

# Women's Institute Meetings

## NEW HAVEN W. I.

The regular monthly meeting of the New Haven Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Hugh J. MacDonald on December 13th with an attendance of seventeen members and two visitors. The meeting opened by singing the Institute Ode and repeating the Creed in unison. The president, Mrs. Michael Murphy, occupied the chair. Roll call was answered by an exchange of Christmas gifts.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, approved, and signed.

The president gave a report of the Leadership Course held recently in Charlottetown. The school committee reported that Christmas text books, Christmas decorations, and dustbane were needed for the school. It was moved and seconded to get same.

It was decided to treat the school children, also the shut-ins at Christmas. It was also decided to send a case of apples to the Provincial Sanatorium.

It was moved and seconded that the meetings start at 8 o'clock during the winter months.

Correspondence was read and discussed, including an acknowledgement of an expression of sympathy, also a "thank you" letter from St. Vincent's Orphanage for donation received. Mrs. Hugh MacDonald was appointed to take care of the "get well cards".

It was moved by Mrs. Alton Newman and seconded by Mrs. Thomas Devereaux that all bills be paid.

Mrs. Earl Moore and Mrs. Patrick Cavanagh were appointed on the program committee for the next meeting, which is to be held at the home of Miss Helen Doch-

erty. Each member is allowed to take a friend as a guest. Roll call is to be an auction sale. The Collection for the evening amounted to 90c. Miss June MacPhee and Miss Thelma Willis gave a very interesting account of their trip to Toronto to the Royal Winter Fair.

The meeting closed by singing "God Save the Queen". Lunch was then served by the hostess.

## GRAHAMS ROAD W. I.

Mrs. Ray MacLeod was elected president of the Success W. I. at their 38th annual meeting held Tuesday evening, November 11th, all other officers were re-elected. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Roy Brown and was opened with the singing of "O Canada", and the repeating of the Creed, and was conducted by the past president, Mrs. John MacGregor, who in her remarks thanked the members for their kindly co-operation throughout the year. Roll call was answered by 17 members paying membership fees.

The minutes of the last annual and regular meetings were read and the secretary gave the following report: 12 regular meetings were held with 25 members. Receipts were \$27.90; expenditures \$20.33, leaving a balance of \$5.57. A vote of thanks was tendered the retiring president and other officers.

It was reported \$23.25 was collected in the district for the Orphanage.

The members were asked to attend the annual meeting of the Film Council to be held in the School, Margate Y. P. S., have asked to share the projector, which the meeting favoured. It was moved and seconded that the Institute continue to pay the annual Film Council fee, also moved and seconded that a bazaar be held at the December meeting. Correspondence was read and discussed. The Red Cross secretary, Mrs. James M. Campbell, was instructed to send for work.

Donations for the Christmas box for East Clandon W. I. England, were passed in and Mrs. Earle Campbell and Mrs. John MacKay will pack same.

The second lesson in First Aid was very capably given by the instructors, Mrs. John MacLeod and Miss Mary C. Campbell.

Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. George MacLeod. Roll call will be answered by a Christmas verse.

Two minutes silence was observed in keeping with the day, and with the singing of the National Anthem the meeting closed.

## CLINTON W. I.

On Tuesday, December 9th, the Clinton Women's Institute held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Leslie Paynter. The meeting opened by singing the "Ode" in unison. Twelve members answered the roll call by exchanging Christmas gifts. There was one visitor present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, approved and signed. Bills were on motion paid. \$31.50 was collected for the Protestant Orphanage. The sick committee reported four calls made. Two members paid their fees. It was moved and seconded that \$5.00 be given to the T.B. League.

Correspondence was read and discussed. It was decided that Mrs. Ivan Pickering would get a treat for the school children.

The following committees were appointed for the January meeting: Lunch, Mrs. James MacKay; Mrs. Ivan Pickering and Mrs. Charles Woodside; program, Mrs. James MacKay and Mrs. Ivan Pickering. The next meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. George MacKay, roll call to be answered with a "New Year's Thought".

