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Sept. 9. Meeting postponed for a week, held at home of the J.P. opened as usual with singing of Ode Mrs. Twinn at piano and repeating the Institute Creed in unison. minutes read and accepted. <sup>Local teachers were welcome guests at the meeting.</sup> Mention made of two courses to be held in Chesterville Nov. 11 and 12. <sup>one</sup> Conducted by Miss Armour of the Dept. titled "Color in the Home" and "Human Nature" conducted by Miss McBride all members welcome at these two courses. Prize tickets were distributed to winners at Navan and Russell Exh. Mrs Walker was asked to name her own committee for Public Speaking Nov. 7.

A report of September Hospital Auxiliary meeting was given by Mrs. McNaught - the new Russell Unit Representative. Canvassers to give their returns to Mrs Walker. Mrs. Roucks reported acknowledgements from ill and bereaved in the community.

An appeal from Toronto for 35¢ per member for the entertainment in Aug 12 to 23, 1953 of our International Organization was considered. Moved by Mrs Roucks, seconded Mrs Cherry, <sup>carried</sup> that we forward this amount. F. W. J. O is securing a very attractive Maple Leaf Pin, plated for each member to wear until after the A.C. W. W meeting. These pins will be sent out some time this Fall as a souvenir of this momentous time. Several members paid their 35¢. A show of hands indicated those interested in attending the Area Convention at Chateau Laurier, Ottawa Oct. 22. 23. 24.

The hall being engaged for date of Agr. Conv. special meeting the secretary was asked to secure it for following evening Oct 1. Letters were read re quilt competitions. Our Com is entering both competitions. We are also hopeful of <sup>having</sup> entry in the Essay Competition. Mrs R. W. Jamble gave a <sup>timely</sup> historical sketch of Labor Day Mrs. Roger Warner read Dorothy Dumbrell's touching poem <sup>Prayer for a new scholar</sup>