HOSPITAL AUXILIARY SUMS UP BUSY YEAR

Auxiliary.

The following is the each day of the year." president's report, presented by Sewing Committee convener Mrs. E. Joyce:

their desired service by our for their work. chairman of conveners. In Hairdressing convener Mrs. September a new service began, Beth Barnes reported in presenting all new babies in approximately 175 patients the obstetrical ward with a pair benefitted from this service. She of hand-knitted booties.

"After much discussion and Peddie do the patients' hair. difficulty in obtaining a convener and members to work Mrs. Dorothy Green reviewed on diversional therapy, it finally that committee's work, six days got under way early in a week all year long, watering November, and to date has plants and arranging cut flowers proven its need. The second for the patients for an hour each phase of therapy to patients morning. There are 25 on her confined to bed commenced committee. during the second week in Mrs. Helen Van Sickle's report January. Knitting, crochet work on the library committee and weaving material are reviewed how patients are provided to the patients with a supplied with books and desire to be busy. Other magazines three days a week. needlework and crafts will be The committee is looking for presented shortly.

excellent job in caring for the on the committee. smocks. We are most grateful to During 1969 the teenaged Dorothy Corp.

conveners, efficient committees of 5,276 hours since the service and many hardworking began. They also helped at the volunteers, the fund-raising Auxiliary's fund-raising events projects which include the and decorating the hospital at Party", "September Lawn O'Dell reported. In June four Party" and "Cook Book" have girls received pins for over 75 proven successful again this year. hours of service and one received

refreshments were supplied and more are on the waiting list. served for 12 hours to A committee set up to

represented at the following made, the convener reported. functions throughout the year - Special Occasions committee The Institute of Training at Don convener Mrs. Jane Copeland Willis. The Institute of Training reviewed the tray favors for at Kitchener. The Spring patients and decorating at the Conference at South Peel hospital through the year. Some Hospital, The District 5 Fall tray favors were displayed at the Conference in Oakville and the annual meeting. Convention of Hospital Publications convener Mrs. Auxiliaries Association of Rose Shannon told how the Omtario at the Royal York Hotel ladies compile and mail rosters

set up in June by Mrs. Dorothy year to all members. Wallace in the name and Mrs. Deanna Kempe, chairman memory of Eileen Merry, to be of Diversional Therapy, said the awarded annually to a deserving new service began on Nov. 13. Candystriper. This year it was They provide material and awarded to Jane Sanford. 'The instruction in simple handicrafts Centennial Bursary" of \$100 for the chronically ill patients was awarded to Jane Dewhurst, who can leave their beds, and now in training at the Hospital they also work in the for Sick Children.

executive members and all past to this work and have shown presidents attended a delightful particular interest in simple 10th anniversary party of our ceramic tiling, paint by numbers hospital at the Holiday Inn in and various kinds of Christmas Oakville.

"I would like to take this opportunity to express my sincere thanks to the Auxiliary Book schedule is big hit Board for their wonderful president, Mrs. Ptolemy for all van hours made permanent her help, the conveners and volunteers contributing to this Such widespread public with the service extended into worthy cause. I would like to enthusiasm has greeted the the evening hours as well, many thank the hospital's governing Oakville Public Library's new more people are being reached board and the very kind and bookmobile schedule, begun as than before. In addition, about thoughtful staff for their help an experiment back in 75 books each week are September last year, that it has deposited at Centennial Manor and support this past year.

Secretary Mrs. J. Delacourt now been put into permanent reported on attending the operation. District 5 conference at Oakville. "To be in on the "ground bookmobile is now open for

floor" of the Auxiliary's plans business from 2-5.30 p.m. and and ambitions, and to see how 6.30 - 8.30 p.m. daily and stops the efforts of each Auxiliary at the following places each member can culminate in week: McCraney Street. providing the welcome little Falgarwood, Halton Nurseries, extras of patient care, makes me I.G.A. Plaza Ninth Line, and proud to be a member of our Legion Hall and BP Performance Hospital Auxiliary," she said. Station in Bronte. Detailed

Financial reports showed schedules are available. members' equity or total financial effort since inception no other library facilities close at stands at \$37,105, of which hand and the new route covers a \$30,171 has been transferred to wider area than before, with the hospital and \$3,161 to the more centralized stops so that, gift shop committee. Receipts in 1969 totalled \$20,759 and expenses were \$16,987. Major money-makers were the garden party which brought in \$2,061, the gift shop \$1,380 and the Maytime ball \$1,362. Last year the Auxiliary bought \$9,032 of equipment for the hospital.

