

77th District WI meet

The 77th Halton Women's Institute District Annual was held at Scotch Block in Boston Church, May 16, 1978, with the theme "Strengthening the Family Unit."

Members of the executive and the convenors of the standing committees for 1978-79 were elected at the meeting. Mrs. John McNabb, RR2, Georgetown was elected president. The position of 1st vice-president remains unfilled. Mrs. E. Norton of Acton and Mrs. Doris Lindsay of Georgetown were elected second and third vice-presidents respectively.

Mrs. L. Andrews and Mrs. R. Parker, both of Campbellville, were chosen Federated Representative and Alternate Federated Representative. Mrs. J. Wheelahan of Campbellville was elected public relations officer, with Mrs. M. Nellis acting as her assistant. Mrs. H. Wilson of Oakville was elected Secretary-Treasurer, with Mrs. G.H. Ironside nominated as assistant secretary-treasurer.

There are ten standing committees and convenors were elected to head each committee. Mrs. Paul Henderson of Acton was chosen to head the Agriculture and Canadian Industries committee. Mrs. G. McMillan, also of Acton, will head the Citizenship and World Affairs committee. Mrs. O. Vansickle of Campbellville is the new convenor of the Family and Consumer Affairs committee.

Mrs. H. Robertson of Milton was elected Curator. Mrs. Jesse McEnery was selected to chair the Resolutions Committee. Mrs. G. Campbell and Mrs. J. McNabb will head the Bursary and Scholarship committee. Mrs. M. Hunter was selected as the Musical Festival Representative and Mrs. W. Lasby was elected Federation of Agriculture Representative. Mrs. Ross Cowan of Palermo was elected Safety Representative.

Coffee and cookies were en-

joyed at 9 a.m. during registration. Rev. Rod Lewis extended a hearty welcome to the 130 women who attended. Mrs. Mary Campbell presided, opening with the Ode and Mary Stewart Calbert, followed by the ratification of 15 District Directors.

Mrs. Wilma Wilson read the secretary and treasurer's reports.

In her president's address, Mrs. Mary Campbell said family life is subject to stress and pain in this changing world. A mother's influence is the greatest factor in a family, she said, and she encouraged the women to use wisdom, strength, honesty, courage and love in the home, the community and the world.

Mrs. Campbell extended her thanks to each branch for the help and hospitality they have provided over her two-year term as president. She also thanked the 4-H Clubs, their leaders and executive for their support. She announced the District plates would be available around May 26.

Mrs. D. W. Wheelahan, panel moderator, received two-minute standing committee reports, reflecting many interesting meetings and projects in each branch last year.

Mrs. Nancy Schmidt brought greetings, and urged WI branches to sponsor 4-H clubs and training courses, to be taught by the Home Economist this year. Quilting will be the next course.

Mrs. June Andrews solicited business volunteers for Women's Institute Hall, Kelson, July and August 10-5. Provincial board member Mrs. H. Jefferson, in her quiet, friendly manner, spoke on the family unit, taking office in Branch and District and the Eriand Lee Foundation. She also talked about the importance of the Hand Book for reference. Her final thought was L.A.D.O.M. it all depends on me.

Boston young women served a delicious noon luncheon with guests including District Of-

ficers from Wellington and Peel and competition judges.

Miss Snow and Miss Stone judged the Bake off with the following results: Latticed

Cherry Pie: 1. Ashgrove, 2. Nelson, 3. Dublin. Plain Bran Muffins: 1. Ashgrove, 2. Silverwood, 3. Ballinfad.

The winner of the Afghan competition was Ashgrove, which also came first in the painting competition.

The afternoon session began with "Hymn of All Nations", followed by Area Convention reports. "In Memoriam" was presented by Marie Lasby, followed by a musical interlude by Mrs. R. Anderson, pianist for the day.

For roll call, there was Pennies for Friendship, the state of officers list of each branch and a one-minute talk on communications within the family. This provided fifteen different aspects of family life.

Mrs. B. Jefferson installed the 1978-79 officers. Incoming president, Mrs. Doris McNabb took the chair and asked for co-operation and help in her new position, then presented Mary Campbell with a past president's pin.

Doris Wheelahan presented Wilma Wilson with a life membership pin and certificate in appreciation of five years in Public Relations.

Mrs. H. Robertson gave a resume of ways and means of having the District History published, and was directed to pursue all avenues regarding grants, etc. and report to the Fall Board Meeting.

Mrs. J. McEnery reported no resolutions, but urged members to write to TV stations and manufacturers to protest the advertising of women's hygienic products.

The meeting adjourned with Oh Canada and God Save The Queen. All agreed it was a very worthwhile and thought-provoking day, with a challenge to strive for higher goals in the coming year.

To the editor of The Herald: In reply to your article by Maggie Hannah, about the Niagara Escarpment Commission meeting May 10, I would like to make some comments and observations at this time.

It was stated by Mr. McMullin, chairman of the NEC, that the word expropriation may be removed from the NEC proposals. He also stated that the size of the control area may be reduced. Is this being considered because of opposition by the taxpayers in the control area? Is it being done only to be included again at a later date? Mr. McMullin further stated that the Bruce Trail had worked very well up to now with a handshake agreement between landowners and the trail association. I agree it has worked well until the NEC started to refuse land separations and building permits to some of these same people who had allowed the public to use their land. I feel that these landowners have every right to be upset with the NEC.

