

FLOODS DRIVE MANY FROM THEIR HOMES

Large Area in North Omaha Flooded by the Torrential Rain of Last Night.

DAMAGE ALL OVER THE CITY

Omaha was visited by the hardest rainstorm in some time Sunday night, when considerable damage was done, and in a section of the city several blocks square around Twenty-fourth and Clark streets people were driven from their homes and the police were called out to rescue some who were in danger.

The cause of this, the worst trouble, was the inadequacy of the sewers to carry off the water, which amounted to almost a cloudburst. For several hours the rain fell in torrents and the lightning flashed with its accompanying peals of thunder, keeping a large part of Omaha awake. New streets were washed out, new cellars filled and patients in hospitals were greatly annoyed by the storm.

B. Weiner, 2023 Clark street, his wife and daughter, and Harry Cohen and his wife and three children were carried by policemen to the ambulance through water waist high.

A number of fires due to lightning were reported, but no serious damage was done.

Rainfall 3.24 Inches.

During the rain last night the surprising amount of 3.24 inches fell, and the total rain fall to date from January 1 is 35.82 inches. This is 1.71 inches in excess of the normal. Weatherman Welsh reports that the rain was general between here and Kansas City, and east to the Mississippi.

Catch Basin Clogged.

As soon as the catch basin at Twentieth and Clark streets was opened, the floods rapidly subsided. For an hour the water poured down through the catch basin and into the main sewer with a roar that residents in the vicinity likened to that of the tornado that passed over the same section of the city, a year ago last Easter Sunday.

Most of the lateral sewers within the territory bounded on the east by Twenty-first, the north by Burdette and the west by Twenty-fifth, the south by Clark streets were choked at the manholes by the debris that came in with the water. As a result the entire territory was flooded to a depth of from a few inches to a foot or so.

Many families in the flooded area became frightened, expecting that their homes were going to be washed away. Women and children in their night clothes waded out of their homes and to the higher land west of Twenty-fifth street, where they spent the balance of the night with people who took them in, providing shelter until morning.

Sidewalks Covered with Mud.

All through the flooded area, the sidewalks are covered with mud to a depth of several inches and in the territory there probably is not a basement or cellar that is not filled with water.

That portion of the city where the flood was the worst is densely populated and the loss of residents will be considerable. It coming largely by reason of foundations that will be weakened by the waters in the cellars and basements. Repairs to many foundations will have to be made and it is asserted that under many of the houses the foundation walls will cave in when the water is pumped out or seeps away.

The skylight of the Postal Telegraph building on Farnam street gave way under a torrent of water during the night. Slight inconvenience was experienced in the office.

Over Pappio Bridge.

Farmers coming in from the West Dodge country report that the Little Pappio was five feet above its banks yesterday morning.

Considerable damage was done all over the city where excavations were being made for new structures. The excavation for the new Blackstone hotel at Thirty-sixth and Farnam streets was about complete and numerous machines were in place putting in concrete piling. The rain raved in the banks and filled the place with water.

GEYSER FORMED BY THE FLOOD

Blows Manhole Cover from Sewer and Spouts into Air.

Residents in the neighborhood of Twenty-first and Burt were rudely awakened Sunday night during the storm when the big storm sewer under Burt street filled up and blew a manhole cover high into the air. The big piece of metal struck the pavement a resounding blow, startling many of the sleepers in the neighborhood, and then a geyser rushed from the opening, rising, says Cayet Taylor, to a height of twenty or twenty-five feet. The roar was prodigious and the fountain poured from the opening for some time.

Street sweepers have been, for some time past, in the habit of dumping the sweepings into the openings along the line of this big sewer, and it is probable that the refuse has not been flushed out properly.

MANY CELLARS ARE FILLED

New Grades Are Washed Out and Several Sewers Stopped Up.

Many reports of storm damage were received at the city hall.

"Send a man to pump the water out of our cellar," was frequently heard over the telephone.

