

INSTITUTE RECEIVE SLIDE SET

The Richmond Women's Institute, Carleton West District was presented with an historical slide set and accompanying audio cassette tape by the South Carleton High School. The slides are stored in album form with written notes as well as the cassette, for use by the Branch in the community.

During the meeting, Mrs. Elwin Vaughan, Curator was presented with a Life Membership for her valued service to the WI. Mrs. Vaughan also served as Chairman of the local Music Festival Committee for several years.

FARM SAFETY MEETING

Mrs. Walter Bolger Farm Safety Convener for Ponsonby WI, Wellington South District welcomed Mrs. Mike Millar, Farm Safety education representative for Wellington County.

She showed slides and spoke about the dangers in the home. She discussed such problems as overloading receptacles, smoking in bed, misuse of plastic bags and the proper storage of medicines, and how accidents could be avoided. She emphasized the importance of placing cooking utensils on the stove surface and the dangers of handles exposed within reach of small children.



Lowerby WI, Algoma East District. Mrs. Hester Dumond, Charter member chats with Mrs. Doris Goodmurphy at the branches 30th Anniversary tea. Mrs. Goodmurphy, a new member was responsible for baking and decorating the cake.

OPEN HOUSE

Harvie Settlement WI, Simcoe East District marked the 60th Anniversary with an open house at the home of Mrs. Howard Moore.

Over 100 members and guests from the surrounding area were welcomed by the President, Mrs. Ray Parnham. All seven life members were on hand to mingle with the guests.

Among the displays was the Tweedsmuir History Book. The book includes records and pictures of 4-H work since it was first organized by the WI in 1952, pictures and material about the 40th and 50th anniversaries.

Two quilts created much interest. Names of the residents of the time were sewn on the quilt blocks, one was made by Harvie Settlement Branch in the year 1921, the other was made by the Forest Home Ladies Aid in 1937.



Golden Lake W.I., Renfrew North District chartered a bus to visit the Niagara Peninsula. The charter proved to be a financial success for the Branch. Members see their first view of the Falls.



Campania WI, Dufferin South District won first prize for a quilted cushion top made by Mrs. Geo Burnside, former FWIO Board Director, at the 75th Central Area Convention. Also on display is the Central Area Tea Towel, specially designed and sold for the anniversary.



Ballinafad WI, Halton District. Head table guests celebrating 25th anniversary. L-r front row Mrs. Jessie McEnery; Mrs. Joyce Beaton, guest speaker; Mrs. Leo Jamieson, President; Mrs. Margaret Davidson; back row Mrs. Slessoraitis; Mrs. Wm. McLean; Mrs. Maxine Ellerby, Organizer; Mrs. Frank Smith.