

FLOOD VIEWS
of
CHILlicothe, OHIO
March 26, 1913



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The Flood in Chillicothe.

On Wednesday, March 26, 1913, the city of Chillicothe, Ohio, county seat of Ross County and former State Capital, was visited by the most disastrous flood in its history.

After a week of heavy rain, the flooded Scioto river, a tributary of the Ohio, flowing past the city, broke its bounds on the morning of the above day at 4 o'clock and swept three-fourths of the city with water ranging from a few inches to twenty feet in depth.

The rushing water held in check in various ways, backed its swollen torrent into portions of the city that had never been touched in previous floods. Save in a few places water covered the city and its vicinity for an area of eight square miles.

The rise of the water was so swift that many people were caught unprepared and had only time to run for their lives. Streets in the central residence portion of the city were torn into deep ravines by the raging flood stream. Houses were undermined and sent toppling into the water.

Many thrilling rescues were made. Silas Pyle, a bartender, after rescuing twenty-five people, lost his life. Eighteen lives were lost. Besides this loss of life, 2800 houses were flooded and nearly 5000 people made homeless. The damage to property amounted to over a million dollars.

Relief work began before the waters receded. Civic, fraternal and religious bodies opened their buildings as houses of refuge. Business and professional men

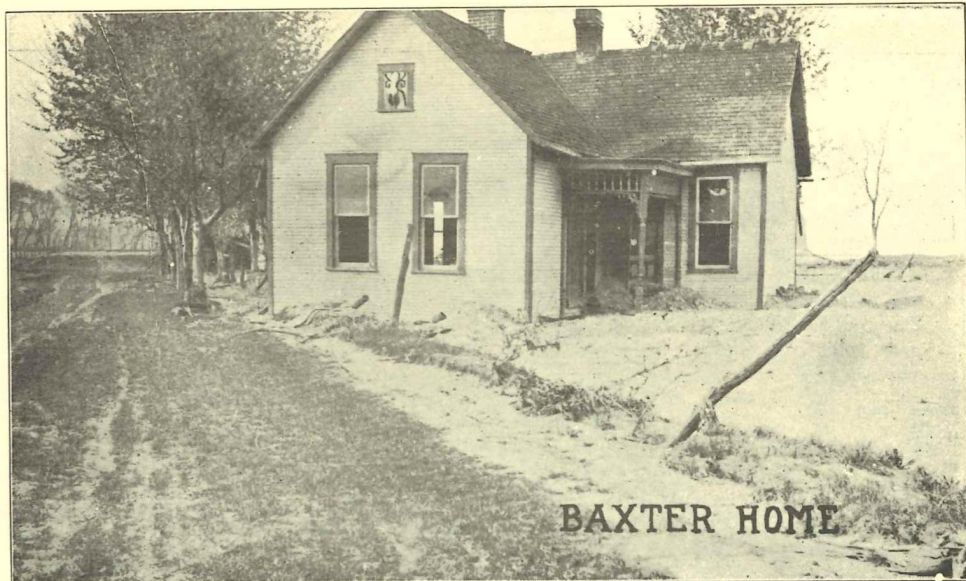
and society women toiled in the rescue and relief work. Forty thousand dollars was donated by citizens at home and abroad. Outside cities, firms and organizations rendered valuable financial and material aid.

All the public utilities were out of commission. All lines of railroad were wrecked. A single telephone wire was all that connected the stricken city with the outside world. In spite of these insurmountable difficulties, reconstruction work was started. Large sums of money for the work was voted by council. Health authorities kept the city free from any epidemic, and the city is emerging from its ordeal better than ever. Governor Cox and the State Relief Commission visited the city and were greatly impressed at the way in which the suffering city had borne its great trial. They promised material assistance and the American Red Cross Society also aided in the permanent rehabilitation of the homeless.

