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ervoirs are just over 12% full

Rain, though intense, is not enough to fill ranks; Chembarambakkam is only 10% full

T. RAMAKRISHNAN CHENNAL

Only a few reservoirs received heavy ramfall during Monday and the early hours of Tuesday though many parts of the State had a taste of how intense the northeast monsoon could be

Chembarambakkam, za tank located southwest of Chennal and the focus of the Chennal floods in December 2015, re-gistered around 18 Jem, and

Papanasam, an important reservoir in the firmehydical district.

The two water floodies registered an inflow, varying from around 30%. This morning, 1,719 cubic feet per second Chembarambakkam's storage (cuesco) to 1,526 misses. (cusecs) to 1.526 cusecs.

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Source: Chennal Metrowate

was 452 million cubic feet (mcft.) In terms of storage, Chem pagainst the capacity of 3,645 barambakkam's present volume ... mcft. while the other reservoir of water Is merely over 10% of its —had 1,730 mcft. against the capa-total capacity and Papanasam's, —city of 5,500 mcft.

==+Pointing out that the storage was not even 15% of the capacity, officials of the Water Resources Department (WRD) in the Public Works Department (PWD) said more rain was needed so that the reservoir gets filled.

As the Nungambakkam observatory, recorded 12 cm and Meenambakkam 17 cm during the 24 hour period that ended at 8.30 a.m. on Tuesday, it was quite likely that the river would have received some amount of the

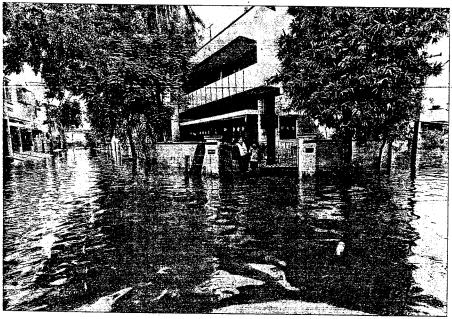
"There are 18 drains falling into the river including 8 maintained by Chennal Corporation and these drains have contributed to the rise in the water level of the river, an official ex-

plained. The Red Hells reservoir re-ceived around 10 cm and re-

gistered 1,643 gisecs.
Its storage stood at 487 mcft.
against the storage of 3,300 mcft. Cholavaram, another city reservoir, recorded around 10 cm and the Safyamurti Sagar in Poondi around a cm. Terit II

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WATER WOES: A flooded locality after heavy rains in Chennai on Tuesday. (PTI)

Flood fear in Chennai after rain

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SATHYAMOORTHY GOVINDARAJAN

Chennai: The north-east monsoon has hit the Coromandel coast and is causing heavy rainfall in nine Tamil Nadu districts for the past two days, triggering fear of a rerun of the December 2015 deluge in which 150 people had died.

All the educational institutions in these districts remained closed on Tuesday.

Local administration minister S.P. Velumani said Seerkazhi district received 31cm of rain in the past 24 hours, Chidambaram 23cm and Tambaram 20cm. "Last night alone, Chennai received 11cm," he said.

The Indian Meteorological Department has forecast rain for a minimum of four more days and the downpour could be "heavy to very heavy" in certain areas.

Balachandran, the director of the IMD centre in Chennai, said the "monsoon is vigorous" and had been "heavy" in 21 places and "very heavy" in 16 places in the past 24 hours.

The rain once again exposed the poor infrastructure in Chennai suburbs such as Mudichur, Varadarajpuram and Mahalakshmi Nagar with many people leaving their homes in search of safety.

Several residents alleged

that despite "tall claims", officials had failed to initiate proper flood-prevention measures.

Many of the affected areas have waist-deep water. People in many places have been forced to wade through the water for at least Ikm to reach the main roads. The administration has sent boats to several places to evacuate people.

Residents pointed out that many places in Chennai don't have storm-water drains to quickly flush out water during heavy downpour. The Greater Chennai Corporation said such drains were being built in the extension areas.

On Monday, traffic snarls were reported from across Chennai, including IT Corridor.

Water has entered several ground-floor homes in several areas, including Kilpauk and Koyambedu.

Over 5,000 illegal structures blocking the waterways have been demolished Velumani said. "At least 95 per cent of the channels in Chennai and the contiguous districts have been desilted," he added.

The commissioner of revenue administration, K. Sathyagopal, said 18,000 personnel and 458 suction pumps had been kept ready, Around 176 disaster relief camps have been set up.

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