

In August 1908, ten books were bought by the W.I. and a librarian hired to look after same. At the October meeting of the same year, some mention was made of the travelling library. In 1909 it was suggested that a reading room might be opened over the new bank. It was at this same meeting that mention was made of the Mechanics Institute. The W.I. raised money to pay off their debt which had been incurred by non-payment of rent. They had a reading room which was open nightly.

In February 1909, it was decided that the W.I. open a reading room in the Orange Hall for three months on trial.

In April 1909, it was suggested that plants be planted in the cemetery on the graves of those whose friends were not residing in the community any more.

Proceeds of a concert put on by the W.I. was \$101.50.

The sum of \$50.00 was donated to a Queen Mary Hospital where any child from this locality who needed hospital treatment might have free use of cot.

Later on, the Village council gave a grant of \$100.00 to extend the street lights.

During World War One the W.I. sponsored showers of jam, jelly, tobacco, towels and soap to be sent to boys overseas. Christmas letters were also written. Monthly collections were taken, some amounting to as much as \$34.00. The Township Council also made donations with which to purchase yarn.

Donations were made toward Belgian Relief Fund, Armenian Relief and Childrens Shelter in Walkerton. Magazines were sent to Muskoka Sanitarium.

At one time it was customary to have a mid-summer and mid-winter meeting with an outside speaker.

In 1920 the W.I. interviewed council re. having a curfew bell rung.