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Blind Institute Serves 53 Haltonites, Council Told

HEALTH UNIT BUDGET \$211,636 THIS YEAR

The air was stilled at Halton County Council in Milton last week, and all eyes fastened on one man. That man was Mr. J. Stanley of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind, who with flying fingers, was reading Braille.

He gave his yearly report telling of the work done by the Institute in the county. The needs of fifty-three Halton citizens are served. Somehow, citizen does not seem to be the right word when some of these are little preschoolers. These little ones are prepared for admission to Brantford School for the Blind, where all the usual academic subjects are taught. However, they are also taught music, piano tuning and shop work.

Mr. Stanley told council that twenty Ontario residents had their eyesight restored last year by a corneal transplant. He hastened to explain that this operation is only successful in cases of scarred cornea. He concluded by thanking county council for their grants in the past and hoped they would be as generous this year.

Warden Doug Sargent thanked him warmly for his complete and informative report and turned the request over to the finance committee.

Dr. A. F. Bull, M.O.H. for Halton County presented the Halton County Health Unit's report for 1959, and the budget for 1960.

He commended council for their passing of a nursing home by law last year. By licensing nursing homes, thus making them eligible for grants from the Provincial Dept. of Welfare, beds are released in hospitals, which had been taken by the chronically ill, or convalescent.

He also warned of the increase in rabies cases in 1959, eighteen humans in Halton County received prophylactic treatment against rabies. Skunks seem to be the greatest offenders, in more ways than one. Dr. Bull emphasized the need for all domestic pets to be immunized.

It is gratifying to learn there were no cases of poliomyelitis in Halton last year. Thirty thousand people have been immunized by the Health Unit so far.

The total proposed budget for the year is \$211,636. The county and provincial government share equally, both giving \$95,818, with an expected income of \$20,000 coming from plumbing inspection fees. This is a further federal government grant expected to be in the \$60,000 range.

The men. He felt this was one of the reasons the Lorne Scots had been chosen to be guard of honour for the Queen at Milton airport.

In the light of the added expense this year Major Conover asked that the County be as generous as possible.

Like the other requests this too, was turned over to the finance committee.

Another visitor was Brigadier Arthur Hill, of the Salvation Army, who presented a lengthy report of the well known good work of the Army in this area.

One bright spot was his disclosure that the number of unaided mothers cared for in Gracehaven, Hamilton, had not increased in the last year.

He thanked the county sincerely for their grants in the past and hoped for the same consideration this year. The 1960 grant was \$1200.

Warden D. Sargent expressed the council's high regard for the work of the Salvation Army, and assured him of the finance committee's consideration.

Reviews History of English Pottery Firm

Mrs. M. J. Brown was the hostess for the regular meeting of the Hornby Women's Institute on Wednesday, the 10th of Feb. with thirteen ladies present. Mrs. Roy Wilson, Canadian Industries' convener, was in charge of the program, introducing the guest speaker, Mr. W. E. Sowerbutts of Clarkson, who is an importer of fine pottery after telling of some of the highlights of his life and of coming from England to Canada and now is a Canadian citizen. He told the history of the Hestry Pottery Company of England. He also gave some insight of the work of making the pottery and the materials used. Mr. Sowerbutts had on display a large number of articles which the ladies were privileged to view and ask questions on, as well as the opportunity to purchase any they wished.

Mrs. W. Coulton was in charge of the business session. The roll call "Name an Industry you would like to work in, or a product you would like to help make" was answered by all and showed a variety of interests. Ten dollars was voted toward the Halton Music Festival, also a donation to the F.W.I.C. toward the purchase of the Adelaide Hoodless house. Mrs. D. Downs and Mrs. J. McCarron assisted the hostess with lunch.

Mrs. W. Coulton was chosen by the Halton Federation of Agriculture to attend a course by the Guild of All Arts in Toronto, this week.

