

Women Involved



Federated Women's Institutes of Ontario

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Wallacetown
Women's Institute

PROGRAM

2002-2003

ELGIN COUNTY DISTRICT

Motto - "For Home and Country"

INSTITUTE GRACE

We thank Thee Father for Thy Care
Food, friends and kindness we share
May we forever mindful be
of Home and Country and of Thee.

INSTITUTE ODE

A goodly thing it is to meet
In Friendship's circle bright,
Where nothing stains the pleasure sweet,
Nor dims the radiant light.
No unkind word our lips shall pass
No envy sour the mind:
But each shall seek the common weal -
The good of all mankind.

Quotations from Old Programs Written by Louie Luckey Date July 1st 2001
From Mae Graham old WI program.

1915 - 16

Topic - "The Value of Reading"
and - "Women and War"

Music - Miss Lidster (Mrs Harold Green)

Roll Call - Memories of King Edward VII

Topic "How and when to Rest" - Dr McFarlane

Topic "Hygiene of Cheerfulness"

"How the busy woman finds time for self-improvement"

Roll Call - Suggestions for House cleaning

Discussion 1916 - 17

How I have benefited as a member of the Institute

Roll Call - "Stories of Pioneer Days"

1974 - Motto - "Yesterday is a memory, Tomorrow a hope, but today is ours"

Motto - "Don't let yesterday take up too much of to-day"

Motto - "In youth we learn, in age we understand"

Motto - "Do not itch for something for which you are not prepared to scratch"

May 74 - Each one bring a plant or shrub for exchange.

Roll Call - "Name one of your Grandmothers virtues"

1975 "Tell a short story of an incident in your childhood"

Motto - "Many folks confuse the high cost of living with the cost of living high"

Roll Call - "Name a past industry in your township"

Motto - Friends seem closer to us, Memories are more dear, And wishes still more heartfelt when Christmas time is here

Roll Call Each one give a comment on the motto.

Motto Forget about what you can't do and concentrate on what you can do.

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1975

Motto Public Relations is a lot like friendship; it can neither be bought, begged or stolen.

1978 Motto One can value a house to the last penny but none can value a home.

Roll Call A story of horse & buggy days.

Motto - The 3 R's of Citizenship - reverence, respect & responsibility

Motto - Life without friends is like the sky without the sun

Motto - If children are taught tidiness in the home, it will spread throughout the nation.

Motto - When you give the best you have, the best returns to you

Motto - Happiness is like potato salad, share it and you have a picnic.

1953 Contest - Whistling

1920. Roll Call. Recipe for Pumpkin Pie and a sample of each.

Roll Call. Current events.

1977 Motto - Take time to read as it is the fountain of wisdom.

Roll Call - Tell of or perform part played in Christmas concert of your school days.

Motto - Let's enjoy Canada. How much of it have you seen?

Motto - Nature doesn't demand that we be perfect - only that we grow.

1973 - Motto Teenagers need models and not critics

Motto - Coming together is a beginning, working together is progress.

Motto - Education is not merely the road to earning a living but it is that which makes living worthwhile.

Roll Call - Something your grandmother told you

1979 A good citizen is made, not born

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^{Grandmothers}
1979 Motto - Keep me young enough to laugh with little children, and understanding enough to appreciate how it is when you grow old.

Roll Call - Something you can remember about your Grandmother

1980 Motto - It isn't what you start, but what you finish that counts

Motto - It's hard to work the whole day through - it's harder still to have no work to do.

Motto - The reason a dog has so many friends, is because he wags his tail instead of his tongue.

Roll Call - If our whole life were a holiday would we have more pleasure or do you think work is a necessary duty?

Roll Call - Suggestions for serving unexpected guests.

1983 Roll Call - Imitate a farm animal or pay a 10¢ fine ^{everyone} different

1984 Roll Call - People are a lot like teabags - they don't know their own strength until they get into hot water. Can you share an experience?

Motto - The most valuable gift you can give another is a good example.

Motto - It is not the hours you put in - but what you put into the hours.

Roll Call - Pick a topic from a hat and speak on it for one minute

Motto The heart that is truly happy, never grows old.

Roll Call A picture of your grandparents.

Motto ^{Grandmothers} - We look back with thankfulness, and ahead with Confidence

Roll Call - a craft that my Grandmother used to do.

VICTORIAN CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Sat. Dec. 08/01

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Matinee 2p.m. show – Petrolia stop &
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Aug 8th 2001

By Louie Lackey

Outline a household hunt from our

Grandmothers day still used to-day. One which comes to mind would be Canning of stewed Tomatoes. Ripe Tomatoes are used - washed in cold water, then put into boiling water on the stove until the skin breaks, then taken out and peeled. The skin comes off very easy this way. Cut tomatoes up in chunks and cook in an open kettle with salt to taste and about $\frac{1}{2}$ cup white sugar to a large Kettleful to sweeten just a little.

When cooked put into sterilized jars while hot, put on lids, not tight and then put into a pan with an inch of hot water in the ^{oven} at 350° F until tomatoes boil in jars.

Immediately tighten jar tops as tight as possible and sit on counter. Today you can tell when mason jars are sealed by the popping noise they make when they seal. It must have ^{been} harder in Grandma's day with crown jars.

Years ago women Canned around 100 jars of stewed tomatoes ^{in a season} as they could be used right out of the jar, also they are used in so many meat and pasta dishes.

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Aug 8th 2001 By Louie Lockey.

A Medical remedy from our Grandmothers day which is still in use by many mothers to-day is the "Mustard Plaster" used to break up a tight chest cold.

It is made by taking 1 teaspoon of dry mustard and 4 teaspoons of flour and 1 teaspoon of ~~so~~ baking soda in a tea cup - mix these together and wet to a stiff paste with lukewarm water - Spread this on ~~a~~ half of a piece of cloth about 7" x 12" and fold to cover mustard mixture. Spread this on chest for an hour. The soda keeps it from burning the skin. This was an old faithful remedy years ago and lots of people still feel it works to-day.