

Halton District WI

Tweedsmuir display encouraged

The executive members of the Halton District Women's Institute attended the Subdivision 12 meeting at the home of Mrs. H. Duffield at Oustic, Jan. 9. Also in attendance were the executives of the other districts in the subdivision, Wellington Centre, Wellington South, and the Guelph Area executive as well.

Mrs. Matthew Leuty from Fergus who replaces Mrs. R. C. Alexander of Georgetown as Provincial Board Director for Subdivision 12 chaired the meeting and reported on the Provincial Board meeting of F.W.I.O. which was held in Toronto in November.

At that meeting Mrs. R. B. Johnson of Cochrane was elected Provincial President and Mrs. Sam Johnston from Listowel was elected secretary. The treasurer who is appointed is Mrs. Duane Williams from Camden East.

Mrs. Leuty reported that Ontario has 1168 Women's Institute branches with a membership of 25,628. There are 3,749 life members. Four new branches were organized in 1983.

Each W.I. branch is encouraged to do something special for Bicentennial celebrations in 1984. The theme is "Celebrating Together" with the focus on the community.

The WI should be involved in local community activities not only for Bicentennial Celebrations but at all times. Since the Women's Institutes have the Tweedsmuir histories and in many cases the only community histories it was strongly suggested that we use this opportunity to display them and encourage more community involvement in compiling these histories.

The FWIO Project will be a quilted wall hanging. Each district is doing an 11" by 11" block which depicts a historical site in their district. The completed wall hanging will be donated to the province and it will hang in the main foyer of the Ontario Legislative building. The Jr. WI members plan to plant 22 trees at the Ontario Agriculture Museum at Milton. This is one tree for each branch in Ontario.

Women's Institute members are asked to publicize the

scholarships which are available, especially the McDonald Award.

The Halton RSVP meeting is planned for March 26. The topic this year is communication. Interested rural organizations should apply soon since there is a limited registration of 100.

Donna Sunter, who is replacing Nancy Schmidt reported on the short courses. Summary Day for "More Cents than Dollars" will be held at St. Paul's United Church in Milton on Tues. Jan. 24. Participants in the project are having a pot luck luncheon at noon and everyone is welcome to attend the afternoon program at 1.30.

A presentation from the Turkey Board will be given. Upcoming courses in 4-H include Fitness Fair and Quilting. Adult Courses being offered in the future will be rug braiding or basic sewing for the home.

A new course on judging will be offered in 1985. This is geared for people involved in local fairs or people wishing to become a fair judge. More information can be obtained from the OMAF office.

Mrs. Leuty continued her report by saying the Erland Lee attendance was down in 1983 with only 3,256 as compared to 3,343 in 1982.

The 1983 WI Days saw 673 people attend and the sales amounted to \$931.70. 1984 WI Days will be June 5, 6 and 7. New In Memoriam cards are available from Mrs. Robert Weber, Box 95, Bloomingdale, N0B 1K0 and are to be used if you are making a memorial donation.

A new brochure called 3 in 1 is being prepared and it will have a map and a write-up on the Adelaide Hoodless Homestead. The Erland Lee Home and the Ontario Agricultural Museum.

It was reported that the Erland Lee Assessment has been raised to 20 cents a member. Each branch is also asked to consider financial assistance to the Adelaide Hoodless Homestead this year. The Officers Conference will be held at the University of Waterloo May 1, 2 and 3. Branch and District Sec. Treas. should attend. The fee is \$85.00.

Mrs. Alfred Watt has been nominated for the Hall of Fame

in 1984. In the FWIC report Mrs. Leuty said Ontario is now twinned with New Brunswick. If you are interested in a pen pal the address is Administrative New Brunswick Women's Institute, Victorian Health Centre, Room 251, 65 Brunswick St., Fredericton, N.B. E3B 1G5.

The FWIC Water and Sanitation Project has a goal of \$50,000. Donations are to be made payable to FWIO and mark the cheque AC WW UNESCO.

The Nation Convention will be held at the University of Western Ontario in 1985. Branches are urged to read about the National Competitions on pg. 7 of the 1983 Spring and Country. Entries must go to the District Annual in 1984, then to the Area Convention in 1984 before being submitted to the provincial level.

The Guelph Area Convention will be Oct. 18 and 19. The theme is "Living with Foresight"

Each branch is asked to donate an article valued at \$7 for the gift stall.

The Halton District Annual is May 17 and the Spring Board Meeting will be held Mar. 19 at 7.30 in the Board room of OMAF.

It was noted that the Women's Institute is a "listened to" organization. It has the distinction of being noted for common sense and sound judgement.

Mrs. Leuty said 9 of the 22 resolutions put forth at the Board meeting were sustained. Branches are encouraged to make resolutions about concerned issues but are cautioned to make sure a great deal of thought and research goes into them. She said that concerns often expressed by the Institutes or suggestions from them later end up in the laws of our country.

Again we were urged "to be seen and to be heard."

Knox WMS

Nuclear presence

The WMS Evening Department of Knox Church met at the church hall, Jan. 10 with 14 ladies present.

The President, Billie Marshall, welcomed all those present and gave the call to worship. The hymn, "Thy Way, Not Mine, O Lord" was sung followed by a prayer.

