Veritable Night Of Terror Spent By Flood Victims

In Mud and Wreckage-Many Who Failed to

loss and number of deaths may be office. over-estimated, hundreds have been office.

"I am going to beat it; the water been obtained and provisions made for getting around through the mud, are buried in deep mud and wreck- day night. age, or washed away by the rapid

"I was in a rooming house in the inundated district," he said. "We got sufficient warning, but failed to heed it. A wall of water several feet high struck the building, carrying it off were two Denver correspondents. From the tops of buildings newsits foundation. The water soon one of them was an Associated paper men in Pueblo witnessed much reached the second story and several roomers were lost.

"I was rescued from the roof in a row boat. I saw several houses Saturday morning in an airplane tance made it impossible to hear the wrecked and I am sure that 50 lives were lost in my own observation. am glad to escape with my life, for l

lost about everything else."
Mrs. E. Marsh and Mrs. Myron S. Collins of Colorado Springs, reache! here after terrifying experiences with the flood. They were in Pueblo Friday night, but succeeded in driving their automobile 10 miles south of this city and then walked most of the way home

Raced Ahead of Flood.

Raymond C. Chapman and Stanley Robinson of Colorado Springs and Ivor Dailey of Denver also reached here. The drive was made over washed out roads, along railroad tracks, over improvised bridges and through ploughed fields.

Chapman had the remarkable experience of coming down the Arkansas valley in advance of the flood, seeing it inundate Pueblo immedireaching his home here last night. that 16 bodies had been raised up

ley I reached Pueblo early Friday south of the city, but cannot recovered evening. When I reached the city er them, he said. The bodies of a the sirens were blowing. The water was on a level with the bridges. I near the Colorado and Southern ing of the waters of the Arkansas had with me a New York traveling bridge but cannot be recovered and river from the Grove district of the man, who I had picked up. We went to the Vaile hotel, where we

wanted to lodge. 'A short time later this hotel was flooded to the second story. I then went to the Congress hotel, which is on higher ground. Here, later on, number of refugees were brought.

Many Rescued. "I spent the whole of Friday night night I hope never to see again. The waters soon reached the second stories of buildings in the business district and people were being rescued in boats. The boats were brought up from Mineral Park lake and all were in use. Many flood victims were thus rescued.

"The city was in darkness except for candles in some of the buildings that were not flooded and for lanterns used by rescuers. The fires, terrible as they were.

lighted up the city more or less and it would have been otherwise. "I saw a two-story house floating down the street at the corner of

Main and Third streets. "Box cars and houses were piled up in heaps and the Union depot was surrounded with water and wreckage until I could not see it from the nearest point I could reach, which was seven or eight blocks away. The water there was said to be 11 feet deep.

Many Refuse to Leave.

"Effors were made by the police people were rescued from second- far on a train story windows in row boats. Some

man in the boat when one of the women became hysterical and the boat was upset. The boy held on to one of the women and tried to get her to a place of safety, but his strength was too feeble and all were swept away in the rushing flood. This happened at Seventh and Elizabeth streets.

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fires originated in oil tanks or elsewhere and the wreckage of houses and other combustible material fed the flames. Much lumber from the two big yards lodged in the wreckage and was burned."

Autos Abandoned in Streets.

Ivor Dailey and Wilbur F. Combustible material fed the flames are loaded with tents blankets and loaded with tents by the officials of the Red Cross to state that every dollar contributed will be expended in this relief work as all overhead expenses of every nature and description will be borne by the National Red Cross organization.

"From a personal inspection of much of the flames."

Ivor Dailey and Wilbur F. Cannon of Colorado Springs, comfortably located in a building above the flooded district, spent all Friday night watching the flood and fire do its deadly work. Their statement is that the Arkansas river leaped its banks at 7 o'clock in the evening. Autoists caught in their cars in the streets abandoned them other, bumped into plate glass windows, turned over and over until at length broken to pieces. Late Friday night and early Saturday morning fires were more frequent, they said, caused by unslacked lime and oil and augmented by president service, almost completely disrupted by the flood, is to begin immediately. The military authorities tonight granted permission to the telephone company officials to string temporary wires to connect important points in the city. All communication because the north and continuous completely disrupted by the flood, is to begin immediated. and the cars knocked against each said, caused by unstacked lime and oil and augmented by passing houses, lumber and other combustibles. 'At 2 o'clock Sunday morning it was possible to read a newspaper by light of these fires.

