



Members of Wingham Women's Institute attending the 70th Anniversary of the founding of their branch. Back row from left — Mrs. Emily Elston, President; Mrs. Norman Keating, Mrs. Gordon Gannett, Mrs. Charles Carter. Front row — Mrs. George Orvis and Mrs. George Kerr.

St. Pauls. "Even a doll she had brought home from Russia didn't have a happy face", said a speaker at a branch meeting telling of a recent trip to Russia.

Gadshill. A speaker used the theme, "One thousand and one reasons why I'm proud to be a Canadian. The beauty of our countryside, the rich diversity of our people, our Canadian writers, poets, painters, scientists, etc. were mentioned as reasons to be proud of being Canadians.

Hillsburg — For The International Day Program a paper was presented telling of China's admission to the United Nations.

Stanley. A talk on the objectives of the United Nations with an explanation of agencies such as Food and Agriculture Organization (F.A.O.), World Health Organization (W.H.O.), and United Nations Educational Scientific and Culture Organization (U.N.E.S.C.O.), was a feature of a branch meeting.



Mrs. C. B. Johnson, the oldest active member of the Thornton Women's Institute, at the Branch celebration of its 70th birthday.

Coronation Roll Call — "A duty of Canadians as World Citizens." It was stated that we should treat new Canadians as we would wish to be treated in similar circumstances.

Clearview. "How many grams in a pound of butter?" This question started the initial lesson on the Metric system for branch members.

Kemble — The Canadian oath of allegiance was read at a branch meeting.

West Arran Roll Call — "I resolve." Program topic for the meeting was "Resolutions."

Purple Valley — Members were urged to "get involved and know what is going on in your community."

Mount Hope. A contest, "Do You Know Canada?" provided some interesting information at a branch meeting.

Pine Orchard — Several members attended a court where immigrants became Canadian citizens, then by means of a skit dramatized the procedure at a branch meeting.



From left — Mrs. R. Stafford, a member of the Wingham East Women's Institute and Charter Member Mrs. G. Topping and Mrs. R. Tucker being presented with Women's Institute cups and saucers by Charter Member Mrs. M. Withers.

Cloverlea. Slides of Ontario scenes were a feature of a branch meeting program. The commentator pointed out that we do not have to go out of Ontario to see interesting scenes.

White School — A speaker, a padre at a penal institution gave a talk on Penal Institutions in Canada at Federal, Provincial and County levels.

Cambray — Members of this branch attended a Court Session.

Shedden — Three members researched the duties of a Township Reeve, a Justice of the Peace and a Clerk Treasurer and by means of a skit presented their findings at a Branch meeting.

Gadshill. Special guests at a branch meeting were women who were new Canadians in the Community. The guests showed items of interest which they had brought from their native lands and told about them.