On the east side of Thirty-seventh street, north of Dodge, 100 feet of sidewalk was washed away. On Lake street, Thirty-third to Thirty-fourth streets, new grading was damaged. A sewer backed up and caused damage in the vicinity of Forty-fifth and Leavenworth and Marcy streets. Many sewer inlets were stopped up by debris flowing into these openings.

Considerable damage was caused by the storm in Miller park. The foot bridges across the lagoon were washed out and large areas of the grass covered with mud. Tennis courts were badly damaged. Over a foot of water is above the swimming well space. Funds will be applied to save further damage around the lagoon.

Strong Winds Cause Nausea. Don't suffer, get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment. It penetrates to the painful spots at once. Kills the pain. All druggists - Advertisement.

PANAMA EXPO IN MINIATURE

Burgess-Nash Has Wonderful Display of the Marvellous Show at San Francisco.

HERE FOR REST OF THE WEEK

A clever miniature reproduction of the San Francisco exposition is being shown under the direction of R. A. Gates on the fourth floor of the Burgess-Nash store. The exposition buildings are reproduced in a setting showing San Francisco bay and the Golden Gate. The show, which takes but fifteen minutes altogether, is accompanied by a lecture which explains in detail the exposition grounds and buildings, which are shown as if from an airplane. The coloring is faithful to the original and in the bay are shown ships sailing to and fro.

The show is meant to present the exposition as it appears during twenty-four hours, and the cycle begins and ends at noon. First in broad daylight the buildings are carefully pointed out and named, the various points of interest in the background, such as Oakland and the Golden Gate, are referred to. Then the carefully arranged lighting system goes into play to duplicate as nearly as possible the gorgeous sunset of the exposition city. The effect is very realistic and the coloring is extremely attractive.

Then Comes Night.

As the lights fade the buildings are illuminated by tiny searchlights, which throw sparkling beams on the clusters of jewels with which the building are decorated. The lights within the buildings show through the tiny panes and the glass domes glow as the darkness outside gathers. A light-house blinks at intervals from an island in the bay, and the towns scattered around the water's edge show their lines of lights. When the exposition grounds are closed for the night the lights are shut off, and only the stars in the dark blue sky serve to light the closed buildings. The morning dawns and as the light shows up the waters of the bay a long line of battleships steams slowly in from the Pacific ocean, and the show is over.

The miniature was produced under the supervision of Edward J. Austin, the well known artist who has produced so many miniatures of a similar nature, and who originated the remarkable "Creation," which was shown at the St. Louis exposition. The Seeing America First Production company is in charge of the display, which is being shown at all of the prominent cities in the country, having been in Chicago before coming to Omaha.

Valuable in Philly.

The American dollar is worth \$1.02 in London, but considering the manner in which the "dollar" are remaining away from the Athletics' ball park one would think that it is worth about \$2.98 in Philadelphia.

CROP REPORTS MOST OPTIMISTIC

Small Grain Only Slightly Injured by Continuous Rain and Corn is Coming Fine.

EXPECT AVERAGE CORN CROP

Railroad officials in making their weekly crop and soil reports for the week ending last Saturday take a very optimistic view of the situation, though everywhere it is asserted that there has been too much rain and that Nebraska farmers need continued dry and warm weather.

In the South Platte country covered by the Burlington the harvest has been considerably delayed by the heavy rains of last week. All through the south half of the state the small grain is ripe and much of it has been cut. The prediction is made that the harvest will be practically finished this week.

As to conditions at the end of last week in the territory covered by its lines officials of the Burlington make the following estimate, basing the calculations on a perfect crop that would be 100 per cent. The estimate is by divisions of the system.

Favorable for Wheat.

In summarizing the Burlington's report asserts that the weather last week was most unfavorable for the wheat. As the grain ripened the heads grew heavy and the stalks weak, with the result that when more rain came the stalks were so watery and rank that they fell over. This it is contended will result in considerable loss, as the binders will not be able to pick up the down grain.

In many of the fields in the south half of the state, the ground is so wet that it is not impossible for horses to haul the harvesting machinery through the grain.

