

Committee Orders City Crews Into Flood Defence Operations

Winnipeg's flood control committee Monday ordered all available crews in the city's departments to be placed on flood defence jobs.

The committee, meeting Monday in the city engineer's office, agreed that every man possible should be enlisted.

It was also decided:

That the Amphitheatre rink be closed due to flooding. This will mean the cancellation of the Shrine circus programme.

That the city accept 16 pumps being flown from Minneapolis, which

were offered by a former Winnipegger, Harry Sokal, now of Los Angeles.

That the public be impressed with the need to keep cars away from flooded areas.

That car stickers bearing the words "Police Permit" be issued by the city police department to flood workers.

Police Broadcasts

That at least three regular radio broadcasts, at 8 a.m., 12 noon, and at 6 p.m., be made by the police for public instruction on the traffic situation.

That volunteer workers be urged to go to the H.M.C.S. Chippawa to offer services.

That the Ontario department of health be asked to temporarily offer the services of Dr. Albert E. Barric, director of sanitary engineering, to co-ordinate city engineering department and city health department flood services.

Chief of Police Charles MacIver advised the committee that evacuated residents need not worry about looting of their homes. City police have organized a boat patrol in the Riverview area, and every precaution is being taken, he said.

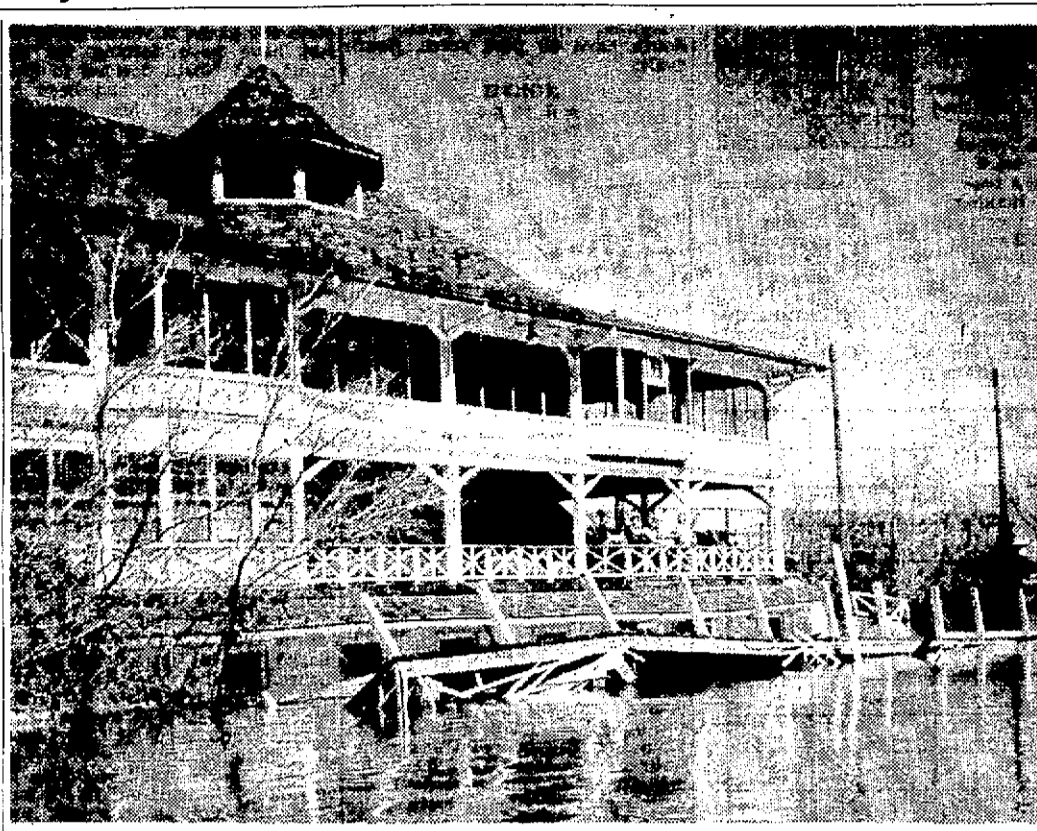
A cruiser car, equipped with a loudspeaker, patrolled the Glenwood crescent area Sunday night, advising residents of latest river conditions, he added.

Redwood Bridge

All except necessary traffic was stopped from using the Redwood bridge Sunday, and this precaution will continue, the chief constable said.

Dr. M. S. Loughheed, city medical health officer, advised the committee that patients in three city nursing homes have been evacuated.

"That was just where the heating is off and basements flooded," he added.



