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CRYSLER – Residents in the downtown area of this village awoke Thursday morning to find the South Nation River on their doorsteps, and in some cases in their livingrooms.

Most merchants received an unexpected holiday as stores and homes on Queen Street below the bridge were submerged in water four to five feet high in places and detour signs were put up to divert traffic. The water level began rising Wednesday as a severe thunderstorm hit the area.