

# Network

- Leadership Workshops organized by the Rural Organizations and Services Branch for members of all rural organizations will be held across the province in Winter 1983. All Women's Institute groups are welcome to send representatives. Watch for details on the workshop closest to your area or call your local Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food for more details.
- The provincial office of the Federated Women's Institutes of Ontario is now located in Guelph effective January 17, 1983. The new telephone number is 519-823-5700 and the new address is:  
Guelph Agriculture Centre  
Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food  
P.O. Box 1030  
Guelph, Ontario  
N1H 6N1
- **ACWW Conference**  
University of British Columbia, Vancouver, B.C. June 19-29 ... 1983  
Contributing Members apply to ACWW office for registration forms.  
Transportation ... Air Canada and Canadian Pacific are official airlines for Conference.  
Phone Air Canada 1-800-361-7585 for special individual rates and possibly for groups of 15 or over.
- **Stamps for ACWW conference**  
Mail to Mrs. Russell Campbell R.R. 1, Iona Station N0L 1P0 before March 1st, 1983.  
Leave 1/4" of envelope around each stamp, no Queen's head, packages of 6, 12 or 25 in transparent envelopes; 1 country only to a package, label the country.
- **Gifts for Sales Table at ACWW conference**  
Of good quality, easily packed, small, not breakable, crafts of all kinds, Priced from \$2.00 to \$20.00 Mail to Mrs. C. Diamond, Box 811, New Hamburg N0B 2G0 before March 15, 1983  
Donations may be sent in lieu of gifts to Mrs. John Brown, Box 69, Washago L0K 2B0. Make cheque payable to Mrs. Brown and mark for ACWW sales.
- **Erland Lee Museum Home**  
Chairman Mrs. M. Miller

reported a busy year with 702 visitors during WI week. The response to the special Anniversary mug was great. The handcrafts and articles donated by Northern and Kingston Areas were sold for \$903.00. A highlight was the special dinner when the Lee Committee entertained Mrs. Westebring - Muller, the world President. A special thanks to those who donated quilt blocks, tops, and kits for tops with the sales amounting to \$439.00

- **Coming events.**  
Guelph Area Day ... April 13, 1983.  
WI week ... May 31-June 1, 2, 1983.  
WI Branches and Districts are invited to hold meetings at the Lee. Facilities are available for making a cup of tea and meeting may be held outside or in the Drive House. Contact Mrs. Victor Beachin R.R. 1, 552 Ridge Rd., Stoney Creek, L8G 3X4 or phone 416-662-2691 for arrangements. Visiting ... Monday to Friday 10 A.M. to 4 P.M. except for February.
- Topics for Convenerships for the Triennium from FWIC:  
"Unlimited Potential - Women"  
**Agriculture** — Women and Pollution on the farm.  
**Canadian Industries** — How women are coping with Industry shut-down, and unemployment.  
**Citizenship & Legislation** — Pornography and Human Rights.  
**Education & Cultural Affairs** — The effect on women micro technology in the workplace and in the home.  
**International Affairs** — More support of ACWW projects, biographies of international women and prepare a dialogue for Branch meetings on one or more of these women.
- **Helen M. McKercher Scholarship**  
The Scholarship was established by the Federated Women's Institutes of Ontario, in recognition of Helen M. McKercher's contribution to Home Economics. One Scholarship to be offered by the Federated Women's Institutes of Ontario in 1983.  
**Value:** \$1200.00 (first half paid at beginning of course, the re-

mainder upon completion.)

**Eligibility:** Canadian Citizen, Ontario resident for at least five years.

(a) Home Economics Graduate of a recognized Canadian University, pursuing a Master's Degree

OR

(b) Diploma Course Graduate of Home Economics Education, planning to advance to degree level.

- **FWIC Cultural Project No. 1**  
Title ... A Canadian Mosaic of Songs to sing  
1. Three songs (a) An old favourite from your Province. (b) A completely original song from your Province. (c) A well known melody with a parody.  
2. We need both words and music — Please get permission to print so that we have no legal problems with copyrights etc.  
3. Please send to FWIO office before Dec. 30, 1983. These will be compiled and printed before the 1985 FWIC convention.
- **FWIC Cultural Project No. 2**  
This project is designed to make our cultural heritage better known throughout our Provinces.  
Profile ... On Three artists from your Province.  
(a) Painter (b) a Writer (c) a Musician  
Each artist should be either native to your Province or one who has resided there and plans to reside there in the future, i.e. one who truly represents *Your* Province.  
Please be sure you have permission to use their works so that there is no copyright problem. These profiles will be used in an album so the pages should be approximately 8 1/2" by 11" printed on only one side of a sheet.  
Mail to FWIO office by Aug. 30, 1983. This album will be available for loan from the National office when completed.
- F.W.I.C. will begin a first-ever "white" sale in January. Tea Towels will be offered at \$2.50 each, with lots of 10 or more at