

## The Women's Institute.

In 1918 the Cherry Grove Branch of the W.I. was organized and a dozen members enrolled.

Officers appointed were, -

Pres. Mrs. Edward Bradley

Vice. Pres. Mrs. J. P. Irving

Sec. Treas. Mrs. Ran. Bradley

Director. Miss Della Irving.

Auditors. Mrs. J. J. Harvey & Mrs. W. C. Bradley.

I can recall that, -

The W.I. bought the organ for the school.

The W.I. financed the start of the Sunday School organized in 1922.

The W.I. bought dishes and silverware for their convenience at garden parties and other social events that they used to have back in those days.

The silverware has since been sold and the proceeds put into a war bond and given to the school section.

The cups still circulate through the community at parties, showers etc.

The W.I. helped to finance the roof on the shed built in the school grounds about 1930.

Mrs. Ed. Bradley continued in the office of President until she moved to Owen Sound as Mrs. Ira Schell in 1932. 14 years

In May 1930 the following officers were elected.

Pres. Mrs. Edward Bradley

Vice. Pres. Mrs. W. A. Dickie

Sec. Treas. Mrs. Arthur Bowen

dis. director Mrs. R. J. Boyce

dis. rep Mrs. Roy Bowler

organist Mrs. W. A. Dickie

sunshine committee Mrs. Wm. Hodgson, Mrs. J.

S. Abercrombie, Mrs. W. J. Ward, Mrs. W. C. Bradley

program committee Mrs. Abercrombie, Mrs. Roy