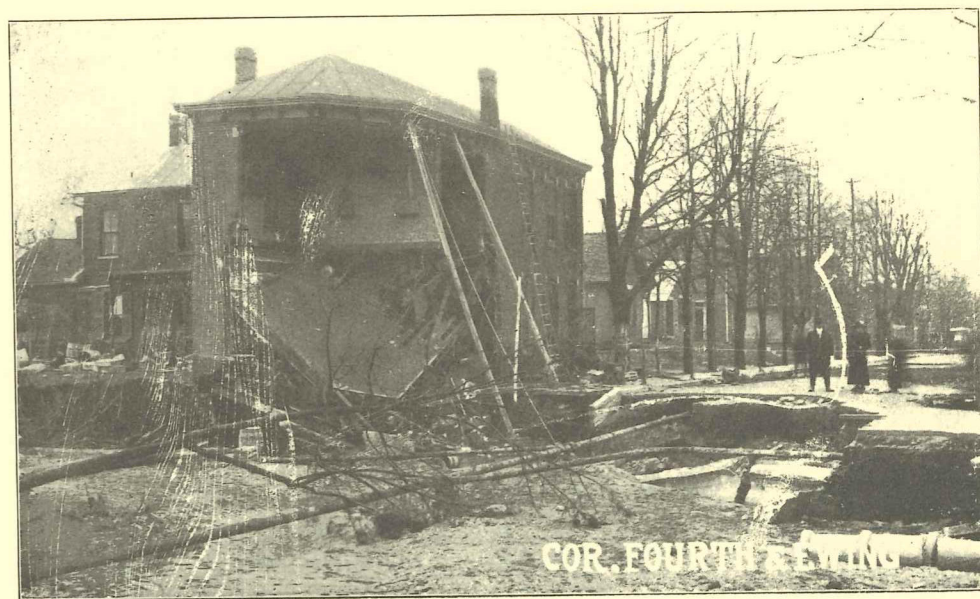
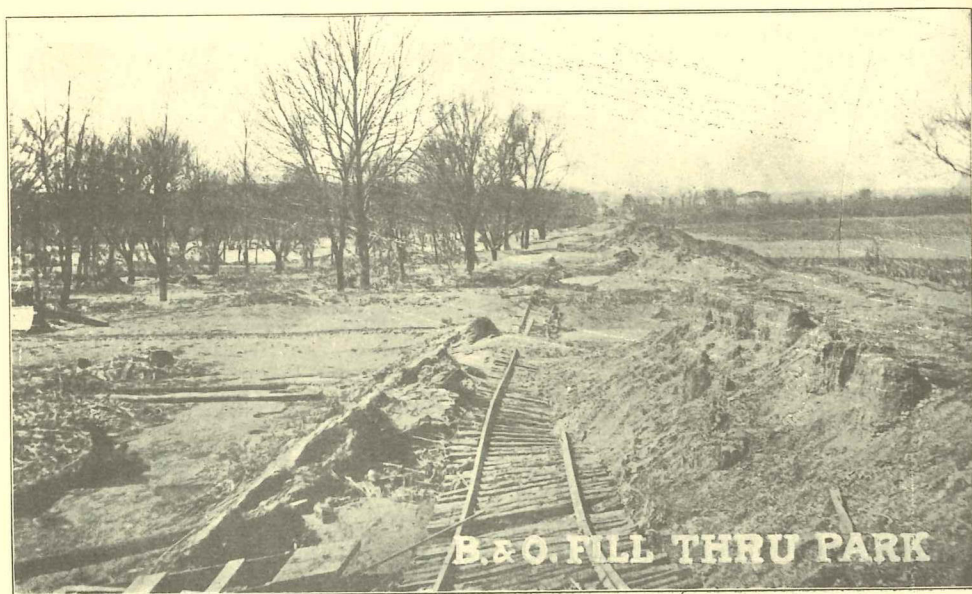




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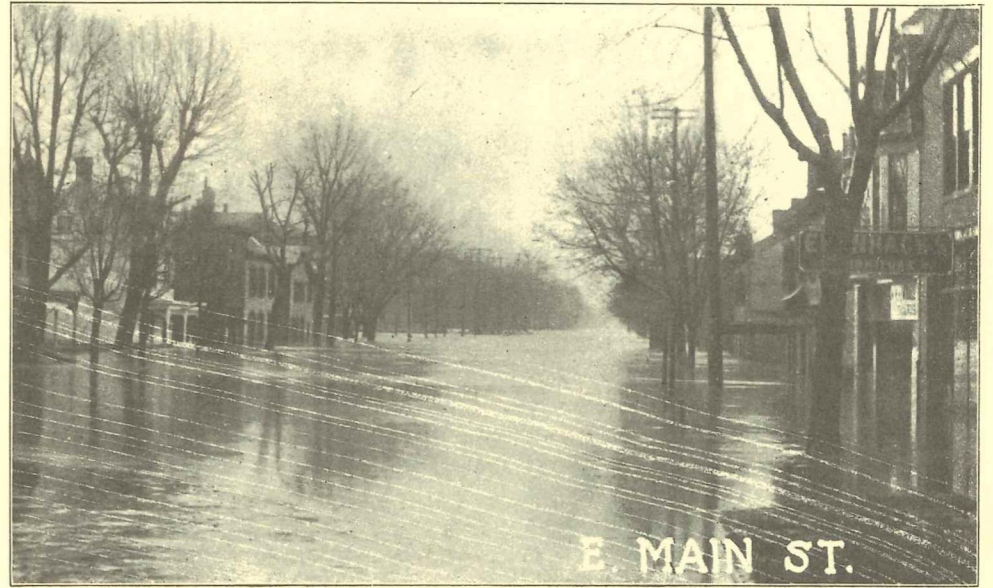
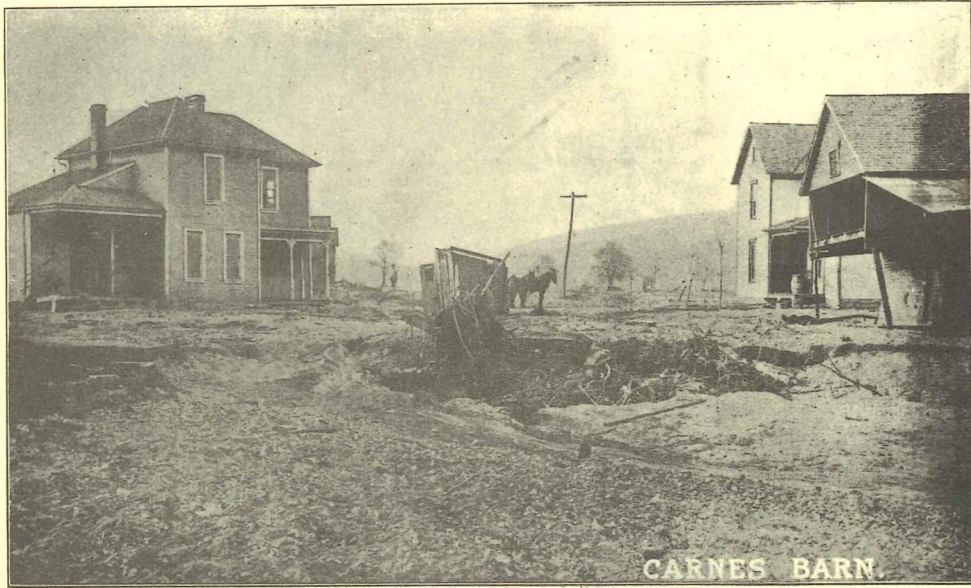




