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Showers in city; traffic jams in some areas

NEW DELHI, JULY 12

Delhi witnessed light rains early morning which led to traffic jams in several parts of the Capital.

Despite 1.6 mm rainfall recorded between 6.30 am and 8.30 am, the minimum temperature settled at 28.8 degree Celsius, a notch above normal, said a MeT department official.

The humidity, however, shot up and was recorded at 92 per cent at 8.30 am, he said.

Light rains were recorded by many stations, including Lodhi Road, Ridge, Ayanagar, Hindon among others.

The day ahead is forecast to be generally cloudy with light rain or thundershower likely to occur in different parts of the city. The maximum temperature is expected to hover around 34 degree Celsius.

Traffic Police said heavy traffic was witnessed in many parts of the city as rain caused delays.

No waterlogging was reported although heavy traffic and jams were reported in several parts of the city, including the



IT'S RAINING FUN FOR SOME: A young couple seem to be enjoying the rain at Connaught Place in New Delhi on Tuesday. TRIBUNE PHOTO: MANAS RANJAN BHUI

stretches between Malkaganj to Clock Tower, Laximi Nagar to ITO on Vikas

Margh, Dhaulakuan, Azadpur to Prembari, Ashok Vihar T Point and

some other major arteries in the city, said a Traffic Police official. — PTI



RAIN FURY: Passengers being rescued after a jeep fell into a river in Betul, MP. Flood and rains claimed 22 lives in the state so far. PTJ

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बाद और बारिश का डबल सितम भारी बारिश से एमपी में 7 और महाराष्ट्र में 8 की मौत

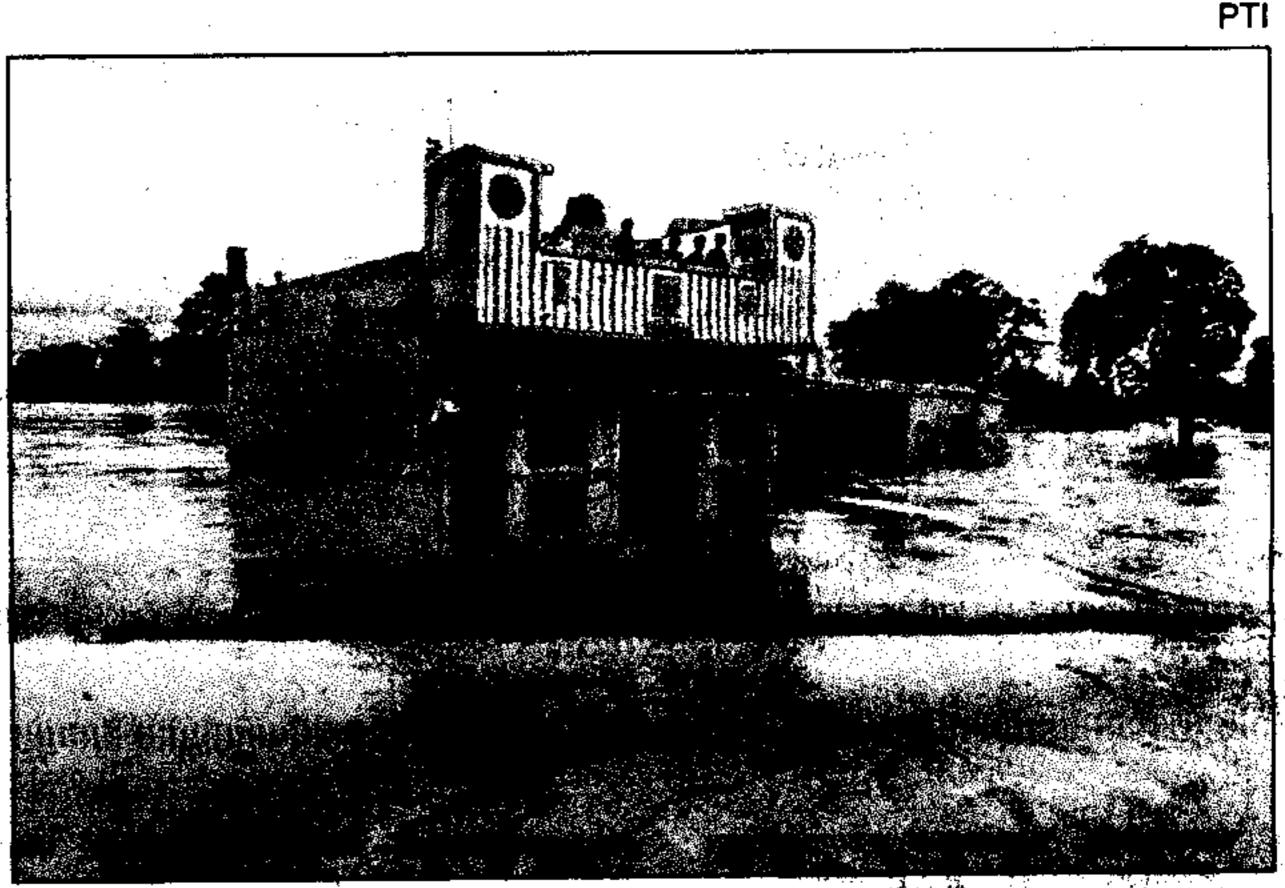


मिपाल में भद भदा बांध के तीन गेट खोलने से शहर में पानी भर गया।

एनबीटी/एजेंसियां, नई दिल्ली

देश के कई हिस्सों में मॉनसून टॉप गियर महाराष्ट्र, असम, गुजरात और राजस्थान में बाढ़ जैसे हालात पैदा हो गए हैं। सोमवार रात इंदौर में सिर्फ दो किमी के एरिया में ऐसी भारी बारिश हुई जैसे बादल फट गया खतरे के निशान पर पहुंच रही हैं। नदियों दिया। उन्हें अस्पताल में भर्ती कराया गया गया है।

