BELIEVE HIGH FLOOD STAGE IN RIVER PASSED

Weather Bureau Predicts Water Will Recede Today—Fresh Alarm Caused by Break in Dike.

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tause of the inability of the dairymen to deliver their milk.

Boats were at a premium in North Omaha, and those which were secured, were worked throughout the entire day removing household goods from homes already partly submerged.

Appeal for Aid.

Citizens of East Omaha made two appeals to City Commissioner Towl for aid in battling the flood, but received no response, they say. Fifty men are working at the dike, turning the water into Carter lake.

Lakeshore boulevard is completely submerged, and water is rushing at a terrific rate through Willow creek and between the two ice houses into the lake. But for the unusual lowness of the lake, the entire East Omaha district would have been swept away, residents claim.

Martin Thompson, 6600 North Sixteenth street, truck gardener, who had just moved in one week ago, investing his entire capital in implements for gardening, suffered heavily when he was forced to move his family to safety.

Auto Under Water.

When he had removed his family and household goods, he found that his automobile was completely submerged in the barn. He secured a team of horses and hauled the car through a half mile of water to dry land. The machine could not be seen in the water itself, moving through the flood much as a torpedo plows the ocean.

John Weinbrock, Ninth street and Hartman avenue, and Mr. Griffin, Tenth street and Hartman avenue, were forced to vacate their homes, as were also Otto C. Zeuchler, 5902 North Sixteenth street; James Addison, Eleventh and Reese street; James Anderson, 7024 North Fourteenth street, and Joseph Anderson, 1423 Reed avenue.

Loses His Furniture.

Nick Pavlic, Sixteenth and Redick avenue, lost his complete house furniture in the flood, seeking to remove it to high ground. The intensity with which the water dashed against the rafts on which he sought to remove it, knocked the furniture from the rafts. It all floated out of reach and was soon seen disappearing in the angry swirl of the water in the river.

R. M. Peterson, 824 Ellison avenue, placed most of his furniture and household goods on chairs in the upstairs rooms of his home. The heavier pieces of furniture were placed on the roof of the home as the family watched the water mount the stairs from the lower floor of the house.

Woman is Rescued.

William Strausser, 5096 North Sixteenth street, rescued a woman and two children with a row boat, yesterday, when the waters first began to assume a dangerous high mark.

Strausser also rescued the family of Dan Roman, 6502 North Sixteenth street, removing them from their home which was completely inundated by the water, with a rowboat.

Other flood sufferers yesterday, who were moved to safety by rowboats and rafts were Jasper Hensley, Sixth and Burt streets; A. J. Werrebroeck North Ninth street; John Baurna, Sixteenth street and Kansas avenue, and C. J. Frye, 6001 North Sixteenth street.

Water Is Falling.

Telegrams received at the office of Forecaster Welsh at noon yesterday indicated that the water was falling steadily at Blair bridge, 35 miles from Omaha, Sioux City and Pierre, S. D.

Mr. Welsh said there was little occasion for further alarm among dwellers in the lowlands, and that a falling river could be anticipated tomorrow.

Last reports from the region of East Omaha indicated that a rise of three more inches along the Willow creek levee would flood the main streets of the city with a ravaging stream.

This levee was constructed but three years ago, and is aided by the freezing temperature in holding firm, residents of East Omaha declared.

Sweeps Over Grace Street.

Shortly before noon today rising waters had swept over a portion of Grace street at Tenth, entering the lower floors of a number of homes and necessitating the hasty removal of a number of families. Those forced out in this vicinity were: Henry Watson, L. Banks, Smith Amos, G. D. Christopher, Jay Smith, Manny Coleman, Frank Herman and Alley Baker.

As fast as one resident removed his family and household effects to safety, he gave aid to others until all were removed from the danger zone.

The overflowing of a pond northeast of the flooded aera at Tenth and Grace streets, necessitated the removal of Virginia Jones and John Curfew. Water in many places in this neighborhood, it was said, was from seven to eight feet deep.

Rats Desert Dump.

In the vicinity of city dump the water has been gradually rising until in places its depth is five feet and persons not fortunate in owning double-decked houses are compelled to seek high land until the flood recedes.