Cry is for Hot Weather.

Throughout Northwestern territory, which includes the east half of the state, conditions, according to the company officials' report, are much better than in the south. There has been less rain, but still there has been too much and there is a cry for hot and dry.

Through the north half of the state, harvest will be well under way this week, with indications of better than an average crop of all kinds of small grain. The estimate of 90 to 100 per cent of a perfect crop is made.

Along the Elkhorn valley considerable

The Bee's Fund for Free Milk and Ice

The milk and ice problem is always a hard one for the poor parent with small children, especially when unexpected misfortune overtakes the family.

The hot weather little tot in such a family is the one that needs help. Contributions from 10 cents to \$5 are solicited and will be acknowledged in this column.

Previously acknowledged \$128.00

Limerick winner 1.00

Damage has resulted from the overflow of this river and its tributaries, but back a few miles, small grain is in prime condition.

Corn Makes Rapid Growth.

Officials of both roads making report agree on the corn situation. The cereal has been held back by continued wet weather, but since warmer weather has set in, it is making a rapid growth, with every indication that if the season is reasonably long there will be at least an average crop. On the lowlands considerable corn has been flooded and washed out. On the tablelands where farmers have been able to cultivate their fields and keep ahead of the weeds, the growth is about normal for this date. As to potatoes a bumper crop is predicted everywhere. This prediction applies to everything in the root crop line, hay and the crop that is standing is in excess of that of any former year.

According to reports to the railroads the Nebraska precipitation during last week ranged from one half to three inches, the heaviest being up through the central part of the state.

A "For Sale" ad will turn second-hand furniture into cash.

OMAHA ELKS RECEIVE A MOST ROYAL WELCOME

Word has been received from the Omaha Elks, enroute to the annual convention at Los Angeles. They left here on a special train over the Union Pacific and reached Salt Lake City two hours ahead of their schedule. The running time beat that of the Overland Limited by a full hour.

Sending word home, the Omaha Elks assert that the attendance at the meeting in Los Angeles is the largest in the history of the organization and that everywhere they are receiving a royal welcome.

To FAT People FREE



SHOWING REDUCTIONS ABOUT 50 POUNDS. I will send full testimonials with names and addresses of those who have lost weight. I have reduced the excess they desired. Also a FREE TO FAT PEOPLE, all free in plain wrapper, postpaid. FREE TO THIN PEOPLE, all free in plain wrapper, postpaid. Dr. F. T. HUGHES, 20 E. 22nd St., 22nd New York. (Licensed physician by the State of New York.)

"Kuppenheimer" and Hart, Schaffner & Marx SUITS 1/2 Price

Berg Clothing Co.

A Dollar Bottle of Lee's Liquid Shampoo

contains a full quart; just eight times as much as in the 25-cent bottles and, therefore, just one-half the cost.

Cleans quick - dries quick - leaves no soap in the hair, which goes right back into its old tangle.

At drugists or delivered prepaid, 4 oz. 25 cts.; 12 oz. 50 cts.; 22 oz. \$1.00.

GEO. H. LEE CO., Laboratories Omaha, Neb.

Advertisement for July Clearance Sales at HAYDEN'S, featuring lawn swings and furniture.

Advertisement for Domestic Room Tuesday's Clearance Sale, offering wash goods, towels, sheets, bed spreads, muslins, etc.

Advertisement for Tuesday's Silk Specials, featuring 20 pieces of yard wide Black Chiffon Dress taffeta, rich, deep black, in two qualities that will give satisfaction, 68c and 88c.

Advertisement for Men's Straw Hats and Men's Panama Hats, offering various styles and prices.

Advertisement for \$12.50 Men's Mohair Suits, featuring a man in a suit.

Large advertisement for SHERMAN & McCONNELL DRUG CO. titled "Thin for Years" and "Gains 22 Pounds in 23 Days". It features a silhouette of a man and detailed testimonials from F. Gagnon, W. D. Roberts, and D. Martin, describing how they gained weight using Sargol.

