

# Grace Church reviews successful year

## Delegates first woman to Synod

Church officers for 1968 were named and a budget for the year was adopted when parishioners of Grace Anglican Church held their annual vestry meeting on December 21.

The past year was another successful one for the parish. Expenses fell \$800 under the 1967 budget figure of \$26,588 and the church completed its Church Mission target of \$6,200 besides paying \$1,000 off loans from the bank and the Diocese of Niagara, and fulfilling its Diocesan maintenance assessment of \$658.

A 1968 budget of \$28,230 was accepted by the parish. The Church Mission target was upped to \$7,200 which includes \$2,000 towards the Anglican World Mission, and the Diocesan Maintenance assessment has increased to \$735.

Henry Stanley retired after three years as people's warden and Robert F. Argall was elected to replace him. Howard Armstrong was re-appointed Rector's warden and Ray Waters will serve as deputy warden. Mrs. Heather Reichert was returned as treasurer and J. Pilcher was again named envelope secretary.

Lay delegates to Synod are Hugh Beatty, Mrs. A. Ledwith and W. B. Elsley, with C. Clark and Mrs. Robert Argall as alternates. Unless another parish named a woman to attend the Synod on the same evening, Mrs.

Ledwith is the first woman in history of the Diocese of Niagara to be a delegate. It was just last year the Synod approved women as delegates.

Advisory council members this year are C. Clark, Ron Appleton and Mrs. L. Reichert. The rector, wardens, lay delegates to Synod and three parishioners yet to be named by the rector will also sit on the council.

Auditors C. E. Bounsell and Mrs. J. Barrow were re-appointed. Peter Phillips acted as vestry clerk for the meeting.

In his annual report the rector, Rev. Dr. T. M. Dustan reviewed an excellent year with many highlights. He thanked everyone who contributed to the success of 1967 and mentioned in particular the group leaders, organist and choir, and church bulletin editor Robert Burne.

The parish has 1,484 adherents including 382 families and 54 individuals. He conducted six adult and 28 children's baptisms, 14 marriages, and 26 burials during the past year, and 36 were confirmed.

People's warden Henry Stanley reported the insurance had been increased on the church, parish hall and organ in 1967. The Rector's warden Howard Armstrong reviewed the work of the

property committee in remodeling the kneelers, painting and working on a water drainage problem.

Mrs. B. Horton, secretary of the A.C.W., reviewed the reorganization of the group into five smaller branches. Their chief income is catering to weddings and dinners and the bazaar which is a joint effort with the members of the parish. The group held a birthday party for Manor residents and a mother-daughter dinner for the junior and girls' auxiliary.

The senior choir report by Mrs. M. Smith indicated \$500 of a \$900 two-year pledge to the organ fund had been donated this year, with income from the annual rummage and a Schneider Male Chorus concert.

Chancel Guild directress Mrs. M. Wilson reported the altar cross and candlesticks were refinished and an honor roll of former rectors was remounted and reframed.

The work of the church school was reviewed by superintendent Mrs. M. Willoughby. Registration was 156 with a staff of 17.

More teachers are needed, she said. Special activities were three teacher training sessions, the picnic, the Youth Sunday Service and open house, the Christmas party for younger children and the Christmas pageant.

Girls' Auxiliary members had a busy year, selling Easter bunnies and candy, co-sponsoring a "court of fashion" show, holding a mother and daughter banquet, planting flowers, publishing a cook book, attending a G.A. festival, sewing, making candy and helping the needy at Christmas, leader Mrs. T. Babb reported.

Junior Auxiliary leader Mrs. Bonita Cann explained the younger group held a similar program and worked on their stripes and badges during the year.

Leader Gary Batstone reported on the new youth group which meets Sunday evenings for discussion of topics of concern to modern youth. Mrs. Freda Holland reported the junior choir has grown to a membership of 20 and they are studying modern church music as well as learning the traditional music of the church.

The Men's Club year-end review by Roy Wollaston showed a panel discussion, speakers, movies, trips, fund-raising dances, and work around the parish were highlights of the year. As a centennial project the men installed a wire loop under the church floor to aid deaf children from O.S.D. in hearing the service. The club plans to panel the new vestry room.

Mrs. Janette Ledwith reviewed the organ committee's success in raising \$12,100 for the new organ but noted funds are still welcomed to finance additional expenses resulting from the alteration of the chancel to accommodate the new organ console and pipes.

On behalf of the Committee of Stewards, Hugh Beatty expressed appreciation to all the visitors who helped in the 1967 stewardship campaign and announced another visitation will be held this year.

Before the meeting closed W. B. Elsley expressed the thanks of the parish to the rector and his wife. "You have broadened our horizons a great deal and we appreciate all that both you and Mrs. Dustan have done for us," he said.