Collection was taken amounting to \$1.00. Mrs. Bruce Clark and Mrs. Charles Woodside entertained with two readings. The meeting closed with the National Anthem, after which the hostess and her committee served a dainty lunch.

sent a one act play at the school concert, to help the teacher, and it was also agreed that each member would make three pounds of sugar into candy, to sell at the concert. To celebrate the 20th Anniversary of the W. I., a goose supper was planned to be held at the home of Mrs. Wm. Matheson on December 11th, husbands to be the special guests.

Mrs. Wm MacDonald invited the members to her home for the next meeting. The programme committee will be Mrs. James Cousins and Mrs. Erlend Cousins, and roll call is to be answered by "Suggestions for improving our meetings." Collection amounted to 41 cents.

The meeting adjourned and a reading by Mrs. Chowan was enjoyed by all. A "Jumbled Words" Contest put on by Mrs. Wm MacDonald, was won by Mrs. George Matheson.

A nice lunch was then served by the hostess.

## CLINTON W. I.

Settling at Sarnia, Ont., following her arrival in Canada from Germany last year, Mrs. Anna Pious denied recent reports that she had offered to sell her six-year-old son Allan for \$1,000 to a prominent Sarnia merchant. She said she offered him up for adoption only to get him out of slum conditions in which she and her husband were now living. Federal immigration officials are investigating the case of the boy, described as "bright and intelligent" who has been placed in a temporary foster home by the Children's Aid Society.

It was decided to treat "the shut-ins" and school children at Christmas, also to send a card to a former member.

Miss Anna Morrissey then invited the members to her home for their next meeting, roll call to be answered by a dime lottery and program to consist of a card game.

Mrs. Ralph Collings then assisted the hostess serve the members a cup of tea, after which an enjoyable hour was spent playing bingo. The singing of "The Queen" brought a very pleasant evening to a close.

## FAIRVIEW W. I.

The December meeting of Fairview Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Delmar Currie with six members present. In the absence of the president, Mrs. George Smith, vice president, presided and the meeting opened by singing the Ode.

The minutes were read and approved. There was no correspondence. It was decided to give a Christmas treat consisting of apples for the school children.

Roll call at the January meeting to be answered by a donation of five cents. It was moved by Mrs. Brent Currie, seconded by Mrs. Delmar Currie that Mrs. Wendall Gorveatt and Mrs. E. A. Currie be the programme committee.

The purchase of new school desks and seats was discussed. An interesting bulletin about plastics received from C.A.C. was discussed. A grab bag consisting of Christmas gifts was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. George Smith invited the members to her home for the next meeting.

The meeting adjourned and was closed by singing "God Save the Queen", after which a delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

## NORTH RIVER W. I.

On the evening of December 1st the North River Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Harold Younker, 21 members and one visitor being present.

The meeting opened with the Creed followed by the Roll Call and minutes of November meeting. The report of sick and school committees was heard and a bill of \$138 was paid for articles for East Wiltshire school, also a bill of \$4.50 for a road sign for North River. \$2.30 was handed in for Cod Liver Oil capsules.

The correspondence was then read and discussed. It was decided to send \$5.00 to the T. B. Fund, and also that all sick and shut-ins in the district would be remembered at Christmas.

Eleanor Younker invited the members to her home for the January meeting, roll call to be answered with "What I Look Forward to in the New Year". The lunch committee will be Mrs. Harry Scott, Mrs. Ernest Ladner, Mrs. James Vickerson and Eleanor Younker.

The meeting then adjourned and lunch was served by hostess and committee in charge.

## ROSE VALLEY W. I.

Mrs. Henry Chohan was hostess to the Rose Valley W. I. on December 3rd.

The president, Mrs. Wm. MacDonald, presided. The meeting opened by repeating the Creed in unison, followed by roll call, responded to by five members by an exchange of Christmas gifts. Two new members were welcomed.

Minutes of the last meeting were read, approved and signed. Correspondence was read and discussed. It was moved and seconded that two dollars be sent to the T. B. League.

