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Citizens Rally Aid After Hurricane's Tail Passes

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Saturday morning, however, cellars under the residences of W. Roberts and C. K. Browne, both of Main St. N., adjacent to the swollen creek, had to be pumped out by firemen.

Four feet of water in the Brown cellar caused damage to stored soft drinks and confectionery. In the Roberts home, water rose six feet in the cellar, ruining clothing, bedding and a chesterfield suite. Damage here was estimated at over \$2,000.

Acton is Affected

Meanwhile, devastation in other centres and areas affected Acton.

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LARGE NEW SUPERMARKET, opened last week-end by Jim Ledger is shown here in a long view from the front of the store. Despite rains and winds, the two day opening party for the new I.G.A. store here proved a success. Mr. Ledger formerly occupied a smaller store across the corner from the present Main Street location.

Citizen Threatens Suit Against Town For Flood Damages

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area and restart work, aren't working right.

The points have been removed and, he added, to be resunk with larger casing surrounded by gravel. It is hoped this method will draw water. The engineer has also pointed out that in order to continue the job it may be necessary to raise the level of the sewer lines four feet.

This would cut out cellar drains for a number of houses on MacDonnell Blvd. Council registered opposition to this idea.

Contractor Geo. Schultz, the clerk also advised members, is seeking payment for the manhole at the corner and for 150 feet of pipe along MacDonnell, also for two weeks' use of the well points.

Work has not yet started to resume installation, he concluded.

Tumblers of dissatisfaction, which trailed off into undertones of disgust, characterized members' remarks and reflections on the troublesome Warren Grove job.

One member doubted if it would ever be completed. Another suggested council forget about it until spring, then make a fresh start. Still another proposed the houses be moved en masse to a different location where services could be installed.

Since no progress report has been issued by the engineer as of late, council was unable to approve any item for payment to the contractor who asked for this remittance before the resinner work. A motion was passed authorizing payment, following receipt of engineer's progress report and approval of the sewer committee.

Renew Police Contract

At the outset of the meeting council refused an application from a local man and woman for relief.

A by-law was passed setting municipal nomination date for Friday, November 26 and polling date Monday, December 6. Four polling booths were designated for the town hall. A second by-law passed renewed the Provincial Police contract in Acton for 1955. Corporal's salary was noted at \$4,100, while members observed salaries of two constables totalled \$6,000, \$3,500 each.

In response to a request by Bartlett Construction Company, builders at the Cobble Hill 10-house subdivision where work started last week, Mayor Terry assured Mr. Bartlett, who arranged with G. W. Goldstraw and R. B. Elliott, that hydro and water has been arranged and temporary service would be extended.

Subdividers Negotiating

Mr. Goldstraw told councillors that loans have been negotiated by Mr. Thomas, senior partner in the building company, about to start work on the Braida subdivision, for several houses. Work is due to commence in the near future.

Council transferred to Robert Inglis under deed of sale the lot on Cobble Hill formerly owned by the town. Members also agreed to purchase an oil stove for the assessor's office from Symon-Hardway for \$475. The present stove in this office will be moved to the police office.

Clerk McGeehan revealed a Hamilton development firm, which recently advertised for applications for new houses in this newspaper has received some 36 replies. The same firm, he added, has been negotiating with J. Jany and T. Brankiewicz for purchase of property in the north-western section of town.

Mr. Brankiewicz later waited on council to ask some brief questions on town service policy if part of his property were sold as a right-of-way.

The Ontario Municipal Board advised council the annexation hearings will resume here November 16 at 10 a.m.

Council also filed notice of a civil defense exercise in November in this area, noted a report from the M.O.H. dealing with the health of a local post-saratorium patient, ordered a tax appeal by Geo. Lawrence (not through the Court of Appeal) realized a letter from the Department of Planning and Development that the town must have a zoning by-law in force in order to accept money in lieu of lands from subdividers, noted \$5,621.11 approved by the Department of Highways as its interim grant payment.

To Regrade Queen St.

Council agreed to engage Mansell Nellis to regrade Queen Street according to the Cobble Hill subdivision plan.

Reeve J. Stewart urged that a strip of 20' be placed at the damaged rail area at the Main Street creek. Deputy Reeve Thomson told of several trees about town in need of removal also passed on a complaint from a Mill Street resident requesting water running off town property and causing his cellar.

Councillor A. Erwin reported a damaged catch basin in town, also asked if anything could be done to improve the difficult parking arrangements around a Mill St. corner.

Councillor E. Foutt was assured a step would be built at Egan St. end of the new Mill St. sidewalk. He also enquired about town removal of tree branches if cut and left on the boulevard.

An observation by Councillor B. Langford that the height of water reached near the mill falls Friday and Saturday was quite dangerous, precipitated a short discussion on flooding and Hurricane Hazel.

Councillor R. Hargrave asked of the whereabouts of the speed trap. This to be investigated. Councillor Lindsay contended the one-way signs on Acton Boulevard are wrongly placed.

