

welcome sign in front of hall. Timmins used reports to the press, radio, posters at the fashion show, wearing of pins and using notices. Porquis Junction uses press, radio and prominently wear W.I. pins.

At this point Miss Lewis mentioned a W.I. branch who had one phone number that when called all members could listen. This worked well there but it might not go over so well with some telephone companies.

WAR WORK

Mrs. C. Briggs, convener, Golden Star, reported: a total of \$141.59 was spent on sending boxes to boys overseas, filling ditty bags, buying wool and materials for sewing.

Thirty large quilts were made, also 17 girls dresses, 34 pairs of mitts, 9 women's dresses, 72 pairs of socks, 14 nightgowns, four pairs of gloves, two pairs pyjamas, 10 large sweaters, four layettes, and two pair stockings, plus sweaters, bonnets, bootees for babies.

Cordial relations have existed between the Red Cross and Red Shield of the Salvation Army and the Women's Institutes. The Red Cross supplied the materials and the W.I. the labour. Holtyre reports most of their work was accomplished this way. Friendship Circle raised their own funds to purchase wool and materials. They report \$456.00 spent during war years in their to help the boys and relieve distress.

Timmins Branch packed a box of knitted comforts, reading material and goodies for minesweepers. 12 Ditty bags were also