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# Preventing Family Violence

The Family Violence Prevention Project of the local Child Abuse Council in Hamilton-Wentworth has recently developed A Handbook for the Prevention of Family Violence. This new resource contains chapters on child abuse, wife assault, the effects of violence on children, the role of the school, and more. A detailed bibliography and suggested reading list are also included. If you are interested in purchasing a copy contact: The Family Violence Prevention Project, c/o Lloyd George School, 360 Beach Road, Room 16, Hamilton, Ontario, L8H 3K4, (416)549-1353.

## Correction

In the July, August, September issue of the *Home & Country* I incorrectly stated that "the living will is now law." The living will is not yet law, but looks as if it will become law under a larger Health Act.

## Promoting the WI



Promoting the Women's Institute at a Lifestyles Fair in Owen Sound was on the agenda of the Grey County Institute. In addition to an information booth, a large craft display was exhibited, including quilts, knitting, ceramics, paper tole, embroidery and tatting. Pictured above is Donna Coleman, Secretary of St. Vincent WI in Meaford, answering questions from just one of the many interested visitors.

## Curator-Hostess Wanted

The Erland Lee (Museum) Home is accepting applications for the position of Curator-Hostess. Duties to include: welcoming visitors, guiding tours, housekeeping, maintenance of museum records, and setting up exhibits and displays. Send resumes to Joan Playle, RR 7, Guelph, Ontario, N1H 6J4, (519)822-7293. Applications will be accepted until January 20, 1992.

## Conference '92

This is your invitation to attend Conference '92 at Lakehead University in Thunder Bay next summer from August 7-9. Dynamic speakers and workshops will address the theme: "Women and Their Environment: Reach for the Stars." The focus is on YOU - the member. A trip to an Amethyst Mine is on the agenda, as well as other exciting adventures in the North. Remember, this conference is open to the general public. Watch for more information in your next issue of the Home & Country.

## Farm Safety Awards

The Farm Safety Association of Ontario wants to recognize individuals or organizations who have made a significant contribution to the promotion of agricultural health and safety. They are welcoming nominations for their award. For more information and nomination forms contact Bill Rose, Farm Safety Association Inc., Suite 21-23, 340 Woodlawn Rd. W., Guelph, Ontario, N1H 7K6, (519) 823-5600.

### Free Publication

Making Sustainable Development Work on the Farm and in the Community is a new publication by David Douglas from the School of Rural Planning and Development at the University of Guelph. For your free copy call Cathy at (519)824-4120, ext. 3933, and request OAC Publication 2491.

# Director of Development Wanted

The Federated Women's Institutes of Ontario invites applications for the position of Director of Development. Requirements for this position include a knowledge of short and long term funding, and the ability to research and secure grants. Remuneration is negotiable. We welcome applications from everyone - male or female. Applications to be post-marked no later than February 15, 1992.

## Volunteers and the Law

A booklet entitled Volunteers and the Law is available from: The Public Legal Education Society, 150 - 900 Howe Street, Vancouver, British Columbia, V6Z 2M4. (Approximate cost - \$5).

## Congratulations

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#### Life Memberships

Dunvegan WI

- Margaret MacLeod
- Marien Loewen
- Eunice Nixon
- Flora Chisholm

#### **Certificates of Merit**

Grand River WI

- Lil Alton
- Doris Bell
- Muriel Topp
- Margaret Topp Moyle WI
- Dorothy McCormick