



Work crews from Milton Hydro and the Public Works Department worked Monday night and most of the day Tuesday cleaning up after the storm that

passed through Milton on Monday afternoon. Several trees were uprooted, and power lines were knocked down.

Photos by Jon Borgstrom



IAN OLIVER

Champion appointment

Herb Crowther, publisher of The Canadian Champion, has announced the appointment of Ian Oliver as Advertising Manager of the newspaper. The appointment takes effect immediately. Mr. Oliver was the manager of Milton Marketplace for two years.

A face lift for the Charles

The Charles Hotel has received a federal grant which will allow it to renovate the exterior of the building. The \$30,000 Ministry of Citizenship and Culture grant is part of a total \$209,950 being spent to conserve important historical buildings. The grant to The Charles comes under the Corporate Sector Grants which is given to owners of designated commercial or industrial building which will cost more than \$10,000 to restore.

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These people got soaked in Monday's downpour. The storm caught many by surprise. Environment Canada says that there were reports of up to 40 mm of precipitation in parts of Ontario. They did not know how much fell in Milton yet.



This Cessna 172 was overturned during Monday's storm. The plane is owned by Stewart Scott, of Britannia Rd. and is valued at more than \$20,000. Mr. Scott is not yet certain of how much damage his plane suffered.

Rain lashes Hornby in ferocious storm

By LISA TALLYN
 Champion Reporter

Residents in the Eighth Line-Britannia Rd. area of Milton were the hardest hit locally in Monday's ferocious storm, which swept across much of southern Ontario.

Several trees were ripped out of the ground, knocking down hydro poles and lines, which left residents in that area without power for more than 12 hours.

Market gardeners on that road suffered the brunt of the damage.

Some of my cabbage and cauliflower seedlings were washed right out of the ground," said Frank Falbo, a market gardener on the Eighth Line. The loss is likely well over \$1,000. The seedlings were almost ready to be transplanted.

Mr. Falbo spent the better part of Tuesday digging ditches. Part of his property looked more like a lake than a field, after the heavy rainfall.

A one-row planter owned by Joseph Saliba, also of the Eighth Line, was damaged when a tree fell on it. The

planter, which was not insured, is valued at \$2,000.

All of Milton Hydro's crews were on the job last night. They were repairing damage, caused by downed trees and line, on the Eighth, Ninth, and Fifth Lines, Trafalgar, Derry and Twiss roads.

Jim Wanless, design supervisor for Milton Hydro, says that there has been no damage estimate calculated yet, but adds that this storm was one of the worst he has seen in this area.

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Environment Canada says that Monday's winds reached speeds of 100 k/h. Stewart Scott's Cessna 172 was overturned in those winds. It was sitting in his yard, west of Trafalgar Rd. on Britannia.

Mr. Scott is unsure of the damage to his plane, but says that both wings and the tail fin have "wrinkles" in them.

In the downtown core several traffic lights were knocked out in the downpour. The Hydro crews off in the Main and Martin St. area for less than an hour.

Campbell sees college-style development

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The college side of this or the senior citizens' facility doesn't necessarily need to be part of this, but it would be preferable.

Mr. Campbell envisions a college-type set-up for students associated with Liberty College, Rev. Jerry Falwell's university, of Lynchburg, W. Va.

Much of the funding for this project would come from the sale of two properties. Mr. Campbell said the existing site on Commercial St. land would be sold "to the highest bidder". In addition, Richmond School, in Milliken, near Markham, would also be sold and the financial assets of the two buildings consolidated.

He said he has heard estimates of between \$500,000 and \$1.5 million for the five-acre Commercial St. land with a similar amount being raised by the sale of Richmond School.

As for the problems, Milton Planner Bob Zsadyani said the major delay would come from getting the

Parkway Belt designation lifted. That designation effectively limits all building on land within its boundaries.

"It's a new use on a new piece of land so they'll have to apply to the province," said Mr. Zsadyani. "But the site has merit. It's close to the hospital and fire hall which have existing services (water and sewer)."

"A problem will be water and

sewage capacity. I don't know where they'll get that from." Water and sewage capacity refers to the amount of units allotted to specific places by the Town. Without receiving their allotment, no place would get services.

In addition, said Mr. Zsadyani, amendments would be needed to the Official Plans of the Region and the Town, and a Town zoning amendment would be required.

