

Mrs. Dierlam thought the work for our girls to be the most important part of Institute work. Much will be expected of the women of the future; ability to get value from ordinary things, to see possibilities in others and to put their own talents to use.

District fee to Area Convention to be held at Chesley, Centre Bruce District, was \$5.00. District Directors were appointed to act as a nomination committee for the District Officers.

June 21, 1932

Held at Tiverton. President, Mrs. M Beaton, Tara, presiding.

A well prepared paper on "The Pasteurization of Milk" was the highlight of the meeting. It was given by Mrs. Gingrich of Port Elgin.

Others taking part in the meeting were Mrs. Melvin Black, reporting on the Area Convention; Mrs. Elizah Roote, Saugeen Reserve, singing an Ojibway solo; Mrs. A. Hogarth, Tara; Mrs. D.A. McLaren, Tiverton; Mrs. Mary Aiken, Allenford; Mrs. Stewart Welsh, Arkwright; Miss Nellie Herron, Tara Juniors; Miss Jessie McPherson, Tiverton; Miss Jean Scott, Port Elgin Juniors. Miss Scott urged women to join the Two Day Summer Courses to increase the attendance to ten, when there are only five or six girls in a rural area to take a Household Science course offered by the Department of Agriculture. Others taking part were Mrs. Herman Rowe, Allenford; Miss Emily Grant, Tara Juniors; Mrs. John Strong, Arkwright; Miss McLaren, White School; Mrs. John McDougall and Mrs. Chester Gibson of Tiverton.

Travelling expenses to the District annual of the District President and Secretary-Treasurer to be paid by the District. Secretary's salary to be \$ 10.00 plus \$ 2.00 for each branch or \$ 28.00 instead of \$35.00 as previously.

June 29, 1933

Held at Allenford. President Mrs. John Beaton, Tara, presiding.

Attendance for day over one hundred.

A useful discussion on the " Utilization of Wool " including a demonstration on carding of wool and the manufacture of comforters, rugs and mattresses in the home was led by Mrs. G. E. Evans, Allenford.

A paper on " Prevention of Diphtheria and Goitre " was read by Mrs. Calvin Crawford, Tara. She stressed the need for early immunization for children.

Miss Viola Powell, Department speaker, addressed the group on the Duties of Officers. She also reported almost 42,000 Institute members in Ontario with 241 in West Bruce.

Mrs. Dierlam, Vice-president F.W.I.O. Board, reported on activities of the Board including resolutions designed to further the cause of temperance; the rights of widows; landscape gardening; lowering the expense of our school system; education by means of motion pictures; fair play for farmers.

Programme numbers given by Muriel Fawcett and Marion Neal, Tara Juniors; Mrs. John Strong, Mrs. F.M. Babbington, Arkwright; Jessie Bell, Port Elgin Juniors; Mrs. Eldred Aiken, Mrs. Earl McCurdy, Allenford; Mrs. A. Hogarth, Tara; Mrs. George Wain, Mrs. James Hewitson, Allenford.

May 31, 1934

Held at Arkwright. President, Mrs. John Beaton, Tara, presiding.

Mr. George A. Putnam B.S.A., Superintendent of Institutes, Department of Agriculture made his first visit to West Bruce. In his report, he referred to the conference of rural women recently held in Stockholm, Sweden, where thirty-eight organizations, including F.W.I.C. were represented saying:-

" the eyes of the world are fixed on the Women's Institutes of Ontario and the Institutes of Bruce, Huron and Grey are on as high a plane as any in the Province. He urged that the branch should be made of greatest value and suggested ways of achieving this. Services offered by the Department included lecture by experts