

MINUTES OF ANNUAL MEETING

Date... June 12<sup>th</sup> - 13<sup>th</sup> 1952 Place... Island Falls Community Hall

needing the \$3.00 legislative grant would refrain from asking for it. It would give the Dept. more to get by on. Mrs. MacCracken spoke on the deplorable conditions in Pakistan as told to those attending the Stueph conference. The F.W. I.C. fee has been raised from 5¢ to 7¢. We are advised to notify Mrs. McCulloch in the event of a life member passing away. Mrs. MacCracken asked that each member give their secretary one cent to be forwarded to the District secretary to be used towards the building of the Mrs. Watt memorial in the form of a bird bath in the Women's Institute plot in the Peace Gardens at Niagara Falls. Mrs. MacCracken told how she hopes to have the women of the A.C.W.W. conference in August come to the North Country on tour.

All convenors reports were read with 100% from each branch.

Agriculture and Canadian Industries was read and compiled by Mrs. Ash - Hinton on gardening & canning, papers on reforestation, Junior Farmers work, growing of ferns, Mrs. Weeks & Mrs. Potlance speakers at two meetings. Island Falls had children's gardens, exhibit of yarn from home grown wool at Fredrick. Mrs. Ash moved the adoption of her report seconded by Mrs. M. Young.

Citizenship and Education was read and compiled by Mrs. S. Farguhar. - communities interested in the teaching of English to Dutch settlers, sponsoring Cubs and Brownies in one branch, talks on parent-teacher meetings helpful; children getting support in their undertakings from all branches.