The members decided to pre-

## NEWTOWN CROSS W. I.

On Tuesday evening, December 2nd, nine members of the Institute gathered at the home of Mrs. Monty Kelly for their regular meeting.

The president, Mrs. Gerald Rooney called the meeting to order and it was begun by the members reciting in unison the Creed, followed by the Institute Ode.

The roll call was answered by an exchange of Christmas gifts. The minutes of the previous meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. Francis McKenna, who also gave the financial statement showing a good balance on hand for the beginning of a new year. It was decided to send a donation to the T.B. League and to give a small donation to the fire victims of the community. A collection was then taken up for the A.C. W. W. Mrs. Francis McKenna, who was appointed on the school committee, was asked to get the art-

## MARGATE W. M. S.

The annual meeting of Margate W. M. S. was held at the home of Mrs. George Mayhew on Tuesday evening December 2nd with seventeen members and one visitor present.

The Christmas service in the Missionary monthly was used, with Mrs. Wilbur Dennis as Leader, assisted by Mrs. John Johnson, Mrs. Arthur Proffitt, Mrs. Andrew Johnson and Mrs. Keith Warren.

The offering was taken, and sick calls reported, minutes read, and roll call answered with a Christmas verse.

A letter, was read asking the members to take Miss Eunice Peters, B. A., as their Missionary for special prayer for the coming year.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Harold Woodside, worship service to be taken by Mrs. Keith Warren. Roll call by Mrs. John Johnson and program will be answered with a verse of scripture beginning with the letter "M".

The following officers were elected for the coming year: president, Mrs. Wilbur Dennis; first vice-president, Mrs. Heath Mayhew; second vice president, Mrs. Arthur Proffitt; recording secretary, Miss Selina Johnson; correspondence secretary, Mrs. Turner Glydon; treasurer, Mrs. John Johnson; organist, Mrs. Harold Woodside; mission band leader, Mrs. Keith Warren, Baby Band leader, Mrs. Proffitt.

The meeting closed with Benediction by the president. Lunch was served by Mrs. Mayhew.

## ALEXANDRA W. I.

The December meeting of the Alexandra W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. Benjamin Wood with an attendance of 13 members. The meeting opened by repeating the Creed, followed by roll call. Minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

The school committee reported that the school had been cleaned and that paper cups, towels and C. L. O. Capsules had been purchased. It was moved and seconded that plastic blinds be purchased for school.

The president gave a very interesting report of the Leadership Course which she attended at Parkdale Hall.

It was decided to treat the children and elderly people of the district, with fudge, grapes and apples at Christmas.

It was moved and seconded that an organ be purchased for the school, and Mrs. Atwood MacRae, Mrs. Nat MacKinnon, Mrs. Wallace Brehaut and Mrs. George MacLennan were appointed on a

# DOROTHY DIX'S COLUMN—

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a waiting game. There's nothing you can do to force his hand, but a little time should resolve the difficulty. At the moment, he's right in feeling that his children should come first, but wrong in giving in to their selfish possessiveness which is thinly disguised as devotion to their mother.

He could ask the girls if they intend to spend the rest of their lives in single blessedness caring for him. The attitude of the girls is really not unusual for adolescents. It's difficult for youngsters that age to see beyond their own immediate circles, but time has a fine habit of adjusting them to reality.

DEAR MISS DIX: I am 40 years old, getting my divorce decree at present, and plan to marry a man 10 years younger than I. As the time comes closer to the wedding, however, I am becoming apprehensive, since I see so many faults in him I never noticed before. Would it be wise to carry out my plans for marriage?

NELL

ANSWER: No. If you can find so much fault with a man before you marry him, the difficulties will increase a hundredfold later. You've waited a long time for happiness; don't gamble with it again.

Miss Nissen cannot reply personally to readers but will answer problems of general interest through this column.

committee to look after same. Collection amounted to 80 cents.

Mrs. George MacLennan invited members to her home for the next meeting when roll call will be "What I Look Forward To in the New Year." The lunch committee will be Mrs. George MacLennan, Mrs. Wallace Brehaut and Mrs. Nat MacKinnon.