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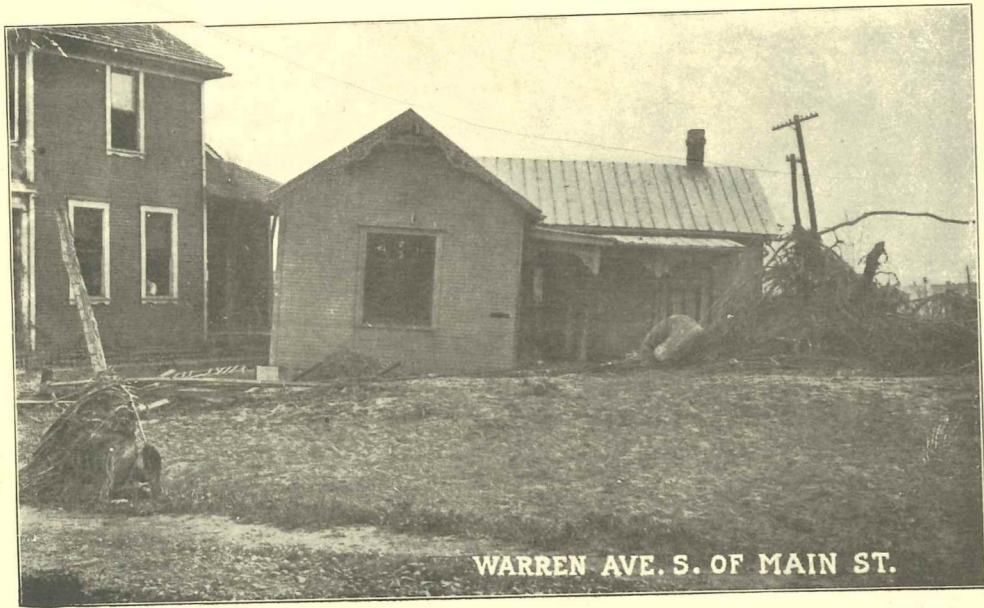
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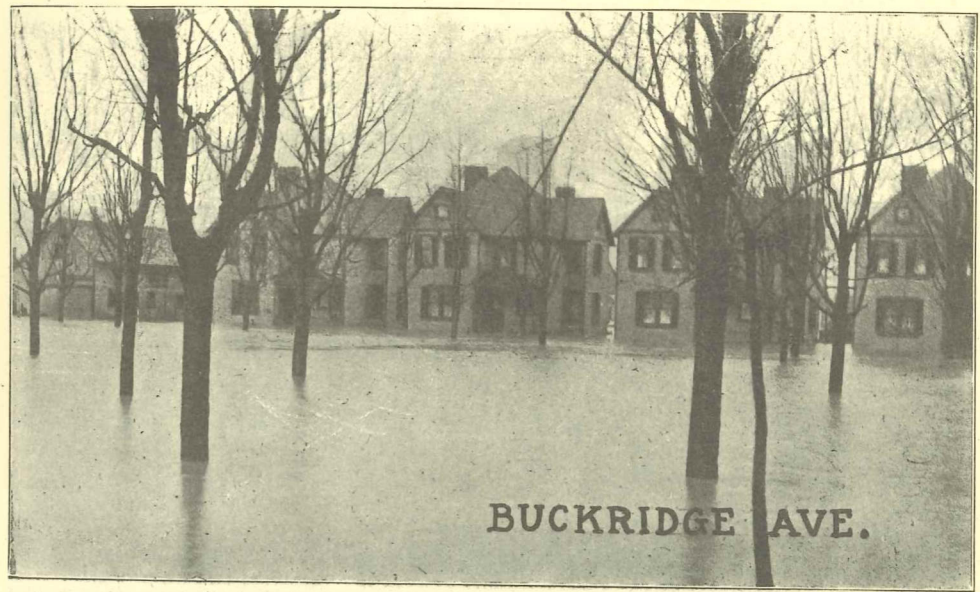
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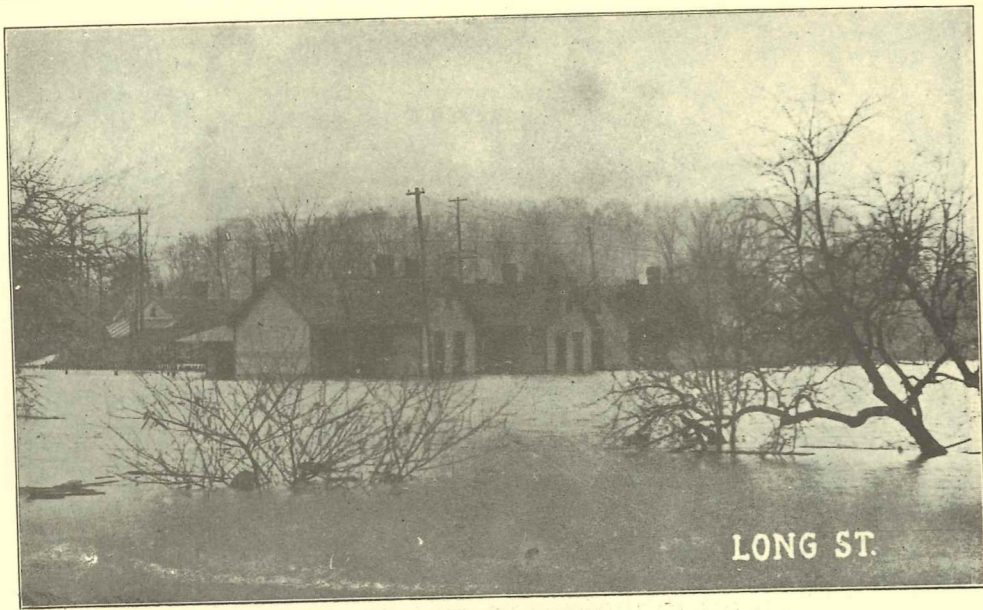
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CHILLICOTHE, OHIO, FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 28, 1913.

