

In the absence of a report on Immigration Miss Guest gave several recommendations re this service and asked for its support.

Mrs. R. McCulloch reported on Agriculture and Community Activities, which included co-operation in School and Agricultural Fairs. Mrs. M. E. Mabee, in Community Activities, reported a variety of work undertaken by the branches in their communities. Mrs. Porritt contributed a solo.

Miss E. M. Chapman, assistant superintendent, in an inspiring address, "Work with the Girls", stressed the educational, social and spiritual. She encouraged old-fashioned hospitality and entertaining young people in the home. Mrs. W. R. Munro presented reports on Home Economics and Legislation, which contained many suggestions for future work. A general discussion followed.

The closing session opened at 1:30 with Mrs. J. A. McFee presiding. She gave an interesting account of the growth of the Belleville playgrounds, which originated twelve years before when the Women's Institute was operating in Belleville.

Miss E. Guest of the Agricultural Department gave a comprehensive address on "Programme Planning" and suggested having a local doctor, lawyer, dentist and banker attend and address the branch meetings.

Prizes were presented to the various classes of exhibits:

Programmes - Bloomfield, Rednersville, Wooler
 Collection of Baking - Cherry Valley, Wooler, Gilbert's Mills, Springbrook,
 Quinto, Wallbridge
 First Aid Kit - York Road
 Girls - Garment Making - Percy, Wallbridge
 Dresses - York Road, Rylstone, Bonarlaw
 School Lunch - Ivanhoe, Rylstone, Chatterton
 Hats (Worn in Parade) - Mrs. Munro, Mrs. Geq. Lenry, Mrs. Orvis.

Mrs. R. C. Allen presented the resolutions, which were adopted:

1. That the law for the elimination of unsightly weeds and brush at the roadside be put into force.
2. That the thanks of the Convention be extended to the City of Belleville for the welcome and the use of City Hall; to the hospitable homes opened to delegates; to florists for plants and cut flowers for decoration; to those who donated prizes; to the Cheese Board for their liberal donation to Convention funds, \$100.00; to the proprietor of Queen's Hotel for the use of rooms for committee meetings; to the Department staff and Provincial Officers for their assistance; to all who helped to make the convention a success.

Mr. Putnam announced the new officers for 1927 and 1928 and congratulated the Area on the success of the first convention.

Mrs. D. Jackson, Woodrous, was elected by the District Representatives as director, for our sub-division, on the Provincial Board.

Mrs. Frank Aiken sang a solo. Mrs. Charles Macoun gave the closing address on