In this neighborhood rats abound of all manner of size and age. Rats hate water and will go to any extreme to escape it. Led by some of the older rodents they have sought asylum in the branches of the trees well out of reach of the rising tide. But they only escaped strangulation to meet death at the hands of the boys.

City Dump's youth organized itself into bands when the hegira of ratdom began and many of the little animals have been slain. Sticks, stones and other available weapons are hurled into the trees and if the rat escapes immediate death he at least tumbles into the water when he loses his grip through fright and drowns.

All But One Republican In Pender for Pershing

Pender, Neb., April 5.—C. E. Burton, a salesman for a Lincoln firm, stopped over her one night recently and canvassed the entire town on presidential possibilities. Of the republicans all but one favored the nomination of Pershing and of the democrats, sentiment was almost unanimous for Hitchcock. Residences all over the city have Pershing pictures in their windows.

Ten Million in Gold Arrives From Liverpool for U. S.

Halifax, N. S., April 5. — The steamship Carmania, which arrived here on the way from Liverpool to New York, had aboard gold valued at $10,000,000 destined for the United States subtreasury in New York.

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Judge Landis Ready for His Joy Ride in Clouds

Left to right: Col. Joseph C. Morrow, Chicago; Lt. Col. Jacob Wuest, Fort Omaha; Judge Kenesaw M. Landis, Chicago; Prof. A. Leo Stevens, Omaha. The "close-up" picture shows Judge Landis in his flying togs preparatory to his flight.

'Candidate Row' Opened By Boosters in Chicago

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plete returns from the Wolverine state will be awaited with interest to see just how well Hoover ran.

Fight Was Three-Cornered.

When the former food administrator jumped into the Michigan fight, a three-cornered battle for the state's delegates was on between Governor Lowden, Senator Johnson and General Wood. Hoover and Pershing were on the ticket, but Hoover was not looked upon as an active candidate, and the same applied to General Pershing. Neither of their chances would have been hurt by a small vote, for the reason that General Wood, Lowden and Senator Johnson, because of the peculiar local situation, were the leaders, with three distinct elements, one element alligned behind each candidate.

Consequently neither the chances of Pershing or Hoover could have been hurt by a small vote, and the same still hold true of Pershing, but Hoover must have a good showing on the complete returns.

Judge Landis Takes Flight in Army Balloon

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balloon makes a landing. At a late hour yesterday afternoon no report of the balloonists had been received.

For the purpose of making a record the balloon was wired and equipped by Dr. F. H. Millener, aeronautical electrical engineer, Elmo Phillips, assistant, and Serg. Barphune of Ft. Omaha. Communication with the occupants said, was perfect when the big gas bag left the ground at 11:40. The manner of wiring the balloon was especially adapted to afford safety to its distinguished passenger, the danger from static electricity generated by the wireless aerials being practically eliminated. To avoid danger the wireless apparatus was not equipped with a generator which makes it impossible for the occupants to send messages though they may be received.

The army distance record for wireless telephony is 15 miles and Dr. Millener was hopeful that the present flight would see it broken. Wireless messages were sent to the balloon from Ft. Omaha at 15-minute intervals throughout the trip.

LOSES $3,700 ON JOY RIDE; IOWAN SAYS TO POLICE

Says Two Men and Two Women Robbed Him and Threw Him Out of Machine..

Claiming that he had been robbed of $3,700 with which he expected to buy cattle, Frank Mason of Webster City, Ia., was arrested on the South Side Sunday night on a charge of being intoxicated.

Mason told the police he had been taken for an automobile ride by two men and two women in Sarpy county. They robbed him of his money and then threw him out of the car, he said. He was arrested at Twenty-seventh and H streets, where he showed a car to police as the one in which he took his costly ride. Police watched the machine for several hours, but no one returned for it.

Chicago Woman Takes Rap At Sentiments of Bryan

Lincoln, Neb., April 5.—(Special.)—The women of Nebraska should not allow themselves to be "fooled by the Pied Piper," was the sentiment expressed by Miss Berle Dunham of Chicago, who spoke at a dinner given by the women of the Wood-for-President club at the Grand hotel here today. She was referring to William J. Bryan and his attempts to draw the women of Nebraska into the democratic party so that they could vote for him for delegate to the national democratic convention and enable him to save the democratic party from being captured by the wet element of the party.