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THE FLOOD SITUATION IN CHILLICOTHE WARNING!

Chillicothe is over its worst difficulty, except from fire. Every reliable sober citizen of Chillicothe is appointed a committee of one to patrol his section of the city to guard against fire. There will be no water power for several days, for fire purposes. If you see anything suspicious telephone in, do not rely on the fire alarm system, it will not be used, the bell will not ring. Do not allow any one to smoke about your business house or home, if there is inflammable material.

By order of Chief Brockmeyer.

The destruction in Chillicothe owing to the flood of the Scioto river and Paint creek will amount to over a million dollars. The known dead up to eight o'clock this morning numbered 11 but more were being brought each hour.

These were the Baxter family in the east and others who lived in that section and St. Pyle who was swept down in the torrent on Hickory Street.

The flood broke through the levy of the B. & O. S. W. at two o'clock Wednesday morning and by half past six o'clock had covered all of Chillicothe except the high points here and there, the west end west of High Street and the center of the city on Paint Street south of the court house.

Park street furnished a thoroughfare for the water, Paint street was flooded up to the court house, Hickory street was a raging torrent and from in front of Willard Story's house south the street was washed out to the depth of 20 feet in many places while the fronts of the houses on the west side of the street to Fifth were sheared off. At Fifth street the current took a different turn and sheared off the fronts of the houses on the east side of Hickory street.

At 10 o'clock Thursday morning a citizens meeting was called at the Mayor's office by Mayor Cahill and a relief committee organized.

The central committee was appointed by Col. Richard Enderlin who was chosen chairman of the meeting as follows: P. A. Stacy, Alexander Resnick, C. W. Story, Allen Scott, Dr. C. E. Robbins, and Rev. H. C. No. land who was called on motion of P. A. Minshall, H. W. Chapman was made secretary and Allen Scott, assistant secretary.

The committee was empowered to appoint such auxiliary committees as it thought necessary and reported as follows:

At ten o'clock, in accordance with mayor's proclamation issued by Mayor James A. Cahill at other citizens' meeting was held at the mayor's office and the announcement of these appointments made. The subscription list was opened after a statement by Father Heints who started it with \$100.

The subscription is a short time amounted to \$9,000. A special meeting of council was called for seven o'clock in the evening Thursday and a request was made for \$50,000 for emergency purposes but the general fund only contained \$5,000 and this was transferred to the emergency fund and council will meet later to donate more if needed.

Information Committee Headquarters at Mayor's Office: H. H. Bennett, E. S. Wess and A. R. Wolfe.

Finance: Rev. Father M. A. Heints, G. W. C. Perry and C. Z. Erbes.

Relief: R. D. Alexander, Geo. Luter and Dr. Chas. W. Mills.

Clothing: H. V. Hopkins, D. H. Roche, Jr., and G. A. Salsbacher.

Provision: C. M. Hayes, Wm. Rose, Wm. Stubbins, L. A. Sears and J. G. Anderson. E. L. Springs was made treasurer of the committee.

WORD FROM COLUMBUS.

A message from Mayor General John C. Speaks at Columbus this morning to E. S. Wess stated that danger was past there except the distress which still exists on the west side where the high water did most damage.

At Middletown, March 28.—The death list here will not exceed 25. The property loss will run into millions.

SEND YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS TO E. S. WESS.

The Finance Committee requested at 10 o'clock that this could be got around to persons who might want to give and for who they might be named they will be named that they need their checks to Edward L. Springs at the Central Bank. Check and cash will be given and the money turned over to the fund.

Superintendent Dunlap said this afternoon that it may be possible to have natural gas in Chillicothe within four days. The company has a break in the river at Main street where the wooden bridge is washed out, and as soon as it can get to this with workmen, repairs will be possible. The breaks in the city, so far as known, have all been plugged up.

To prevent spread of fire always keep on hand Two Buckets filled with Water

THE DEATH LIST

The list of known dead are:

J. C. Baxter, Mrs. Jennie Baxter of 137 Poplar street and Cordelia Lowrey of Poplar street drowned when the boat in which they were being rescued capsized.

Chas. Limie, of North High street, drowned on West Water street.

Chas. Carnes, probably 50 yrs. old, drowned on Logan street.

Mrs. Margaret Corrigan, aged 16, of Columbus street, died from exposure.

The funeral of Mrs. Corrigan will be held from St. Mary's church at 6:30 Saturday morning. Interment at St. Margarets.

David Nolze, an employee of the Standard Cereal Co., found in a tree on Sycamore street.