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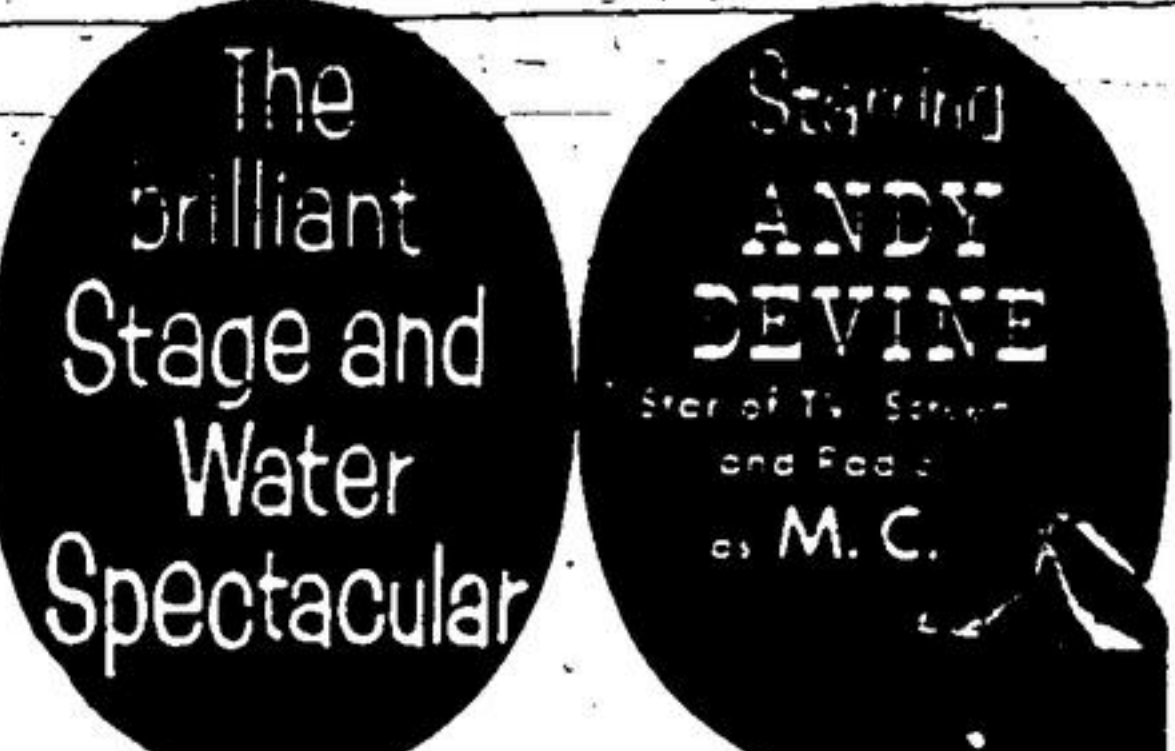
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Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada sold more than one billion dollars of new life insurance last year, a record for a Canadian Company. Mr. Jack D. Vance, C.I.U., manager of the Sun Life branch in Guelph announced here February 9, following the company's 80th annual meeting in Montreal.

Mr. Vance said the record year and increased earnings will result this spring in adoption of increased dividends to the holders of most classes of participating policies. About \$38,700,000 will be paid in policy dividends in 1960.

The Sun Life sold \$1,041 million of life insurance in 1959, an increase of 12 per cent more than in 1958, bringing total insurance in force with the company to \$8,938 million. Group life insurance accounts for \$4,319 million of the total and new group life insurance sold in 1959 was \$312 million.

Payments to Sun Life policy holders and beneficiaries tallied \$170 million in 1959 — \$705,000 for each working day — an increase of \$20 million over 1958 payments.

Income from all sources was \$372 million. Mr. Vance said the Sun Life continued its policy during the year of investing funds in community projects, such as housing developments, shopping centres, industrial plants and public works. Residential mortgages comprised an important part of new investments by Sun Life in 1959.

Assets at year end amounted to \$2,307 million, a \$92 million more than a year ago, of which \$551 million was in mortgages.

He said rising interest rates through 1959 made it possible for Sun Life to earn 4.40 per cent on its assets during the year, as against 4.28 per cent in 1958.

At the company's annual meeting in Montreal, President George W. Bourke spoke about the "double duty" dollars of life insurance.

The phrase, he said, draws attention to the fact that policyholders' dollars, besides providing protection for families and savings for old age and the economy when invested in community projects. These dollars earn interest which is paid to participating policies. About \$38,700,000 will be paid in policy dividends in 1960.

The industrial life insurance policy has for many years been one of the main avenues for the savings of our people and an important part of our national savings.

ESQUEUING W.I.

The February meeting of the Esqueuing Women's Institute was held on Friday, February 12th, in the Community Hall, Newmarket. With ten members present. Due to the January meeting having been cancelled because of bad weather, a considerable amount of business had to be taken care of.

At the request of the County Medical Festival Committee it was decided the Women's Institute would serve lunch at the Festival in the Community Hall, early in April. Liberal donations were made to the Musical Festival, Sick Children's Hospital, Rotarid Children's Fund, Georgetown Hospital Fund, and for utility and gas for the Esqueuing Community Hall.

Arrangements were discussed for the convener of Public Relations to attend the Officers' Conference held at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, on May 5th and 6th. Arrangements were also made to hold the Women's Day of Prayer at St. John's Anglican Church on Friday, March 4th. All the ladies in the community are invited to attend.

Many cards of thanks were received from churches, the sick and bereaved for remembrance they had received. The treasurer gave a splendid report on the association's financial standing. This has been increased very satisfactorily by the catering activities of the society.

The Lord's Prayer closed the meeting. The lunch committee, Mrs. Murray and Mrs. Williams served lunch. The next meeting will be on Thursday, March 10th, at the home of Mrs. J. C. Murray, at 8:00 p.m. sharp.

GLEN WILLIAMS Annual Meeting Hears Reports, Glen United

The annual congregational meeting of the Glen United Church was held in the school room. Rev. L. Free led in the devotion exercises, after which he took the chair for the meeting and Mrs. Cec Barth, secretary.

