# Acton hosts W.I.'s 70th district annual

The 70th District Annual of Halton Women's Institute was held in Knox Presbyterian Church, Acton on Wednesday, May 19 with the theme "Look back and give thanks; Look forward and take heart."

Following registration at 9 a.m. the president, Mrs. George Henderson called the meeting to order with the singing of the W. I. Ode and repeating the Mary Stewart Collect in unison. Miss Dorothy Simmons of the Acton Branch and Rev. A. H. McKenzie welcomed those gathered for the meeting. Mr. McKenzie explained the Burning Bush, symbol of the Presbyterian Church and the printing surrounding, Nec Tamen Consumebatur, and drew attention to other interesting features.

### All 17 present

Provincial board member, Mrs. R. C. Molfatt of Guelph called the branch district directors forward for the ratification, expressing pleasure that all 17 were present.

The county secretary-treasurer, Mrs. R. C. Alexander read the 1970 minutes and with her usual well-prepared charts read her treasurer's report. The district has a balance on hand of \$833.22 with an investment certificate of \$1,626,00 in the Dr. Chapman Scholarship Fund. The branches have cash on hand of \$9,107.49. The auditors, Mrs. J. Dennis and Mrs. S. Morrison presented their statement.

70 years bence The president in her report spoke of "Evaluation" - how well are we doing what we are doing? and Are we doing what we ought to be doing? She mentioned the primitive conveniences of 70 years ago and what would be expected 70 years hence. She stressed the value of the Tweedsmuir History books to

future members. During the year she had visited 11 branches and had attended the Officers' conference for the district. She noted that the theme from it had been "Thought and learning are worthless, unless translated into action."

Convener reports Mrs. F.T.C. Brown, public relations officer, presided for the conveners' reports.

Mrs. James Vansickle, agriculture and Canadian Industries, mentioned Halton as being the highest producer of liquid milk in Ontario. Mrs. L. Jamieson said that more held education programs than they did citizenship and gave mottoes, and suggestions.

Mrs. Graydon Chester for Historical Research and Current Events stressed getting reports in on time and that there was interest in the subject as shown by the workshop held in April. On resolutions

Miss Gladys Featherston said there had been progress made through Resolutions. Reports had been submitted from Nelson Branch.

Mrs. N. Langton, reporting for the bursary committee said there had been 11 applications, Lois McNabb and Janet Nurse, profiting from the choice. Letters were read from each girl thanking the Institute for their

## First scholarship

The district is preparing to present its first Dr. Ethel Chapman Scholarship this year and the candidates will be chosen by a committee and the home economist. Mrs. Donald Smith said there were so many useful topics in Home Economics and Health for the average housewife of today, whether it be price wars, fabrics or pollution.

Mrs. Donald Lindsay reported for the music festival, stating that the name was now "the North Halton Association for the Performing and Creative Arts." Eleven of the branches had supported it through donations. Mrs. Spencer Wilson reported progress of the Federation of Agriculture and urged people to join it for the advantages it provides.

## Halton history

Mrs. H. Marchington, assistant curator, extended thanks to Ben Case for compiling the history of Halton County which appears in instalments in the Acton Free Press. She asked that all century farms be recognized and 50th and 60th anniversaries' reports be sent to the curator, "The W. I. is the only rural organization assembling a record of our local communities, so we must give our full support," she said.

Mrs. M. Nellis, safety convener, said the poster has competition disappointing but would be held again this year with worthwhile prizes at Milton Fair.

## Junior report

Mrs. D. G. Bannister gave the Junior Institute report, stating that girls between 14 and 30 were eligible to join and there was an active branch at Norval. Mrs. Frank Brown, public relations officer, stressed sending one of three copies of convener's reports to the district convener immediately after the April meeting and gave helpful



PAST PRESIDENTS attending the 70th anniversary of Halton Women's Institute in Acton last Wednesday were, sitting l. to r. Mrs. Evylyn Near, Mrs. Percy Merry, Mrs.

suggestions for making out these

## Morning break

The Acton Ladies served coffee and cookies during the morning break and the ladies were given a chance to see the many displays and competition articles set up in the antercom. Retiring provincial board

director, Mrs. Moffatt, gave her final report. She thanked the district for help in sending her to the FWIC conference in Winnipeg last year and displayed pictures and mementoes. She congratulated Halton for the warm feeling toward her, stating that the people were affluent and efficient here. She mentioned the semi-annual board meeting at the University of Guelph and announced that the 75th Anniversary of FW10 would be celebrated next February 12 at the Royal York Hotel.

## New projects

The 75th Anniversary Fund for Macdonald Institute has been closed and the interest will make up the remainder. Donations are being accepted for the purchase of the Erland Lee homestead, to be preserved as a historical centre or museum, and already over \$21,000 has been given. She urged use of the loan library, support for 4-H girls' work, and advised that the Federation representative be appointed for one year only, so that more people would be eligible for the provincial board. She stressed the importance of resolutions for seven of 21 passed in parliament were instituted by the Women's

She went on to speak about the United Nations, feeling honored to be appointed as a secretary. Some of their projects were trying to feed the undernourished in one place while food was

wasting elsewhere. Competitions judged

Mrs. George Young and Mrs. George Wallace judged the anniversary cakes-first to Mrs. J. Irving of Scotch Block and second to Mrs. M. Nellis of Dublin. For the cushions Mrs. M. Nellis of Dublin was first and Mrs. J. Murray of Norval was second. Mrs. W. Cromar judged the poems which had been submitted with first to Mrs. L. Dixon

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STROUG ASKEW BISHOP DALY RAY ....

