Miles Away—Rising Waters Lap at Heart of City

-Thousands Flee. Oklahoma City, Okl., Oct. 16.-In

the middle of the day the flood was lands of Oklahoma City's south side. a rushing, swirling torrent two miles

hours of futile trial to reach several families marooned in their homes whose cries for help came faintly over the rush of the water and the crash ing of trees and buildings that fell before the mighty sweep of the flood. No loss of life has been reported.

Oklahoma City, Okl., Oct. 16 .- A lands. catastrophic flood gripped Oklahoma breast the current and effect a rescue last evening. In a few moments sev-

creeping relentlessly upward from the the angry waters sweep through the lowlands, already literally are lapping at the very threshold of the retail business center of the city, with every prospect that the rest of the high district, it was reported. Oklahoma City prospect that the rest of the high water will not be reached for some

Sweeping savagely southeastward, are isolated, awaiting the rescuers, Dam Breaks at Reservoir 10 the raging torrent, swollen to un who have so far been unable to reach precedented proportions by rains them. which have fallen virtually without interruption for four days in the west cral persons to safety before swiftly rising water isolated the Muland north-central sections of the state, broke through the municipal reservoir, ligan Grove neighborhood. Repeated 10 miles west of here, early today and efforts to reach the helpless flood vicflung a pent-up nine-foot wall of water tims will be made, but firemen who down stream to spread further dis- battled the current there said it was aster to the already stricken low impossible to navigate in rowboats.

This volume of water reached here about 4 o'clock this morning and wide with many currents ripping new within an hour had spread to within their homes in an area in the flood's courses through the devastated low- 18 blocks of the principal business path comprising 117 city blocks and section, both from the south and are being sheltered and fed by hastily southwest corners.

So far there has been no loss of life reported, but numbers of persons the stricken residential sections. undertow defeated efforts of firemen spite the frantic efforts of workmen to reach 15 persons marooned in the to save them by hastily erected sand Mulligan grove district in the low-Rowboats were unable to

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Ordered to places of safety last

evening by city authorities, approxi

path comprising 117 city blocks and

mately 15,000 residents abando

formed relief organizations.

-The Omaha Bee: Wednesday, October 17, 1923inundated, flood waters of the North Canadian river rising rapidly and perately to a rafter in a church while Reo Speed Wagon as "Covered Wagon" Board Accepts



Filming the days of the Oregon trail involved hardships that matched in many ways the struggles of the early pioneers in their march across Kansas, Nebraska, Wyoming and over the Rockies to Oregon. But the ac-National guardsmen are patroling A swirling current with a powerful through the dam embankments deindertow defeated efforts of firemen spite the frantic efforts of workmen porting of a dozen immense generators and lighting plants across the Utah

plains 50 and 70 miles from a railroad. A duplicate of the Reo as it left the last railroad point was on O The west bank was torn open late streets today in conjunction with the showing of the picture here

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fection for Her.

Threats of violence by his parents

clares Mrs. Mary Pou-

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ages against her fath-

er-in-law and mother

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ity today.

With virtually the entire south side the rescue of several persons.

after earlier efforts had resulted in en feet of water was pouring through, sending the river's stage to 23 feet. had been carried away. For two hours the 23-foot depth was main-

Then the torrent's furious attack against the east barrier was victor ous and almost the full sweep of water in the dam was released. Blames Husband's Parents This sent the river's crest to 25 feet, a height never before attained

and nine feet above last spring's disastrous high mark. With the additional rise, emer gency sirens in Oklahoma City blared forth their warning signals and evacuation of the entire area in the flood's path began. At the sound of

venue, a principal business thorough fare, became choked with refugees. Relief stations were set up and personal warnings were broadcast by the local telephone company to each of its subscribers in the threatened

the fire siren streets south of Grand

Street cars and volunteer motorsts, venturing to the very edge of the advancing water, aided in bringing the helpless and crippled to ha

A stream of grim-faced refugees tera in her petition, filed today with rudged on foot, backs bent over the the clerk of the district court. The ourden of pitiful little bundles of be date of the wedding was set for Janongings snatched frantically from uary 20. But, frightened by his partheir homes, which only a few min- ent, who, she asserts, inreatened to utes later were charged by the swirl- kill him if he married her, young Patera jilted his flancee and fled t Following a report at police head- California. He was returned, and

warters that a band of from 75 to pleaded guilty to seduction. The same was looting homes deserted day the pair was married. by refugees, a force of specially depu- Immediately after the marriage, the ized police was dispatched to the parents of the young man renewed cene with orders issued by Mayor O. their opposition and threats, contin-A. Cargill to shoot to kill any person ues the petition. After two days with his bride, the husband again left her ound pillaging. A child was born August 23. The mother claims to be without resources

With the coming of a cold, gray dawn, the homeless ventured from affections to the interference of his emergency shelters and the parents. streets were filled with them. Bread and coffee lines were opened by the city's two largest hotels and regular relief centers were receiving truck loads of food from the city's whole. Ayres, head of the new farmer-labor

party in South Dakota, today an Virtually every church in the city nounced that he had received word from Henry Ford that the automobile well as many lodge rooms and business buildings. Among the latter was formation of "Ford for President" the Federal Reserve Bank building, the marble lobby of which was lit- formation of the clubs would be tered with the tragic little bundles of started next month.