Mrs. Charles Carnes, Ore Carnes her son, Five of the Carnes family were drowned, two daughters Minnie a cripple aged 17 and Elsie aged 11, have not yet been recovered.

Sam Vanscoy found at the bend of the river below the city.

St. Pyle who drowned on Hickory st., and whose body has not yet been recovered.

Ralph Lowrey, aged 14 years, drowned.

THE TRAFFIC SITUATION

The B. & O. railroad had a train in this city Thursday at 11 o'clock today, and it left here again at 12:15 for the same point. Coming to this city it was packed with passengers from Cincinnati, Hamilton, etc. The train came out back away near all of the traveling men who were crowded at the hotel here. A temporary station has been erected at the kite track.

C. M. A. H. News.

The C. H. A. D. had word that Hamilton C. H. has a cut of fuel and provisions and is ready to send here whenever possible.

The newspaper published from Washington C. H. that no train will be possible from the west here Monday next. There is no word from the East whatever on account of water.

Norfolk & Western.

The Norfolk & Western is in some shape at present. It has two work trains at work across the river and men are driving string. The river Pilot and Waverly show little of track. In some and of Indian Creek conditions are awful. A passenger train is supposed at Hickory. It will be days before trains are running.

ONE MORE DAY

Everybody is doing noble work. You are one of the best. Be one for another day.

Everyday in doing noble work. You are one of the best. Be one for another day.

A system is being worked out for every possible need.

Help those who need help. That is what they do.

Be generous before being generous.

The News From Cincinnati

Cincinnati, O., March 28.—By Associated Press.—Cincinnati at noon had 64 1/2 feet of waterland still rising. The entire business section, from Second street is flooded. A 70 ft. stage is expected before it recedes.

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The Latest From Dayton

Dayton, O.—By Associated Press.—The flood situation in Dayton is this: The number drowned is greatly exaggerated. The loss from fire will not exceed one million and a half dollars.

The damage from water to mercantile houses, factories and residences will run from \$15,000,000 to \$20,000,000.

The water has receded from the business and a large portion of the residential section.

Residents from the districts still inundated, are being cared for in the sections that were not under water.

There is a lack of food.

Telephone communication is being restored.

There is much suffering from cold.

All available fuel is placed at the demands of the needy.

There is no epidemic of sickness. 1,000 militia are in charge and the city is under rigid control to prevent looting.

Gas in Four Days

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IMPORTANT

Do you see your water clock? Next temporary parties in your yard. After the repairs to fill upon the ground, part in deep holes so that it may be removed when the situation becomes favorable.

BE REASONABLE

Because the water works company with the assistance of the Board of Public Works has given you a little water, that is to say that you can wash it. If you are caught washing your sidewalks or washing water in any way you will be arrested. The water is for drinking only.

DO NOT PAY

If you see time to hold you so far from the water, report it to the mayor's office. Do not say more than the amount given. There is relief for you at one of the many stations. BE REASONABLE.

Do not have garbage and refuse piled up in your yards. It is a nuisance and it is a health hazard. The garbage must be carried.

LET US ALL KEEP GOOD CHEER

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RELIEF STATISTICS

Mayor's office.

Relief House.

South End—Knox's Building—South Paint Street.

Shelburne—St. Andrew's Hotel—Donon, E. Water St.

East Water Street—Bishop's House, East Water St.

East St.—St. Andrew's Church—Water Street.

NEWS FROM SOUTH OF US

Word from the South—A telephone message from High by's station this morning informed the public here that Richmond, Va. had been overtaken by nothing could be seen of that village and no word could be received from there. The Vaudeville and Harney neighborhood at High Banks was reported safe as they are on high ground.

The damage at Waverly was slight but Hickory suffered severely. The loss of life out through the rural districts cannot be estimated, rumor has it that others must be saved.

NEED NO RUMORS

Do Not Hear Rumors.

Many wild rumors are being spread by irresponsible persons and are doing good less every day.

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THE DAILY SCIOTO GAZETTE, FRIDAY, MARCH 28, 1913.

Pale Children
Early symptoms of cholera are to be feared. It is a deadly disease and spreads rapidly. It is a deadly disease and spreads rapidly. It is a deadly disease and spreads rapidly.

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ANNOUNCEMENT
TO THE PUBLIC
The paper is being issued by the combined force of the Scioto Gazette and the News-Advertiser. The important work is being done by A. H. White of the News-Advertiser and H. A. Weaver of the Gazette, assisted by Mr. Frank Westerman. The main editorial force is that from both papers.

The Tragic Fate Of Omer Family
The Carson family, comprising six members, Charlie Carson and wife, two sons, William and Omer, and two daughters, Minnie and Ethel, lived on Logan street. They were warned in time to get out, but the older Carson insisted upon getting into a wagon and started to drive out. This was too late. The flood overtook the wagon and swept it down into the river. William, one of the sons, alone was able to save himself by swimming out. The father, mother, and son Omer, aged 14, were recovered, and the two daughters are still missing.

Bridge Street
Bridge Dangerous
The bridge across the river, which is still in position, is dangerous. It is in a bad state of repair and is unsafe for travel. It is in a bad state of repair and is unsafe for travel.

The Death Of Sil'Pyle
Mr. Pyle, who was an expert boatman, and who worked all winter to repair the structure, succumbed to illness, finally met his fate when the boat he was operating and he was swept down the rapids toward the highway.