The gift shop report showed an equity of \$21,341 with current assets of \$6,944, and a gross operating profit in 1969 of \$3,455. Gift Shop convener Mrs. Grace Rowbottom reviewed a cheque had been turned over in June for \$800 and the year-end cheque was \$2,500.

Chairman of conveners Mrs. Gwynne Hamilton submitted a report reviewing her year's work.

Annual reports covering the "Our Auxiliary exemplifies the past year's activities were finest type of willing and presented Wednesday during the cheerful co-operation amonst its 11th annual meeting of the members and, as we all know, Milton District Hospital continues to expand in its various services to the patients

Mrs. Olive Dizon reviewed 120 "The services within the hours of work in the sewing hospital, under the capable room plus many hours of home guidance of dedicated conveners sewing by her committeeand their committees has gone general mending, altering drapes, very smoothly. All new members shortening gowns and smocks. have had an orientation of the The group has three sewing hospital, and have been placed in machines plus scissors on hand

and Carol Ellis and Audrey

Flower committee convener

donations of magazines in "With the addition of the two foreign languages as many New new services, our "In Hospital Canadians of Dutch, Italian and Services" now totals 10, with German origin are using the one lone convener doing an hospital. There are 17 members

volunteers, the Candystripers, "Due to the dedicated worked 1,263 hours for a total "Maytime Ball", "June Supper Christmas, convener Mrs. Iris "In October the Auxiliary a bar for over 150 hours. At sponsored a youth group at a present 23 girls are working as "Danceathon". Drinks and active Candystripers and seven

approximately 50 participants. welcome new babies, headed by In November the young people Mrs. Joyce Richardson, was presented the administrator with formed in June and in a cheque for \$831.20, as a 10th September began outfitting all anniversary gift to our hospital. new babies with booties. About "Our Auxiliary was very well 100 pairs of booties have been

for four committees, also the "A second bursary of \$25 was bulletin which is sent twice a

physiotherapy department. "The "In November the present patients responded wonderfully decorations," she said.

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Maytime Ball convener Mrs. J. First vice-president Mrs. R. B. Conway reported this event was Frame was the group's again a success with about 300 representative on the hospital's attending. Mrs. T. Marsh board of directors. She had reported the June supper party worked earlier in the year as saw 160 attending. This included chairman of conveners. As draw, auction sale and supper. chairman of Special Projects, she Cook Book co-convener Mrs. reported the Auxiliary last year R. McCuaig reviewed the installed the cardiac care unit which required extra wiring costing \$348, in the spring a rocking chair was purchased for paediatrics at \$28, and in the

summer two air conditioning

units were bought for the

cafeteria at a cost of \$670. Four

paintings by local artists were

bought for \$175 and two more

were donated, to brighten the

walls in some of the patients'

Auxiliary's first cook book project and said she hoped a second printing would soon be needed. To date over 1,000 of the 218-page books have been sold at \$3 and advertising brought in \$2,487 of the \$5,035 printing price.

September lawn party convener Mrs. W. Rowney reviewed this event, which was again a success. The Milton Arts

Crafts Society ran an outdoor art show adjacent to the lawn party which helped bring out a good crowd.

Convener of Membership Mrs. S. McFadden reported 46 new members joined last year and the present membership is 291.

Serving of refreshments at the annual meeting, June supper party, lawn party, Hospital Board's annual meeting and gift shop Christmas sale was reviewed by refreshment committee convener Mrs. H.

The final report was from Mrs. Ruth Wilson, publicity convener, covering the issue of two bulletins and regular news articles in The Champion.



