By K. Chalmers Grand River Conservation Authority has the power under provincial legislation to designate and regulate hazard lands or wetland near rivers and streams that could be subject to flooding, whether these areas are included in the official plans and zoning bylaws or not. This was the outcome of the public meeting to discuss Eramosa Township's proposed new zoning by-law when about 100 people showed up last week at Rockwood Centennial Public School.

The group was told that if they are within the regional stormlines they must approach the GRCA for a permit to build.

Eric Lemp, GRCA director of Resources, stated that hazard lands were set out as far back as 1963 or 1964 and said he felt renovations to a property would be fine depending on what you want to do and where you are located within the floodline.

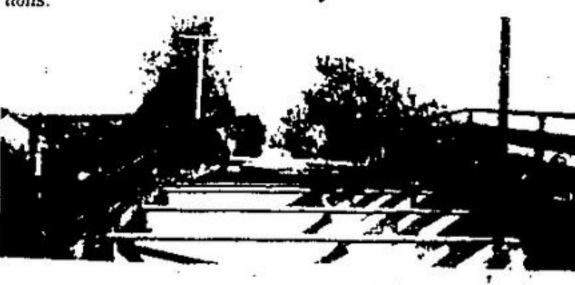
Because provincial legislation has given this power to the conservation authority, removing the reference to the hazard lands would make no difference. Mr. Lemp pointed out that by leaving the reference in the by-law, people would be aware of the regula-

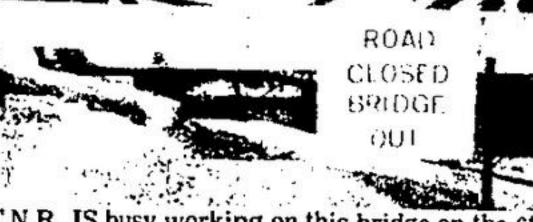
A meeting will be arranged to discuss specific properties and how regulations will affect them. Lawyer Bruce Payne, representing some of the people affected by this ruling, stated that he felt it was the same as the GRCA "effectively expropriating" land because owners can't build on it and to let all the hazard land areas go through in the zoning by-law would be like "signing a blank cheque.

Five categories There was little attention to the main land use policies of the proposed zoning by-law, that will divide the township

five categories. residents have concerns on the proposed by-law that divides the township into rural, residential mixed, residential and commercial, highway commercial and industrial, they can make them in writing to the township office before June 15.

Mr. Smith, the township consultant explained that the township planning board would consider all comments when they finalize the by-law. A summary of the final bylaw will be sent to all residents so they can object if they wish at a formal Ontario Municipal Board meeting. The OMB must approve the





C.N.R. IS busy working on this bridge on the 6th line of Eramosa Township. This six-week job is nearly over and should be completed by the middle of June. The bridge is being replanked and strengthened for a heavier load limit. In the meantime area residents are somewhat frustrated.

Rockwood Roundup

folks, and air out those old clothes. Pioneer Day Beauty Contest is just around the corner and a contestant would have trouble winning. smelling of moth balls! Any age, male or female may enter. Contact Mary Coulter at 856-1624 for details.

Re-surfacing of village roads is underway and already there appears to be confusion. The roads are not completed. The primary coat has been applied, according to Village Secretary Len and yearbook. Hockey, and once it has had time to settle, the final coat containing the gravel will be

and Gordon and Archibald because of a limited supply of will take part in Option nursery stock. Information on Canada on Sunday in Guelph how to qualify for this proin front of City Hall. Flora gram is available from the MacDonald, David Lewis and Land Management Division Jean Marchand will be of the Grand River Conservaspeaking on Canadian unity ion Authority at 400 Clyde and how people can hold the Rd. in Cambridge (G) country together. Comedian Intario. David Broadfoot will also be

Dig around in your attics, part of this pro-national get

"All About Peonies" will be the talk given at the June 15 meeting of the Rockwood Horticulture Club at the Town Hall at 8 p.m. when Mr. Gilbert from Gilbert's Peony Gardens in Elora will be a guest. Interested people are welcome. Membership in the Rockwood Horticulture Club entitles members to full membership and privileges with the Guelph Horticulture Society, including premiums

People who would like to have their land planted with trees by the Grand River Conservation Authority next Rockwood Sunshine Boys Spring are asked to apply now



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Rockwood and District



WINNERS IN their division at Rockwood Centennial Public School's Field Day are front row from left to right: Jennifer Zinniewich, Mike Hudson, Paul Milne, Kelly Swanston, Linda Veldhuis and Keith Hamilton. Second row from left to right are Shannon Anderson, Norah Ouast, Elisabeth Moore and Russel Firalich. Back row from left to right are Glen March, David Locke, Linda Wietzke and Wayne James.