Goldie Hawn

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**HELL RUN!** 

you make alone!

Sun. 30 Mon. 31 Tue. June 1 Wed. 2

THE GYPSY MOTHS (Adult) Color

**Burt Lancaster** 

FLARE-UP (Adult) Color

Thur. 3 Fri. 4 Sat. 5 Sun. 6 Mon. 7 Tue. 8 Wed. 9

THERE'S A GIRL IN MY SOUP

Raquel Welch

Sat. June 5 Matinee

DISNEY FESTIVAL - Golor

of Mountain Union and second to Mrs. A. Harris of Nelson. The programs for 1970-71 were judged

Prizes were presented by Mrs. Velma Norris who had sponsored the competition.

by Mrs. R. Scott and the winners

were Ashgrove, Nelson and

70th anniversary A delicious cold lunch was served by the Acton church ladies. After the meal a special 70th anniversary ceremony was held. Mrs. H. Marchington read the history of the organization for the Halton Women's Institute, and read a list of the names of the presidents and secretarytreasurers who have served the district. Each of these was called forward and presented with an Institute sterling silver coffee

Candles were lighted for the past, present and future by Mrs. Percy Merry, Mrs. George Henderson and Mrs. M. Nellis. Mrs. R. L. Davidson and Mrs. K. C. Lindsay, members who had both joined in 1919, cut the anniversary cake.

## In memoriam

The afternoon session started with The Hymn of All Nations, Ballinafad branch then conducted the In Memoriam service. Mrs. J. McEnery read a prayer by Padre Young, and a verse. After a moment's silence Mrs. Tom Given sang Beyond The Sunset.

Each branch answered the roll call by presenting Pennies for Friendship and giving a highlight of its branch history. Home economist, Mrs. D. G.

Bannister, reported for 4-H stating there were 16 clubs during the year with some 160 completing the course.

New officers She also presided for the election of officers and the nominating committee's slate was accepted for the coming

Past president Mrs. John Bird, R.R. 2, Georgetown; president, Mrs. G. Henderson, R.R. 1 Georgetown; first vice president, Mrs. M. Nellis, R.R. 1, Acton; second vice president, Mrs. L. Jamieson, Ballinafad; Federation representative, Mrs. John Bird, R.R. 2, Georgetown; alt. Fed. rep., Mrs. G.

Saturday Marines 29

(Adult)

Color

Sun. through Thurs, 8 p.m.

Fri. & Sat. 7 p.m. & 9 p.m.

Sat. Matinee 2 p.m.

Chester Service. Standing I. to r. are Mrs. Ada Sinclair, Mrs. John Bird, Mrs. Webb, Mrs. Grace McEnery, Miss Charlotte Turner and Mrs. Velma Norris.—(Staff Photo)

Henderson, R.R. 1, Georgetown; public relations officer, Mrs. Frank Brown, Georgetown; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. R. C. Alexander, Georgetown.

Committee conveners Standing committee conveners-agriculture Canadian Industries, Mrs. James

VanSickle, R.R. 2, Oakville; citizenship and education, Mrs. Clifford Wrigglesworth, R.R. 2, Georgetown; home economics and health, Mrs. Donald Smith, R.R. 2, Campbellville; historical Research and current events, Mrs. Chris Britton, R.R. 1, Acton; resolutions, Miss Gladys

and scholarship committee, Mrs. J. McEnery, Mrs. J. Bird, Mrs. W. Webb; music festival representative, Mrs. Donald Lindsay, R.R. 1, Georgetown; Federation of agriculture representative, Mrs. Spencer Wilson, R.R. 1, Georgetown; curator, Mrs. Frank Wilson, 63 Charles St., Georgetown; assistant curator, Mrs. H. Marchington, R.R. 1. Georgetown; safety representative, Mrs. M. Nellis, R.R. 1, Acton. Humorous skit

Featherston, Milton; bursary

A short singsong led by Mrs. Donald Lindsay with Mrs. Mel McCullough at the piono was enjoyed. Various ladles put on a humorous skit "Tell Me Doctor", giving medical remedies for the Women's Institute.

The rest of the afternoon dealt with business. No invitation was received for the 1972 district annual. There was one resolution coming from Nelson which was sustained. It dealt with having better intertainment on radio and television during the viewing hours of the children and adolescents. The delegates also agreed that the Area convention fee be raised from \$4. to \$6. and the registration fee be eliminated.

### Eligible for board

The names of those eligible for provincial Board member from Halton to replace Mrs. Moffatt were read - Mrs. Harry Wilson, Mrs. Jesse McEnery, Mrs. William Webb, Mrs. John Bird and Mrs. George Henderson. Mrs. Clifford Wrigglesworth of Hornby gave the courtesies for the day. 115 ladies registered.

CUTTING THE cake at the 70th anniversary of Halton Women's Institute last week were Mrs. K. C. Lindsay and Mrs. Bert Davidson, who both joined the Institute in 1913 .- (Staff Photo)

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