हाईवे बंद हैं। मालवा में हो रही बारिश से लबालब है। एमपी-राजस्थान बॉर्डर पर बाढ़ जैसे हालात में चला गया है। मध्य प्रदेश, उत्तराखंड, हैं। मौसम विभाग का कहना है कि अगले 48 घंटों में मॉनसून पश्चिमी राजस्थान महाराष्ट्र के नासिक, कोल्हापुर और और गुजरात के कुछ हिस्सों में पहुंचने के नंदुरबार जिलों में पिछले तीन दिनों से हेलीकॉप्टर सेवाएं सितंबर में केदारनाथ लेगा। वहीं एमपी के शिक्षा मंत्री विजय नदी पूरे उफान पर है। नदी किनारे बने हो। भारी बारिश से सोमवार को मध्य प्रदेश शाह को भोपाल स्थित सरकारी बंगले कई मंदिर बाढ़ में डूब गए हैं। सतारा के में 7, महाराष्ट्र में 8 और राजस्थान में 2 में करंट लग गया। उनके बंगले की छत कोयना नदीं पर बना संगमनगर पुल पानी लोगों की मौत हो गई। मध्य प्रदेश में बेतवा बारिश के कारण टपक रही थी। सीलन भरी में डूब चुका है, जिसकी वजह से 35 गांवों व नर्मदा और महाराष्ट्र में गोदावरी नदी एक दीवार ने ही शाह को एक झटका मार का संपर्क राज्य के दूसरे हिस्सों से ट्रट



इलाहाबाद में गंगा से सटे इलाकों में बाद से घरों में घुसा पानी।

उफान पर गोदावरी

साथ ही समूचे देश को अपनी जद में ले भारी बारिश हो रही है। नासिक में गोदावरी यात्रा का दूसरा चरण शुरू होने के साथ

में उफान के चलते कई रास्ते और कई है। वहीं भोपाल की एक झील भी बारिश से केदारनाथ के लिए हेलीकॉप्टर सर्विस बाधित

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> बिहार के अधिकांश हिस्सों में मंगलवार को आंशिक बदली छाई रही। मौसम विभाग ने अगले 24 घंटे के दौरान राज्य के करीब सभी हिस्सों में बादल छाए रहने और हल्की बारिश होने के आसार जताए हैं।



महाराष्ट्र में भारी बारिश ने आठ लोगों की जान ले ली। खासकर ठाणे, नासिक, अहमदनगर, रायगढ़ जिलों में तेज बरसात हुई।

यूपी में पूर्वेत्तर के ज्यादातर इलाकों और वेस्टर्न यूपी में कुछ जगहों पर हल्कीं से तेज बारिश दर्ज की गई।

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13 July RAIN BLUES

Deni drenched in monsoon rain, heavy showers over next 2 days

RAINY RELIEF The maximum temperature to stay between 31 and 35 degrees Celsius

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NEW DELHI: Heavy rain in several parts of the city on Monday night and Tuesday spelt relief from the muggy weather but brought traffic to a standstill during the day.

South and west Delhi received heavy rain overnight with Ayanagar receiving 61.4 mm of rainfall till Monday evening and Najafgarh receiving 42 mm. At the Ridge, the rain gauges received 43.8 mm of rain.

According to the weatherman, more heavy rain is expected on Thursday and Friday.

On Tuesday, the maximum temperature was recorded at 35 degrees Celsius, a degree below normal, while the minimum was 28.8 degrees Celsius, a degree above normal. Humidity was between 92% and 63%.

On Wednesday, the maximum and minimum temperatures are expected to be 35 degrees Celsius and 29 degrees Celsius, respectively. Light rain and thundershowers are expected.

In the coming six days, the maximum temperature will be in the range of 31 degrees Celsius and 35 degrees Celsius.

Delhi has, so far, seen below normal rains and a deficit of 30%.

The city should have received 130.4 mm of rain so far but has received only 90.8 mm.

Of eight areas in Delhi that the IMD has looked at, only north Delhi has received surplus rains so far. East Delhi has a deficit of 98% while northeast Delhi has a deficit of 82%. In northwest Delhi, the deficit is 59%.

According to IMD officials, the situation should improve in the coming weeks. Delhi is expected to end up with surplus rains when the monsoon season ends in September.

IMD's long-range monsoon forecast says that northwest region of India, of which Delhi is a part, will be above normal rain this monsoon season. The past two years brought deficient monsoon.

IMD'S LONG-RANGE MONSOON FORECAST SAYS THAT NORTHWEST REGION OF INDIA WILL GET ABOVE NORMAL RAINS THIS YEAR



India Meteorological Department officials say Delhi is expected to end up with surplus rain when the ARUN SHARMA/HT PHOTO monsoon season ends in September.

WHERE TO FIND HELP

Facing a waterlogging problem? You can report the matter at the following helpline numbers

North MCD: 1266, 011-23220010 Delhi Govt:

East MCD: 1077 155303 South MCD:

1266, 011-23220006 For traffic snarls and

info regarding vehicle breakdown follow Delhi Traffic police @dtptraffic on twitter

To file complaints regarding traffic snarls or breakdown call: **011-25844444**

Rain halts traffic for hours on waterlogged roads, 7 flights delayed and 11 diverted

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NEW DELHI: Showers on Tuesday spilled problems for daily commuters with waterlogging and traffic jams reported from across the city. The rain also led to delay and diversion of multiple flights.

According to airport officials, 11 flights were diverted, and seven delayed. Early morning traffic jams and waterlogging caught passengers off guard, many of them reaching late, and in some cases, even missing flights.

The civic bodies blamed each other for the problem. The municipal corporations said that while all waterlogging points belonged to the public works department (PWD), the latter said corporations were playing politics.

"All major waterlogging point are cleared within an hour of rain. The PWD has enough water pumps to ensure there is no waterlogging. Also, as compared to last year, we have received fewer complaints of



A man tries to cross a waterlogged road in Mehrauli. Civic bodies **RAJ K RAJ/HT PHOTO** blamed each other for the situation on Tuesday.

waterlogging," said Satyendar Jain, PWD minister.

The municipal corporations claim they are 100% ready for the monsoon with an action plan. The civic agency had previously said it had completed de-silting of drains a week in agencies claim to be ready but

advance and had introduced a helpline system to deal with waterlogging.

The corporation said it received 25 complaints, which were addressed within an hour.

"Year after year, the civic

all it takes is an hour's rain to wash away those claims. It took two hours to travel 15 km in the morning and the condition will remain the same in the evening," said Sanjay Yadav, a daily commuter.

Affected areas included Lajpat Nagar, Kalkaji, Malviya Nagar, Neb Sarai, Rohini, Mundka, Punjabi Bagh, Janakpuri, Vikas Puri, CR Park, Laxmi Nagar, Vikas Margh, Dhaula Kuan, and Azadpur among others.

Municipal corporations have 7,000 big and small drains approximately, which run over 2,900 km in the national capital. The corporations are responsible for de-silting and waterlogging in their areas.