SIX CANDYSTRIPERS—teenaged volunteers who worked in their spare time at Milton District Hospital-were honored by the Hospital Auxiliary during its annual meeting last week. Karen Barber, seated, received a bar for 150 hours of work while

Ingrid Van Lingen, Karen Waters, Sandi Featherstone, Anne Benest and Robin Lynn Gillard received pins for 75 hours of service. The awards were presented by Hospital Board chairman J. M. Ledwith.-(Staff Photo)

Mrs. E. Joyce is president Candystripers are honored

president of Milton District Hospital Auxiliary at the group's annual meeting, held Wednesday evening in the clinical classroom at the hospital.

A large number of members was on hand for the dessert coffee party, annual reports and election of officers. Mrs. H. Brown and her refreshment committee surpassed all previous efforts when they presented a taste-tempting array of desserts and coffee prior to the meeting. Highlighting the annual meeting were two presentations.

for circulation among the

residents there. Eliminating

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Mrs. E. Joyce was returned as Vice-president Mrs. R. B. Frame 10 years have contributed unveiled three new plaques 58,000 "lady-hours" of service. which will be hung in the "Please accept our most sincere hospital's quiet room, listing the thanks," he said, "we certainly winners of the Auxiliary's \$100 centennial bursary, the \$25 Eileen Merry memorial bursary, and a list of Auxiliary life

honored for long service during president Mrs. D. Ptolemy, the meeting. Karen Barber secretary Mrs. J. Delacourt, received a bar for 150 hours of treasurer Mrs. C. Anderson and work while Karen Waters, Ingrid chairman of conveners Mrs. G. Van Lingen, Sandi Featherstone, Anne Benest and Robin Lynn Gillard received pins for completing 75 hours of work. Hospital Board chairman J. M. Ledwith made the presentations.

The other 17 members of the Candystripers teenaged volunteer group were also introduced by convener Mrs. I. G. Stark and Mrs. D. Ptolemy. O'Dell. Their hours ranged from 17 to 1541/2.

Mr. Ledwith congratulated the ladies on their efforts on behalf of the board, the staff and the patients. He reviewed the fact they have to date donated \$37,200 to the hospital and in were on display afterward.

appreciate it." The slate of officers for 1970, as drawn by the nominating committee, was accepted. They include president Mrs. E. Joyce, Six members of the vice-presidents Mrs. R. B. Frame Candystriper group were and Mrs. R. F. McCuaig, past Hamilton.

Named to the board of directors for three, two and one year terms were Mrs. H. Brown, Mrs. G. Stark and Mrs. E. Gawronski. The moninating committee for next year includes Mrs. H. Galloway, Mrs. J. Hall, Mrs. S. McFadden, Mrs.

All the conveners of committees were introduced and thanked for their work. The meeting closed with two films and a display of the new baby booties and projects made by patients in diversional therapy

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Music festival stresses concert two April dates, adjudicator set

A concert to include music, gym display, choral reading and the concert. art will be sponsored by the North Halton Music Festival Association on Thursday evening, April 30. It will be held

in Milton High School auditorium. The emphasis this year will be on the con-competitive concert, it was decided at a general meeting of the association in the Robert Little school, Acton,

Monday, Jan. 26. The preceding day, April 29, the competitive festival will be held in music classes. Already nine schools have entered, and there may be more. For the first time the competition will be held at the M. Z. Bennett school, Acton. The events will all be over on the one day, and some of the winners will appear the following evening at the concert.

Adjudicator will be Mel Evans, music consultant in south Halton. All schools in North Halton

will be encouraged by festival executive to send some representation to the new type of concert. Forms will go out later suggesting, as well as music, gymnastic groups, plays, choral reading, solos, dance groups, instrumental groups or solos. An art display may also be set up in

the Milton school the night of

Festival association president Ray Morrison presided for the organizating meeting with Mrs. B. Benton as secretary-treasurer. Assistant area superintendents E. S. Lavender and Ron Campbell were also present with the another very successful festival. enthusiastic representatives.

Cover designs from students are still being sought.

In the fall, the future of the festival looked bleak when deep concern was felt over the value of competition, lack of music specialists in each school, and the amount of time involved. Finally the image of the festival began to change and other aspects will be included this year for the first time, as well as

Although some schools had opposed competition, or felt it too difficult to compete with only a regular classroom teacher in charge of choirs, entries in already pleased officials very

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