Mr. McMullin further stated that the province has gone too far in land purchases in the past and have a lot of land that they do not need. Amen! But Mr. McMullin who does the NEC want 123,000 more acres along the escarpment, of which 5,000 acres is in Peel region and 8,000 acres is in Halton Region? If Mr. McMullin is really serious about taking the word expropriation out of the proposals maybe the acquisition of 123,000 acres could be taken out of the proposal also? Especially since he feels that the province has got too much land already.

I would like to address my next question to Tom Reid and John Mitchell, both of Halton Hills. If you gentlemen are in favor of the NEC proposals and think that the people are over reacting, how would you feel if your land was scheduled for acquisition? Mr. Reid stated that by preserving the escarpment his land value is also being preserved. What about the people in the acquisition areas?

Mr. Reid further stated that everyone is being taken in by a Indonesian Chain.

Indonesia is actually a chain of more than 13,500 islands. Approximately 6,000 of those are inhabited.

Resident replies to NEC stories

group of real estate agents and lawyers. My neighbors and I are greatly concerned by these proposals because we as taxpayers are being threatened with expropriation. Would you be Mr. Reid? To Mr. Mitchell who said, that the NEC proposals are reasonable and does not put undue restrictions on landowners, I say to him, would he feel the same way if his land was to be acquired by the NEC?

To every taxpayer of this province I ask the following questions: What is this grand and glorious plan of the NEC going to cost you as a taxpayer? Are your taxes not high enough? With 173,300 acres to be acquired, how are you going to pay for this? You are taxpayers of Ontario. Even if they are going to reduce the control area, is the acquisition area going to be reduced? The NEC does not know how much it will cost, or at least are not saying in a time of tight money, devalued Canadian dollar, the borrowing of vast amounts of money on the foreign money markets, and supposed fiscal restraint, how can this plan be justified?

How is this plan to be regulated and policed? There has already been a large amount of damage done to private property by the users of the Bruce Trail, campfires left unattended, garbage left scattered throughout the trail and untold damage done to trees, plants and signs along the trail.

How does the NEC propose to maintain this vast amount of land? Private landowners have been looking after all this land up to now and have been doing a good job, with few exceptions, because they want

to keep it like it was when they bought it. But how long are they going to continue now that the NEC has started to dictate to them what should be done with their land?

My next question is, if this plan is passed in Queen's Park, when, if ever, will the NEC return to our elected local councils the right to control planning and zoning in the respective areas? It must be remembered that through our local municipal elections we are property owners have voice in the planning and zoning controls. Now the NEC

wants to take away this voice. This alone will unfairly erode our individual property rights to be governed by locally-elected government and replace it with an appointed body.

At this time I would urge everyone that is as concerned to write to Mr. McMullin and to their respective MPP and voice their objections to this proposed act.

Thanking you for your time and consideration I remain, Yours truly, Ted. Von Zuben, Terra Cola.

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Seventeen groups receive grants

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Among the projects receiving funds are five in

Halton Hills, which will receive almost \$10,000. The projects are funded on a cost-sharing basis with the organizations, and the hiring is done by the organization itself.

The groups in Halton Hills receiving funds are the YM-YWCA Youth Camp, Alive

Through Adventure, Playmobile, Leadership Development Program and Pre-School Play Shop.

Students interested in a summer job with any of these groups should contact their local student manpower offices.



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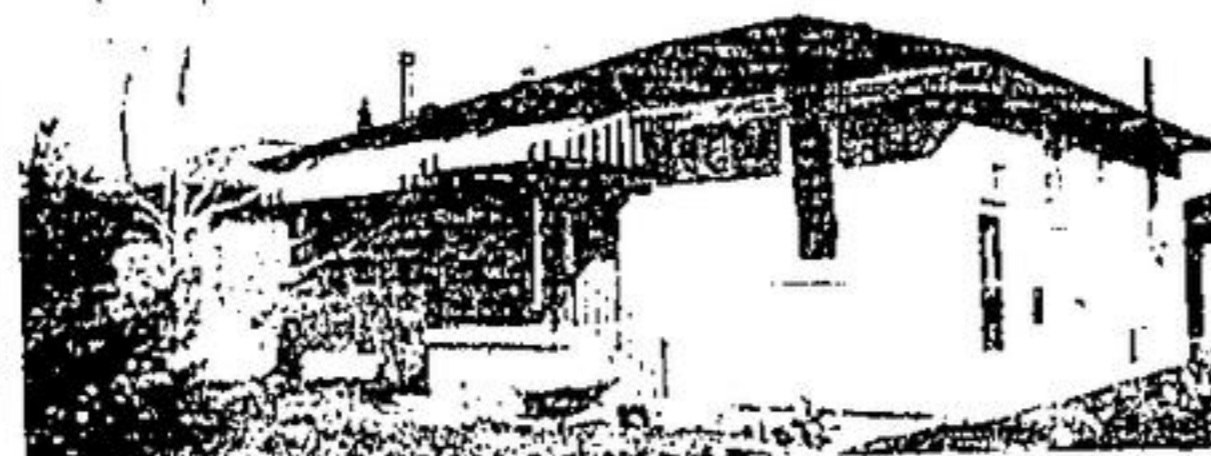
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