



**During a regular meeting on Monday, Milton Council:**

- Agreed to change the signs at the town entrances advertising the Steam Show, to include the 1965 dates.
- Asked the clerk to investigate a problem of excess water at a Kingsleigh Court crosswalk to the W. I. Dick public school.
- Learned that 90 per cent of the questionnaires on the use of plastic bags for garbage collection had been returned. A complete report was being summarized, although early indications were a majority favored the system.
- Re-appointed S. W. Gazley as the town's representative to the Hamilton Area Industrial and Economic Council.
- Approved payment of \$5,139.95 as part payment on the construction of the new water pumping station at Kelso.
- Agreed to take a page advertisement at \$40 in the Juvenile Hockey Tournament booklet.
- Proclaimed Daylight Saving Time to be effective from April 25 at 2 a.m. to October 31 at 2 a.m.
- Endorsed a resolution calling for legislation to permit municipalities to enforce a 15 mile an hour speed limit on streets adjacent to schools.

### 150 Canvassers "Blitz" Town In Monday Red Cross Campaign

An estimated 150 canvassers, headed up by 30 captains and the three-man executive of the Milton Red Cross, will be joining in a one night "blitz" of Milton homes Monday evening of next week. When the evening is over, organizers hope to have their \$1,500 objective filled and ready to hand over to Dominion headquarters to further the good works of Red Cross across the land.

**Donations to Bank**  
Paul Kent, chairman of the campaign, said the town was split into 10 areas with three organizers and about 15 canvassers assigned to cover each area. They hope no homes will be missed, but if a canvasser does not call on anyone donations would be welcomed at the Bank of Montreal which will serve as a headquarters for the canvassers' returns. Cash or cheques made payable to Canadian Red Cross, Milton Campaign, may be left there at any time.

Besides organizing the pre-campaign meetings and distributing literature the committee has written 52 letters to commercial firms and 21 industries, asking for donations. Don Hayward and Jack Laing are the other members of the Milton Red Cross executive for this campaign.

### Ladies' Week-Long Spiel To End Curling Season

Ever since the doors opened for the Milton Curling Club last November, the ladies' section has had a most enjoyable time. The winter has been all too short, and before long the stones and brooms will be carefully laid aside for the old golf clubs.

The main ladies' club feature this season will be a week-long bonspiel beginning March 22 and lasting throughout the week, the winning rink receiving the "Milton Ladies Trophy".

These girls have come a long way from the time when their idea of a "stone" or "rock" was something one found on the beach — and a broom was a housecleaning utensil. They have learned to use both most efficiently — on the ice — and this bonspiel will be a grand finale to a season of fun in curling.

Following are the scores for the past week's ladies' play:  
Tuesday a.m. — Bell 9, Barr 12; Sweetman 12, Farley 5; Andrews 4, Merritt 4; Olan 2, Henderson 5.

**CAR, TRUCK COLLIDE**  
A car-truck collision on Main St. early Saturday morning resulted in property damage estimated at \$460. Milton Police report a car driven by Ben Nyholt of Bronte St. was in collision with a parked truck owned by Maurice McGuinnis of R. R. 2, Rockwood. Damage to the Nyholt car was \$400. No one was injured.

### BELL LINES

by Arnold Blachford, your telephone manager

#### ANNUAL REPORT TIME

The Company's Annual Report for 1964, mailed in February to shareholders in the Milton area, has facts and figures that may be interesting to customers and others as well.

Take the number of telephones added to the network last year, for example — 222,475 including 259 in Milton. This is almost as many as serve the entire Ottawa-Hull metropolitan area, and is the third time in Company history that over 200,000 telephones were added in a single year (1956 and 1955 also set records). The figure becomes even more impressive when it is realized that it took thirty-three years — from the Company's inception in 1880, until 1913 — to reach the first 200,000 telephones in service.

During the First World War telephone service was not considered the necessity it is today. Most people obviously didn't have telephones (though most businesses surely did) and the number of people you could reach was restricted. Today, of course, the whole pattern is changed. At the end of 1964, the Company had 4.3 million telephones in service, reaching into virtually every office and an estimated 92% of households in our territory in Ontario, Quebec, Labrador and the Northwest Territories.

And though telephone service has long been absolutely vital to the operations of Canadian businesses — and a single large corporation can require literally thousands of telephones within its offices and plants — we find nevertheless that year after year the proportion of telephones in homes has been creeping up, compared to those in business use. In 1964, for example, 70.6% of our telephones were in homes, compared with 70.5% in 1963, and 69% in 1955.

This to me is a sure indication of the standard of living enjoyed by Canadians, for Canada is one of only a handful of nations where individual families benefit so universally from the security and convenience of telephone service.

And speaking for the Bell, one major reason why this is so is that intensive effort is continually made to keep the cost of this vital service within the reach of any family in our territory.

*Arnold Blachford.*

### HALTON COUNTY COUNCIL BRIEFS

At their regular meeting in the County Administration Building on Tuesday, County councillors:

- Learned that the total recommended budget for the Agriculture, E.M.O. and Planning Committee would be \$52,200. Budget for the E.M.O. will be \$30,500 while the suggested agricultural budget is \$18,450 and the suggested planning budget is \$3,200.
- Were told that the possible construction of fallout shelters in civic buildings and municipal buildings is being investigated. Council will look into one for the County Building and also suggest the Town of Oakville consider the construction of a fallout shelter when plans are being made for their new civic administration building.
- Approved an increase in the hourly rate of the Weed Inspector to \$2.25 and authorized the use of a desk and space to operate the Weed Control Department in the County Administration Building.
- Delegated Georgetown Deputy Reeve Hunter to attend a conference in Arnprior as a representative of the County E.M.O. committee.
- Heard a report that the County Health Unit supplied materials for the disinfection of wells and cellars, assisted the E.M.O. in clean-up operations and also brought in supplies of drinking water during the recent flood in the Glen Williams area. Total cost of the assistance was \$338.
- Decided to have an aerial map survey taken of the county at a cost of \$1,897.

### Director, Assistant Quit C.A.S. Chairman Declines Any Comment

Both the director and the assistant director of the Halton Children's Aid Society have resigned their positions, it was announced this week.

At Tuesday's meeting of Halton County Council, the Child Welfare committee reported J. Paul Jolliffe, Director, had tendered his resignation and the committee was discussing a replacement. It was agreed to make a presentation on behalf of the County, to Mr. Jolliffe.

**Here Since 1960**  
He has been serving as C.A.S. Director since January, 1960. Prior to coming to Halton, he was educated in China and Canada. He served with the Society for Crippled Children in Ontario and Manitoba, was a case worker in the Big Brother movement, was Director of the Guelph and Wellington Children's Aid, national executive secretary of the Save the Children Fund, and assistant manager of Peel Family Welfare and Children's Services organization.

**To Toronto C.A.S.**  
The assistant Director, William James, joined Halton C.A.S. three years ago and his resignation becomes effective at the end of April. Mr. James is stepping up to a position with the Metropolitan Toronto Children's Aid, where he will be in charge of about 35 case workers.

Both men are presently residents of Milton.

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