RIVER NEWS

CINCINNATI, Sept. 12.-River 3.4, stationary.

LOUISVILLE, Sept. 11.-River 2.10, stationary.

The river is 2 feet 7 inches here.

People living along the banks of the Upper Ohio have trouble keeping their stock at home. They walk or wade across the river out of one State into another.

The stone marking the extreme low water of 1881 in front of the Portsmouth levee was uncovered Saturday night by the falling Ohio, and is now 2 inches out of water. It represents 16 inches, and is supposed to be the lowest stage of water in the history of Portsmouth. 'Indian Head'' rock, which for years has been the low water mark on the Kentucky shore, opposite Portsmouth, is now two feet out of water. The little dinkies Sandy Valley and Virgie Ratliff are the only boats touching at the wharf there, and if the present conditions prevail they will soon have to stop.

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