# Who needs airport? negative report says project unnecessary

Municipal officials attending the joint meeting of Oakville and Burlington councils tonight (Wednesday) to discuss the proposed bi-town airport will be well supplied with negative factors.

A report compiled by D. C. Thomson, a traffic co-ordinator and a resident of Oakville Ward One, was submitted Monday to the council for study.

Mr. Thomson's study shows the usual reason new transportation services are constructed - public necessity - has not been shown in this case.

Air cargo is mainly composed of objects which are light and bulky or extremely valuable and no industry in Oakville's immediate area consistently ships or receives this type of product, he points out.

In the event existing or new industries require occasional air shipment, a network of surface transportation can deliver the items to Toronto airport as quickly as from Omagh.

Limousine service for passengers and small packages, trucking service for medium-weight packages, and further trucking of heavier objects is provided at least daily, and in most cases oftener. The limousine service runs half-hourly from 7 a.m. to midnight daily except Saturday, when it runs hourly.

Only 21 of the 60 replies received to the Airport Committee's questionnaire were suggestive of need for a port, and these included replies from pleasure-fliers and outside companies who claimed to be seriously interested in facilities in this region.

In his report, Mr. Thomson wondered how many of these 'interested' companies had contacted the industrial commissioner to seek follow-information on the proposal.

"There are very few companies in the area operating their own planes," he states. "For those who do, the abovementioned surface connections would make a local airport of marginal convenience only - too marginal to warrant expropriation and the attendant expenditure of public funds."

The argument suggesting Burlingtonville airport (similar to the proposed one here) is self-sustaining merely emphasizes land expropriation and expenditure of public funds is unnecessary.

Brampton Flying Club, once cited as prime potential users of the port, have since purchased land elsewhere at their own expense.

In conclusion, Mr. Thomson urged the Oakville area to continue referring to Toronto International Airport (which Oakville taxpayers already help to support) as an inducement to industry rather than add to the tax burden by going ahead with the joint federal-municipal project at Omagh.

## \$1,000 gift

A donation of \$1,100 has been donated by the Mount Canacle Retreat Association in support of the work of the Sisters of Social Service.

Sister Rita, the Provincial of the Community of Sisters of Social Service, accepted the gift at a meeting of the executive of the association last week, publicity director Mrs. A. W. Ray reports.

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# Church Services

**BOSTON AND OMAGH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES**  
Minister: Rev. Stanley E. Smith, B.A.

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1968**  
10.00 a.m.—Boston: Worship Service.  
11.15 a.m.—Boston: Church School.  
10.15 a.m.—Omagh: Church School.  
11.30 a.m.—Omagh: Worship Service.

**LOWVILLE - ZIMMERMAN UNITED CHURCHES OF CANADA**  
Minister: Reverend Ernest E. Baskier, B.A., B.D.

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1968**  
10.00 a.m.—Service at Zimmerman.  
11.30 a.m.—Service at Lowville.  
Lowville — A Nursery for the wee folk during service.  
"The burdens of life shall be lifted for all who enter here."

**EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Commercial Street, Milton  
Pastor: Rev. Clayton Coles 878-4473

The Lord's Day  
**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1968**  
Speaker, Rev. Robert Snyder, former pastor of Emmanuel Church.  
9.45 a.m.—Sunday School for all.  
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship.  
5.00 p.m.—Youth Time.  
6.50 p.m.—Song Service.  
7.00 p.m.—Evening Worship. Special music, Ross Brock.  
Nursery at Sunday services.  
Wednesday, 8.00 p.m. — Bible Study and Prayer Meeting.  
All Are Warmly Welcomed

**GRACE ANGLICAN CHURCH**  
Milton, Ontario.  
Rector: Rev. T. M. Dustan, B.A., B.D., D.D.  
Associate: Rev. Canon F. H. Mason, M.A., B.D.

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1968**  
Epiphany V  
8.00 a.m.—Holy Communion.  
9.25 a.m.—Jr. Church School.  
9.30 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon.  
10.45 a.m.—Sr. Church School.  
11.00 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon.  
7.00 p.m.—Youth Group.  
Friday, February 2, Presentation of Christ in the Temple — 10 a.m., Holy Communion.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
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**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1968**  
10.00 a.m.—Bible School Classes for all ages.  
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship.  
8.00 p.m.—Preaching of the Gospel.

**MILTON GOSPEL HALL**  
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Christians gathered in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Lord's Day  
**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1968**  
10.30 a.m.—Breaking of Bread.  
12.15 p.m.—Sunday School.  
7.00 p.m.—Gospel Service.  
Wednesday, 8 p.m. — Prayer and Bible reading.  
All are welcome to these services.

