

Members of the Wingham Women's Institute, from left—Mrs. Lockridge, Miss Marion Simpson, Mrs. MacLennan, Mrs. Les Jacklin and Mrs. Alvin Orvis, wearing Japanese "happy coats". The display on the table and the fan are articles shown at a Branch International meeting. The child's garment is also a "happy coat".

With The F.W. I. O. Branches

INTERNATIONAL

Bethany — The branch members enjoyed display of a stamp collection. Of special interest were stamps from New Zealand, Australia, England, United States and a special set of Welsh stamps that had been issued for Prince Charles' investiture.

Nestleton — A Dutch Canadian member demonstrated the preparation of three dishes of food popular in Holland.

Streetsville — An explanation of the use of "Pennies For Friendship" was given at a branch international meeting.

Ashgrove — This branch had an interesting meeting when a guest speaker told of letter friends she had acquired through the Associated Countrywomen of the World. The speaker said that she has corresponded with a lady from Scotland and with a non-English-

speaking lady from Copenhagen, Denmark. Another friend the speaker has acquired is from Queensland, Australia. This friend has sent books, magazines, calendars and a beautiful scrap book put together by the members of the branch. In the scrap book there is a message from each member and a picture of herself and her family.

Arkona — A talk on the Culture and History of Ireland and Irish music provided an interesting program for a branch meeting.

Lawrentian View — Each year the branch chooses a different country for their theme for the International Meeting.

Lockesley Rankin — A feature of the International Meeting was a display of flags of the countries belonging to A.C.W.W.W. The work and purpose of A.C.W.W. was explained