A boat dock rides high against the Winnipeg Canoe club in St. Vital where muddy waters of the Red river have made a lake out of lawns. Water already is half way up the basement height of the clubhouse which was a centre of operations in the Elm Park flood battle.

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Garment Union Receives Appeal

Sam Herbst, representative of the International Ladies Garment Workers union, A.F.L., urged all members of the union in an appeal issued Monday to help fight the floods in the city. There are 600 male members in the three locals, 217, 237 and 304, under the union jurisdiction in this area.

Mr. Herbst said that some compensation will be made to all members by the union for their work on dikes or other jobs connected with the floods.

Escaped POW Gives Up After 5 Year's Freedom

CALGARY, Alta., May 9 (BUP)—A German prisoner of war who escaped from Ontario only to give himself up after five years of freedom prayed Tuesday he would be allowed to settle in Alberta as a Canadian.

Hans Otto Albrecht, who surrendered to RCMP officers Sunday, said he had done it because he wanted a clear conscience.

"I want so much to stay here," he told police.

Police released him on his promise not to leave his present address until his story is checked.

Greeks And Yugoslavs To Exchange Envoys

ATHENS, Greece, May 9 (BUP)—Premier Nicholas Plastiras said Tuesday Greece and Yugoslavia have agreed to exchange ministers, re-establishing full diplomatic relations. Relations between the two countries were strained over alleged Yugoslav aid to Greek Communist guerrillas during the Greek civil war.

Hound And Terrier Share Top Honor In 3-Day Show

Two international champions shared top honors in the all-breed championship dog show held last week under the auspices of the combined Kennel Clubs of Greater Winnipeg. The three-day show was held Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday in the Normandy hall.

Mrs. Eva Gudgeon's Afghan hound, Birchwood Ristie El Myra, was named "Best Canadian-bred dog in Show" Monday and Wednesday, while Mrs. E. Yeigh McEachern's Kerry Blue terrier, Danney's Masterpiece of Tatloonn, was crowned Tuesday.

Proceeds of the show go to the Lions club. Following are the winners in the group events:

MAY 1

Judge—G. P. Davies of Ottawa.

Best in Show: Best Canadian Bred Dog in Show—Mrs. Eva Gudgeon's Afghan Hound, Int. Ch. Birchwood Ristie El Myra.

Reserve Best in Show—Mrs. F. Yeigh McEachern's Kerry Blue Terrier, Int. Ch. Danney's Masterpiece of Tatloonn.

Best Canadian Bred Puppy in Show—Dr. A. D. McLaughlin's Labrador-Crozier's Little Black Sammie.

Working Group

1. H. Crozier's Labrador, Ch. Crozier's Tundra of Treachery; 2. W. D. McAuley's American Cocker, Ch. Stockdale Night Pilot; 3. Speed Walker's Short-hair Pointer, Kerry Kildare of Witeewood.

Hound Group

1. Mrs. Eva Gudgeon's Afghan Hound, Int. Ch. Birchwood Ristie El Myra; 2. Mrs. G. Mills' Dalmatian, Four Winds Annette; 3. F. Ruston's Beagle, Sir Elio of Allport; 4. Mrs. J. Cumming's Norwegian Buhund, Lars Fra Sacteren.

Toy Group

1. Louisa Wishart's Toy Manchester, Am. Ch. Lillie Farm Petal Honey; 2. R. T. Borse's Pekingese, Su-Rou Tin-poo; 3. G. Stierman's Chihuahua, Agony Baby Shell; 4. K. A. Ross's Pomeranian, Keweenaw Autumn Place.

Non-Sporting Group

1. C. G. Biegar's Boston Terrier, Int. Ch. Personality's Fin The Emperor; 2. W. Boutelle's West Highland White, Ch. Raffia; 3. Mrs. J. Currie's Bull Terrier, Currie's Danny Boy; 4. W. G. Trevenan's Dalmatian, Fighter Patrol.

MAY 2

Judge, G. Kynock.

Best in Show: Best Canadian Bred Dog in Show—Mrs. Yeigh McEachern's Kerry Blue Terrier, Int. Ch. Danney's Masterpiece of Tatloonn.

Reserve Best in Show—Mrs. Eva Gudgeon's Afghan Hound, Int. Ch. Birchwood Ristie El Myra.

Best Canadian Bred Puppy in Show—Kerry Kennel Bred, Kerry's Personality's Emphatic Prince.

Working Group

1. W. D. McAuley's American Cocker, Ch. Stockdale Night Pilot; 2. Speed Walker's Short-hair Pointer, Kerry Kildare of Witeewood; 3. Mrs. J. D. Ridder's Irish Setter, Sue of Witeewood; 4. Hugh Crozier's Labrador, Ch. Tundra of Treachery.

