

March 22, 1996

Dear Mr. Longmore:

We, the membership of the Mar Women's Institute, would like to recommend the name of the late Florence White be added to your "Wall of Honour".

Florence was a life member of the Mar Branch of Women's Institute and was very active in all the activities at the local Branch, and District level, holding many different offices over the years.

She was a loving wife and devoted mother to a fine family of eight children. Florence touched many lives and it is difficult to enumerate her many offices and volunteer activities. She was very active in St. Paul's Presbyterian Church and was a tireless worker in all phases of the church life. She was a long-time member and active participant in the Wiarnton Steppers Square Dancing Club and the Bruce Ski Club.

As you know, she did volunteer work for many years at the Wiarnton Hospital. She always had a cheerful smile and a helping hand. As if that were not enough, she also spent many, many hours volunteering for the Gateway Haven Auxiliary. If there was ever a pie to be baked, a quilt to be made, an office to fill, or in short, any job that needed doing, Florence was the first to volunteer and she did it with uncommon grace and good humour. One of the jobs she enjoyed was canvassing in her neighbourhood for the Canadian Cancer Society, which she did for approximately 14 years.

We all miss her very much and would be pleased to have her name inscribed on the Hospital "Wall of Honour".

Yours truly,

Colleen Knowles, Pres.
Mar Women's Institute.