

Louisville (Neb.) Flood Sufferers in Need of Help

Village Has No Means of Rendering Aid to Many Homeless and Destitute Families.

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Louisville, Neb., Oct. 10.—Word received here today was to the effect that \$200 more had been raised in Omaha. Following the action of the Byrne-Hammer Dry Goods company in subscribing \$100 through The Omaha Bee for aid of the Louisville flood sufferers. The contributions announced today follow:

Omaha-Lincoln Railway and Light company \$100
Omaha World-Herald 100
Salvation Army 100
Total \$300
Pitiful instances of devastation of the Mill creek flood which swept over the lowlands where the poor people of the town of 800 inhabitants reside are plentiful. A few follow:
Home of Mrs. C. G. Clifford, 68, a widow in a humble cottage, was absolutely swept away. She had a stitch of clothing, except that which she wore, left. Her total savings, \$150 in cash, hidden in a ball of yarn in her cottage, were swept away with the flood. Her two grandsons who were working their way through college at Lincoln have returned to Louisville to care for Widow Clifford. It is the hope of the relief committee that they can build a new home for the woman.

Schoerman Home Ruined.
The home of Mr. and Mrs. George Schoerman, ages 85 and 75, respectively, is ruined. It has been swept from its foundation and several feet of mud encased within its walls has ruined the furniture.

This couple was saved by a miracle. On the night of the flood, rescuers believed for a time they had been drowned. Suddenly they saw a feeble light flickering over the water and through the window of the Schoerman home. James Jones, a telephone man, had a rope tied around his waist and swam and waded to the home. There he found the aged couple to their necks in water. They had been lighting matches to inform rescuers they were still alive.

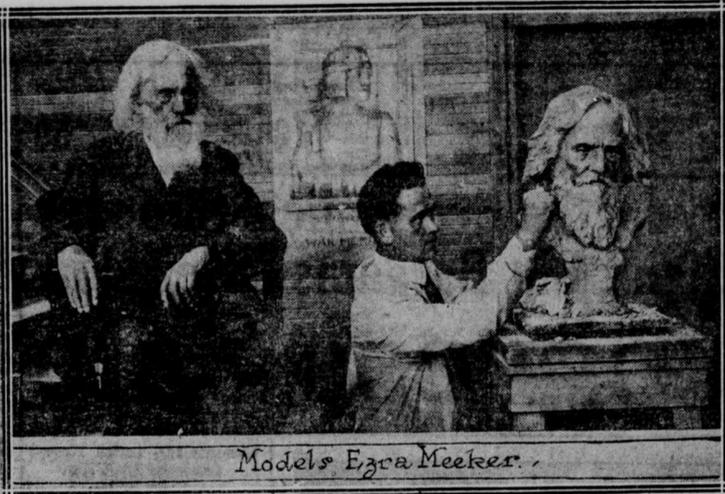
The home of Mrs. Susie Urwin, divorced, with three children, is filled with mud. The catastrophe has caused a partial reconciliation with her husband, George, according to townspeople. Both were so thankful the children were saved that they have partly forgotten past grievances by joining in congratulations for the safety of their children.

Household Goods Ruined.
Mrs. J. P. Brodine, a widow past 70, suffered the loss of nearly all her household goods. Like losses have been suffered by a score of others, including Jack Slater and Fred Shellhorn.

The merchant with goods ruined are holding numerous "flood sales." The town, as a whole, has suffered the loss of two wagon bridges, one of which has been made passable through free labor of town folks from neighboring communities. Workmen are busy in an endeavor to repair the other.

The Missouri Pacific bridge across Mill creek has been repaired.
Rev. W. E. Goings of Louisville, is one of the many heroes Louisville produced the flood. Neck deep in water, Rev. Mr. Goings searched diligently for bodies. When one was recovered he accompanied it to the undertaker where it was embalmed. Then, he hurried home, changed his clothes, preached a funeral sermon, followed the body to its grave and then returned home, changed clothes and returned to work with the resulting parties.

Pioneer to Be Immortalized



Models Ezra Meeker.

Avard Fairbanks, University of Oregon sculptor, is here shown modeling head of Ezra Meeker, oldest survivor of the Oregon trail, who went west behind a team of oxen in 1853.

Girl Who Killed Man Released by Coroner's Jury

Many Believe Justice Done by Girl Who Slew Man She Said Betrayed Her.

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee.
Lincoln, Oct. 10.—Does the father of Alva Valjert, Bohemian girl of Milford who was released last night by a coroner's jury after being held on a charge of murdering Anton Lana, farm hand, know more about the case than he stated on the witness stand?

That is a question that is puzzling citizens of Milford tonight.
Despite the finding of the coroner's jury, persons who have been following the case are not satisfied that the whole truth has been told, though they appear unanimously of the opinion that Lana got no more than he deserved. Contradictions of the girl's mother in her testimony only serve to heighten their belief.
Rarely in the history of such cases has public sentiment so rapidly crystallized in favor of the defendant as it has in Milford since the death of Lana was made public late Monday night. No one in the town appears to have desired to see Alva Valjert prosecuted. To all intents and purposes the case is closed, at least as far as citizens of Milford are concerned, the general opinion being that justice has been done.

Sioux City Cattleman Is Paid \$8.45 for Steers

William Newell of Haig, Neb., was at the Omaha market with a shipment of three loads of fine steers that brought \$8.45 a hundred. There were 55 head in the shipment and they averaged 1,250 pounds.
"There is a good supply of hay in Sioux county, despite the long spell of wet weather. There will be an unusually big corn crop. There are still a few shipments of cattle to be made, but most of the best ones have been sent to market."

Artist Gives Lecture on "Parsifal" This Evening

Mrs. Vida Reed Stone of Los Angeles, pianist and lecturer, will give a stereopticon lecture on "Parsifal" Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the new Theosophical hall.

201 Arthur building, 210 South Eighteenth street.
Mrs. Stone, having spent several years abroad in the study of music and art, will illustrate her lecture by using hand colored slides depicting scenes in the opera and places in Europe historically associated with its production. The music motives from the score will be played by Mrs. Stone, while the principal characters and events are shown on the screen. The lecture is free.

Humphrey (Neb.) Man Left Estate Valued at \$72,000

Columbus, Neb., Oct. 10.—William A. Alderson, Humphrey, Neb., who died in an Omaha hospital September 14, left an estate valued at \$72,000, according to a petition filed in probate court here, in which his son, Oliver, is appointed executor. The heirs are the widow, two sons, one daughter and a grandson. The bulk of the estate goes to Mrs. Alderson.

Mitchell Man Is Pleased With Price for Stock Here

A consignment of 28 head of fine steers, included in a shipment of cattle brought in by W. M. Lee of Mitchell, Neb., averaged 1,219 pounds and sold for \$8.10 a hundred as killers. Mr. Lee said he was satisfied with the price and received a comfortable profit.

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Farmer Lets Cattle Run in Cornfields

A. C. Watson, Plainview, Neb., here to look over the livestock market, said there had not been a single sign of frost and that the corn crop, which would be large, had almost completely matured.

"I am feeding a big string of cattle and am letting them run in the cornfields. I have never lost a cent on the cattle. I have fed in the cornfields and for a good many years I have been changing my corn into beef. There is a big saving on husking corn, figuring on the cost of 10 to 12 cents a bushel to the men besides the mare price in my section, drop in the price of feeders so there has been done in new corn to establish a bushel. Buyers are waiting for a feed lots so far."

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