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Judge, H. Thompson, Calgary.

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Reserve Best in Show—W. D. McAuley's American Cocker, Ch. Stockdale Night Pilot.

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SOME BATTLE HELP CALLED OFF DIKES TO AID AT HOME

Flood relief, like charity, begins at home.

With that in mind, and with members of their own families out helping others, a number of Winnipeg parents Monday sent out urgent radio appeals for them to "come home."

The boys, apparently, were helping at various flood points throughout the city.

"The 'come home' calls came when their own families were forced to evacuate."

Looking Backward
(From The Free Press Files)

Seventy Years Ago—May 9, 1880

Outgoing Winnipeggers were making use of the Collingwood line of steamers, with which they made connection at Duluth. Captain J. Wheelans, with the party of more or less moneyed Englishmen who were to be the population of newly-built Rapid City, had reached Quebec.

Sixty Years Ago—May 9, 1890

Old time fans were reminded of thrill experienced when listening to Actor McCullough, the late great tragedian who before his death had gone mad, as they attended Spartacus, the drama in the title role of which McCullough had won fame, now showing at the Princess theatre.

Fifty Years Ago—May 9, 1900

Manager Heubach, of the Winnipeg industrial exhibition, returned from booking a list of attractions for the "cent of the century" fair, which was to be held in July forthcoming.

Forty Years Ago—May 9, 1910

The baseball season opened at River Park, acting mayor Harvey threw the first ball for the opening game between the popular Winnipeg Maroons and the crack Angels, of Brandon.

Thirty Years Ago—May 9, 1920

A Winnipeg investment firm had inaugurated a new project, under which it was possible for tenants of several of the largest apartment blocks in the city to become shareholders in the block they lived in, and to share in its earnings.

Twenty Years Ago—May 9, 1930

The site of the international Eucharistic congress of the Roman Catholic church, which was now under way, was centuries-old Carthage, Tunisia, scene of the first Christian crusade—Dr. Clarence Mackinnon, pastor of Westminster Presbyterian (now United) church in 1910, was to serve there during the summer vacation of Dr. J. S. Bonnell.

5% Boost Forecast In U.S. Tire Prices

DETROIT, May 9 (BUP)—Tire prices will jump about five per cent within a month, Harry E. Humphreys, jr., president of U.S. Rubber company predicted Tuesday. Mr. Humphreys said the increase would result from a 40-per cent rise in cost of natural rubber in the past four months. A shortage has occurred because of Russia's heavy purchases, he said.

Offers Of Flood Shelter Top 3,000; 50 An Hour

Winnipeggers continued to respond Monday to the appeal for shelter for homeless flood victims. Offers poured into the city's special flood emergency housing registry at the rate of 50 an hour.

By Monday morning, more than 3,000 offers of accommodation had been made.

200 Families Sheltered

So far, approximately 200 families have received emergency shelter provided through the city's special set-up, William Courage, emergency housing director, told the city's flood control committee Monday.

"As long as the registration exceeds requests at this rate, we'll be okay," he said.

Most of the families given shelter, Sunday, were from the Elmwood area, where Central Volunteer bureau workers arranged a bloc plan canvass to give advice to flooded-out residents.

Others were from the Lyndale Riverview areas.

"Of course, you must remember, drive district, West Kildonan, and that 75 per cent of evacuees find homes with relatives and friends and we never even hear about them," Mr. Courage reminded.

Only a few families remained adamant in their refusals to leave homes, he said.

The emergency housing registry will try to avoid placing evacuees in common sleeping quarters until absolutely necessary, he added.

Good Car Response

More than 200 cars and trucks, provided by the Central Volunteer bureau, were used to help the flood refugees, according to Miss Mary Elizabeth Bayer, executive secretary.

She asked that those able to provide accommodation, telephone 835 521.

Persons requiring emergency shelter should call 849 281 and 849 232, she advised.

PAQUIN GETS ALBERTA POST

EDMONTON, May 9 (CP)—F. L. Paquin of St. Boniface, a graduate of the University of Manitoba, has been appointed district agriculturist at Falher, Alta. David Dine, agriculture minister announced Monday. Mr. Paquin previously was employed by the University of Manitoba on a farm management survey.

HQ Of Red Cross Moving To Aud

The Red Cross emergency headquarters is being moved from its present location at 226 Osborne street north to the civic auditorium.

The present offices have been too small to handle the emergency, according to officials. Aid. C. E. Simonite, Winnipeg's acting mayor, gave permission for the move.

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