

Salem Nilestown W.I.

The month of May was a busy one for our W.I. At our regular meeting Mrs. Ruth Axford told of her work as Education Co-ordinator. She also spoke of the Upper Thames Conversation Authority and how it benefits the rest of the area. A very successful Bake and Plant Sale concluded the meeting.

On May 29th the Salem Nilestown W.I. was hostess to the Middlesex East District Annual held in the Masonic Hall at 7:00 p.m. under the theme "Food Safety and Nutrition". A sandwich lunch with coffee and tea followed the meeting.

Our annual outing took us on a tour of the Middlesex Museum at Strathroy. We went in two groups (14 in all) for our tour and later joined for lunch in downtown Strathroy.

A carload of ladies attended the County Rally at Coldstream in July and they reported a good turnout.

Donations were made: (1) to the Masonic Order in Nilestown for use of their hall; (2) to the Headquarters Fund in memory of Bertha Vanhie (who died in May 2002); (3) to the Children's Hospital, London; (4) of several articles of knitting for the Children's Hospital; and (5) to Focus High for W.I. – one dollar per member to F.W.I.O.

Canada's quilt
at A.C.W.W.
Conference



Gwen Boles with two
ladies from Lesoto,
S. Africa where Dr.
Oosterhuis spent
two years in the
hospital there.