Be ye also ready: for in such an hour as ye think not the Son of man cometh. Math. 24, 44.

**ST. PAUL'S CHURCH of THE UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA**  
Main St. at James St.  
Minister: Rev. C. A. Hainer, B.A., B.D.  
Organist and Choir Leader: Mrs. Harold Magee.

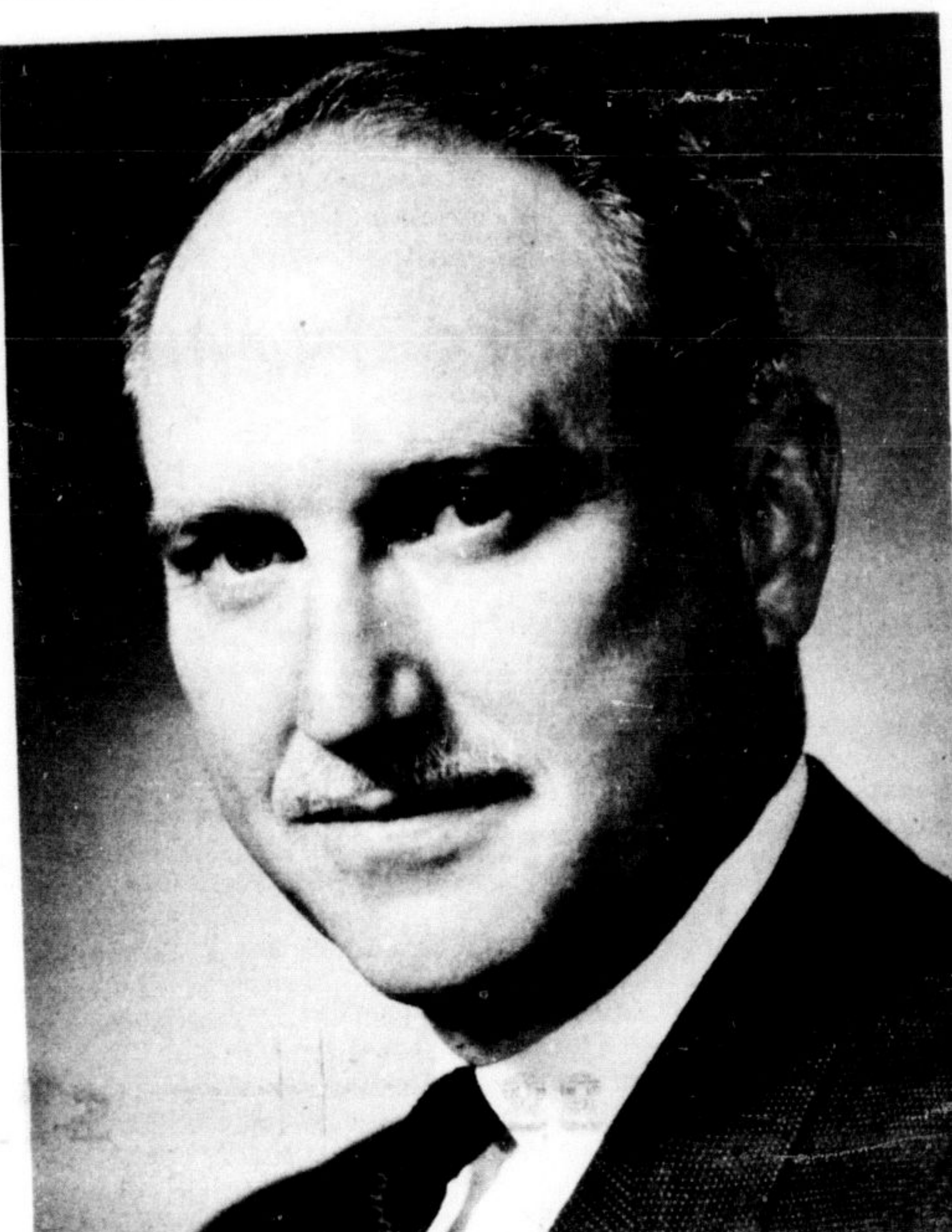
**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1968**  
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship. Sermon subject, "Do You Believe?" The Sacrament of Baptism.  
**CHURCH SCHOOL**  
9.30 a.m.—Sunday School for all boys and girls over 8 years.  
11.00 a.m.—Infant Nursery in charge of registered nurse and nursery department.  
11.00 a.m.—Boys and girls 4-8 years inclusive will attend church with parents and proceed to their departments following the second hymn.  
Invitation To All

**KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Minister: Rev. J. K. L. McGown, B.A. 878-6066 878-2652  
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**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1968**  
9.45 a.m.—Senior Church School.  
9.45 a.m.—Young People's Bible Class.  
9.45 a.m.—"The Thinkers."  
10.50 a.m.—Junior Church School.  
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship. "The Source of Character."  
11.00 a.m.—Nursery.  
The Get-together Group pot luck supper meeting, Sunday School Hall, 6.30 p.m., Monday, February 5th.