"All major drains under our jurisdiction have already been de-silted. Although like previous years the PWD has once again failed to carry out its duties. We request the Delhi government to pull up the department and its officials and ensure that the work on drains is complete," said Parvesh Wahi, Standing Committee chairman, North MCD.

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LITTLE RAIN, BIG MESS



Light rain brought Delhiites respite from the heat on Tuesday morning. The joy, however, was short-lived as flooded roads led to rush-hour traffic jams across the city. >>P4 RAJ K RAJ / HT

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Rain fury continues; Godavari in spate

Seven die in M.P., four in Maharashtra

NASHIK: Incessant monsoon rains wreaked havoc in several parts of the country on Monday, killing seven persons in Madhya Pradesh, four in Maharashtra and one in Assam.

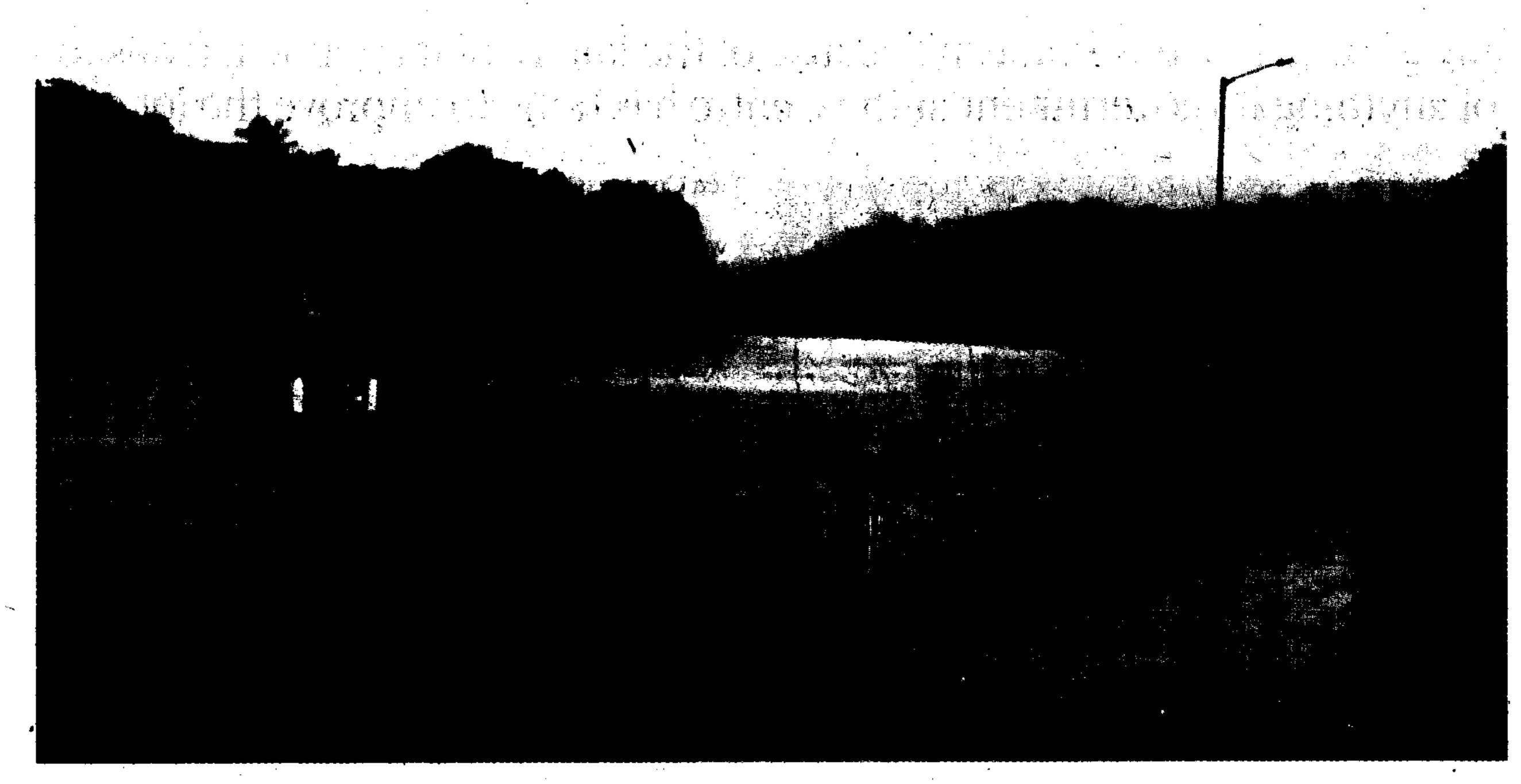
The northern States, however, witnessed erratic monsoon activity with heavy rains lashing some parts of Rajasthan and Uttar Pradesh, Delhi getting light rainfall and Haryana and Punjab experiencing dry weather conditions.

Four persons were killed four others injured in a house collapse due to heavy rains in Pachora Bari village in Nandurbar district of North Maharashtra, which recorded 390 mm rainfall in the last 24 hours.

Train derails

Four coaches of Surat-Nandurbar passenger train derailed after soil beneath the tracks was washed away. Western Railway sources said today. No casualty has been reported in the mishap

In Nashik district, pound-



DEEP TROUBLE: A view of the flooded Arjuna river in Rajapur, in the Konkan region of Maharashtra, on Monday. — PHOTO: PTI

ed by a continuous downpour for the last two days, a record 1,899 mm rainfall was recorded in the 24 hours ending 8 am on Monday. Water level in the Gangapur dam, the main source of drinking water for Nashik, rose to 47 per cent. Other reservoirs also recorded a substantial increase in water levels.

"While 22,000 cusecs of

water was released in the Godavari river, 9175 cusecs of water from Darna dam was released since Sunday," a release from Weather department said. Gates of the Palkhed left canal and of Godavari right and left canals were opened due. The Godavari river, which runs through Nashik, is in spate and flood waters have sub-

merged many temples on the river banks.

Pune dams fill up

Madhya Pradesh has reported seven more flood-related deaths since Sunday with the toll going up to 22. The government agencies have evacuated 7,000 people from flood-hit areas.

Heavy rains in and around

Pune over the last few days have raised the water level in the four dams that provide water to the city.

