

Mrs. Edward Urstadt of Owen Sound was elected president of Grey West District Women's Institute and the 22nd annual meeting held in North Derby United Church. Mrs. Howard Allen presided.

Other officers elected were vice-presidents, Mrs. William Craig, Hepworth, Mrs. Alex Fraser, Owen Sound and Mrs. Leslie Thomas, Warton; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Carl Klages, Owen Sound; assistant, Mrs. A. Humphrey, Owen Sound; federation representative, Mrs. Roy Abra, Owen Sound; alternate, Mrs. E. Urstadt, Owen Sound; area district delegate, Mrs. Arthur Vaughan, Owen Sound; alternate, Mrs. Howard Allen, Owen Sound; representative to county rally, Mrs. L. Rourke, Owen Sound; alternate Mrs. James Jackson, Owen Sound; federation of agriculture representative, Mrs. Klages; curator, Mrs. Harold Howison, Owen Sound and auditors, Mrs. Lillian Hoskill and Mrs. John Hillis.

Committee conveners elected were agriculture and Canadian industries, Mrs. J. Hillis; citizenship and education, Mrs. Orville Sprung; historical research and current events, Mrs. J. Waterton; home economics and health Mrs. Richard Farley. Resolutions, Mrs. Arthur Vaughan and public relations officer, Mrs. Roy Abra.

Subdivision board member Mrs. W. Ribey, conducted the election of officers. She said there are 50,000 women and girls involved in institute and 4-H projects in Ontario. She reviewed resolutions that were sent in to provincial board and stressed the fact that WI branches must be sure to read the fine print before signing anything.

The minutes and treasurer's report were given by Mrs. James Jackson and Mrs. J. Locking reported for the auditor. Mrs. Abra gave the pub-



GREY WEST W.I. ELECTS OFFICERS—New officers of the Grey West Women's Institute were elected at the 22nd district annual held in North Derby United Church. Left to right are Mrs. L. Thomas, Warton,

third vice; Mrs. William Craig, Clavering, first vice; Mrs. Edward Urstadt, president, Owen Sound; Mrs. Alex Fraser, second vice, Owen Sound; and Mrs. Carl Klages, secretary-treasurer. (Sun-Times Staff Photo)

lic relations report. Mrs. Be rose conducted group singing with Mrs. Clugston as pianist. Mrs. Lorne Barfoot of the North Derby branch welcomed delegates. Mrs. Catto of Sarawak branch replied, Mrs. Allen conducted a memorial service. Grey County home economist Mrs. Ryan spoke. It was reported that Miss Joan Ruhl of the Kilsyth 4-H club has been awarded a two week trip to Prince Edward Island. Reports were given by Mrs. J. Waterton, Mrs. Urstadt, and Mrs. C. Klages. Mrs. R. Porter gave a reading.

Silver anniversary for Sarawak WI

Members, visitors and former members of the Sarawak Women's Institute met recently in Sarawak United Church to celebrate the 25th anniversary of the organization.

Mrs. Frank Lee welcomed everyone to the program convened by Mrs. S. McNeil and concerning historical events in the community. Mrs. A. Vaughan read the minutes of the inaugural meeting July 1944 noting the presence of many charter members.

Scripture was read by Ruth Cameron. Readings were presented by Mrs. S. Cavell, Mrs. C. Catto, Mrs. A. D. Huston and Mrs. S. McNeil. Mrs. S. Edmonstone and Mrs. E. Sutherland, with Mrs. J. Dickson at the organ, sang a duet. Further readings were provided by Mrs. Donald McKenzie and Mrs. S. Emery. Addresses were presented by Mrs. Allan McPhatter and Mrs. J. Monahan.

Highlighting the afternoon, were presentations made to retiring president and secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Walter Bumstead and Mrs. William Miner, respectively.

Following the program, the original president, Mrs. Norman Kirk and inaugural secretary-treasurer, poured tea from a table covered with an embroidered cloth with streamers of blue and gold, the Institute colors, crossing the sides and ends, and centred by an anniversary cake made by Mrs. C. Catto and served by Mrs. F. Lee.

Mrs. Kirk gave a brief address on the progress made by the Institute since its' initiation.

Several letters of congratulations were received from distant points. *July 29-1969*



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