

Centre Ontario Women's Institute Leaders



Mrs. George S. Henry very graciously welcomed the 600 delegates to the Centre Ontario annual meeting at the Royal York yesterday. The Mail and Empire photographer got this interesting group following her address. Left to right, Mrs. A. W. Milligan, Burlington Beach, secretary; Mrs. Harvey Harris, Port Credit, who replied to the greetings; Mrs. Henry, Mrs. A. E. Walker, Bartonville, provincial president; Mrs. T. W. Meek, Alton, general chairman of the convention.

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The annual meeting of the Alton Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. L. H. Lemon on Thursday, April 18th. The old officers were re-elected with the exception of the secretary. The following are the officers for the coming year: President, Mrs. T. W. Meek; Vice-Pres., Mrs. J. A. Lovell; Sec.-Treas., Mrs. J. R. McKittrick; District Director, Mrs. E. D. Barber; Auditors, Mrs. J. McCutcheon, Mrs. L. H. Lemon.

The following is a synopsis of the year's work:

Receipts—Cash on hand, May 31, 1917, \$39.02; Members' fees, \$5.75; Grant, \$3.00; Donation from Dr. King, \$15; Prisoners' Collection, \$17.70; Copper collection, \$1.74; Proceeds of Euchres, \$138.19; Belgian Relief collection, \$11.57; Hard Times Party, \$21.15; Refund for livery, \$3.00; total receipts, \$256.12.

Expenditures—Expense for meetings, \$4; Postage and stationery, \$8.78; Printing and advertising, \$6.50; Expenses of euchres, \$6.20; Belgian Relief, \$11.60; Boxes sent to prisoners in Germany, \$20; donations to Red Cross, \$33; flowers for sick, \$1.25; Halifax Blind, \$40; donations for piano for blind soldiers, \$25; delegates' expenses, \$6.40; donation to Orangeville Hospital, in materials, \$12.28; donation to Orangeville Hospital, for furnished ward, \$75; honorarium for secretary, \$5; Total expenses, \$255.01; cash on hand, \$1.11.

MRS. J. McCONNELL, Secretary.

MEMORIAL PLAQUE FOR MRS. A. WATT

Toronto, July 30—(CP)—A plaque in memory of Mrs. Alfred Watt, first president of the Associated Country Women of the World, will be unveiled at her birthplace in Collingwood on Saturday.

Mrs. Watt organized Women's Institutes in Britain during World War I.

She was born in 1867, and was president of the Country Women from 1933 to 1947.