Dailey said the night in Pueblo was a night of terror.

"We saw a woman in the second

"We saw a woman in the second story of a house floating down Main street. The house struck a building while the water swirled around it, sucking it down. Finally it stopped and the woman, having evidently lost her mind, leaped into the water and

was drowned. was drowned.

"We saw another woman standing in the doorway of her residence, while her son tried to reach her on an improvised raft of logs wired together. The house lurched and turned over and the woman was lost just at the point of rescue.

"A man 75 years old roosted in a tree all right in the north part of town. He said he has seen a hun-

Newspapermen Were First to Arrive in Stricken City of Pueblo After Flood Hit

Springs newspaper men also suc-ceeded in reaching Pueblo late Sat-

urday. News of the conditions in Pueblo

water and the strict vigilance of

water and fires that overwhelmed

tain wire at that-which connected

center for news which leaked out

human voice. Fire whistles served

Late estimates of the total damage and crop loss from Canon City to the Kansas line is placed at \$20,000,-

000 in a telegram from the Pueblo

\$2,000,000 be made available immedi-

Scenes of Desolation.

vealed this afternoon when the fall-ing of the waters of the Arkansas

city permitted a close-up of this sec-

Residents of the district, mostly

The Grove is one of the poor sec-

tions of Pueblo.

Little of this district is more than

a few feet above the river banks

Mail is Recovered.

today was sacks of mail. These

were recovered from all parts of the yard, gathered in piles and hauled by

ropes from the railroad yards to via-

ducts and taken to the postoffice.

establishment. It was the body of

Money Needed to Aid

Cross treasury.

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for they had ample opportunity to observe its effective work during the

fore, make this urgent appeal for

Alexandria, Neb., June 6.—(Special.)—Formal opening of the Conner's park was held here with a

record-breaking attendance from al-

most every town in the county. Features of the day were a three-town band and a base ball game between Alexandria and Western, which resulted in a 10 to 7 victory

Alexandria, Neb., June 6.—(Special.) — The Hydro-Electric company's proposition to supply Alexandria with light and power was accepted by the election held here. The vote stood 313 for and 44 against. It

is expected that the project will be

Young Burglars Caught

Table Rock, Neb., June 6.—(Special.)—Two youthful burglars, who

robbed the Farmers' union store and the clothing store of I. Shirley & Co. at Humboldt, were captured the following day with the goods in their possession. The two boys were Carl Moore, negro, and Don Grinstead, both of Humboldt.

Accepted by Alexandria

Proposition for Lights

rushed to completion.

for Alexandria.

Opened at Alexandria

prompt and generous response. "OLIVER H. SHOUP,

Conner's Park Formally

An important part of the salvage

tion, which suffered most in

flood of Friday night.

immediatelly.

Scenes of desolation were re-

\$8,000,000, the telegram states.

work, the telegram states.

Commercial club to Governor Oliver

Shoup. Damage in Pueblo city

county will reach \$6,000,000 or

the city.

Correspondents had to

Denver, June 6.—Information in could not get within miles of the relation to conditions in flood-strick-en and isolated Pueblo was obtained and automobiles that managed to get and forwarded to the outside world around washouts in the roads had to under conditions that were as trying stop at the city limits. Colorado Hundreds of Victims Buried and in some instances as hazardous s those which the suffering people of that city themselves underwent.

The first news of the disaster came Many Who Failed to
Heed Warnings Lost.