One person was swept away by flood waters in Assam's Morigaon district while the situation in five other affected districts remained 'critical'. About 1.35 lakh people have been hit by the floods. — PTI

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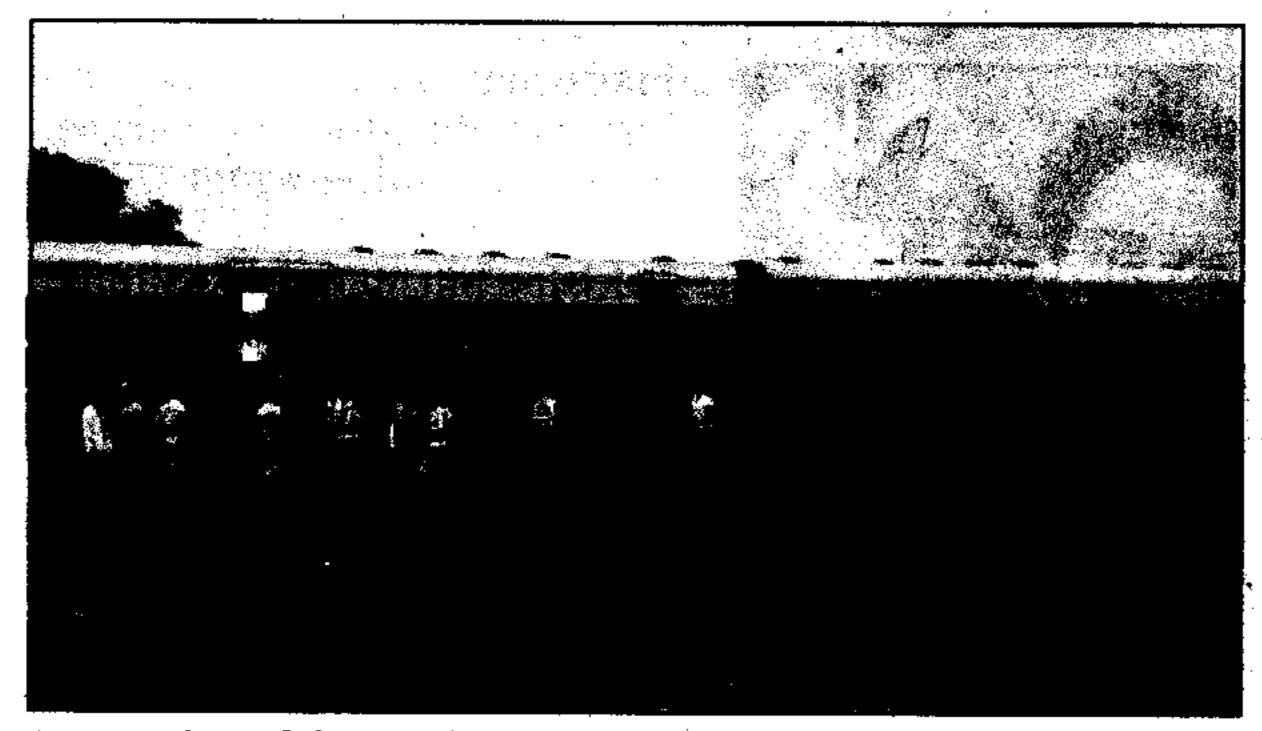
Heavy rain continues in state, cloudburst kills 6 in Nandurbar

TIMES NEWS NETWORK

Nashik/ Kolhapur/Aurangabad: A cloudburst killed six persons on Sunday
evening in Pachorabari village of Nandurbar district,
around 250 km from Nashik.
The impact of the cloudburst was so severe it swept
away 171 houses and an equal
number of cattle in just a
matter of minutes.

Two coaches of the Nandurbar-Surat passenger train were derailed after the soil under the railway track was washed away. Trains running on the route have been diverted till the track is repaired. Elsewhere in the state, the Panchganga river in Kolhapur was flowing close to crossing the danger mark when reports last came in. It's been raining heavily in the region since Saturday.

In Nashik, the Godavari



Two coaches of the Nandurbar-Surat passenger train were derailed after the soil under the railway track was washed away

river was still swollen on Monday, but water levels had reduced a little compared to Sunday, when the city saw its heaviest 24-hour July rainfall in a decade.

Two women and their children were among those swept away by the floods, Sunil Gadhe, sub-divisional officer, Nandurbar said. The

bodies of Indubai Prakash Vasave (25) Pralhad Vasave (6), Fuibai Bhaidas Vasave (52) and Ganesh Malkhand Pawar (12) have been recovered. Radhabai Malkhand Pawar (35) and her daughter Rinku Malkhand Pawar (7) have still not been found, officials said.

The cloudburst took pla-

ce around midnight on Sunday with 171 houses damaged (39 of them destroyed) and 173 cattle losing their lives. District guardian minister Girish Mahajan went to the spot 12 hours after the catastrophe to monitor rescue, relief and rehabilitation works. The state government has announced Rs 4 lakh for the relatives of those killed in the cloudburst.

