

# Lakeside W.I. celebrates 75th

The Lakeside Women's Institute celebrated its 75th anniversary on Wednesday at the United Church with a good turnout of guests. Neighbouring branches were represented and past members came back for the reunion.

The president, Nancy Muir, opened the meeting. Kay Ross, president of the North Oxford District brought greetings from the district.

A memorial service was presented by Evelyn King, who lit three candles which represented the past, present and future. A sing

song was held with Eleanor Kittmer leading and Lynda King at the piano.

The guest speaker was Margaret Fleming, past president of the district. The soloist was Sharon Robinson, who sang two solos. A humorous reading was presented by Iola Kew with sound effects by Ida Ann Harris.

The history of the Lakeside branch was written and presented by Helen Wollny.

Rose Vining presented gifts to the guest speaker and to the soloist. Donna Kittmer presented a mem-

bership award to Mrs. Ray McCorquodale who has been a long time member and also served as district president.

Everyone retired to the basement where lunch was served by the anniversary committee of Eleanor Kittmer, Helen Wollny, Nancy Muir, Chris Morrison, Rose Vining and Gail Daniels and Evelyn King.

The anniversary cake was made and decorated by Helen Wollny. The corsages were made by Donna Kittmer.

The committee would like to convey thanks to all those who

helped and to those who came and helped make it a successful celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kimmerly of London visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Morrison.

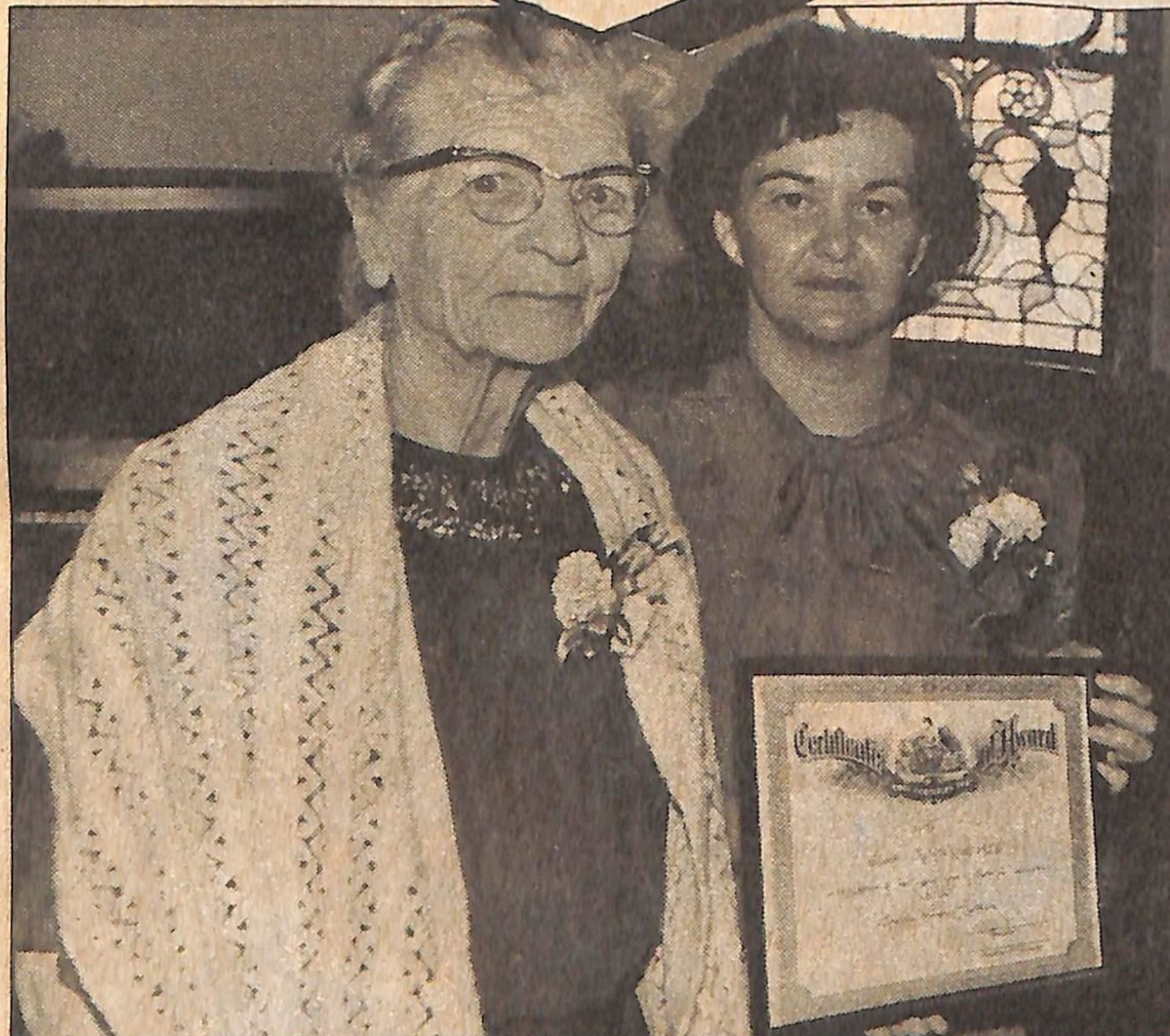
Dr. and Mrs. Alvin Taylor, Greg and Jillian of Cambridge were Friday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Taylor, Donald and Gordon and celebrated Lawrence's 78th birthday. The community extends birthday congratulations to Mr. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown of Petawawa visited on Friday with

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Taylor, Elizabeth and Keith. On Sunday the Taylors attended a family dinner at Walkerton to say good-bye to the Browns who are moving to Germany where they will be stationed for four years.

Mr. Brown is Mrs. Taylor's brother.

## Long-time member recognized



**LAKESIDE W.I. CELEBRATES 75th.** Edna McCorquodale was on hand for the anniversary celebration of Lakeside W.I. last Wednesday. Mrs. McCorquodale, who lives at Woodingford Lodge in Woodstock, was president of the institute from 1959 to 1960 and president of North Oxford District Women's Institute six years later. She joined the institute in 1929. President Nancy Muir, right, presented Mrs. McCorquodale with a membership award.



**WITH MOUTH-WATERING ANTICIPATION** David and Michael King await a piece of anniversary cake. The cake was served at a special meeting of Lakeside Women's Institute, held to mark the group's 75th anniversary.