The Mish news of the disaster came to Denver over The Associated Press leased wire and a Western Union Telegraph company message almost simultaneously. A few minutes after The Associated Press were the first tary and the Red Cross were the first sources of information, as the high Bradman, a refugee, just in from Pu- lost Pueblo and the last Western eblo, says that while the property the waters wired to the Denver to get first hand information until

Reporters First in Town. After that it was hours before work in relays to keep in contact ommunication between Pueblo and with the lone wire-and an uncerthe rest of the country was restored. Then that was over one Western Pueblo with Denver, the distribution Union wire. The first outside newspaper men to reach the flooded city from the former city. Press staff man and the other a of the disaster. They also used boats. staff correspondent of the Denver Boots were in fashion. The military Times. They went together early wig-wagged information when dis

from this city. Later two more Associated Press as signals for more urgent matters. Church bells also played their part in the transmission of emergency inprings from Denver by train and formation. Half nude and intrepid from Colorado Springs to Pueblo by swimmers, many of them negroes, automobile and by foot. Trains served as couriers.

dred people perish from his vantage the city has been down. In granting of observation.

"The last word Pueblo survivors declared his primary object at this said to us before we left was 'for time is to restore business.

God's sake send us water, food and clothes. Get them to us quickly." 52 Bodies Recovered

From Ruins in Pueblo (Continued From Page One.) eries may be made when the water

recede further. W. B. McKim of the McKim undertaking parlos, said ately after his arrival and then of today that he had received a report He traveled in his automobile. He said:
"Coming down the Arkansas val"Coming down the Arkansas valwoman and girl have been located several in Grove cannot yet be re-

moved, he said. Rescue and reconstruction work is being systematized under the direction of Col. Patrick Hamrock, ad- foreigners, were at work this afterjutant general of the state and chief in command of the military. The city has been divided into wards and physicians assigned to the various wards to care for the emergency watching the flood and fire. Such a cases and to instruct the residents in proper sanitation precautions during

the abnormal conditions.

and that the waters swept across the settlement with great violence is There is no danger of a food shortage, it is said, but the supply is being conserved. Charles W. Lee and Judge Frank Mirick are in charge of this department. Food charge of this department. Food charge of this department. cards are still being issued for the early predictions. From its position purchase of groceries. All restrict the loss should not have been great tions on the purchase of gasoline and had the people taken warnings, but

oil have been removed. Lee today issued a proclamation to until the water had rushed in upon all retail merchants ordering them made the work of rescue easier than to deliver no food supplies to anyone except fresh meats, vegetables and fresh fruit, unless the purchaser could show a written order signed by himself. Such orders were being issued at half a dozen places throughout the city.

Lieutentant Colonel Newlon late this afternoon ordered out the rifle companies at Brush, Fort Morgan and Brighton to augment the troops already doing guard and police duty in Pueblo.

A work train of the Denver and fornia for burial. The body of Mrs. Rio Grande railroad from Colorado Sardgena, sent here from Trindad, to get the people to leave their homes in parts of the city where it was seen they would soon be flooded, but they could not get them to go. They were caught a few minutes later by the flood. Many of these later by the flood of the floo afternoon. The information was brought to military headquarters by body was found floating on the cas-

were taken from trees, telephone poles, and roofs of their houses

"A boy in a boat had rescued two women and was trying to get an old colo., at 3:30 this afternoon, accord-

20,000 army rations would be ordered streets.

"Throughout the night fires could be seen in different parts of the city and for a while it looked as if va-

Pueblo from Fort Logan Tuesday

morning. The relief camp for flood victims will be established about two miles east of town instead of at Mineral Palace park, as previously an-nounced, Colonel Hamrock said.

Seek Relief Funds. Rehabilitation of the telephone ervice, almost completely disrupted company officials to string temporary wires to connect important points in the city. All communication be-tween the north and south sides of

Notice to Members Of the Help Yourself Club

Winners of the special award automobiles, offered by The Oma-ha Bee Help Yourself club in the period closing June 4, will not be announced until the final awards at the close of the club's cam-

paign.

This ruling is made in fairness to the club members who won these awards, as it would not be equitable to them to have their competitors know exactly how many votes they won during the past three weeks.

Prayer of Child Trapped in Car

Is Answered Woman Passenger of Train Caught in Colorado Flood

Gives Graphic Description of Horrors.

By The Associated Press. Pueblo, Colo., June 6.—A graphic description of the plight of passengers caught by the flood in the Missouri Pacific and Denver and Rio Grande trains during the flood here riday night, was given by Mrs. Ruby Ellis of Wichita, Kan., who was imprisoned in an overturned Pullman coach on the Denver and Rio Grande with her 9-year-old daughter for more than four hours.

