

The Armow W.I. sponsored a euchre party in the Institute Hall on Tuesday evening. Men's prizes were won by Ed Shaeffer and Goldie Harris and ladies' prizes by Mrs. Ted Hunter and Mrs. Duncan Convay. Plans are made to hold another one on Tuesday evening, December 11.

The November meeting of the Armow W.I. was held on Wednesday afternoon in the Institute Hall. With Mrs. Wm. Eskrick Jr. presiding, the meeting opened with the Institute Ode, Mary Stewart Collect, Bible Reading and the Lord's Prayer repeated in unison. Roll call was answered by naming a product you would lack if the farmer ran away and didn't come back. Minutes of last meeting were read by Mrs.

Reg Davey Sr.

Mrs. Ralph Robertson gave the Motto—There will always be faith as long as there is a seed catalogue. Mrs. Wm. Eskrick Jr. gave a report on the Area Convention in Chatsworth. Mrs. Everett Dawe conducted a bingo game with winners Mrs. Eugene McLeod and Mrs. Ralph Robertson. She also displayed and demonstrated the making of lovely jewellery. She was thanked by Mrs. Nelson Eskrick. The meeting closed with the Queen and Grace. Lunch was served by Mrs. Reuben Shewfelt and Mrs. Floyd Wieck.

The Armow WI held a euchre party in the Institute Hall on Tuesday evening. There were eleven tables with mens prizes being won by Bert Brown and Elmer Norman and ladies prizes by Mrs. H. Cassman and Mrs. Jack Slessor. A delicious lunch was served by the committee in charge. The next one will be held January 8 weather permitting.

A Christmas Cantata will be presented by the Senior Choir in Chalmers United Church on December 22 at 8 o'clock. Come and bring your friends.

The Christmas meeting of the Armow Institute was held on Thursday afternoon at the home of the President, Mrs. Wm. Eskrick Jr. with a good attendance. The meeting opened with the Opening Ode and Mary Stewart Collect. Roll call was answered with a stamped Christmas card. Minutes of last meeting were read by Mrs. George McKee. The Scripture Reading was followed by the Lord's Prayer repeated in unison. Mrs. Stewart Hunter gave the local current events.

The motto "Christmas Tide fills all the waiting world with music" prepared by Mrs. Ronald Slade was given by Mrs. Duncan Convay.

Mrs. Earl Shelton and Mrs. Tony Kloesteboer were judges for the homemade pot holders with prizes going to Mrs. Mid Hunter and Mrs. Keith Blackwell. They were presented with gifts by Mrs. Reg Davey Sr. Mrs. Nelson Eskrick was in charge of the program.

Everyone joined in singing Christmas carols. Mrs. Mid Hunter gave the readings "The Truth about Christmas" and "That thing called Middle Age". Mrs. Reg Davey Jr. sang "Silver Bells". Mrs. Nelson Eskrick conducted two Christmas contests with Mrs. Mid Hunter and Mrs. Stewart Hunter the winners. Mrs. Christena Scott acted as Santa Claus for the distribution of gifts from Secret Pals.

Mrs. Reg Davey Jr. was in charge of the drawing of names of Secret Pals for 1974. The meeting closed with the Queen and Grace. A delicious lunch

was served by Mrs. Christena Scott and Mrs. George McKee.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Norman and David have moved into their new home on the lower part of the Fifth Concession.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McKay and family moved on Saturday to the farm which they purchased from Mr. Cecil Norman.

*January*  
A pot luck dinner for the members of the Armow W.I. was held at the home of Mrs. Mid Hunter on Wednesday. Following a delicious dinner, Mrs. Wm. Eskrick Jr. presided over the meeting which opened with the Opening Ode, Mary Stewart Collect, Bible Reading and the Lord's Prayer repeated in unison. Roll call was answered by "This idea saved me money". Following a short business period, Mrs. Wm. Eskrick Jr. read poem "Your hand". Current events were given by Mrs. Christena Scott. Mrs. Duncan Convay gave the motto "Waste not, want not". The topic on Resolutions was given by Mrs. Christena Scott. Mrs. John Evans was in charge of the program which consisted of contests, games and relays. She also presented gifts to Mrs. Russell McConnell for having a birthday in January and for being the grandmother with the youngest grandchild, and to Mrs. Ralph Robertson for

having a wedding anniversary in January. She also gave two readings "Ten Commandments of Human Relations" and "Road of Life". The meeting closed with "The Queen".

