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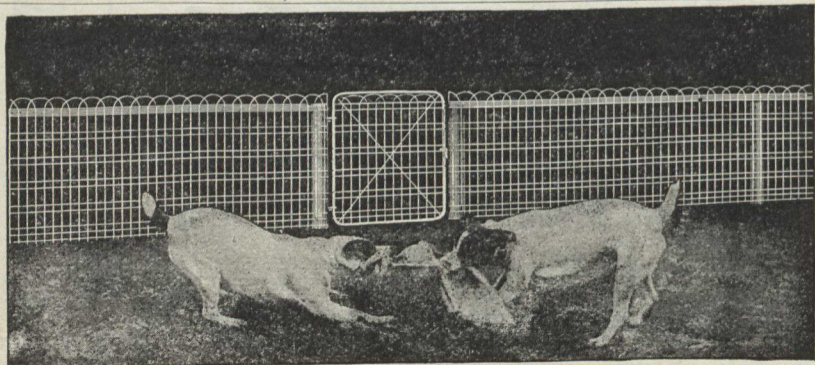
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fusion, and will teach the boys a tidy habit.

Decision is very necessary. When we tell our boys anything we should see that they do it. I have noticed how necessary it is to see that our boys have the right kind of company, that the influences may be for good. What they are taught in youth they never forget. What they read is next to be considered to their companions. What a great deal of harm those low novels and other such trashy books that are not fit to read have done the boys of our country, as well as other countries! We should watch closely the books that they read while they are young and while they are scarcely aware of the harm, there is in them. They are so exciting that they take away the desire for better reading.

To make boys fond of the home they should have an interest in the home. Some of the brightest and most useful men of our day and also in the past are men from families that had to use the strictest economy. They had to work together to provide for the needs of the family. In this way they were taught to rely on themselves, and this brought out the best that was in them. If they are taught to be industrious they will be much more contented. I have noticed that those who have been the most successful in training their boys are those that told the boys all the business of the home, and fully explained their circumstances, and let the boy have some way to make some money that he could call his own. In this way they learn to do business and feel more independent.

This seems the reason why boys often

all present. During the evening several new members were enrolled.

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The Women's Institute annual meeting, of Haliburton, was held in the Town Hall, May 10th. Every important feature of the work was taken up. Our members present were sixteen.

We endeavor to have a part in the meeting for each member by a response to roll call. Sometimes there is a helpful suggestion, again a recipe. At our May meeting our president was presented with some chinaware. One drawback in our meetings has been a lack of music, even if we have a piano.

The Institute has undertaken to furnish a curtain for the Town Hall, for use during entertainments.

On June 8th our delegate will be with us, from whom we hope to receive much benefit.

### South Perth and Others

**A**T St. Mary's, on June 21st, was held the district convention of the Women's Institute of South Perth in the Methodist Church, Mrs. Proudfoot presiding. Delegates were present from every institute of the district. The reports of the various officers showed the organization to be in a very flourishing condition, last year being the best in its history. The election of officers for the coming year resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Hugh Thompson, St. Mary's; vice-president, Mrs. Valentine Stock, Tavistock; secretary-treasurer, Miss Pringle, Staffa; auditors, Miss Patrick, Mitchell; Miss Kerslake, Staffa. District directors, Mrs. Tyler,



A COUNTRY ROAD NEAR ROCKWOOD.

Photograph by T. J. McArthur

get discontented at home—"When they have nothing that they can call their own."

### From Various Branches

**T**HE Branch at Rainham Centre has been one of the smallest in the county, but has taken a step in the right direction in having an oyster supper and concert to raise funds for the purpose of purchasing display cases for the protection of the pastry display at the fall fair. The event brought the Institute into the limelight in such a way that advertising could not have done. Great things are predicted for this Institute.

The oyster supper was served in the Vegetable Hall, which was lighted with gas, and beautifully decorated with the Institute colors (purple and gold), which hung in festoons, and added much to the enjoyment of all present.

After supper was served all repaired to the Town Hall, which stands only a few feet away, and were pleased with the profuse decorations of purple and gold and the Institute motto, "For Home and Country," interspersed with Union Jacks, covered the whole end of the hall.

The concert was of a high order, and was opened by the singing of the national song, "O Canada," followed by dialogues, recitations, songs, etc., each rendering their part very creditably to an appreciative audience.

Too much praise cannot be given Mrs. W. S. Beam, president of the Selkirk Branch of the Institute, who occupied the chair. She gave a very interesting address concerning the Institute convention, held in Toronto some time ago, at which convention she was a delegate, and her manner of conducting the entertainment met with the approval of

St. Paul's; Mrs. Kemp, Kirkton; Mrs. Roberts, Mitchell; Mrs. Woodley, Fullerton; Mrs. Bollin, St. Mary's; and Mrs. Kastner, Springville. Addresses were given by various members on the work of the institute, and the prospects are bright for increased prosperity during the coming year.

The Dufferin Women's Institute convention, which was held in the town hall, Shelburne, on June 5th, 1911, was well attended by enthusiastic delegates from all the branches in the county.

At the morning business session the following district officers were elected: Dist. Pres., Miss Jennie Hall, Shelburne; vice-pres., Mrs. E. Richardson, Laurel; sec.-treas., Miss E. H. Besley, Shelburne; auditors, Mrs. McClean, Honeywood, and Mrs. Endacott, Orangeville; rep. to W. I. Convention, Toronto, Mrs. Currie, Laurel. Interesting reports were read by the representatives from the different branches of their work during the past year, some of which being as follows: Corbetton Branch has beautified the parsonage and manse grounds with ornamental trees and shrubs to the value of \$26.75; Orangeville, Camilla, and Laurel are saving funds to furnish wards in the Orangeville hospital when built; Shelburne is awarding 1st prize \$3, 2nd prize \$2, 3rd prize \$1, at the Dufferin Central Exhibition for best collection canned fruit put up in pint jars and free from acids. This prize is open only to those living in Dufferin county. The district gave \$23 to charitable purposes, and \$7 to the Hoodless Memorial Fund. Orangeville Branch has resolved that they will not buy anything after 6 o'clock Saturday nights unless they carry it home themselves.

At the opening of the afternoon session the following address was read by Mrs. East, president of Honeywood Branch, to Mrs. Fife, retiring district president: