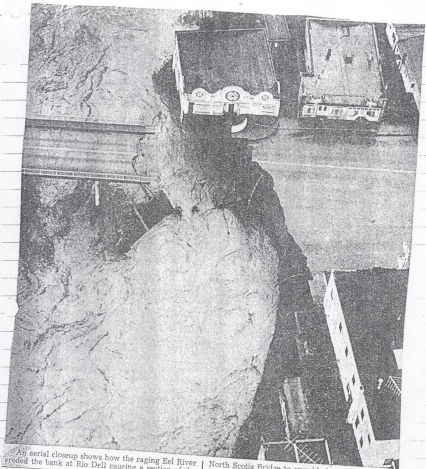


## Fortuna Center Continues In Full Operation

PORTUNA—Civil Defense headquarters at the Veterans Memorial Building which is also the American Red Cross headquarters for Fortuna, will continue in full operation today.

Early yesterday morning supplies were flown into Rio Dell and Seckla, where over 200 people had arrived after wandering from Starbuck. Many families are now in homes in Fortuna and the CD headquarters will serve meals to all working personnel and anyone in need on Christmas Day.



An aerial closeup shows how the raging Eel River eroded the bank at Rio Dell causing a section of the North Scotia Bridge to crumble into the waters. The Rio Dell Bakery hangs precariously onto the bank.