THE STORMS

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We can see the force of a severe thunderstorm from a distance. In the dark, the storm is like a ghost that we can see because of the light it produces. As the storm moves closer, it becomes more intense, and the wind and rain increase. The sky turns dark, and the lightning illuminates the world around us. The sound of thunder is like a rumble of distant drums, and the lightning creates a kaleidoscope of colors in the sky.

As the storm moves further away, the sky clears, and the sun begins to shine. The wind lessens, and the rain stops. The air feels fresh, and the world around us seems to come alive again.

Forward
Piedmont Ave. and Third Street

Cleaning an apartment on E. 5th Street
Michigan St. at 11th Ave. W.

Height of flood at 26th Ave. W. and 2nd St.
The Hank Jensen family clean on Enger green

6th Ave. East at 6th Street
Sand mountains on 20th Ave. West

6th Avenue East above 5th Street
Walking the dog on 6th Avenue East

4th Street at 6th Avenue East
Lincoln Park bridge at 1st Street

A side yard on 5th Street
TWO Duluthians help keep the sewer open

Mayor Boo, with Sen. Mondale and Gov. Anderson, surveys the damage.
Salvaging stock at Northern Drug on Commerce St.
Columbus Avenue just off Arrowhead Road

First Ave. E. feels the second storm's effects
A lucky youth escaped drowning when he came through this culvert.

Duluthians helping at 8th Ave. E. and 9th St.
Sidewalks give way on 1st Ave. E.

A new water hazard at Enger Park Golf Course
A public-spirited Duluthian works near Kenwood Ave.

A wet crossing on 8th Ave. East
Debris strewn in a backyard on 7th St.

A Proctor bakery after the storm
Proctor's main intersection under water

Minnesota Avenue at 13th St. on the Point
First Avenue East between 6th and 7th Streets

Tipover at Highway 61 and the Ryan Road
A homeowner surveys his flooded basement.

A rushing torrent spills rubble on the street.
A river splashes down the slate.

A yard completely washed away.
Garage collapsed on car and camper on North 6th Ave. E.