The session reported five baptisms, two marriages and two deaths in the congregation during the year. There were thirteen members received into the church on profession of faith, and seven by transfer from other churches.

Financial reports were given from all departments and found satisfactory. The treasurer's report was given by Herb Hancock, The Missionary and Maintenance Fund by Mrs. C. Barth, the Sunday School by Mrs. W. Collier, the Women's Association by Mrs. Bert Dixon. It was decided to enroll in the Every Family Plan of the Observer, the church magazine.

The session also, Rev. L. Free, N. Felker, B. Dixon, The Stewards are: W. Schenk, H. Hancock, J. Wagstaffe, W. McGowan, D. Majurey, J. Hunter, Envelope Steward, Miss C. Hunter, M. & M. Stewards, Mrs. C. Barth, Flower Fund convener, Mrs. W. Schenk, choir leader, Mrs. J. Hunter, organist, Mrs. H. Inglis, assistants, Mrs. G. Cooper, M. Barth, auditors, W. Schenk, W. McGowan, Mrs. B. Dixon.

Considerable repair work on the walls of the basement was necessary and through the efforts of Mr. Schenk this was completed in the fall. The meeting adjourned. Benediction was pronounced by pastor. A social hour followed with lunch served by the ladies.

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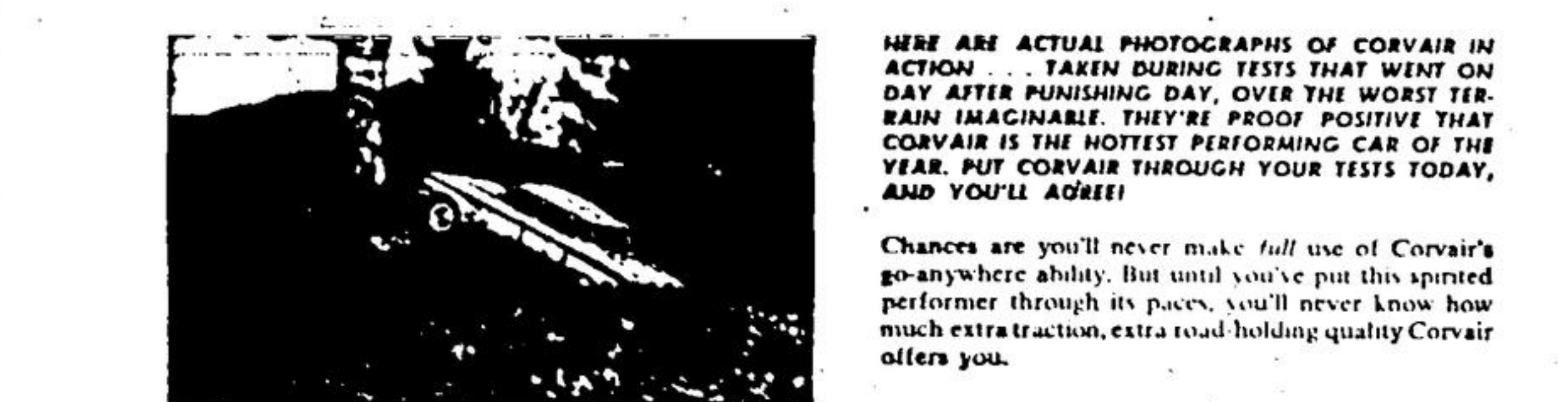
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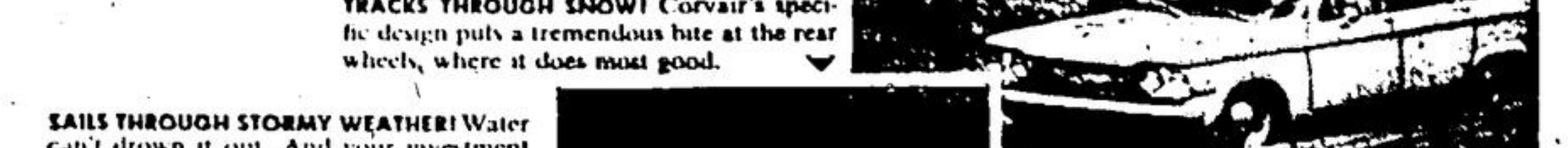


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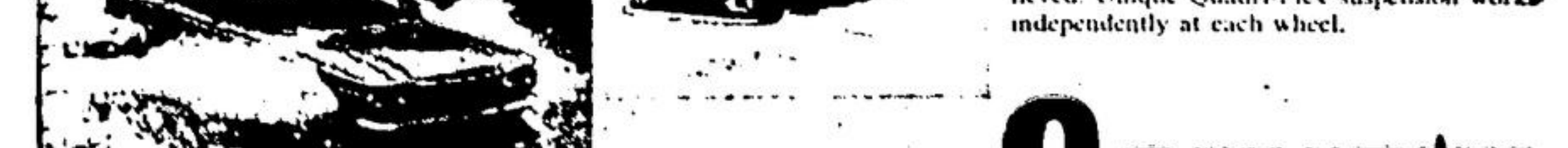
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