

**VERSCHOYLE W.I.** sponsored the erection of a cairn commemorating SS No. 6 Dereham School. The bricks and the bell from the school were used in building the cairn. Former pupils, teachers and community residents were invited to the dedication and unveiling. Mrs. Lorne Daniel, Tweedsmuir History Curator compiled the history of the school. The unveiling was presented by Miss E. Daniel and Mr. A. Ellery.

**Mitchell Square W.I.** members learned about the care of ornamental shrubs. Guest speaker, supervisor for Sheridan Nurseries, Hawkestone, Mr. Lorne Thompson told about the care needed from planting time until the day of sale.

**Sparrow Lake W.I.** Under the convener of Education and Cultural Activities, answered the roll call "Does the present education system meet the needs of today." The motto—"It's strange how much you've got to know before you know how little you know." Guest speaker, library board member, Mrs. M. McCleary from the Gravenhurst library told about her work, the members exchanged books and magazines.

**Atherley W.I.** A Christmas party was enjoyed by all members. Santa arrived at the annual dinner and listened to the members Christmas wishes. Carol singing, games and skits were enjoyed especially a skit by Jesse Thompson and Lila Lewis entitled Mrs. Johnson's One Wheel Taxi.



Five life members gather at 75th Anniversary of Walkerton W.I. L-r Mrs. Geo. Damm, Mrs. W. H. McBurney, Mrs. E. W. Krampp, Mrs. H. McNaughton, seated Mrs. Neil Smith. Absent Mrs. A. Cunningham.



South Grenville W.I. play host to Stormont District. Over 100 were in attendance for the smorgasbord followed by speeches, skits and entertainment. Above are presidents and planners of the special event.



Nancy Dickieson, winner of the Wellington South W.I. scholarship is sitting beside her dad, Mr. B. Dickieson at the dinner table. Nancy is now attending University of Guelph enrolled in the BA programme.



Australian Country Woman's Association member visits member of Carry On W.I. Mrs. Allan Mottram of New South Wales, liaison officer for the yearly Land Cookery Contest held in Sydney visited W.I. member Mrs. Lloyd Butt. While here the Branch had a tea in her honour and presented her with a spoon. L-r Mrs. M. Audet, President Carry On W.I. poses with Mrs. A. Mottram from down under.

#### RODNEY W.I.

Mrs. Earl Morden FWIO Secretary Treasurer was the special speaker at the 70th Anniversary celebration. She told about the sessions, PEI day and speakers participating in the 7th National Convention.

Mrs. Mary Plyley and Mrs. C. Campbell two of the oldest members were able to be present but unfortunately the only life member Mrs. Bessie McMillan was unable to attend. Mrs. Plyley had the honour of cutting the anniversary cake.

Musical selections, greetings from guests and a social hour were thoroughly enjoyed.

**McIntyre W.I.** hold meeting on education. Two school teachers spoke about the educational system referring specifically to open concept schools. A question and answer period followed.