

This float in the Bowmanville Centennial Parade seems especially clear cut and uncluttered with unnecessary detail.



Mount Hope Centre Bruce for their meeting on education, had a talk on the Owen Sound school for retarded children, the speaker showing samples of the children's work. Several branches have had speakers from these schools in other areas.

Ripley: A Christmas party to which all the women of the village were invited. Twelve card tables were set up. Those whose birthdays came in January gathered around the first table; those with February birthdays around the second, and so on. The members at each table contributed a number to the programme so they had songs, readings and other features.

Purple Grove: "Have everyone come to a meeting wearing something to represent a song."

Tiverton recommends a debate "Resolved that a woman's place is in the home rather than in business."

Whitechurch enjoyed their grandmother's meeting when all the members brought their wedding pictures causing a lot of amusement.

Reidville had the School Nurse explain her services at one of the meetings.

East Korah members took a St. John Ambulance course in first aid and home nursing.

Many branches had a representative from the nearest Cancer Society give an illustrated talk, following which they assisted the society by making dressings and giving donations.

Kars: A panel discussion on Radio and T.V. Evaluation.

Antrim: We find that a great deal of interest results from our 4-H Homemaking Club and a splendid home economics programme can be planned having the girls use their training for demonstrations and exhibits. This year First Aid seemed to be popular with everyone as the girls had it in their project "The Club Girl Stands on Guard" and the senior extension project was "Hints for the Home Nurse."

Dunrobin had an interesting talk from a Health and Welfare official, based on a survey among senior citizens telling what they had for food, what they did for entertainment and

in general how they managed on their old age pension.

Clute recommends having school teachers and public health nurses tell about their work and where the Department of Lands and Forest has staff in the community getting them to speak at a meeting, showing films if possible.

Orangeville recommends a panel discussion on Women's Institute Problems and How to Overcome Them.

Jubilee Frontenac: Accidents in the Home and Treatment for emergencies by a St. John Ambulance representative.

Maxwell says: "A panel discussion on etiquette was most appreciated as we learned many things practised in entertaining in the home."

Pleasant View and Pine Corners each recommend a wall papering demonstration by a local dealer.

Zion: "We liked our panel discussion on 'Which is the most responsible for bringing up a child — the home, the school or the church?'" **Castleton** had a debate: "Resolved that the school has a greater influence on a child than the home has."

Belgrave arranged to have a teacher of auxiliary classes from Grey county speak at a public meeting which school boards, teachers, inspectors and parents were urged to attend.

Oxdrift reports: "At our December meeting talks and discussions on Christmas In Other Lands' were given by members and friends who have come to Canada recently." Their "principal subjects of study" were fire hazards in the home, ways to prevent fire, fire extinguishers and general safety in the home.

Britton Pioneers had a local man conduct classes in basket weaving.

Wabash had "an interesting panel on Institute affairs condensed from a paper borrowed from the loan library."

Froomefield, instead of having an exchange of gifts at the December meeting sent Christmas gifts to cancer patients.