

## Town echoes to din of new construction

Work on the \$672,538 extension to the town's Water Pollution Control Plant is well on its way.

Bulldozers and shovels are busy at the plant moving hills, diverting the Black Creek which flows through the pretty valley and constructing foundations for future building.

Clairson Construction Co. has the contract for the job which will run for 62 weeks. When the extension is complete the plant's capacity will more than double.

Construction of an apartment building on Churchhill Rd. South is also slated to begin this morning (Wednesday) and help relieve the congested housing situation in Acton.

At the other end of Acton, machines are busy constructing a new road into the Industrial Park, 75 municipally-owned acres off Main St. North.

Bulldozers are also moving silt and earth around Fairy Lake as the Cummins Construction dredge continues to deepen the lake.

Lakewood subdivision is still in the midst of a final drive to finish off about 40 new homes on Elmore Drive which extend to Fairy Lake. There is also construction on Elizabeth Drive.

The town is reverberating with construction din. An addition is being added to the M. Z. Bennett school and a resource centre at the Robert Little school.

Other projects are on the planning boards.



Moving a large hill at the Water Pollution Control plant



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### Regional shopping centre opening Wednesday, Oct. 16

The Burlington Mall will open October 16 with a \$15,000,000 blast which will be heard for miles around. A visitor to the Mall, just two weeks before "count-down", could sense the growing excitement as workmen raced to finish on time.

"When it opens", said W. Douglas Johnstone, the Mall's general manager, "the Burlington Mall will be much more than a place to shop. We want to make it a real Community Centre for the town and surrounding districts. A program of activities for the auditorium and the mall area is being planned so that there will always be something interesting going on."

Located on Guelph Line just south of the Queen Elizabeth

Way, everything is being done to make the Mall a place to come for a family outing and worth a 50 mile drive. The landscaped car-park with tree lined divisions will be no asphalt desert and inside the all-enclosed, temperature controlled Mall flowers will be blooming and fountains playing all year round.

The two large department stores, Simpsons-Sears and Robinsons, with 58 other retail stores and services will provide shopping facilities equal to anything in Canada and, for those out for a day's fun, there will be two cinemas and good restaurants to suit all tastes.

Burlington Mayor George Harrington and Miss Burlington, Leslie Jane Scarlett, assisted by Charles Tabachnick, President of Cambridge Leaseholds Ltd. the developers of the project, will officially open the new Mall at a brief ribbon-cutting ceremony at 9:15 a.m. Among other guests of honor invited to the opening ceremony are the Hon. John C. Munro, Minister of Health and Welfare, John Morison M.P., and George Kerr M.P.P.

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