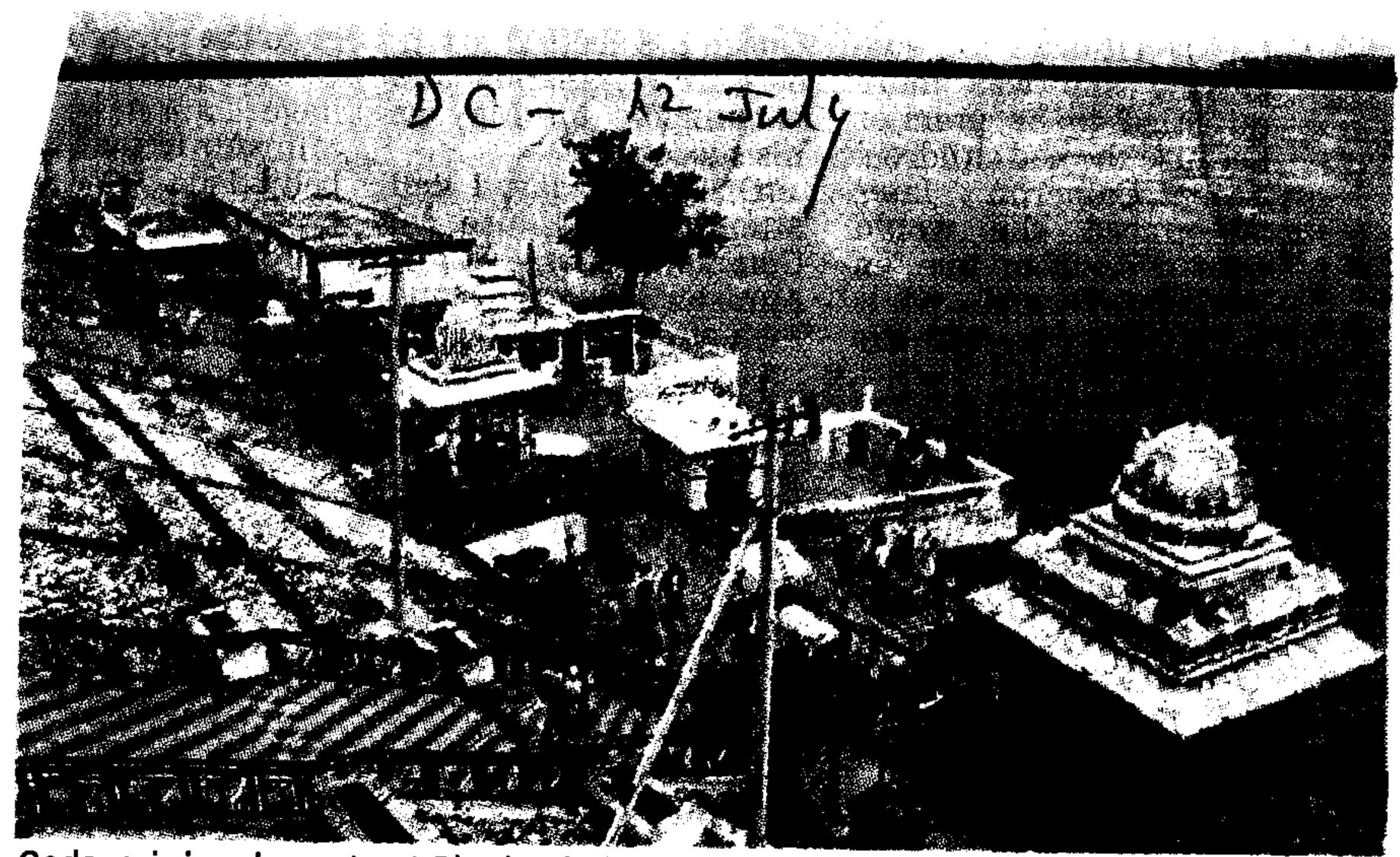
Incessant rainfall continued in several parts of the state. Nashik city recorded 73mm rainfall from Sunday evening until Monday morning. Rain continued to lash Kolhapur on Monday, and the Panchganga river rose to dangerous levels In Aurangabad, the deficit in rainfall was washed away in the last 24 hours as the city and many parts of the district received their best haul of 2016 over the weekend.

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Godavari river in spate at Bhadrachalam bathing ghats on Monday.

Godavari nears 3rd caution

DC CORRESPONDENT HYDERABAD, JULY 11

Thanks to incessant rains Maharashtra, in Chhattisgarh and Madhya Pradesh, the Godavari, Penganga and Pranahita rivers are in spate.

On Monday the water level in Godavari at Bhadrachalam crossed the second warning level of 48 feet. The water level at 5 pm was 51 feet with the third warning to be announced at 53 feet.

However, there have

been no major inflows in directed district collecthe projects on Krishna tors to be vigilant follow-River.

Several villages in Khammam, Adilabad and Warangal have been cut heavy to very heavy rainoff due to floods.

Pranahita and Penganga are flowing at danger levels and crops over 5,000 acre have been inundated. Traffic between Adilabad "Heavy to very heavy and Maharashtra has also been affected as the Penganga is flowing over bridges and roads.

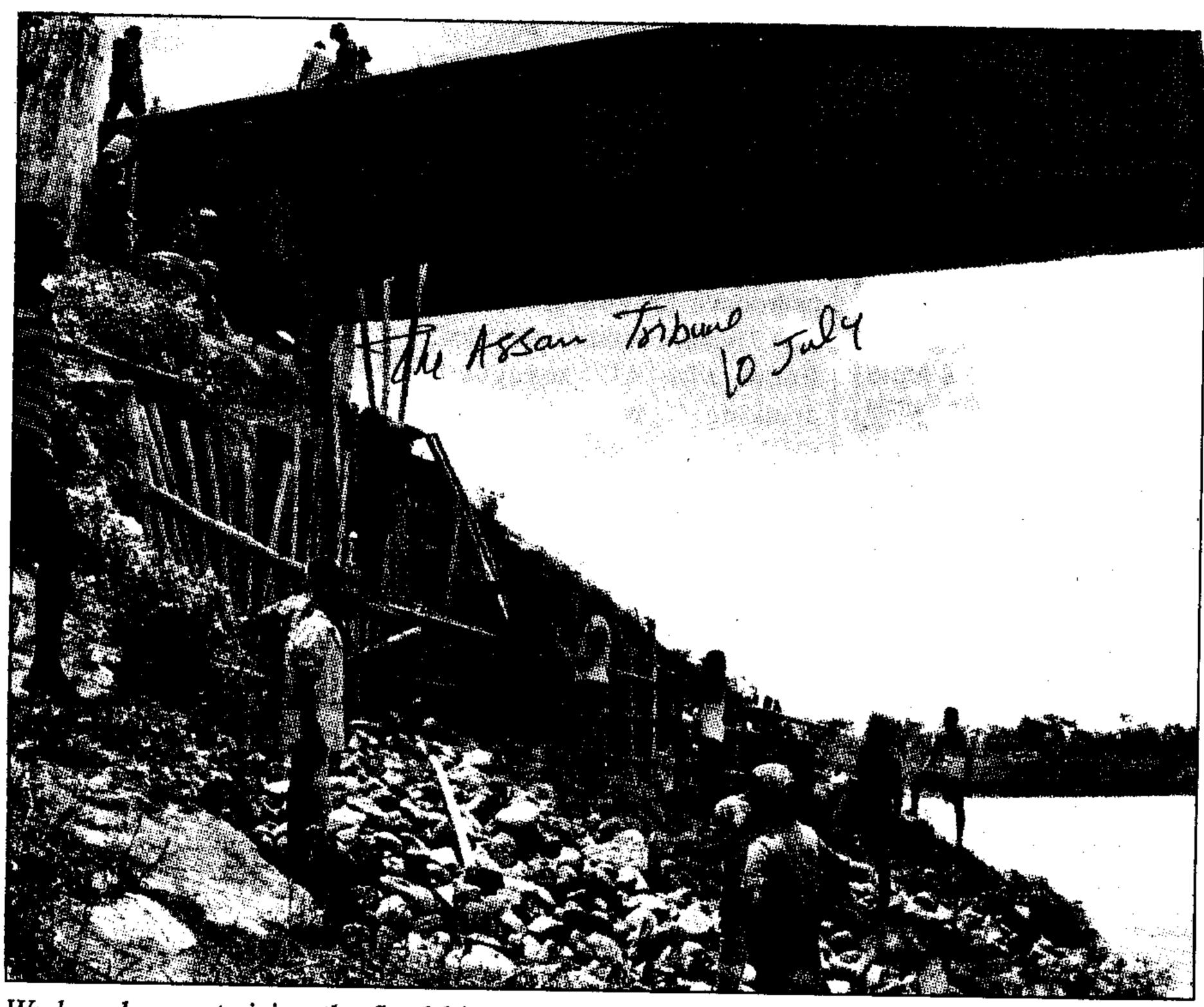
The TS government has sounded high alert and

ing heavy inflows into Godavari.