"Sloushy sehtiments and eloqeunce do not county for anything," said she. "This man said he voted for Woodrow Wilson because he was a dry man, yet the country has been flooded with petitions in the past few years in protest to the president's anti-prohibition sentiments."

Besides Miss Dunham, Montaville Flowers of California addressed the dinner guests in the interest of Leonard Wood.

All Wisner Republicans Are Strong for Pershing

Wisner, Neb., April 5.—"If there is a republican in Wisner who is not for Pershing, he is yet to be found," L. G. Thompson, committeeman, declared here today. "The city is unanimous for Nebraska's own candidate and he will receive many votes among the democrats," he added. Bruce W. Emley, leading democrat of the city and an ex-service man, and Miss Bessie White, republican committeewoman, are among the leading Pershing supporters here. Among the democrats, according to Mr. Thompson, Hitchcock appears to be looked on with high favor.

Garage to Replace Last Livery Barn in Fremont

Fremont, Neb., April 5.—(Special.)—Wrecking of Fremont's last livery barn was completed here today, and the frame structure will be replaced by a brick garage for storage of automobiles. Wall and Hacker built the stable a quarter of a century ago. Scot Wall will build the garage.

Moves to Los Angeles.

Fremont, Neb., April 5.—(Special.)—Dr. G. B. Baird, who has practised dentistry in Fremont for 19 years, has disposed of his practice to Dr. L. C. Blackman of Leigh, and will go to Los Angeles.

Acceptance of Wilson Plan for Fiume Made By Nitti at London

Rome, April 5.—Acceptance of President Wilson's settlement of the Adriatic problem was first seriously discussed when Premier Nitti was in London to attend the conference with the heads of allied powers, according to newspapers here.

When a critical situation arose through President Wilson's refusal to accept the compromise suggested by France and England, it is said, the Italian government realized that adoption by any other alternative would leave it merely the pact of London, which would have meant that Fiume must be handed over to Croatia. Italians are most anxious, above all, to safeguard the Italian status of Fiume, which, it is asserted, is much better protected by President Wilson's settlement than by the London treaty.

Jugo-Slavia, it is understood, opposes President Wilson's suggestion more strongly than Italians.

Electrician Dies From Shock While at His Work

Fremont, Neb., April 5.—(Special.)—Herman Gutzch, 30 years old, city electrician of North Bend, was killed by electric shock today while at work on a transmission line between North Bend and Fremont. His body was found in the road by farmers. He leaves a wife and three children.

Heavy Fog Aids Strikers On Tug Boats In New York

New York, April 5.—A heavy fog in New York harbor today joined forces with the striking marine transport workers to handicap the railroads in operating their tugs, lighters and ferries which were partly tied up by the harbor strike called last week.

At the office of the Erie railroad, it was said that virtually all its ferries now are equipped with full crews and the service, which was shut down between midnight last night and 8 a. m. today, has been resumed. From other lines similar service was reported. Tugs and lighters are generally tied up. Union representatives claim that the strike is gaining ground.

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There are groups priced $59.50, $75.00 $98.50 and up.

Dainty Muslin Underwear

A complete showing of attractive undergarments, Marcella combinations, envelope chemise, corset covers and drawers are being displayed on the second floor.

Corset covers of cambric and nainsook, lace and embroidery trimmed, are priced from $1 up.

One good looking slipover, kimono-sleeved gown that opens on one shoulder is priced $2.75.

Slipover gowns in cotton crepe, nainsook and mull, in white and colors, are moderately priced from $2.35 to $3.50.

Second Floor

Very Fine Silk Lisle Hose

New fashioned silk hose in black, white, gray, cordovan and seal brown; have garter tops and double soles to insure long service; $1 a pair.

Full fashioned silk lisle, very sheer and fine, to be had in gray, seal brown, navy, black and white, with garter tops and double soles, $1.50 a pair.

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