

W.I. Meet In Acton

The executive of No. 12 subdivision of Guelph area Womens Institute met at Acton public library on Dec. 10, with Mrs. John Bird, provincial board member in charge of the meeting.

The meeting opened with the Mary Stewart collect and introduction of members present. Mrs. Bird reported on the provincial board meeting held on Nov. 26-30. The projects for this year are the Erland Lee homestead and the Sight project.

In Ontario there are 1,295 branches with a membership of 30,593 with 2,618 life members. The pennies for friendship collected for the year was \$10,015.88 and is used to finance the ACWW office expenses and travelling expenses of President and officers to visit small countries and for expenses of leaders and teachers to these countries.

Scholarships and awards were discussed, the 50th anniversary scholarship is closed out. There is now the Dorothy Fitcher and Florence Edle scholarships available to girls; also F.W.I.O. and District or Branch scholarships.

The international scholarship is given to girls in underprivileged countries to train and teach their own people; also the Lady Aberdeen scholarship is used in this manner.

The competition winners from the Guelph area are sent to the provincial competition, then sent direct to the International A.C.W.W. competition at Perth, Australia in October 1974.

Miss H. McKecher asked that we support the contributing memberships of A.C.W.W. Mrs. A. Zoeller is the new editor of Home and Country and asked that any articles of interest be sent for publication; also black and white glossy pictures be sent.

There will not be food forums, but one-day courses on poultry please, 'advance knits', and 'baked in a pie'.

There will be 114 workshops on nutrition, one for each district. Each standing membership must include something on nutrition, history and cultural habits of the family.

CONVENTION
The Guelph area convention will be held on Nov. 25-26, 1974 and be hosted by sub-division 12. The officers conference of F.W.I.O. registration fee will be \$45. A study of CBC-TV is to be carried out by members of the board.

The reports of standing committees were studied and a suggestion that roll calls produce a challenge to answer; also to have a display where available. A couple of topics with discussion were 'the greatest under-developed territory in the world lies under your hat' and 'best consumer protection is what lies between your own two ears'. We need consumer education in schools.

The theme of the ACWW Conference in Perth is "World to share. There are 88 countries with members in ACWW and a total of 8 1/2 million members."

—Mrs. Helen Wilson

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Last year about one of every two trans-oceanic calls out of Bell Canada territory went to the United Kingdom. Most of the rest went to Germany, Italy, France and Greece, in that order.

50,000 CALLS
Canadians placed 50,000 overseas calls last year and about 38,000 of them went to Europe. Most of the rest went to the far east. A 20 per cent increase in these totals is indicated this year.

Special rates apply on Sundays and evenings to most countries called most often by Canadians. However, no special holiday rates apply on Christmas Day itself.

No bookings are being made this year. Bell has found that service is faster without scheduling times. Also, more circuits have made available over the last two years by Canadian Overseas Telecommunications Corporation, the federal agency which handles overseas calling facilities.

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