



Navajos who run out of food or fuel, and concentration of supplies in them protects the students and benefits those Indians who make it to the schools for aid.

Air Force helicopters were out today on mercy missions and four planes were in readiness at Phoenix to start dropping hay again, five tons to the flight, as soon as visibility will permit.

The "choppers" in some instances carried staff members of the Division of Indian Health, and the division also was supplying emergency medical kits for dropping.

Hospitals and clinics in the storm-stricken areas were becoming crowded as patients ready to leave could not be discharged and other patients were continuing to come in. This was true even though the full impact of the effect of the storm and shortages of food and fuel is not expected to be felt until the storm conditions turn for the better, said Doctor Rabeau.

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