through the crevasse into the delta and hrough the crevasse into the delta, and placed the amount roughly at 180,000,000 ubic feet per hour.

cubic feet per hour. "What will be the chances for clos-ing the opening before the time for the June rise?" he was asked. "It will be absolutely impossible for a levee of full size and height to be built around the opening, before that

ime. With the circular line that we will have to follow around them. It vill take some 360,000 yards of dirt to whill take some 300,000 yards of dirt to make a levee there, and that will cost between \$40,000 and \$50,000. It could not be finished in time for the June rise, but in the event that the present flood in the river goes down in time, we will probably make a small levee along the line to be followed later by a lever the line, to be followed later by a larger one." With the river falling all along the front in this district Major Dabney does not expect any further trouble. Satisfactory Situation at New Orleans New Orleans, April 11 .- The river is booming, and in spots the water was over the 'aprons' of the levees, making deposits of mud The authorities, how.

ver, deny any additional apprehen-ton, and are resourceful in combatting iny incords made by the river, rapidly

any inronds made by the river, rapidly applying temporary barriers of sacks filled with earth, and such other de-diotning parishes of St Bernard and Pinquenines, the levees suffer most from wave washes, but the official charged with the duty of maintaining the embankments in good shape are straining every nerve to keep out the water he clear weather is rapidly dry. ing the rain-soaked levees and facili-taling improvements. In spite of the scribed as satisfactory. cribed as satisfactory

The Queen's Birthday and the Americans

Child's junior suits fancy trimmed. In London. London, April 10.—It has been decid-ed to celebrate the Queen's diamond jubilee by the simultaneous lighting of bonfires on the hills around the coasts, at 10 o'clock on the day of the sixtleth anniversary of her ascension to the throne. June 20. The Americans of this city have formed a committee to pro-



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