The IMD has forecast fall in TS and AP for the next two days.

Assistant meteorologist at IMD Hyderabad, Mr M. Narsimha Rao said, rainfall warning has been issued for the next three days in Telangana for districts like Adilabad, Nizamabad, Khammam, Warangal."

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Workers busy repairing the flood-hit portion of the railway bridge over Bhogdoi river, near Mariani on Sunday. – UB Photos

Flood relief operation intensified in Jorhat

CORRESPONDENT

JORHAT, July 10: To provide relief materials and medical service to the flood-hit people in the northwestern part of Jorhat, the district administration has intensified emergency measures across the affected areas and alerted the officials concerned to monitor the relief operation.

Officials of the district dis-

aster management cell said that they have opened a new relief camp today at Borbheti LP School and have sent foodstuff to flood-affected villagers of Namoni Gayangaon. The people of the flood-hit village are still taking shelter on the raised platforms on their own premises.

Meanwhile, a 35-member team of the National Disaster Response Force (NDRF) has

reached Jorhat to conduct rescue and relief operation in the flood-affected areas. Officials of the district disaster management cell said the team is fully equipped with boats and other necessary materials to carry out any kind of operation.

Besides providing relief materials, the district administration has also sent medical teams to the relief camps.

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Flood relief ... 's July

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Another team of veterinary officials also visited some floodaffected areas today.

Though a long portion of the north embankment of the Bhogdoi river was eroded by the rising waters two days ago, Water Resources Department officials and Army personnel today made considerable progress in carrying out protection works in the disaster-prone area.

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NEW DELHI: The national capital now has three rain centres where people can get all relevant information about rainwater harvesting.

Delhi water minister Kapil Mishra launched the three centres in RK Puram, Dwarka and Lajpat Nagar, on Tuesday.

The three centres were functioning informally for the past few weeks but were inaugurated on Tuesday.

The Delhi government was pushing for a more active policy on rainwater harvesting. All buildings constructed on an area of 500 metre squares or more are required to have rainwater harvesting facilities or are liable to pay a fine.

The last date for completion of construction is September 30.

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"In order to arrest depletion of groundwater table, it has become necessary to adopt rainwater harvesting for recharge of groundwater. We will have a rain centre in each of the remaining revenue districts in the coming year," Mishra said.

The rain centres will provide detailed information to make it easy for households, housing societies and colonies to adopt rainwater harvesting. It will recommend the type of rainwater harvesting based on relevant factors such as soil type, land usage and runoff water quality.

"There will be hands-on technical help in design and sourcing, training local plumbers and masons, capacity building, local awareness programs for RWH and water audits. Finally, it will make and maintain the RWH database of the area,"

Mishra said.

Delhi's groundwater situation has worsened over the years with several areas, especially in rocky south Delhi where water is found at a depth of 250-300 feet.

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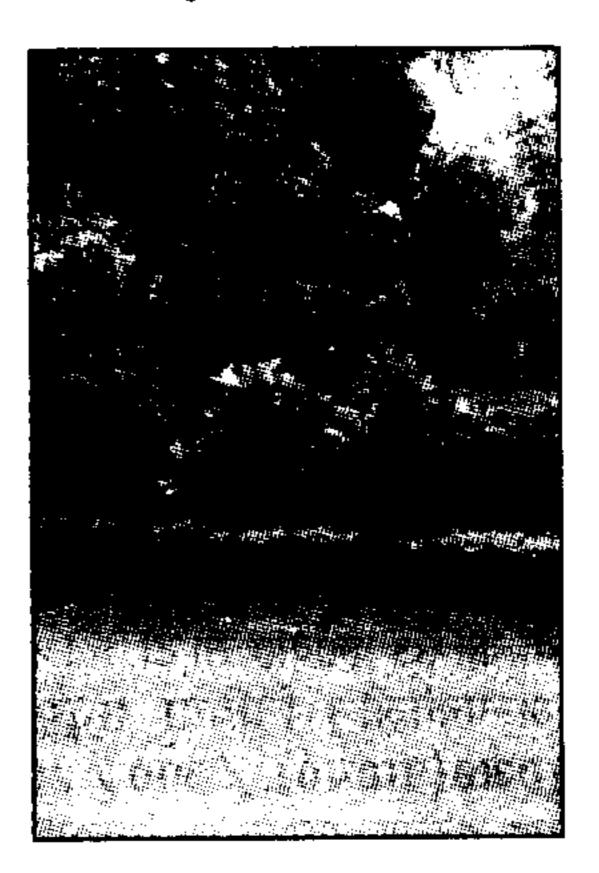
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-FIGURING THE CITY— How green is my Delhi

- Total forest and tree cover in Delhi: 299.77 sq km
- In 2015, the national capital saw an increase of 8.96 per cent in its forest cover
- Total forest cover in Delhi: 188.77 sq km
- Of the total geographical area in Delhi 1,483 sq km area under forest cover: 12.73 per cent
- Area under tree cover: 7.49 per cent
- Maximum forest cover:
 Open forest that stood at
 124.86 sq km and saw an
 increase of 1 per cent. These
 are forests with land that
 have tree canopy density of
 10 per cent and more
- Moderately dense forest in the capital: 57.15 sq km; saw an increase of 8 per cent



from 2013. These are forests with land that have tree canopy density of 40 per cent and more but less than 70 per cent

The least forest cover:
Very dense forest that stood at just 6.94 sq km. These are forests with land that have tree canopy density of 70 per cent and above

Source: India State Forest Report, 2015 Compiled by KAUNAIN SHERIFF M

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CITY

First spell of heavy rain slows city to crawl

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New Delhi: Widespread rains finally made an appearance in Delhi, though several areas saw only light to moderate showers. The Safdarjung observatory recorded 1.4mm rainfall till 8.30pm on Tuesday, while southwest Delhi recorded the heaviest showers.

