

Senior homemaking club members selected to attend the conference in recognition of their accomplishments in club work and their contribution to the good of their clubs.

that club work was important, assisting them in many ways. They paid special tribute to their local leaders and were grateful to the Women's Institutes who sponsored their 4-H Homemaking Clubs.

Mother's interest and continual encouragement was rated of prime importance as she helps them collect pictures, checks their spelling, reminds them to keep Record Books up to date, holds club meetings in their home and lets them use the kitchen. Yes, her encouragement and consistent interest keeps them at it and makes them really try.

They considered what they, as club members, did well, and then faced in a forthright manner what they could do better. Some of the standards they set for themselves were: Be on time at meetings, with home assignments and Record Books. Be attentive, considerate and dependable and ready to co-operate with leaders. Take part in discussions. Wear appropriate clothes to meetings. Leave meeting place tidy and be a courteous guest

at home meetings. Start earlier on demonstrations and exhibits and use imagination. Write better club stories. They made a request that more opportunity be given members to demonstrate at club meetings. They said they should ever be alert to newcomers in their community and to potential club members.

Music was a very special part of every session. A pageant, "On Guard For Thee" with mothers of various ethnic groups wearing native costumes, depicted in song and verse their place in Canada down through the years.

The girls had so much in common: school, home, family, club membership, being a Canadian, belonging to the commonwealth and being young women in the amazing world of today. From their conference experience it appeared that they had caught a glimpse and a vision of what "being a Canadian" could mean to them as young women with a desire to learn, a willingness to work and a spirit of adventure.

Members of the pageant "On Guard for Thee." Unfortunately, Heather Ann Hutton who took the part of Miss Canada is not in the picture.

