

Mrs. Wilfred Libby, convener of Home Economics and Health for the Oldcastle Branch presenting a cheque to Mr. Garnet Pickard, assistant administrator of the I.O.D.E. hospital at Windsor to pay for the special crib to be used in the Pediatric Wing of the Hospital. Left to right — Mrs. Teresa Solinsky, director of nursing; Mrs. W. A. Crowder, past president of the Oldcastle Branch; Mrs. Pickard and Mrs. Libby.



**Oldcastle** — On December of 1966 eight children from the Oldcastle Community lost their lives as the result of a gravel truck and school bus crash. As a Centennial Project, the fifteen member Branch of the Oldcastle Women's Institute raised the money for a specially built crib to be dedicated to the memory of the eight victims of the accident.

**Hymers** — guest, the district health nurse, speaking on aging, said people should consider these questions well before retirement — "What income will you need? Where will you live? What about friends and hobbies?"

**Fenelon Falls** — speaker — telling of Home Economics as it is taught in Grades eleven and twelve in schools.

**Acton** — speaker — a police constable who told the meeting that 300 people are killed and 3000 hospitalized by carelessly crossing the streets. (1) Check car before starting out. (2) Always keep two car lengths behind a car on the highway. (3) Keep drugs out of the reach of children. (4) Don't have anything to do with strangers who pose as bank managers, salesmen, etc. (5) Notify the police if you go on vacation and leave your address. Give a neighbour a key and have him change a light or the drapes once in awhile. (6) Don't let newspapers pile up on your doorstep. Have a neighbour park his car in your driveway.

**Campbell's Corners** — film from Ontario Hydro — Safety With Electricity.

**Summerstown** — entertained members of the local Catholic Women's League at their December meeting.

**Teeterville** — meeting on citizenship; members attended a citizenship court to see 76 persons receive citizenship papers. (Ed. Note: Some branches arrange a citizenship party to welcome all new Canadians in the community who have received Canadian citizenship papers during the year.)

**Waubushene** — motto — "The Canada we enjoy was not brought to nationhood by timid citizens."

**Coronation** — speaker telling the story of the development of our flag including the story of the use of the maple leaf on our flag.

**Lansdowne** — The branch chartered a bus for members and friends to spend Easter weekend in New York.

**Walter's Falls** — member prepared a paper on "The History of Tea" and gave hints for the best procedure for making tea.

**Queenston St. David's** — convener of Citizenship and Education led a discussion, "Education For The Gifted Child".

**Castlemore** — roll call — ways to show appreciation for being a Canadian citizen — Always get out to vote at election time. Be helpful to New Canadians in the community.

**Castlemore** — speaker telling the story of the beginning of the Eaton stores. She said "Mr. Eaton was the first to install an escalator in his stores. Wax figures were placed on the escalators to ride up and down before passengers would try them."

**Melbourne** — donation to Quad County Association for retarded.

**Gravelridge** — speaker said, "Experts who have conducted surveys have recently discovered that one of the most important factors in the cause of motor accidents is a poor mental attitude, often caused by stress, strain, worry and even loneliness."

**Inwood** — speaker explained methods of Highway Patrol by aircraft.

**Philipville** — Leaders were sent to the "Baking With Yeast" local leader training school at Brockville. Later, all members enjoyed a demonstration by the leaders and samples of the products along with a hot cup of tea.