Every hospital in the city was filled to overflowing long before daybreak as sick were taken from their homes Denny, motion picture actor, suffered in the lowlands. Long lines of cots in a fractured pelvis and severe lacera-the corridors told of the effort being tions of the right arm when the automade to minister to the needs of those mobile in which he was returning from who had been driven from their sick a fishing trip overturned, it was announced at the hospital where he was Adjutant General B. H. Markham of taken.

the Oklahoma National Guard, who is in a hospital, directed the operation of the 300 guardsmen in the flood area by telephone.

Cissie Loftus Back. New York, Oct. 16 .- Returning to the American stage after an absence of nearly 10 years, Cissie Loftus, English mimic, arrived yesterday on the Leviathan, announcing herself cured of the drug habit.

Last November cable dispatches telling of the arrest of the actress in London for alleged filegal possession of narcotics brought to the United States the first news in years of the former star of the legitimate and vaudeville stages. Since then she was paroled for a year by the English

10 Years Added to Life. Detroit, Mich., Oct. 16 .- Ten years ided to the average expectancy of numan life during the last 20 years and the cutting of the infant mor-tality rate in half is credited chiefly specific public health activities, Dr. George E. Vincent, president of he Rockefeller Foundation of New York City, said in an address before the American Child Health associa-

Movie Czar Returns. New York, Oct. 16 .- Will H. Hays eturned yesterday on the Leviathan after visiting Ambassador Harvey for three weeks in London. He declined o discuss Mr. Harvey's resignation, ut asserted that 90 per cent of the ilm productions in England were of Americanism make and predicting that notion pictures eventually would end wars by making for better understand-

Swiss Niagara Falls.

Geneva, Oct. 16 .- A new Niagara Falls is being built in the Alps at an altitude of over 6,000 feet, near Martiguy, for the purpose of supply ing electrical power to the Swiss Federal railways. The dam will be the same height as that at Niagara, and an artificial lake of 40,000,000 cubic yards will be formed. Its total cost will be about \$12,000,000.

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being par plus accrued interest. The Tech buildings and structures on it was claimed. majority of the other five bids were other school sites has netted the

Some recitation classes, they assert, re held in the basement of the school. There are 125 students in the senior high school. Rose Hill school becomes so cold in winter that classes must be dismissed, Mr. Carson stated. A petition signed by Benson parents these for consideration by the board on These will be distributed to boar building plans, presented by Mr. members, principals, teachers and in Beebers, was referred to the super-

The bid of the National City com- this amount was received by the secre-

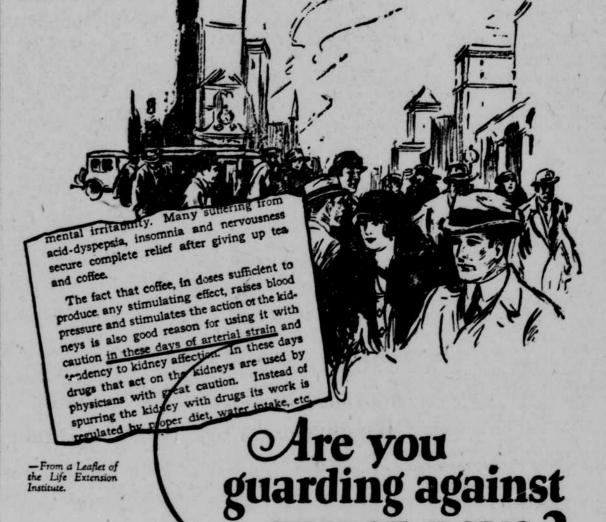
school district \$4,590 it was an-Benson appeared before the board to | Fall athletic meet buttons were an quake disaster.

speak for a new high school. Their proved and 350 class 3, 500 class claim is that the present building is and 150 class 1 buttons will be pur too small to accommodate the stu- chased. These buttons are given to youths who complete certain athletic tests

Rules and regulations governing the Omaha school district have not been printed for several years. The only existing copies are in typewritten form. Printing of \$,000 copies regulations was sanctione

terested parties. intendent of instruction and the com-The dangerous situation existing mittee on teachers and course of near the Washington school, Fifty sixth street and Mayberry avenue \$1,500,000, maturing Au- The old Technical High automobile where a curb has been laid on May 1924 was accepted Monday mechanic building has been sold to berry avenue and no paving or side by the Board of Education. The bid the Milton Rogers Estate company walk has been put down, was place was \$1,500,339 plus accrued interest. for \$2,500. A certified check for half before the board. School children are forced to walk in the street and are pany of New York was next highest, tary of the board. Sales on other in danger of being hit by motor cars

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