"We were in the car next to the engine and the train was pulled out of the station to a point near the river," Mrs. Ellis said. "It seemed as though we were only 20 feet from the river bank. The car turned over gradually as the water rushed under the bottom. It seemed that the others turned over one by one short-

Trapped in Car.

"The car. turned on the right side and my little daughter, Mildred Mary, and I were thrown to the bottom of the car into the water. I struggled to the surface and found nattresses and bedding over me. Then I found my little girl and pulled her to the top of the car, which was not yet filled with water. We stood on the rods of the upper berth and held onto the rods on the top

of the car. "The water rose rapidly until it had reached my chin. My little gir was clinging to my neck. Fortunately the ventilator windows were opened and we were able to breathe

The governor is urged to aid in the request that the federal government appropriate \$5,000,000, of which "I had given up hope of life when he water came to my chin. Mildred ately for improving the Arkansas and Fountain river levees and removing debris from the damaged cities. Pueblo needs \$1,500,000 for this

Trust in Jesus.

"Then she repeated over and over again: 'Jesus, I trust you.'
"It seemed only a few minutes then until the water began to recede. We made our way to the end of the car, where some women in the train had broken out a winlow and were helped to the side of the coach by the rescue party.

They carried us to the Nuckolls packing plant."

Mrs. Ellis had no idea of the number drowned in the two trains. Two of the passengers in her coach whose names she did not know were not seen by her in the group

of rescued, she said. Mrs. Ellis had been employed in he office of the Missouri Pacific at Wichita and was en route to visit a sister, Mrs. L. G. Siddall, who

cue parties were able to reach the trains and search through all cars, it was announced. The hedding in the bottom of the cars had not been removed and it was stated that there is a possibility that some bodies may yet be found, but this was believed impossible.

Passengers who escaped from the trains were in the yards today in efforts to find their baggage. Some were successful, but most searched

Farmer Seriously Hurt

Another peculiar recovery in the yards was a corpse, carried by the flood from an uptown undertaking As He Falls on Pitchfork Alexandria, Neb., June 6.—(Special.)—Henry Busing, farmer living near Helvey, was dangerously injured when he fell from a load of hay Gordon Rennie, sent here from Caliwas also washed away during the which he was hauling and lit on an upturned pitchfork, which penetrated flood and later recovered in its cashis abdomen, puncturing his intes-tines. His physician says that he will recover.

Columbus Women Organize

Delphian Society Chapter Sufferers in Flood Columbus, Neb., June 6. - (Special.)-The Columbus chapter of the national Delphian society was organized with 20 charter members and ernor's office, whether by organizaofficers were elected for the ensuing year. The purpose of the Delphian tions or by individuals, will be im-mediately converted into the Red society is to form a medium for a group study of history, current It is not necessary to advise the events, art, literature and music. people of the state as to the character of the Red Cross organization,

Supreme Court Upholds

Order Ousting Sheriff Lincoln, June 6.—(Special.)— The supreme court upheld the Morrill county district court today in an order ousting Sheriff William I. Dyson from office on a charge of receiving and giving away intoxicating

Victim of Saturday Holdup Dies of Wound



Receivership of Bank at Superior Nearing an End

\$35,000 to Be Salvaged From Savings Institution; Guarantee Fund to Pay Remaining \$20,000.

Lincoln, June 6 .- (Special.)-Receivership of the First State Savings Bank of Superior, which went to the wall seven years ago, shortly after the failure of the First National Bank

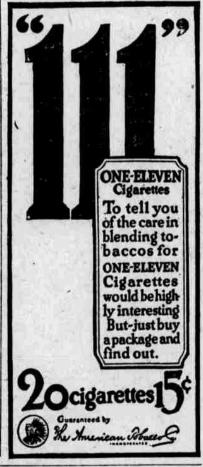
of Superior, is nearing an end. According to J. E. Hart, secretary Mary had not cried or complained of the department of trade and comup to this time and she asked: merce, there will be about \$35,000 'What shall I do mother,' and I told salvaged from the bank and the remaining \$20,000 will be taken from the state bank guarantee fund. This is the first state bank to fail after the state guarantee law became effec-

Hart stated that C. W. Harvey, receiver, had used \$30,000 of the bank's money for a number of years without interest and for that reason no compensation would be allowed him. Harvey moved into Superior about the time of the failure of the two banks. When the receivership is wound up Harvey will go to California, Hart stated.

