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Canada's leading life company again increases policyholders' dividends

With 47% of its assets invested in the United States and announcing a further increase in policy dividends, reducing insurance costs, the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada has just released its 81st Annual Report revealing the largest volume of new life insurance issued by any Canadian company in 1951—over \$461 million; an all-time high in benefits paid, and an increase in the interest rate earned on the assets last year.

George W. Burke, President, in announcing 1951 figures for Canada's leading life company, stated that total Sun Life insurance in force now stands at \$4,801,000,000, an increase during the year of \$340 million. Annuities in force provide immediate or future payments to the amount of \$104 million per annum. Group insurance in force now totals \$1,254 million, an increase of \$168 million (15.5%) during 1951. The rate of interest earned on the assets last year was 3.70% as compared with 3.61% in 1950; 3.48% in 1949 and 3.30% in 1948.

The Sun Life, a leading international life company with policyholder-service branches from coast to coast, last year paid out to policyholders and beneficiaries the all-time record sum of \$145 million, \$35 million was paid to beneficiaries of deceased policyholders, \$16 million under annuity contracts, \$35 million for maturity endowments, and the balance in dividends to policyholders, disability benefits, etc. Since the first Sun Life Policy was issued in 1871, total benefits paid to policyholders and beneficiaries have amounted to \$2,486 million. While the Company operates in 20 countries, 90% of the business originates in the United States, Canada and Great Britain.

A copy of the Sun Life's complete 1951 Annual Report to Policyholders, including the President's review of the year, may be obtained from

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DOUGLAS L. JOCELYN of Lakewood road snaps Mr. and Mrs. S. Truman Hart (center), of Guilford road, and Mrs. Jocelyn aboard the SS. Lurline on their February 9th departure from San Francisco for Honolulu.



RECENTLY APPOINTED ONE OF THE heads of the Mills College Weekly, Business Manager Mary Jane Frost looks over the paper for ideas for the spring semester of the College's centennial year. Mary Jane, a sophomore at the Oakland, Cal. college, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earle R. Frost of Aspen road.

Native Wildflowers to Be Displayed on Slides Saturday, February 23

The first presentation of the Color Slide Library of Michigan Wildflowers, established by the Southeastern chapter of the Michigan Botanical Club, will be made Saturday evening, February 23.

The show will be held at eight o'clock in the WWJ auditorium, with Carl Wilson, chairman of the committee which collected the library, showing the slides.

The Color Slide Library is available, without cost, for the use of interested groups. There is no admission fee for the February 23rd presentation, to which the public is invited.

Mills College Group to Honor Artist Alumna

Mrs. George H. Coleman of Puritan road hosted the Mills College Alumnae of Eastern Michigan for desert luncheon Saturday, February 9.

At the business meeting which followed, Mrs. Henry L. Floyd reported on her recent visit to the Oakland, California college where she attended the Alumnae Council meeting.

Plans were made for a pre-view showing and reception which the alumnae chapter are holding for the Jade Snow Wong exhibit which will open at the Art Institute March 18.

Miss Wong received her art training at Mills.

Another noted artist who studied at Mills is Katherine Choy, currently doing work at the Cranbrook Art Academy.

Local Teachers Attend United Nations Meet In New York Last Week

Dwight B. Ireland, Superintendent of Schools, headed a group of Birmingham teachers who attended the Fifth Annual United Nations Conference at New York University.

The group arrived in New York February 14 and returned Feb. 17.

Among those making the trip were Miss Dorothy Allen, Miss Mariel Bruse, Miss Angie Graziana, Mrs. Daisy Richards and Mrs. Geraldine Rue.

News About GIRL SCOUTS

Miss Jeanette Deever, Executive Director of Southern Oakland Girl Scouts, discussed the Southern Oakland organization at the meeting of the Birmingham Executive Committee, held February 15, at the Community House, Birmingham's transition status was discussed and questions were answered regarding its integration into the larger area council.

Also present was Mrs. Jack Savage, Jr., newly elected Organization Chairman for Birmingham, who announced that there will be a training session for Neighborhood Chairmen at the First Methodist Church in Royal Oak, February 25 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Neighborhood Chairmen for the troops that meet at the various Birmingham schools were appointed: Mrs. Earl B. Barnhart to Adams School, Mrs. F. W. Reynolds to Baldwin School, Mrs. D. A. D. Campbell to Franklin School, Mrs. Thomas Kavanaugh and Mrs. James O'Rourke to Holy Name School, Mrs. John Pietsch to Pierce School, Mrs. William Bird to Norton School, Mrs. J. A. Wilhelm to St. Hugo School, Mrs. N. E. Brown, Jr. to Vaughan

School, Mrs. C. R. DeVlieg to Wing Lake School, and Mrs. V. R. Storey to Torry School.

THERE WILL BE a swimming program available to girls who are ready to pass their swimming badge. Mrs. George Hoke, Chairman, announced that the Barnum Pool will be open on March 1 and March 2 from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. for Girl Scouts who qualify.

Mrs. Hoke also stated that plans are being made for the Juliette Low Birthday Celebration to be held at the Community House March 14 at 4 o'clock. As usual, each troop will be represented by two members of their choice.

On March 5, Mrs. Berrien Ketchum will conduct a meeting for incoming Brownie mothers. This is open to all mothers of second grade girls to acquaint them

with the wide scope of Girl Scout work.

TROOP 52—PIERCE SCHOOL. John Torrey was hostess to her fellow Brownies in Troop 52 at a spaghetti supper and Valentine party at her home.

Have You Met . . .

Former Detroiters, Mr. and Mrs. Edson Burton and their family, Nangle, 4, Spike, 2, and 1-year-old Tommy? They have been making their home at 1205 Eton road since August. Mr. Burton is vice-president of the Burton Abstract and Title Company and a member of the University Club. His hobby is writing. Mr. and Mrs. Burton are affiliated with Phi Kappa Psi, Zeta Phi Eta, and Kappa Kappa Gamma.

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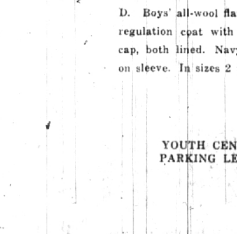
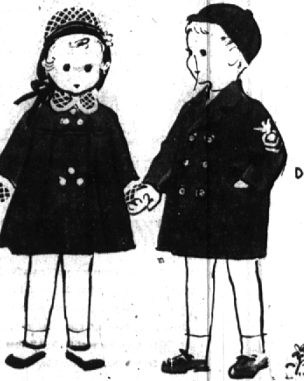
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