

Through the Women's Committee, coloring books were distributed to school children in grade III in one county to help increase awareness of tractor safety.



Under the Tractor Safety, if this symbol is attached to the vehicle, another \$100 additional benefit is added to the policy.

A view of Niagara Falls, a shopping spree and on home to Columbus and vicinity completed a visit that will not soon be forgotten.

Mrs. Iona Patterson expressed appreciation all along the way as well as Miss Jean Werts, Director of Women's Activities. F.W.I.O. President, Mrs. Clarence Diamond and Secretary Treasurer, Mrs. Earl Morden had an opportunity to meet the guests on various occasions.

The idea originated at A.C.W.W. when Mrs. Herb Maluske and Miss Werts set the wheels in motion for this tour. From then on, Mrs. George Powell, F.W.I.O. Hospitality Convener was in charge. Working through Board Directors and local branches, the tour was then mapped out.

Signing autographs, comparing organizational notes, meeting new friends seemed to become a way of life for a few days. It was a happy event and a good learning experience and as Mrs. Diamond said, "We have reached out and communicated through the A.C.W.W. The organization has formed a circle of friendships, provided projects, hopes and aims, and has assisted in broadening our life styles. Good cheer and a warm welcome makes a warm heart."



Mrs. John Charlton, secretary of Adelaide Hoodless Homestead tells about the history of the house.

WI's On The Go

SHEFFIELD W.I. WENTWORTH NORTH DISTRICT—observed its 70th anniversary. Mrs. W. Losee of Stoney Creek and Mrs. Elgin Patrick, both Charter members, along with life members Mrs. Arthur Decker and Mrs. David Main, were present when 75 women gathered in old time costumes, complete with high buttoned shoes and umbrellas to renew friendships and review the work of the W.I.

SEBRINGVILLE W.I., PERTH SOUTH DISTRICT—entertained neighboring branches at their 70th Anniversary. Mrs. Gerald Brickman, proprietor of a country garden and greenhouse, spoke about and gave a demonstration on plants. How to mix proper soil, plant bulbs and seeds and slip plants. Mrs. Harold Thiel, guest speaker, said "A successful Institute depends on each member." She interpreted the Mary Stewart Collect to give it special meaning to the members. Old time recipes were handed in by members to be compiled into book form and sold. Mrs. Ronald Boyce presented Mrs. Erle Thornton with a W.I. cup and saucer in appreciation of her leadership as president during the last five years.

MOUNTAIN VIEW, PRINCE EDWARD COUNTY—entertained 140 guests during an afternoon tea at the 70th anniversary. Mrs. Lily Morton, one of the first members received a corsage. The first minutes were read from the founding Institute who really were responsible for the formation of branches throughout the province.

BLOOMFIELD W.I., PRINCE EDWARD COUNTY—marked their 70th anniversary with the theme, "Olden Days". Sing-songs, skits, readings and a parade of hats provided the evening entertainment for the 150 audience.

HORNBY W.I., HALTON DISTRICT—celebrated their 70 years with a smorgasbord luncheon in Georgetown, then returned to the home of their oldest member, Mrs. P. W. Merry, former Guelph Area President. Mrs. Merry took everybody back in time as she told about the old crafts, straw ticks, down comforters, barn raisings and the olden times at the Milton library.

60TH

MALDEN W.I. ESSEX SOUTH DISTRICT—celebrated a 60th with 89 members and guests, of that number 49 were descendents of the 19 founding members. Mrs. Gladys Braun was the only member whose mother was one of the 19.

Those present enjoyed a skit as well as hearing about the various levels of W.I. from branch through to A.C.W.W.

BETHANY W.I. DURHAM EAST DISTRICT participated in Art Festival Week for Victoria County. The W.I. contributes articles to the Festival. As well as this community minded effort, the members went on a bus trip to see around the Parliament Buildings in Toronto, and to meet with their local member, John Ekins, M.P.P.