At Burwick a Presbyterian minister from Persia gave a "blackboard talk" on Persia, presented slides from Persia and recordings of folk music taped for him at a radio station in Iran. This clergyman has been in Canada only four years.

At Elder's Mills three new Canadian citizens of the community were interviewed, telling of their first impressions of Canada, what they missed of their homeland, and their experience in getting their citizenship papers.

Richview studied South Africa, its history, geography, industries, people and laws regarding racial discrimination. They also studied life in Holland as compared with life in Canada in relation to industries, products, schools, festivals and religions.

## Historical Research

Berwick's convener of historical research gave an interesting talk on "family Trees". Answering the roll call, each member gave a brief history of her family, dating back to pioneer days. A Crown Deed was on exhibit and suggestions were given for making a family history scrap book.

Ospringe took the bell of the old school and had it erected on a cairn.

Riverside's historical research program featured the histories of farms and a display of old brass articles and their history. Aldershot has had histories of local churches at their meetings. Highland Creek helped with the publication of the history of a school in the locality. Their secretary reports that the convener of historical research has helped school pupils with material for speeches and other school work and has provided historical information for Guides and Scouts. Edgeley presented the historical book "The Woodbridge Story" for the school library.



Marilyn Pegelo, who received the 1961 Bruce County Ontario Women's Institute Scholarship. Marilyn has completed eight Homemaking Club units and several agricultura! clubs. She is active in her church; had a high standing in school; and is now at Western University studying for her Medical Degree.

Jenneth, Eleanor winner of the 1961 Simcoe County Mrs. Alfred Watt Ontario Women's Institute Scholarship. Eleanor now attending College, Victoria University of Toronto. She has completed fourteen 4H Homemaking Club units, is interested in C.G.I.T. choir work and other music and is a Red Cross swimming instructress.



## To Gain New Members

Combernere: "We invited through the press, all ladies interested to come to whatever courses we had. We gained new friends and new members, two of whom live twenty and thirty-six miles away but they are keenly interested."

Cumberland: "Efforts are being made to interest the young women of the district. This has been quite successfully done through Local Leader projects and short courses."

Sunday Creek: "We will ask some of our past members if they will rejoin."

West End: "Written invitations are to be sent to non-member mothers of 4-H Homemaking Club girls to come to the Institute's Girls' Meeting."

Blue Lake and Auburn: "A number of new homes have been built in our area bringing us new neighbors. We are endeavoring to contact the women and welcome them to our meetings."

Good Luck recommends "verbal invitations and having other organizations join in the short courses."

Owen Sound Junior Institute had a skating party to interest prospective members. They propose to try the "Each one bring one" idea.

Melrose: "See that new neighbours are taken to meetings as well as others in the community who do not belong." Balsam Creek: "Start projects worth working for." Thibeault Hill says: "We have a good enrolment but we plan to keep meetings varied and interesting to maintain enthusiasm." At Teeterville a contest in obtaining new members resulted in nine new members with the promise of several others to join later.

Port Ryrse hopes to interest young mothers. Some have been coming as guests and it is hoped they will join this year. Community plans to have each hostess invite her neighbors who are not members.