Glasgow W.I. Held Annual Meeting

- April 26, 1951

Almost a full attendance of members, together with a number of visitors, marked the annual meeting of Glasgow Women's Institute, which was held at the home of Mrs. Kenneth McIntyre of White Lake.

With the vice-president, Mrs. George Eady, In the chair, a number of very interesting reports were heard from conveners of standing committees, giving a review of the year's work. Mrs. Robt. Barr reported for the committee on citizenship and education. Mrs. M. Stewart on historical research, Mrs. J. A. Young on home economics, Mrs. T. Carswell on agriculture and Canadian industries, and Mrs. W. it. Hamilton on public relations and community activities. The secretary's report for the year was also given by Mrs. Young, followed by considerable discussion regarding the filling out of the complete form sent out by the district secretary. The financial statement was also heard and approved, with the auditors' report given by Mrs. M. Stewart.

Following the reading of a letter from Mrs. C. D. Dewar, district president, discussion was held on the coming conference at Guelph and a proposed trip to the Thousand Islands in June. It was not definitely decided whether any of the members could plan to take these trips.

The coming year resulted as follows: President, Mrs. George Eady; first vice-president, Mrs. George McNab; second vice-president,; Mrs. Arnold Somerville; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. J. A. Young; district director, Mrs. E. Barr; branch directors, Mrs. Robt. Barr. Mrs. J. Cherry; auditors, Mrs.. Carswell, Mrs. M. Wilson. To arrange for standing committees, and draft out a program for the year, a committee was appointed consisting of the executive, together with two other members chosen by the president. Mrs. J. Scobie had the motto for the month, which was: "We should never judge the shape of the world by the little stones that lie in the footpath." Her talk on | the subject was thoughtful and well prepared, urging that one can live a fuller and happier life by refusing to concentrate on life's worries and troubles, and thinking instead of the troubles of others, which sometimes are much greater than one's own. The roll-call was answered with favorite flowers, and something of their culture, and s

The roll-call was answered with favorite flowers, and something of their culture, and s humorous reading by Mrs. A. Carswell added to the enjoyment of the meeting Refreshments and a social hour closed a delightful gathering.