

WALKERTON EVENING INSTITUTE

The Walkerton Evening Institute was formed February 4, 1947 at the I.O.D.E. Room. Seven ladies were present. Mrs. W.A. Tolton (District Director) and Mrs. W.H. McBurney(President of the Walkerton Women's Institute) were present. Mrs. Tolton read the purpose of the Institute. After a general discussion, the following officers were elected:

Pres.----- Mrs. Norman Crozier
Sec. Tres.----- Mrs. Chester Cunningham

Mrs. Crozier was very interested and was instrumental in forming this organization. Mrs. Ray Taylor is a charter member and is still an active member.

1952

Pres.----- Mrs. Nora Crozier
Sec. Tres.----- Mrs. George MacGregor

A tea and Bake Sale was held at Mrs. L.G. Crozier's home. The proceeds for the Hospital Building fund. They had a successful soap sale.

1957

Pres.----- Mrs. Ray Taylor
Sec.-Tres.----- Mrs. O. Kerr

The Maytime Musicale was held at the Walkerton Town Hall for the first time. The proceeds for the Association for Retarded Children. The committee was Mrs. Albert Polfuss, Mrs. C. Thompson, and Mrs. Wm. Alexander. We had a booth at the Variety Fair in the / Walkerton Arena. The proceeds for the Hospital Building Fund.

1962

Pres.----- Mrs. Grant McRae
Sec. Tres.----- Mrs. Alex Seigfried

The Maytime Musicale was held at the Walkerton District High School. Proceeds for the Association for Retarded Children. A chicken Barbecue was held in the Walkerton Arena. Proceeds for the Swimming Pool fund. A Christmas Fair took first prize. We were hostess's at the museum log cabin. Ruth Hopley was District Convener of Citizenship and Education for three years (1960, 1961, 62 & 63).

Mrs. Irwin Lobsinger
-District Director

Mrs. Ray Taylor