Want Column
FOR SALE—Furniture, including a parlor and dining room, both kinds of water in house, gas for heat and light, lawn and large lot. Phone 111 for particulars. Call 111.

FOR SALE—The house and extra lot on beautiful White Street, Chillicothe, O., or will trade for a home country farm. J. M. White, 111 North Third Street, Chillicothe, O. Home phone 111 or 111.

FOR SALE—White Organ and barrel Piano. Best organ, \$1.50 per month for first year, \$1.00 for second year. Full phone 441 W. Home phone 111.

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BE CAREFUL
There should be no wasting of food supplies, for there is no telling how long the present supply will last, nor when or where Chillicothe can get more in and road facilities are better.

Getting more sugar in order. The Young Men's Society of Chillicothe had everything prepared for a big banquet Thursday night, but the sugar was not available. When sugar was secured it was found that the sugar was not available. When sugar was secured it was found that the sugar was not available.

Greenfield Sends In Supplies
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Demonstration and Special Sale of Human Hair Goods
We have been fortunate in again securing the Gumbiner & Burman Co. of Chicago, to conduct a special demonstration and sale of real human hair goods.
This company is one of the leading manufacturers of hair goods and will have on display at our store one of the largest collections of hair goods ever shown.
No Matter How Difficult Your Hair is to Match You'll Find Just the Right Shade in This Immense Showing.
An experienced demonstrator who is authority in matters pertaining to the proper styles in coiffure and care of the hair is in charge.
The feature of this demonstration is the low prices at which these beautiful hair goods are offered.
20 inch natural wavy switches, regular \$2 values, at \$1.95
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28 inch natural wavy switches, an extraordinary bargain at \$2.95
Others priced from \$3.50 up to \$35.00.
Transformations priced from \$2.95 up to \$40.00.
Make it a point to attend this demonstration. It will be well worth your while to see this display, even though you don't care to purchase.

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Specialists in Apparel for Women, Men and Children.
Rubber Gloves
THE problem of how to keep your hands in good condition is a perplexing one, especially during housecleaning time. The best protection is to wear "Rubber Gloves" while working. They keep the hands soft, white and clean; and afford a perfect covering for tender skin. We guarantee the kind we sell.
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Starting Food For Chicks
A Ready Prepared Food for Baby Chicks
Composed of corn, wheat, wheat middlings, hulled oats, meat, bone, salt, sulphur, iron sulphate, gentian root, bone ash and mustard seed, all of suitable fineness and proportion.
Conkey's Starting Food for Chicks supplies all needs of the chick—except for fine grit and pure drinking water—until one week old, then add green food. In the second week begin supplying animal food, also grains in litter to induce exercise, and gradually prepare the chicks for the change in feed later on.
Starting Food in 10 Size Packages 25 and 50 cents
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The response thus far has been generous but it must be kept up. Give what you can, big or little, all will help.

Advice that those pay heed to rumors but call the Mayor's office to learn the true state of affairs for it will always be given out there.

Lowest Prices Paid For sale of broken down Lumber.

Safe for Cash. Lumber increased. Don't think about loans as a means of relief. See to it that you have the means for special trade cards. Answer to the 100,000. See to it that you have the means for special trade cards. Answer to the 100,000.

BE SPARING IN THE USE OF WATER AND BOIL IT

The handling of the water pipes during the recent on Gable Hill at 3:30 Wednesday morning as the water to what of the extent were under the water for the day. The water should be boiled because of the typhoid germs. BEAR THIS ALWAYS.

The Mendon Paper Company which suffered a heavy loss was able to get its paper going the morning and in connection with the water company an effort is being made to get water on in the hill and reservoir for the central part of the city. Care should be taken not to waste the water for there is a possibility that the shortage of water and how much may be needed for the day.

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Doing street from Fourth street north was dug out to a depth of from 18 to 20 feet.

Signs placed from Fifth street north to the lake of the B & O tracks several places where it did not appear the new for ground. Look out for the street signs to open the street north of the tracks for the street at the Mill street corner.

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The Drowning of David Nolze

David Nolze was wanted to come out of the flood district by Henry A. Wright, but he failed to pick up some articles and was caught in the flood. The body was found in a stream some time after the water had subsided but before noon.

A Fisherman (observed). An accidental drowning was reported Saturday evening by means of the residents, especially those living in the North End, who first reported about quarter of twelve, the formation of a creek, showing the front of the flood district of the area. The form was retained until about 1:15 when the creek was all sorted and a corps of five appeared surrounding the scene.

Look to Think. Chart for bank account opens the order. The extra.

That Street, 116 West St. Home Phone Y-1000.

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All Kinds of Meyer's Sprayers

Nozzles for all Purposes

Hand Sprayers, Bucket Sprayers, Barrel Sprayers, Tank Sprayers.


PRICES 35c to \$25

Derror Improved Tree Fluid

When diluted will not cost more than 1 to 1-1/2 cents per gallon. Pints, 75c, quarts \$1.25, one-half gallon \$2.00, gallon \$4.00.

Cypher's Poultry Supplies

For poultry of all ages, for all purposes. Specially mixed and balanced chick food, developing food, scratching food and finishing foods. Analyzed and tested by government analysts and guaranteed.



Electric Supplies. Both Phones. Quick Delivery. Builders' Hardware.

SPECIAL Garden Seeds. Burpee's Seeds. That Grow

The Wissler Hdwe. Co.