At this time, the remainder of the bazaar articles were sold with Mrs. John MacMillan acting as auctioneer. The meeting adjourned and lunch was served by hostess and committee in charge.

## MAYFIELD W. I.

The December meeting of the Mayfield W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. Blair Andrew. The president being absent, Mrs. Miller Orr conducted the meeting.

The meeting opened with the singing of "Jingle Bells" followed by the Creed. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Roll call was responded to by four members. Correspondence was read by the secretary. Collection amounted to 40 cents.

New committees are as follows: Sick, Mrs. Andrew and Mrs. Miller Orr (re-appointed); school, Dorothy MacCaull and Mrs. Eddy Cole (re-appointed); lunch, Mrs. Blair Andrew and Mrs. Lloyd Houston; school treats, Mrs. Blair Andrew and Mrs. Miller Orr.

It was decided to have a sale of candy at the school concert. A parcel was reported received from the Jacob Wells Institute in England.

The members exchanged Christmas gifts and lunch was served by the committee in charge assisted by the hostess. The meeting closed singing a Christmas carol.

## KINGSTON W. I.

The December meeting of Kingston Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Bertram Willis on December 4th. The meeting opened by singing a Christmas carol followed by repeating Ode and Creed in unison. Roll call was answered by 13 members. Two members paid their dues.

Minutes of the last meeting were read, approved and signed. The school committee reported map and dustbane purchased for school. Miss Shirley Newson was appointed on the school committee for the month of December. It was decided to get more capsules, also to get apples for the school children at Christmas, and to make candy to sell.

Correspondence was read and discussed. It was moved and seconded that \$2.00 be sent to the T. B. League. Collection amounted to 85 cents, and friendship fund to \$3c. Bills were presented and paid.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Whitfield Yeo when the lunch committee will be Mrs. William Colwill and Mrs. Heber Campbell. Roll call is to be answered with a get well or sympathy card.

The meeting was then adjourned. The program consisted of readings and a contest. Lunch was served by the committee in charge.

## AUGUSTINE COVE W. I.

The December meeting of Sea View Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. W. C. Donald with the president, Mrs. Lester Duggan in the chair. The meeting opened by singing the Ode and repeating the Creed. Roll call was answered by eleven members. Seven members paid fees and two visitors were present.

The minutes of last meeting were read and approved. The sick committee reported on sick call made, and the school committee reported that the necessary articles for the school had been bought. The school committee was asked to buy treats for school children at Christmas, and the sick committee to pack sunshine boxes for the shut-ins at Christmas.

It was decided to have an auction of the donated pieces of print at the first entertainment in the hall. The new entertainment committee is, Mrs. Earle MacKay, Mrs. Chas. Adams, Mrs. Layton Coulson, Mrs. Robt. Sutherland and Mrs. Arthur Campbell.

It was also decided to add two names to programme committees when the yearly programmes are made out. Christmas gifts were exchanged among the members, and gifts opened for the hall.

The meeting adjourned and lunch was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Earle MacKay, Mrs. Layton Coulson and Mrs. Charles Adams. Collection amounted to \$2.15, fees to \$1.75, and Institute News to 75 cents.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Fred W. Donald.

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# OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams

YOU DON'T SAY!

OH, YES, WE HAD A RIGGIN' LIKE THAT YEARS AGO CALLED TH' 'OLD MAN' FOR DRILLIN' BY HAND! YES, YES...

THAT'S WHAT MAKES REBELS OF YOUNG GUYS! YOU THINK YOU'LL GET A PAT ON TH' BACK FOR YOUR CLEVERNESS, AN' SOME OLD BOY COMES ALONG—BLOOIE!

I DON'T THINK HE'S UPSET, HE'S MERELY SETTLIN' DOWN TO LISTEN! THERE'S ALWAYS STORIES AND JOKES GO WITH SUCH THINGS!

WHEN YOU CAN'T GET AWAY

J. R. WILLIAMS