**HIGHWAY GOSPEL CHURCH**  
A local assembly of THE PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLIES OF CANADA  
Pastor: Rev. M. Christensen.

**LORD'S DAY**  
**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1968**  
9.45 a.m.—Sunday School.  
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship.  
7.00 p.m.—Evangelistic Service.  
Wednesday, 8 p.m. — Bible Study and Prayer Meeting.  
Friday, 8 p.m.—Young People's Service.  
A Church You Can Make Your Home  
A Warm Welcome to Everyone



G. ALLAN BURTON... SIMPSON'S PRESIDENT  
To speak at Chamber's annual dinner meeting

## Simpson's president A. Burton speaker for Chamber annual

G. Allan Burton, president of Simpson's Limited and owner of a farm in the Milton area, will be guest speaker for this year's annual meeting of Milton Chamber of Commerce.

The dinner meeting will be held at 7 p.m. on Thursday, February 15 in the Canadian Legion Hall on Charles St., executive secretary Earl G. Black announced this week. Tickets are available at \$2 a person.

The meeting will hear annual reports of officers and elect the directors for the coming year.

Mr. Burton, president of the 9,100-member Toronto Board of Trade in 1962 and 1963, has a varied background in business and civic affairs. President of Simpson's, Limited, he is also a director of Simpson's Acceptance Co. Ltd., Simpsons-Sears Ltd., The Royal Bank of Canada, The Montreal Trust Co., Power Corporation of Canada Limited, The St. Lawrence Cement Co., and the Borden Co. of Canada Ltd.

Educated in Lausanne, Switzerland and University of Toronto (architecture) he is a specialist in interior decorating. He joined the Simpson firm in 1935 and became its president in 1964. Mr. Burton chaired Toronto's United Appeal in 1961, was 1967 presi-

dent of Toronto Industrial Commission, served as a trustee of the Hospital for Sick Children, and chaired the Redevelopment Committee of Metro Toronto.

He was commissioned in the Governor General's Body Guard in 1933 and saw active service with G.G.H.G. from 1940 to 1945 in Canada, England, Italy, Holland and Germany. He was awarded the D.S.O. in Italy in 1943 and the Europe Decoration in 1949. In 1966 he became Honorary Lt.-Col. of the G.G.H.G.

Mr. Burton belongs to several clubs and societies in Toronto, Montreal and London. For recreation he enjoys riding, painting, fishing and shooting. He maintains a home in the city but spends most of his spare time at his country home, Limestone Hall Farms Limited, near Milton.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR  
W. A. SAYS THANKS  
Dear Sir:  
The Halton Centennial Manor Auxiliary wish to thank your paper, for publishing the news of their meetings. Through the kindness of your paper, a great many readers are made aware of the many activities of the Auxiliary.  
Yours sincerely,  
(Mrs. M.) Bess Cullion.

## Only the shadow knows for sure

It seems that on the "whole" the weather bureau is more reliable than the average ground hog on February 2. According to the encyclopedia only "superstitious" people believe the story about the groundhog coming up from his hole on that day to look for his shadow. Science, the infallible guide to all our actions in this modern age, has not confirmed it.

This Friday it's time for the furry little fellow to emerge from his home again and tell us how much of the winter weather we can expect before the balmy breezes of spring return. The story goes that he sticks his head out and if he sees his shadow, he beats a hasty retreat back to sleep because there's going to be another six weeks of winter.

If he doesn't see his shadow, Mr. Groundhog stays out of his hole because Spring is not far away. For those of us who can't decide whether the scientists or the folklore people are right, this Friday is going to be a memorable day.

Will the groundhog appear? Or will it happen as the egg heads predict that the world's most unreliable prognosticator is not about to make his annual prognostication. We're collecting evidence for both sides.

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## Rowney heads Milton Hydro

The inaugural meeting of Milton's 1968 Hydro Commission was held Thursday afternoon, and William Rowney was returned as chairman. New member Charles Thomson was named vice-chairman.

The other member of the commission is Mayor Brian Best. O. L. Hadley, manager of the local office, is secretary.

Accounts were approved for payment and \$157,699 in uncollectable accounts was written off. The remainder of the meeting was spent in acquainting the new members Thomson and Best with the commission's past work and the set-up for emergency situations.

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