

Emergency Kit and Resuscitator donated by Sunderand WI to the Sunderland Brock Medical Centre. Dr. Micheals said "the equipment will be a great advantage because it will help support life until the ambulance arlives." L-R Dr. Micheals, Mrs. Gus Lask, Mrs. Ross W. Shier, President; Mrs. Elmer Annis, Mr. Keith Rynard, Mayor of Brock Township; absent Mrs. Mac Armstrong.



Mr. Harold Jordan, Chief, receives a beeper and pager in behalf of the Bathurst, Burgess, Drummond and Jorth Elmsley Township Fire Department. This aid to be worn by the fireman living nearest the Second Line of Drummond. L-R Mrs. George Rathwell, PRO; Mrs. Gerrit Luflang, assistant Secretary; Mrs. Thomas James, President, presented the fire fighting aid from the Second Line WI.

MISS NELLIE McCUSKER

The Chamber of Commerce of Plantagenet honoured Miss McCusker with the "Citizen of the Year Award". Because of her work in the CNIB, the Cancer Society, Golden Age Club and the Community, she is most deserving. Also she was the first nurse in the Pinecrest Nursing Home when it was opened.

Miss McCusker is a Life Member, Past President and Secretary of the Plantagenet Branch of the Women's Institute. Tweedsmuir History Curator for the District. She was responsible for compiling information for the Plantagenet Centennial book, "History of the Plantagenet Parish".

She still lives in the home where she was born 77 years ago. "Nellie" recalls many memories of the village, but in turn the residents have much respect and admiration for a kind and generous lady.

Elmbrook WI members have demonstration of leather tooling by Carrie Moran and Michelle Hadley. Everyone then made bookmarks and coasters.

GEORGE DID IT

George Barr made a replica of the Erland Lee Home so his wife Mary could promote the Foundation Fund project.

Mary Barr, FWIO Board Director for Subdivision 24 took the replica to all 4 of her District Annuals and after emphasizing how important the Foundation Fund is to the well being of the project passed the basket around to the delegates, the end result, the Foundation Fund is \$151.15 richer.



DISTRICT HONOUR

A District Life Membership was presented to Mrs. C. E. Yeates at the Parry Sound North District Annual held at Golden Valley.

Mrs. Yeates has held all offices at Branch level and most of the offices at District level including nine years as President and performed the duties of Area Secretary Treasurer.

She served a term on the Provincial Board of Directors of FWIO as well as a term as Provincial Convener of Citizenship and Education.

SCHOOL BELL

"If the bell could speak its memory, it would tell of calling many children to their classes and farmers to their meals."

The bell, a former land mark at the Winchelsea school SS No. 6 Usborne Township, was first in the white brick school built in 1868, then placed in the new school built in 1920 and closed in 1964. In excellent condition for its years, the bell, well over a century old weighed around 400 pounds.

This project by Hurondale Elimville and Kirkton Branches was undertaken in order to preserve the beautiful old bell, place it on a cairn and mark it with a historic plaque.



The bell from the former Winchelsea School was dedicated at its new location at Usborne Central School recently L-R Kirkton WI President, Mrs. Mervin Shute; Elimville WI Curator Mrs. Theron Creery; Hurondale WI Curator, Mrs. Harry Strang; Huron County Board of Education Superintendent Robert Allen; Student Council President Sharon Rundle.