Home, School told all about recreation

by Betty Jones The first general meeting of the newly-formed Eramosa Home and School Association was held at 8 p.m. Wednesday, May 25 at Eramosa Public School, chairman was Chris Bertelson. The new officers were installed by a representative of the Waterloo Region of the Home and School Association, and a

Opening Saturday

Rockmosa Community Centre will officially open this Saturday June 4 at 3 p.m. The community is invited by the Rockwood and District Lions and Lionettes and the council of the township of Eramosa to attend the official opening. An Open House will follow.

Club crests

Rockwood General Radio Service Club held its last meeting of the season on Sunday, May 29. The next general meeting will be

September 24. The club crests are not in yet but will be available by the weekend, reports club member, Gumby. He says people are welcome to drop by his place on the weekend for their crest. There is one for every registered member and an extra would cost \$1.50.

Old roses wanted - anyone having old roses growing on their farm, or in their garden and would like to share a root with the Rockwood Academy can contact Murray Haigh at

that time. 1966 saw the for- Lorraine Root. mation of the Eramosa Recreation gymnastic equipment pro- Pioneer Day in Rockwood vided in Rockwood School, July 2. and plans made for the gymnasiums for Hockwood and Eramosa Schools. Since that time because of the Recreation Committee, with the help of sports-minded citizens, Lions and Lionettes and leaders of youth groups, local people can now play baseball, volleyball, soccer, tennis, and attend evening classes on the

school premises. Concern was shown because the Grand River Conservation Authority has not provided life guards at Rock-

gavel was presented to Chris wood Park this year, and no plans are being made for a Lorraine Root gave an out- swimming program for chilline of the origins of recrea- dren at the park. It was tional activities, stressing suggested that members that recreational activities could voice their opinions by need not necessarily be ath- writing to Vic Ross at the Galt letic or competitive, but can Office of the G.R.C.A. be creative too. It was in- Lorraine Root suggested that teresting to note that in 1966, if residents have any quescommunity centre for tions concerning recreation. Rockwood was visualized, the they could contact Dave site being that of the present Masson, Alex Lush, Bill ball park, the major sport at Wynneck, Sandy Hudson, or

> There will be more in-Committee; formation in the paper about

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Rockmosa Community Centre Sat. July 2

FURTHER INFO CONTACT:

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Club readying for Pioneer Days

by R. Peacock A very happy afternoon was had by 35 Rockwood Sunshine Club members and Mrs. Black the president, welcomed all before taking her place at the plano for the singing of O Canada and The More We Get Together. A short period of community singing followed.

The club wishes to extend sincere sympathy to Mrs. McDougall and family as her late husband Cliff McDougall was a member from the start of the club in 1972 and for a few years was vice-president

and a great asset to the club. There was no program as the plans for the Pioneer project had to be discussed.

Parks open

May 1 was the official opening of the 11 Conservation areas in the Grand River watershed. These areas provide intensive camping and swimming areas; primitive hiking trails and beautiful natural and scenic areas of the watershed.

The G.R.C.A. suggest anyone who is interested in exploring the scenic areas can the Community Relations Division of the G.R.C.A. at 400 Clyde Rd. in Cambridge, Ontario, for further information.

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The Sunshine Club will put on a ten from one p.m. to five p.m. with all members assisting in some capacity. Mrs. Black will be hostess and the Sunshine Band will provide music during the afternoon.

table and a penny table. Thos. McCutcheon was the senlor ellizen nominated to cut the ribbon at the opening of the Rockamosa Sports Centre June 4.

After such a long business discussion everyone was happy to turn to the games tables and Mrs. Dunk, Mrs. Finnamre and Mrs. Annie Lambert took top scores in euchre with Mrs. Black and Mr. Hayden getting the highest scores in crokinole. A lovely lunch was served

by Mrs. Tina Johnstone and Mrs. Annabelle Leachman consisting of fruit bread and cheese. Don't forget to vote before

getting on the bus at the town hall June 9 at 10.30 a.m. for the trip to Black Creek Pioneer Village. The Acton members will be picked up outside the Knox Presbyterian Church, Acton.



VILLAGE SECRETARY Len Hockey sits in his new office. The office located in the old fire hall is an ideal location to conduct village affairs.

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