

MINUTES OF ANNUAL MEETING

Date June 5th 1957 Place Hunt Community Hall

accomplished. Our "Home & Country" is taking on a new shape, more convenient & well come twice yearly, read it & keep it, it is a good record to look back on; on the inside front cover is The Institute Grace to be used at Institute functions.

A new Scholarship is being made available to girls in High School in Jr. Institutes & Home-making Clubs, called "The Dorothy Fitcher Scholarship". Mrs. McCracken said to making up resolutions make them urgent, tell how many people are affected by your requests, give detail and all necessary information.

Mrs. McCracken told us of a Homecraft Committee being set up consisting of Mrs. Audrey Spencer, Mrs. R. P. Lewis, Mrs. M. Weber & Mrs. R. J. Purcell to study the sale of home crafts, these ^{articles} will be inspected & receive labels & seals showing they are a good grade of work and then be sold through established gift shops in Ontario. This more good publicity for Womens Institutes.

Mrs. McCracken mentioned the Festival of Britain; that ^{English} Womens Institute members are inviting our members and opening their homes to all who can attend. The Board recommends

the book "Canadian Mother & Child", copies should be kept on hand & given to new mothers, the Government pays for one free pre-natal examination, let others know of this. Make use of the Loan Library, information on "How to Compile Village Histories" may be obtained through it.

Do not send postage stamps to Mrs. McCracken for anything. Try to go to Sulphur for a week holiday in July, its a grand place.

Each Branch Secretary should send in correct number of members, said Mrs. McCracken much confusion will be eliminated, try to get new members and keep hospitality.