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5c Queen Theatre 5c

"THE DOG OF THE BOON"—Thames
This was the last of the best, the finest of the town, with admirable acting, the pretty music, the entire crew, all of them, and with wealth and grandeur, and the actor who played the part of the poor man's wife for whom the man died. He was rejected by her father. But the story is not of the conventional success-by-thrombosis melodrama sort. The Thimbletongue man is the one who is not to be surprised at the odd ending of the tale.

"PLAN OF THE HOUSE"—Lodge
This offering takes a good theme when the plans of the house are changed to make room for the old father. The picture was presented in a highly original manner.

"SHIRTS AND SOCKS"—Majestic
This is an old but accurate comedy.

"COURTESY"—The Wheels of Destiny
In three acts, and directed by the Hovey Company to be the greatest film they have ever produced.

"PRINCE OF THE CITY"—Lodge
A comedy-drama of the highest order.

"CANTON"—Majestic and Thursday next week—STAY in the road.

5c STAR THEATRE 5c

THE PHANTOM SHIP—Lodge—Edison
A story of a sailor and his wife, a young village merchant, both now in Alton. Alton and Alton are married and have a little son, and in a flash the father is taken to the high seas. His wife is wrecked on a small island with a young man who is forced by poverty to accept the hand of the widow. She wants to marry. The picture is gripping.

THE SMOKE FROM LOVE'S BELLY—Lodge—Edison
If there may be talk about them, the more still. A bright line of love has been there. It is a long, long, since they changed her name.

NEW OPERA THE REVIVAL—Cortlandt—G. G. C.
New will make you laugh when you see the detective, Police Day, Friday—It is a new story in Chillicothe to see our educational system in that way. One point will amuse you, and they will be given in charity.

DON'T DELAY

Spring Buying Too Long

Greatest Opportunity is Afforded Now From a Most Complete and Extensive Assortment of

Ready-To-Wear Garments

Consisting of Newest Styles

Coats - Suits - Waists - Skirts

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Including Also Bathing, Swim Suits and Vests in Plain and Fancy at Moderate Cost.

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Select Your Spring Rug

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Get a Can TODAY

Black Silk Stove Polish is a new and improved formula for cleaning and polishing stoves, grates, and other iron and steel surfaces. It is made from the finest materials and is guaranteed to give the best results.

Wednesday Specials

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Save the Difference

Best Quality Flour	5 lbs. for 25c
Best Quality Sugar	10 lbs. for 50c
Best Quality Tea	1 lb. for 25c
Best Quality Coffee	1 lb. for 25c
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Best Quality Eggs	1 doz. for 25c
Best Quality Apples	1 bushel for 2.00
Best Quality Oranges	1 bushel for 2.00
Best Quality Lemons	1 bushel for 2.00
Best Quality Peaches	1 bushel for 2.00
Best Quality Plums	1 bushel for 2.00
Best Quality Cherries	1 bushel for 2.00
Best Quality Strawberries	1 bushel for 2.00
Best Quality Raspberries	1 bushel for 2.00
Best Quality Blackberries	1 bushel for 2.00
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Chillicothe's Leading Dry Goods and Rug House

Floor Coverings, Draperies for Spring

You Can Easily Satisfy Your Most Particular Ideas in This Interesting Shopping.

Lovers of the home beautiful are especially urged to come and view this exhibition of floor-coverings and draperies. Housecleaning time is here, and new rugs, matings and curtain are sure to be needed. An inspection of these broad stocks will offer many valuable suggestions and hints, that will be helpful in re-arrangement or refurbishing of any in the house.

Included are extensive arrays of rugs, matings, linoleums, curtains and draperies of every sort. Many striking novelties are represented as well as all of the most staple kinds of floor-coverings and draperies. Rugs and curtains are here that will harmonize with any scheme of furnishing you may wish to adopt.

The trustworthiness and dependability of every article in these stocks are fully warranted. We have maintained the high standard established in the past and offer only the most reliable grades. This policy makes it safe for you to buy any rug, matting or drapery from us, no matter at what price it is marked.

RUG SECTION

The line of Rugs now on display is by far the most comprehensive we have shown. Rugs in regular room sizes and extra large sizes are here in willow velvets, axminsters, body brussels, tapestries, fiber matings and Scotch weaves in large array of patterns and colorings.

Fine Wilton rugs, 9x12 size, in the famous Whittall fabrics, beautiful Persian designs, priced at..... \$35 to \$60
Body Brussels rugs, in neat allover patterns and medallion effects, size 9x12, priced at..... \$25 and \$27.50
Best Axminster rugs, 9x12, priced at..... \$25
Our special axminster, 9x12, an excellent value at..... \$19.75
Best Brussels rugs, floral and oriental patterns, priced at..... \$17.50
Our special seamless 9x12 Brussels rug, worth \$15, special..... \$10.98
Extra large sizes and small rugs at proportionately low prices.

CURTAIN SECTION

Lace curtains are here in all the various grades—Nottinghams, cable net, Brussels net, Irish point, Arabian, French braid, cluny antiques, scrims and Swisses.

Novelty lace still curtains, a large range from which to make a selection, per pair \$1 to \$5.50

Still curtains in French braided nets, per pair..... \$1.50 to \$5

Serim curtains in white, cream, and ecru, "fluny" and flat lace trimmed, per pair \$2 to \$10

Summit draperies and Scotch madras curtains, per pair..... \$3.50 to \$5.50

CURTAIN NETS AND SCRIMS

A great variety of drapery fabrics is shown, in plain, stripe, check and printed scrims, plain and fancy nets, swiss, madras, denims, art tickings, tapestries and cretonnes, prices ranging..... 12 1/2c to \$2.50

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Chillicothe, Ohio

SPECIAL EXTRA

March 28, 1913

The destruction in Chillicothe owing to the flood of the Scioto river and Paint creek will amount to over a million dollars. The known dead up to eight o'clock this morning numbered: 11 but more were being brought each hour.

