

made a most desirable hostess
 welcoming the large number of new
 members in her most gracious &
 hospitable manner so characteristic
 of her long life as "Acacia Lodge" in
 Clarkston - ^{"Acacia"} Among the new members
 that joined at that meeting were
 Mrs Jas Agnew, Mrs Joe Thompson,
 Mrs At Boyle, Mrs Wm Hesketh,
 Mrs J. D. Dick, Mrs Robt Crossland,
 Mrs Fred Wheeler, of Clarkston and
 from Thornbury - Mrs Dyre Mrs A.
 Spaul, Miss Edith Harbord, Mrs
 Chas Rees Mrs W. S. Suttie for Mrs
 W. L. Beatty Mrs Frank Wallace
 Mrs Dr Wm Collins ^{Mrs John Whately, & P.} and Mrs Harbord,
 Mrs J. W. Steel, invited the members
 to meet at her home, "Rose Lane" Clarkston
 for the next meeting. which was equally
 as charming. A programme committee
 of three members was named (and we
 continued to meet in the homes for
 many years) with the exception of
 the Annual meeting and the meeting
 in May or June, when the speaker
 from the Department in London
 visited us. These meetings was always
 held in the basement of the Presbyterian
 and Methodist Churches in turn -
 Many fine papers were prepared and
 read by the members & fully discussed
 Good music was provided by those
 who could contribute along that line of
 entertainment. - The teachers from Clarkston
 and Thornbury schools gave an address
 yearly and in the practical side of our
 programs. Receipts were given and
 exchanged. True as now & more praise
 worthy. - The visit of the summer speaker.

We had
 no Council
 Hall, then,