"We expect widespread showers over Delhi and other parts of the northwestern plains for the next few days. The axis of the monsoon trough is likely to shift close to the foothills of the Himalayas in the next 2-3 days. This usually indicated good rainfall over northwest India," said a Met official. "Conditions are also favourable for the advance of southwest monsoon into the remaining parts of north Arabian Sea, Kutch and west Rajasthan by Wednesday," the official added.

Tuesday saw the maximum temperature climb to 35 degrees Celsius, which was one degree below normal while the minimum was 28.8 degrees Celsius, one degree above normal. Ayanagar recorded the heaviest rainfall for the day till 5.30pm with 61.4mm, Najafgarh with 41mm, Ridge with 35mm and Pusa with 20mm.

The Met department has predicted a cloudy sky with lightrain or drizzle on Wednesday and rain and thunderstorm with moderate rain on Thursday and Friday. On Sa-



A good rainfall is predicted in North India

turday, the department is expecting a thunderstorm, while Sunday will see a cloudy sky with light rain or drizzle and a generally cloudy sky on Mon-

"Heavy to very heavy rain is likely at a few places over sub-Himalayan West Bengal

and Sikkim, at isolated places over Assam and Meghalaya, heavy at isolated places over Jammu and Kashmir, Himachal Pradesh, Uttarakhand, Haryana, Chandigarh, Delhi, Punjab, west Uttar Pradesh, Bihar and Jharkhand on July 14 and 15," said a Met official.

Met Says Showers To Last For Next Few Days Waterlogging, accidents give drivers nightmares

TIMES NEWS NETWORK

New Delhi: Showers on Tuesday evening caused waterlogging in many parts of the city. Jams were also reported in east and south Delhi due to breakdowns and accidents.

Even though the municipal corporations had claimed to have completed de-silting drains, waterlogging was severe in east and south Delhi. Areas like Mehrauli-Badarpur Road, Tigri, Moti Nagar chowk, Lado Sarai, Jahangirpuri, GTK Road, Nigambodh Ghat, Punjabi Bagh, Geeta Colony, Pandav Nagar, Anand Parbat and Mundka were submerged in ankle-deep water. However, the municipal control rooms claimed none of the areas were affected.

Residents complained that due to the multiplicity of civic agencies, there was no coordination and most of the drains were choked. "It's the people who have been suffering amid their blame game. When we complain to any civic agency, the usual answer is the area is not under their jurisdiction and they pass the buck to other agencies," said B M Bakshi, a south Delhi resident.

To this an official from the central municipal control room said, "We take action only when there are complaints of

waterlogging. We didn't get any on Tuesday evening. But in most of the our zonal offices, portable pumps have been deployed for immediate action."

Amid all this, two accidents occurred: one near Manekshaw Centre and the other near the Mahipalpur crossing. Both incidents led to a tailback, one of which choked Delhi Cantonment and the other the road to the airport.

Breakdowns also caused traffic jams elsewhere. A vehicle broke down on Chirag Dilli flyover, choking the Chirag Dilli-Aurobindo Marg stretch after the Press Enclave Road. "I managed to wade through traffic but got stuck at Nehru Place due to the snarls caused by the vehicle breakdown. It took me

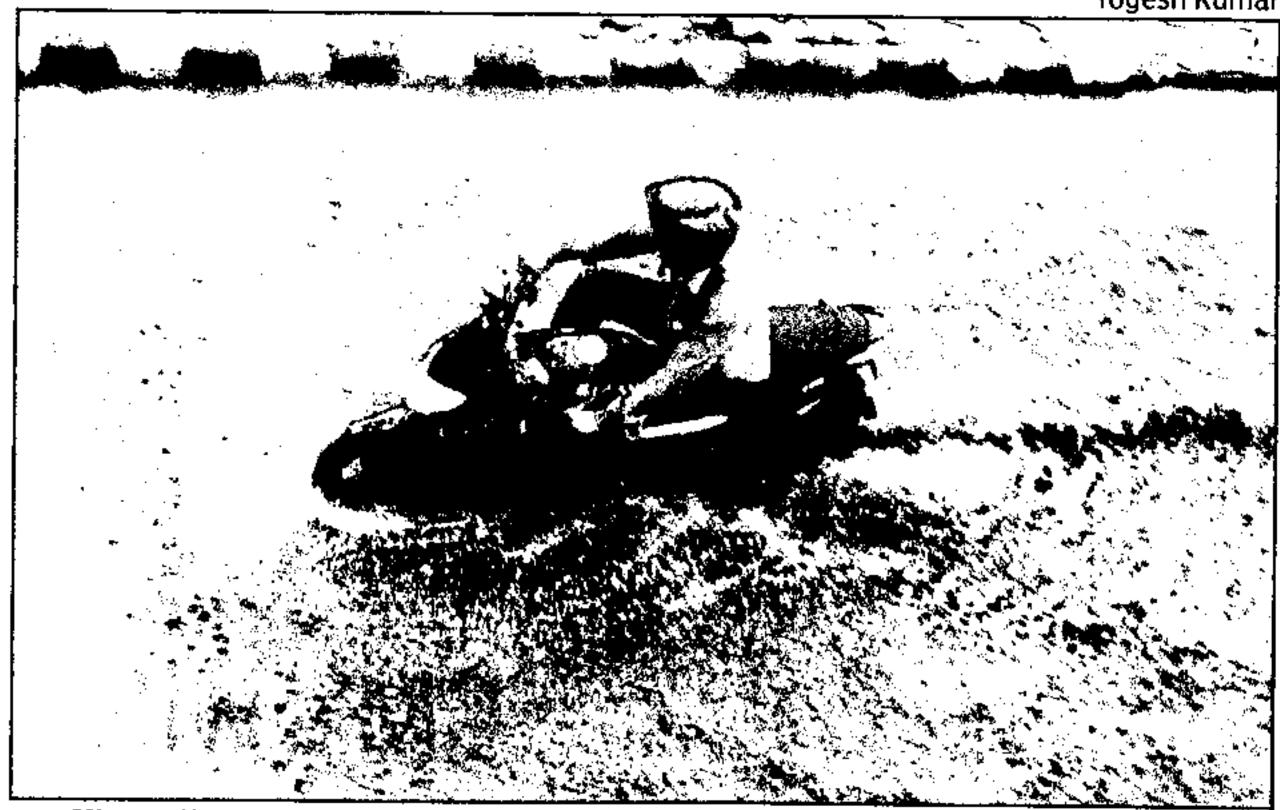
nearly an hour to drive from Jamia Nagar to Saket," wrote garments store manager Ankush Garg in a social networking site. The jam cleared up by 7pm.