These were the Baxter family in the east end and others who lived in that section and Si Pyle who was swept down in the torrent on Hickory Street.

The flood broke through the levy of the B & O. S. W. at two o'clock Wednesday morning and by half past six o'clock had covered all of Chillicothe except the high points here and there, the west end west of High Street and the center of the city on Paint Street south of the court house.

Park street furnished a thoroughfare for the water, Paint street was flooded up to the court house. Hickory street was a raging torrent and from in front of Willard Story's house south the street was washed out to the depth of 20 feet in many places while the fronts of the houses on the west side of the street to Fifth were sheered off. At Fifth street the current took a different turn and sheered off the fronts of the houses on the east side of Hickory street.

SEND YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS TO E. L. SPETNAGEL

The Finance Committee reported at 10 o'clock that they could not get around to see persons who might want to give and for any who might be missed they make the request that they send their checks to Edward L. Spetnagel at the Central National Bank and due credit will be given and the money turned into the fund.

The list of known dead are:
J. C. Baxter, Mrs. Annie Baxter and their son, William, of 137 Poplar street and Cordella Lowery, of Poplar street, drowned when the boat in which they were being rescued capsized.

Chas. Limle, of North High street, drowned on West Water street.

Chas. Carnes, probably 50 yrs. old, drowned on Logan street.

Mrs. Margaret Corrigan, aged 76, of Columbus street, died from exposure.

David Nolze, an employe of the Standard Cereal Co., found in a tree on Sycamore street.

Harrison Lowery.

Information Committee Headquarters at Mayor's Office: H. H. Bennett, E. S. Wenis and A. R. Wolfe.

Finance: Rev. Father M. A. Heintz, G. W. G. Perry and G. Z. Erdman.

Relief: R. D. Alexander, Geo. Litter and Dr. Chas. W. Mills. Clothing: H. V. Hopkins, D. H. Roche, jr., and C. A. Sulzbacher.

Provisions: C. M. Haynes, Wm. Korst, Wm. Stocklin, L. A. Sears and J. C. Anderson. E. L. Spetnagel was made treasurer of the committee.

At two o'clock, in accordance with mayor's proclamation issued by Mayor James A. Cahill another citizens' meeting was held at the mayor's office and the announcement of these appointments made. The subscription list was opened after a statement by Father Heintz who started it with \$100. The subscription in a short time amounted to \$9,000. A special meeting of council was called for seven o'clock in the evening Thursday and a request was made for \$10,000 for emergency purposes but the general fund only contained \$5,000 and this was transferred to the emergency fund and council will meet later to donate more if needed.

It will take all this and more too was the estimate for at least four thousand people are estimated to have been rendered temporarily homeless.

Steps Taken For Relief and Warnings
The natural gas mains were washed away

and the city left without gas, its ordinary fuel supply. This warning is issued, on no account should any one attempt to turn on any gas in any house until properly notified, that the gas is on and working.

There is not any water with which to put out a fire and once started the conflagration which results might sweep the entire city as was the case in Dayton.

The water cut of the electric light supply flooding the boilers at the power house has this morning an attempt was made to start the machinery again and it was hoped to have light and some power by this evening.

BE SPARING IN THE USE OF WATER AND BOIL IT

The breaking of the water pipes drained the reservoir on Carlisle Hill at 8:30 Wednesday morning and the valves to shut off the exhaust were under the water for use. **WATER SHOULD BE BOILED BECAUSE OF TYPHOID GERMS REMEMBER THIS ALWAYS.**

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Sugar street from Fifth south with the N. W. tracks was swept away.

The break in the B & O tracks occurred just where it did in 1898 near the new fair ground. Supt. Loel of the park had gone down to open the deer corral and had to run for his life to get out and was caught in the flood at the Mill street culvert.

The number of houses swept away cannot be told, neither can the entire loss of life until a counting of noses is made.

The public responded nobly to the relief of the flood stricken ones and all the churches were opened and the Elks' auditorium and club house was made a center of the issuance of supplies in the way of provisions and clothing.

At 10 o'clock Thursday morning a citizens meeting was called at the Mayor's office by Mayor Cahill and a relief committee organized.

The central committee was appointed by Col. Richard Enderlin who was chosen chairman of the meeting as follows: F. A. Stacey, Alexander Renick, C. W. Story, Allen Scott, Dr. G. E. Robbins, and Rev. R. C. No-land who was added on motion of A. P. Minshall, H. W. Chapman was made secretary and Allen Scott assistant secretary. The committee was empowered to appoint such auxiliary committees as it thought necessary and reported as follows:

The railroad situation is rather a bad one. With the trestle washed out north of the city on the traction line and the

high fill of the N. & W. gone those avenues are shut off. The B. & O. was washed out at Musselman's and at Simms Station near Loveland, but six firemen who live in this city pumped a hand car here, arriving Thursday night, and the road said it would have a train as far as the kite track in the west end by 12 o'clock. This train will go right back. The trolley bridge across from Hibby's is gone. Kilgour bridge was intact in the bridge at Bridge Street was saved by the traction bridge.

The floor was buckled up. But it is thought to be safe for light loads.

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