Majorie Bethune led the devotional period choosing "Peace" as her theme.

The theme of the devotions was appropriate since our Study, led by Joan Lewis, was based on The Nuclear Presence in the South Pacific.

Throughout 1983 we have been studying the people of the South Pacific, hearing of their problems and needs.

In the 1950's, tests were carried out by the U.S. which resulted in people of various islands being showered by radio-active dust with the resulting effects of illness and death.

Islands were left uninhabitable for several years due to radio-activity. Babies are being

born with severe birth defects, most as a result of the radio-activity to which their mothers were exposed. Cancer and other diseases are considerably above the world's average in this region.

It is only within the last few years that these stories have been made known to the people in the Western world, with the voice of the South Pacific people being largely unheard until now.

All Christians need to speak out for nuclear disarmament and peace throughout the world.

A filmstrip entitled "Global Images for Peace" closed the study period.

Joan Lewis conducted the Installation of Officers for the 1984-85 term. We welcome the following new Executive: President—Adeline Mackay; Vice-President—Flo Black; Secretary—Shirley Redpath; and Treasurer—Gwen Thomson. Thanks were extended to the outgoing Officers who have provided excellent leadership over the past two years.

Correction

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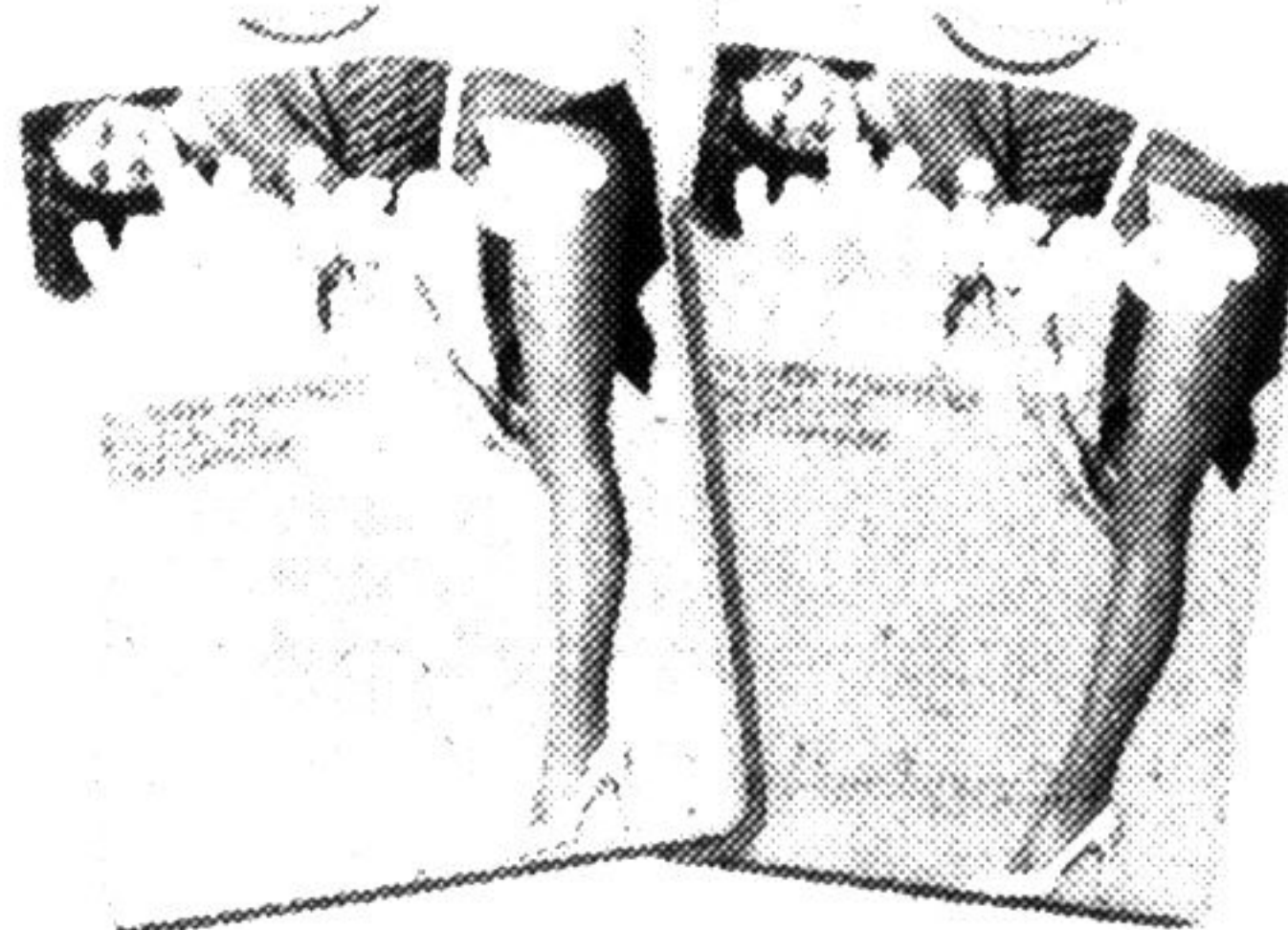
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