The Armow W.I. sponsored a euchre party in the Institute Hall on Tuesday evening. Men's prizes were won by Keith Blackwell and Fraser Farrell and ladies' prizes by Mrs. Reg Davey Jr. and Mrs. Duncan Convay. Plans are made to hold another on Tuesday evening February 5th. Everybody welcome.

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The February meeting of the Armow W.I. was held on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Walter Norman. With Mrs. Nelson Eskrick presiding, in the absence of the President, the meeting opened with the

Opening Ode, Mary Stewart Collect, Scripture Reading and Lord's Prayer repeated in unison. Minutes of last meeting were read by Mrs. George McKee. Mrs. Keith Blackwell and Mrs. Ralph Robertson were appointed representatives for the Cancer Fund.

It was decided to sponsor two girls from the area at the Folk School at the Cardinal Motel, Varney, from March 17 to 21st.

Roll call was answered with a vanished landmark in our area. Mrs. John Shier gave the motto "History is in the making, now is the time to record it". Current events were given by Mrs. Duncan Convay and she introduced the guest speaker Mrs. George Downey who spoke on "How to write up the History of our Farm". She was thanked and presented with a gift by Mrs. Convay.

Mrs. Ronald Slade led in a short sing-song. Mrs. Keith Blackwell conducted an "Implement Find" contest with winners Mrs. Mid Hunter, Mrs. George McKee and Mrs. Everett Dawe. The meeting closed with "The Queen" and Grace. Lunch was served by

Mrs. John Shier and Mrs. Bert Shier.

A farewell party was held for Mr. and Mrs. James Husk on Saturday evening in the Institute Hall. The evening was spent playing euchre with prizes going to Keith Blackwell and Tom Convay and Mrs. Nathaniel Hayes and Mrs. Tom Convay.

The March meeting of the Armow W.I. was held on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Russell McConnell. With Mrs. Nelson Eskrick presiding, the meeting opened with the Opening Ode and Mary Stewart Collect. Scripture Reading was given by Mrs. Everett Dawe followed by The Lord's Prayer repeated in unison. Roll call was answered with the members paying a nickel for each letter in their full name.

The motto "The higher you climb the more windows you open" was given by Mrs. John Evans. Mrs. Mid Hunter gave the local current events. Minutes of last meeting were given by Mrs. George McKee. A thank-you card was read from Mrs. Catherine Davey. Mrs. Russell McConnell gave a report of the District Directors' meeting in Tiverton.

Canvassers were appointed for the Cancer Society Drive the first week in April. Mrs. Walter Farrell and Mrs. Bill Robertson were judges for the rolls contest with prizes going to Mrs. Bert Shier and Mrs. Nelson Eskrick. They were presented with gifts by Mrs. George McKee.

Mrs. Walter Farrell was guest speaker for the afternoon and spoke in a very interesting and informative way on "Gardens and the Joy of Houseplants and How to Care for them."

Each of the members received a slip of a houseplant to brighten up their home. She was thanked and presented with a gift by Mrs. Reuben Shewfelt.

Mrs. Floyd Weich gave two readings "Uncorrected Statements" and "Old Fashioned Flour Sacks" and conducted three contests with the winners, Mrs. Catherine Davey, Mrs. George McKee and Mrs. Keith Blackwell.

Mrs. John Evans closed the meeting with The Queen and Grace. Lunch was served by Mrs. Bert Shier, Mrs. Nelson Eskrick and Mrs. Russell McConnell.

Eleven ladies of the Armow W.I. attended the Summary Day for the Senior Training School, Creative Stitchery in Port Elgin on Tuesday afternoon. They displayed their embroidered articles and Mrs. Reg Davey Jr. gave the comments. Leaders for the Short Course were Mrs. George McKee and Mrs. Mid Hunter. They were presented with a cup and saucer from the group taking the course.