An Easy Way to Get Fat and Be Strong

The trouble with most thin folks who wish to gain weight is that they insist on drugging their stomach or stuffing it with greasy foods; rubbing on useless "flesh creams," or following some foolish physical culture stunt, while the real cause of thinness goes untouched. You cannot get fat until your digestive tract assimilates the food you eat.

Thanks to a remarkable new scientific discovery, it is now possible to combine into simple form the very elements needed by the digestive organs to help them convert food into rich, fat-laden blood. This master-stroke of modern chemistry is called Sargol and has been termed, the greatest of flesh-builders. Sargol acts through its regenerative powers to coax the stomach and intestines to literally soak up the fattening elements of your food and pass them into the blood, where they are carried to every starved, broken-down cell and tissue of your body. You can readily picture the result when this amazing transformation has taken place and you notice how your cheeks fill out, how your shoulders, shoulders and bust disappear and you take on from 10 to 20 pounds of solid, healthy flesh. Sargol is absolutely harmless, inexpensive, efficient. All leading druggists have it and will refund your money if you are not satisfied, as per the guarantee found in every package.

CAUTION.—While Sargol has given excellent results in overcoming nervous depression and general stomach troubles, it should not be taken by those who do not wish to gain ten pounds or more.

How Thin People Can Put On Flesh

A Few Discoveries. Thin men and women—that big, hearty, filling dinner you ate last night. What became of all the fat-producing nourishment it contained? You haven't gained in weight one ounce. That food passed from your body like unburned coal through an open grate. The material was there, but your food doesn't work and stick, and the plain truth is you hardly get enough nourishment from your meals to pay for the cost of cooking. This is true of thin folks who function of assimilating. Your food goes out of gear and need reconstruction. Cut out the foolish foods and funny sweetest diets. Omit the flesh cream substitutes. Cut out everything but the meals you are eating now and eat with every one of these a single Sargol tablet. Two weeks more, and you are ready to get on your feet. Five to eight good solid pounds of healthy, "stay there" fat should be the net result. Sargol, too, mixes with your food and guarantees it. Your blood is easily assimilated form. Thin people gain all the way from 10 to 20 pounds a month by taking Sargol. The new flesh stays put. Sargol tablets are a scientific combination of six of the best flesh-producing elements known to chemistry. They come 40 tablets to a package. All dealers sell them subject to an absolute guarantee of weight increase or money back.

Thin People Can Increase Weight

This man and woman who would like to increase their weight with 10 to 20 pounds of healthy "stay there" fat should try taking a little Sargol with their meals for a while and see results. Here is a good test worth trying. First weigh yourself and measure yourself. Then take Sargol—only take every meal—for two weeks. Then weigh and measure again. It isn't a question of how you look or feel or what your friends say and think. The scales and the tape measure will tell their own story, and most any thin man or woman can easily add from five to eight pounds in the first fourteen days by following this simple direction. And best of all, the new flesh stays put. Sargol does not of itself make fat, but mixing with your food, it trumps the fats, sugars and starches of what you have eaten, lets the fat producing nourishment for the tissues and blood—prepares it in an easily assimilated form which the blood can readily accept. This nourishment now passes from your body as waste. But Sargol stops the waste and does it quickly. It makes the fat producing contents of the very same meals you are eating now develop pounds and pounds of healthy flesh between your skin and bones. Sargol is safe, pleasant, efficient and inexpensive. All leading druggists sell it in large boxes—forty tablets to a package—on a guarantee of weight increase or money back.

Advertisement for White Mountain Refrigerators, featuring a refrigerator and text about quality and price.

Advertisement for In the Busy Domestic Room Tuesday, listing various household items and their prices.

Advertisement for Grocery Specials for Tuesday, listing various grocery items and their prices.

Advertisement for THE BUTTER MARKET for the People, listing various butter and food products.

Advertisement for USE For Results Bee Want Ads., featuring BROWNELL HALL and educational services.