Dhaula Kuan was choked too as a bus broke down near the Moti Bagh flyover.

The Ring Road near Nigambodh Ghat was also clogged due to waterlogging near Kela Ghat. It stayed for over an hour.

The traffic police have identified 235 choke points that face waterlogging. Of these, 51 fall under the jurisdiction of the three municipal corporations and the rest come under other civic agencies.

Senior corporation members, though, claimed that almost 90% of those points were under PWD's jurisdiction.



Traffic police have identified 235 choke points prone to waterlogging

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WEATHER WATCH



In Sangli on Tuesday. PTI



WITH RAIN...

Several states received monsoon rains Tuesday. There was heavy rainfall in Maharashtra (8 killed in 36 hours), Gujarat, Delhi, some places in Rajasthan (2 killed) and in eastern UP while MP and Assam remained hit by floods.

_AND WITHOUT

Bihar, Punjab and Haryana had sultry weather. The monsoon reached Punjab and Haryana 10 days ago but is yet to pick up.

FORECAST FOR WEDNESDAY

Heavy to very heavy rain over parts of Gujarat, heavy rain very likely in parts of Uttarakhand, Himachal, east Rajasthan, northwest MP, coastal Karnataka, Kerala.

SOURCE: PTI





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Rain claims 10 lives in Maharashtra, Rajasthan

NEW DELHI: At least 10 people were killed in rain-related incidents in Maharashtra and Rajasthan even as there was some let up in the flood situation in Madhya Pradesh and Assam with no casualty reported from the two States since Monday.

Several parts of the country received monsoon rains with heavy rainfall in the national capital, some places in Rajasthan and in eastern Uttar Pradesh, but precipitation eluded Bihar, Punjab and Haryana, where sultry weather caused discomfort to people.

In Maharasthra, eight persons have died in rain-related incidents in the past 36 hours.

Gaganbawda taluka received highest rainfall in Kolhapur district in last 24 hours ending at 8 a.m on Tuesday.

Heavy spell

The heavy spell caused a substantial rise in the water level of Panchganga river near Kolhapur city which is now flowing near the danger mark, following which a disaster management team has been put on alert.



NAVIGATION DIFFICULTIES: Commuters drive on a water-logged road in Bhopal on Tuesday. — PHOTO: PTI

An IMD official said heavy vains coupled with thundershowers are likely in the Konkan region, north and south central Maharashtra.

He said following heavy rains in the catchment area of Godavari in Nashik, the authorities there and in Ahmednagar districts have put the villages along the embankment of the river on high alert.

Incessant rains also disrupted rail traffic between Surat (in Gujarat) and Nandurbar as the earth work underneath the tracks was washed away forcing railways to divert traffic.

Meanwhile, in Madhya Pradesh, where rain-related incidents claimed 22 lives till Monday, there was as no fresh casualty reported in the last 24 hours. "Monsoon is going to weaken over the State in next two to three days," India Meteorological Department Bhopal Centre's Director, Anupam Kashyapi, said. Government officials said some flooding was reported from Sehore district but the situation was under control.

In Rajasthan, two people were washed away in flood waters in two separate incidents, as rains continued to lash several parts of the state with heavy precipitation in Ajmer, Bharatpur and Udaipur divisions. — PTI

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भोपाल. मंगलवार को दक्षिणी पश्चिम मप्र में तेज बारिश हुई। 48 घंढें में जोरदार बारिश झेल चुके भोपाल, इंदौर और जबलपुर शहरों में 'रहवासी एक फिर सहम गए हैं। होशंगाबाद में नर्मदा खतरे के निशान के करीब हैं और बाढ़ से हालात हैं।

यहां अलर्ट

जबलपुर और गुना जिले में अति भारी बारिश की चेतावनी जारी की है ज़बिक भोपाल, इंदौर, बुरहानपुर, खरगोन, बड़वानी, आलीराजपुर, शाजापुर, छिंदवाड़ा, मंडला, सिवनी और नरसिंहपुर आदि में कहीं कहीं भारी बारिश की चेतावनी दी है।

पर्यटकों को निकाला

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लगातार बारिश से बाढ़ के हालात हैं। कॉलोनियां टापू बन गई हैं। रेस्क्यू ऑपरेशन चलाकर लोगों को राहत शिविरों में पहुंचाया है। होशंगाबाद और बाबई ब्लॉक के 40 गांव चारों ओर से पानी से घर चुके हैं। ट्रेनें

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सोमवार रात बाड़ी के बारना बांध के आठ गेट खोले जाने से बरेली के पास बारना नदी का पुल मंगलवार देर शाम घटों लेट चल रही हैं। होशंगाबाद में स्कूल और आंगनबाड़ी केन्द्र बुधवार को भी बंद रहेंगे। तवा नदी के सभी 13 गेट खोलकर पानी छोड़ा जा रहा है, जिससे नर्मदा खतरे के निशान के करीब है।

सीहोर : रास्ते बंद

सीहोर से बिलकीसगंज होकर जाने वाला भोपाल मार्ग कुलांस नदी में उफान के कारण सुबह नो बजे से तीन बजे तक बंद रहा। इछावर के ग्राम झालकी में बाढ़ की स्थित बन गई।

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विदिशा .नटेरन ब्लाक के गूजरखेड़ी में घर पर बिजली गिरने से दो संगे भाइयों की मौत हो गई। इधर वर्धा के जंगल में बिजली गिरने से एक झुलस गया।

अशोकनगरः ग्राम अचलगढ़ के नाले में बहने से जंडेलसिंह (32) की मौत हो गई। उसका शव पांच किमी दूर झाड़ियों में फंसा मिला। राजगढ़: अजनार नदी उफान पर है। शहर सहित क्षेत्र को राजस्थान सीमा से जोड़ने वाला कालीपीठ मार्ग चमारी का नाला उफान पर आने से करीब तीन घंटे बंद रहा।

विदिशा: पुल बहा



विदिशा-अशोकनगर स्टेट हाईवे-19 पर बेतवा पुल की सड़क बाढ़ में बह गई। शुक्रवार रात से पुल डूबा हुआ था। मंगलवार की सुबह नदी का पानी कम हुआ तो पुल का क्षतिग्रस्त हिस्सा नजर आया।