

Mrs. Deviney, President, West Northumberland, reported eight branches. They had debating clubs, short courses and helped in social affairs. Mrs. McCulloch, President East Northumberland, reported helping in the children's shelter and in community activities. Miss Barker, President, Prince Edward, reported 451 members. They built a rest room, helped library, hospital and community work. They raised money collecting a mile of coppers. Mrs. Finkle, President, West Hastings, reported 171 members and raised \$1,139 in the last year. They helped with the Shelter, Home for the Aged and libraries. Mrs. Fargey, President, East Hastings, reported five branches. They had sewing clubs, sent two girls to Guelph, helped the hospitals and did community work. Mrs. Lenry, President, North Hastings, reported working for Bancroft Hospital, sent two girls to Guelph, had a rummage sale and helped with community work.

Mrs. Dass, Consecon, sang "Keep on Hoping". Mrs. McDonald, Stirling, gave a reading. Mrs. Farley, Smithfield, one of the oldest Women's Institute-workers was invited to the platform. Mrs. Finkle presented the report of the Standing Committee on "Relief".

Mrs. C. F. Robertson, Lanark, Provincial President of the F. W. I. spoke of the accomplishments of the Women's Institutes and the opportunities and responsibilities now presenting themselves, with 1,005 branches in Ontario and 3,500 members, and urged all to make use of the help offered by the Department. If you want anything done, ask the busiest woman in your Branch!

Miss G. C. White, representing the Ontario Farmer, was introduced. She advocated corresponding with Women's Institute members in England and more interest in immigration and colonization.

The session adjourned to attend a banquet in New Queen's Hotel with 321 present.

Mrs. M. B. Mabee was toast mistress. "Our King" was responded to by singing God Save the King, "Our Country", by singing O Canada. Mrs. Robertson responded to "Our Federation Board", Mrs. C. F. Wessels to "The Cheese Board". Mr. Putnam also made a happy speech.

The Rednersville Boys' Orchestra opened the evening session in the City Hall and Mr. Holten led community singing.

Mrs. George Lenry presided in the evening. The report on Education was presented by Mrs. J. R. Brown, Bonarlaw. Mrs. Percy Mott, Avondale, gave a reading, "A Visit from the Mother-in-law". Mr. H. J. Clark chose for his address, "Township School Boards". Mrs. Curtis and Mrs. Jeffrey, Bayside, contributed a duet.

Mr. Putnam as Women's Institute Superintendent, presented his report, showing what the Women's Institutes had done to link the community in organization, efficiency and service.

Mrs. Dass sang "Bonnie Prince Charlie", by request. "How the Women's Institute may co-operate with the Agricultural Representative" was shown in an address by the Hastings representative, Mr. Ray Atkins. Miss Lafferty and Mr. W. D. Reid each gave a reading.

The evening session closed with the National Anthem.

The morning session, October 27, opened with Mrs. E. B. Finkle presiding, with silent prayer, the Ode and The Lord's Prayer.