Bass Bonanza June 28

Mountsberg Wildlife Centre will host the sixth annual Bass Bonanza on Saturday June 28 from 6:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Registration is free for this event although here is a \$4.50 park entrance/parking fee.

There will be prizes for: first fish of the day (prize from Canadian Tire in Milton); largest fish caught (prize

from Home Hardware in Milton); largest fish caught by an angler 12 or under (prize from Zeller's in Milton); and best mess of fish (prize from Fletcher's Sports in Acton).

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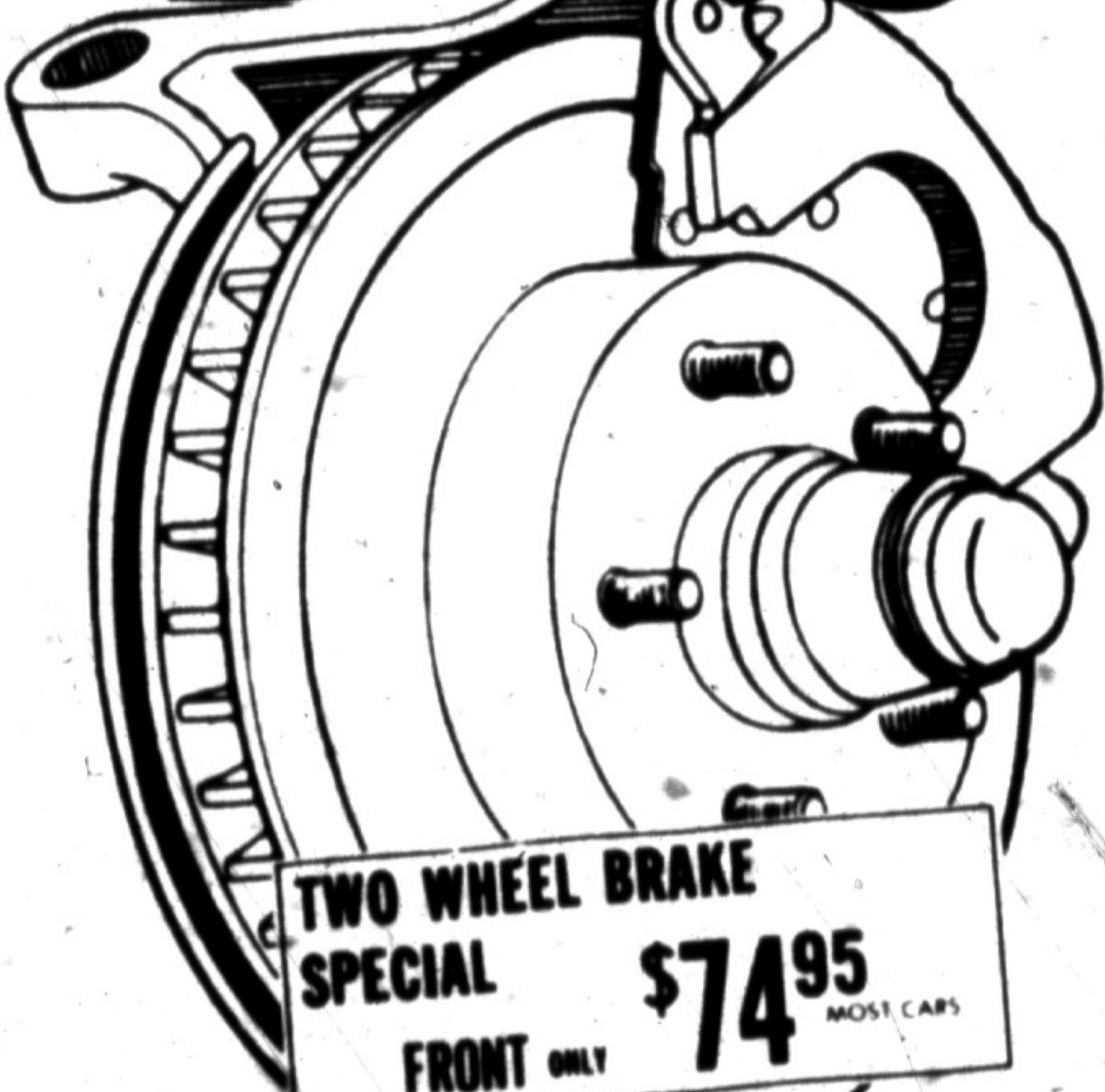


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