Assistant Attorney General C. A Dort has gone to Superior and has man in the detective department i necessary to apprehend the murderstarted proceedings in the Nuckolls for the public sale of all remaining

property of the bank, Dort also started proceedings in the Thayer county district court, which resulted in the appointment of cashier.

Prepare Aid for Pueblo Lincoln, June 6 .- (Special.)-Money and provisions are being col-lected by the Lincoln Chamber of Commerce for the flood sufferers at



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Woman Shot by Bandit Trio Dies, Suspect Is Held

Wound Inflicted in Back Saturday Night in Front of St. Joseph Hospital Proves Fatal Today.

Shot through the back by one of three highwaymen who escaped Satunday night, Mrs. C. M. Hyland. Palmer, Neb., died at 2:57 a. m. yesterday in St. Joseph hospital.

Mrs. Hyland was formerly Miss Margaret Foley of Omaha and served as secretary to former Sheriff Felix J. McShane. She was 39 years

Mrs. Hyland was shot when three pandits attempted to hold up her and Mr. and Mrs. James Kane, 2515 South Eleventh street, near the St. loseph hospital, just after they had alighted from a street car on Tenth

Funeral services will be held Wednesday morning at 8:45 from the home of her sister, 2515 South Eleventh street, to St. Patricks hurch at 9. Burial will be in Holy Sepulcher

Mrs. Hyland leaves four brothers in Omaha, Mike and Tom Foley, 2515 South Eleventh street; Dan Foley, 3219 Thirty-second avenue, and Tim Foley, Twenty-eighth and Dodge streets.

One In Custody.

One man is in custody, two sus-pects were questioned and released, 25 tips were run down and the entire eighborhood of the scene of the shooting was again covered by deectives. Six detectives are working on the case under the personal direc-tion of Chief Van Deusen.

Alfred Oliver, 22, 1915 South Elev-enth street, who was held for investigation in connection with the fatal shooting, stoutly maintains his innocence. He was arrested at his home Oliver told Detectives Pszanowski and Rich that he was near the street car barns at Tenth and Pierce about the hour of the shooting. A woman told him of the affair, he said.

Returns at 3 A. M. Ellen Curvin, a maid at Oliver's ome, told the detectives that Oliver came home about 3 o'clock Sunday morning. It was on this statement hat Oliver is being held.

"We will have to keep on dig-ging," said Van Deusen. "We haven't a clue to work on."

Chief of Police Dempsey last night instructed Van Deusen to use every

Owners of Movie Theaters Hold Meeting at Tecumseh Tecumseh, Neb., June 6. - (Special..)-A convention of motion pic-Hugh Bruning of Belvidere as the receiver for the Farmers State Bank of Belvidere. The doors of that bank from the overturned cars of the were closed recently, following the District organization was perfected and steps taken to brin tain matters which will be of benefit to the business. Thirty-four towns are represented in the district.

A. HOSPE CO. PIANOS TUNED AND REPAIRED All Work Guaranteed 1513 Douglas St. Tel. Robbers Get \$1,000 From

Fremont, Neb., June 6.-Robbers last night blew the safe in the Standand escaped with \$1,000 in cash and door was blown from the safe and through the front of the building, completely demolishing the small

Woman's Elbow Disolcated

Fremont Filling Station In Fall From Porch of Home Tecumseh, Neb., June 6. - (Special.)-Mrs. Susie Snyder fell from ard Oil company filling station here a porch at her home here, dislocating her left elbow. Mrs. Snyder was \$240 in gasoline coupon books. The endeavoring to hold a post in posiit in place. The post was pushed for-ward and the woman fell to the ground, lighting upon her elbow.

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priced \$8.50.

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