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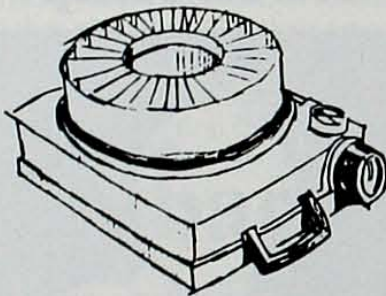
Two sets of slides, kept at the FWIO office in Guelph, are available for loan to WI Branches across the province.

The first, entitled *From Here to There With the Women's Institute*, was prepared by former *Home & Country* editor Marg Zoeller and contains 80 slides and a commentary. It depicts activities at the Erland Lee Home, Officers' Conference and the International Plowing Match, just to name a few.

The second is a copy of the set presented to FWIO twin Manitoba recently. Called *Ontario: From the Manitoba Border to Ottawa*, this set includes 120 slides and a commentary.

Both sets provide a good opportunity for WI members to learn more about our province.

To borrow the sets, please write to the FWIO office, Guelph Agriculture Centre, P.O. Box 1030, Guelph, Ont. N1H 6N1.



Through the efforts of the FWIO board directors and members of the WI, a gift of 120 slides with a commentary has been presented to the Manitoba WI as part of the twinning program.

They will be kept in the Manitoba office and be on loan to the members so they may learn about Ontario, its way of life, the WI at work here, 4-H programs, Junior Women's Institutes and places of interest from the Manitoba border to Ottawa, our capital city.

Health booklet

A 16-page booklet, recently published by the Ontario Ministry of Health, provides some long-awaited information to the general public on how to choose a nursing home, what a nursing home offers, how to apply

for extended care benefits and what accreditation means.

Called *Consider Yourself at Home — Nursing Homes in Ontario*, this full colour booklet is available in English and French.

Free copies are available by writing to:

Health Information Centre
Health Promotion and
Information Branch
Ontario Ministry of Health
9th Floor, Hepburn Block
Queens Park
Toronto, Ont.
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New feature

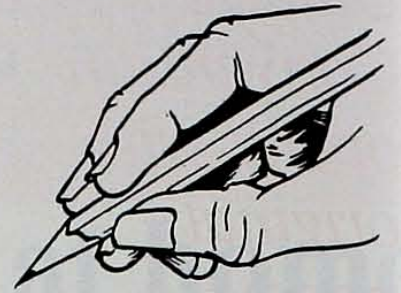
Beginning with the Summer 1983 issue, *Home & Country* will be featuring a new regular article. Called *District Diary*, the column will focus on one WI district each issue, and will include historical information on branches in the district, current programs, activities and projects as well as any special plans for the future. A balance between the past, present and future is desirable.

If you feel your district would make interesting reading, please send pertinent information, including the name of the district PRO, so she may be contacted for additional material, to:

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Take note

Ontario Women's Institute Week is coming up at the Erland Lee Home. From May 31 to June 2, the Lee's hours will be 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. During these three days, pioneer craft demonstrations will take place, quilt blocks will be for sale along with preserves provided by Guelph area WIs and articles made from a yard of material, a hank of yarn or a ball of cotton.

Mrs. Victor Beachin is the Lee's hostess. She can be contacted by writing to R.R. No. 1, 552 Ridge Road, Stoney Creek, Ontario, L8S 3X4, for more information on WI Week.

Women— Unlimited Potential

Are you using the convenorship resource sheets recently sent out by FWIO and the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food? By now the sheets should be in the hands of all branch convenors and being used to plan programs for 1983-'84. A lot of thought and preparation went into the sheets to give you new program ideas, so don't forget to use them.

Video tapes, exploring four of the five convenorship topics suggested in the fact sheets, will be available for viewing at the Officers' Conference to give you more information on the subjects.

PRO suggestions

Provincial Public Relations Officer May Brown suggests PRO officers at the Branch and District level follow these simple guidelines for preparing their annual written report to accompany the financial report this spring.

WI Projects

Include comments on the projects you supported. Was this an increase