Flood Event of 1/6/1886 - 1/6/1886

### Lower Main Stem Susquehanna

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### Weather Summary

Three days of continuous rain combined with melting snow caused flooding on the Susquehanna River and its tributaries. The flood destroyed 7 covered bridges, a railroad bridge, 12 train cars and killed 3 men. In Sherman's Dale, water began to invade the first floor of some homes.


### Crest Statistics and Flood Information

- First flood of 1 that occured in Jan, 1886
- First flood of 2 that occured in 1886
- Number of Floods at MARFC Forecast Points - 1
- Number of Floods Cresting in Minor Range - 1
- Number of Floods Cresting in Moderate Range - 0
- Number of Floods Cresting in Major Range - 0
- Number of Floods Cresting in Missing Range - 0