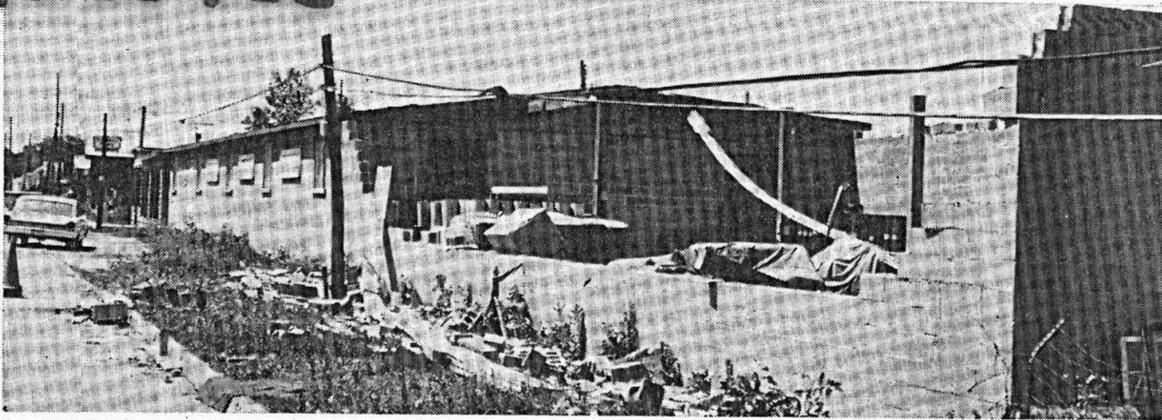


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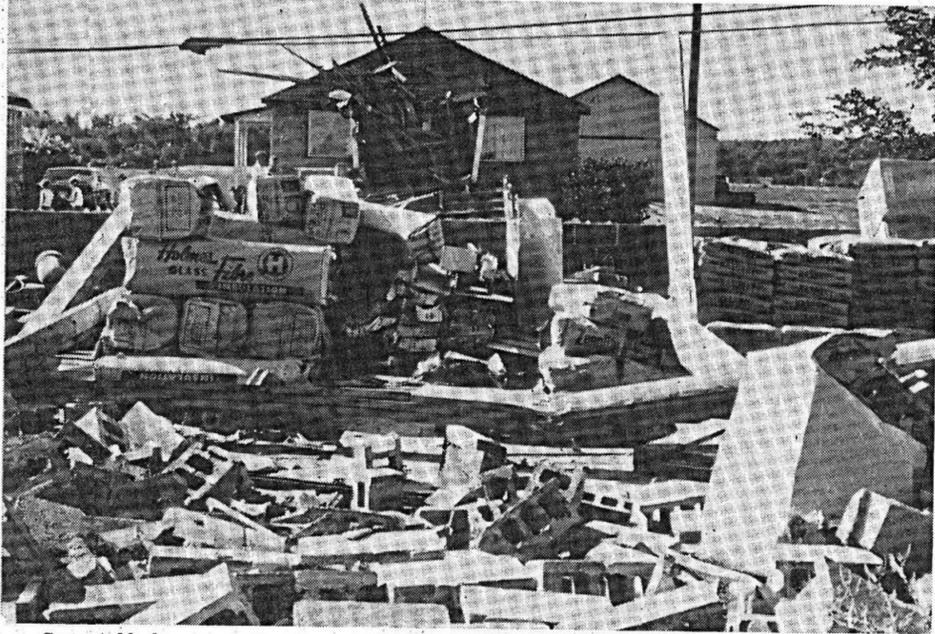
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The wall at Renfrew Builders Supplies after Saturday evening's storm. The roof of the building was blown across the road, causing considerable damage to the home of Les White.



Debris lies scattered before the home of Leslie White on Lisgar street. The porch was smashed by the impact of part of the roof from Renfrew Builders Supplies.



Cement blocks are scattered among building materials at Renfrew Builders Supplies following Saturday evening's freak storm. The damaged house of Leslie White can be seen in the background on the opposite side of the highway.

After the storm was over



This scene was duplicated on several other streets throughout Renfrew Sunday morning following Saturday evening's storm. This broken limb was lying in front of a house on Lisgar street. The limb narrowly missed a verandah as it fell.



Part of the roof of Renfrew Builders Supplies lies on and in front of the shattered porch at the home of Leslie White on Lisgar street. Total damage from Saturday's storm was estimated at about \$15,000.



Neighbors view the damaged home of Leslie White. The debris in front of the house is part of the roof of Renfrew Builders Supplies located across the road.

## Sam Blackwell locates crock dating 1850

Sam Blackwell of Cobden, a collector of pottery and antiques, brought a crock into The Advance office last week which dates back to the 1850's or 1860's.

He then moved to a stone store further down Main street after which the Mair building was vacant for years. John Munro Sr owned the Exchange Hotel which under his management attained a wide-spread reputation as a "home-like resting place".



Sam Blackwell of Cobden displays some of his antique crocks. The tallest crock is that of John Munro Jr, a merchant in Renfrew around 1850. The one on the extreme left is from George Stevenson of Portage du Fort and next to it stands one from J P Cote, general merchant of Portage du Fort. The crock on the right belonged to J Casey & Co, general merchant in Eganville. All date back to 1850 or 1860.