At the midnight closing of the meeting council turned a request by A. P. Green Co. Ltd. to erect a sign on Wallace St. over to the road committee. Two stop signs, requested by the public school board for the corner of Willow and River streets were granted.

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. John Black visited in London over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hinton have returned from visiting in New York and Toronto.

Mrs. C. Prosser, with Marion and Red, has returned to Kirkland Lake after visiting for a week in Acton.

Friends from Englishart visiting over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Custer were Mrs. Clara Lugsdin and Mr. Fred Errett.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Rognvaldson and family visited in Oshawa on the week-end, on the occasion of the 40th wedding anniversary of Mrs. Rognvaldson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Kerman.

Rev. Charles Gower and Mr. Gower were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Reid and family during the week-end. Mr. Gower was the anniversary speaker at Acton Baptist church on Sunday.

Due to the storm on Friday and subsequent warnings that the best place to stay was home, visits were noticeably curtailed in Acton over the week-end. Plans to leave town and to visit here were both cancelled in frequent cases.

Blame Hazel!

Again we must apologize for holding over several regular columns, pictures and late news items. News coverage on Hurricane Hazel proved wider than anticipated and forced us to leave until next week several columns.

Acton High School News

On Wednesday of last week, grade 13 had their form party at the Cook farm in Nassagaweya. 22 students and friends and two teachers attended. The evening was filled with a hay ride on some of the country roads and a barn dinner. The party was completed with a wiener roast in the bush. Everyone enjoyed themselves, even with battered and cut limbs.

Everyone is ready for the Red Feather football games on Friday evening at the Exhibition grandstand. One bus load is going from Acton and more are going on one of the Milton buses.

More volleyball games have been played during the noon hours. On Thursday, Coon's team defeated Arbie's team 20-8. On Monday, Arbie's team defeated Foutt's 20-15. On Tuesday, Coon's defeated Dawson's 26-10.

The first rugby game of the year for Acton was played in Acton against Milton. Acton defeated Milton 20-0. It rained most of the morning but the game was not called off as was the Georgetown-Preston game. The next game is Acton vs. Georgetown in Acton this Thursday. The games commence at 2:30 at the high school and everyone is welcome.

Due to an unfortunate accident, Miss Taylor will not be at school for a week or so and Mrs. A. J. Buchanan has taken over her duties. We wish her a speedy recovery.

—By Nell Benton.

Boy Runs Into Car On John St. Tues.

Abrasions to the head, face and knees were suffered by the four year old son of Lorne Masala Tuesday afternoon when the boy ran onto John St. and into a car driven by Mrs. Bug Kentner.

The boy, not seriously hurt, was taken by his father to the office of Dr. W. Kenney immediately after the accident. He was with his father before running onto the road.

Intercounty Leagues Goes This Saturday at 2 P.M.

Acton and district employees of large plants outside the immediate area experienced trouble during the past week. Picket lines at the Ford plant in Trafalgar involve local employees and those working at Acton encountered some of the flooded conditions following the storm.

Classroom Talks Precede Meeting

The Public School Home and School Association held its first meeting of the season on Monday. Before the meeting, parents met when 135 members were present. Before the meeting parents met the teachers in their classrooms to discuss the children's progress and some of their work.

After a short business session during which the president, G. Candler, introduced the teachers and grade mothers, musical entertainment was provided by Les Du By, Rino Brada and Garnet Rose. Lunch was served by Mrs. Leathland and her committee.

Grade mothers for the season are as follows:

Mrs. Ringer's morning class, Mrs. Allan and Mrs. Fields.

Mrs. Ringer's afternoon class, Mrs. Crump and Mrs. L. Masala.

Miss Potter's morning class, Mrs. Langford and Mrs. McKenzie.

Mrs. Alger's Grade 1, Mrs. Ryder and Mrs. Vary.

Mrs. Gamble's Grade 1, Mrs. Brada and Mrs. E. Masala.

Mrs. Reed's Grade 1, Mrs. Davidson and Mrs. Drysdale.

Mrs. Black's Grade 2, Mrs. Davy and Mrs. Symon.

Miss Walker's Grade 2, Mrs. Benson and Mrs. Hargrave.

Mrs. Brada's Grades 2 and 3, Mrs. Higgins and Mrs. Davey.

Mrs. Taylor's Grade 3, Mrs. Scully and Mrs. Wilde.

Mrs. A. J. Erwin's Grades 3 and 4, Mrs. Benson and Mrs. Candler.

Mrs. A. J. Erwin's Grade 4, Mrs. D. Price and Mrs. Sargent.

Miss Foster's Grade 5, Mrs. Denney and Mrs. Dedele.

Mr. Davidson's Grades 5 and 6, Mrs. F. F. F. and Mrs. Newton.

Mrs. W. Williams' Grade 6, Mrs. Currie and Mrs. Jank.

Mr. McKewen's Grade 7, Mrs. Garrett and Mrs. Fryer.

Mr. Smith's Grades 7 and 8, Mrs. Goodwin and Mrs. Kirkness.

Mr. McKewen's Grade 8, Mrs. Sinclair and Mrs. Hotchen.

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1954

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