

Farm Women's Clubs

NOTE.—Any woman in Saskatchewan who feels that she would like to have a Woman's Section of the Grain Growers' Association in her district, should communicate with the provincial secretary, Miss Erma Stocking, Dellsle, Sask.
Any Alberta woman who would like a Woman's Section of the United Farmers in her district should write to Mrs. R. M. Barrett, Mirror, Alta., who is the women's provincial secretary for Alberta.

A HALF YEAR'S PROGRAM

Dear Mrs. Barritt:—Our organization now has nineteen members. We have made out a program for this year as follows: May—Joint meeting of the U. F. A. and W. A. U. F. A. in Wadena school; debate, "Resolved that the consolidated school is preferable to the small rural school"; luncheon. June—Roll call—current events; three temperance papers. July—Roll call—patriotic quotations; demonstration lesson on parliamentary law; benefits of fireless cooker. Ten minute talk on preserving. August—Roll call—favorite author and quotation; advantages of music and books in the home; debate—"Rural vs. city life." September—Roll call—fashion hints; arrangements for Thanksgiving supper and program; ready-made clothes vs. home-made clothes. October—Roll call—Thanksgiving quotations; educational qualification for woman suffrage. November—Roll call events of day; preparation of Xmas presents; hints on Xmas cooking; general discussion. December—Roll call—Xmas quotation; annual meeting and election of officers.

At previous meetings we have taken up "Beautifying the school grounds" and "The advantages and disadvantages of an egg-circle."

The members are quite enthusiastic and each is contributing her share towards the year's program.

Our regular meetings are held at the homes of members. After the business of the meeting is over, refreshments are served and a pleasant hour enjoyed.

S. M. GUNN,

Sec. W.A.U.F.A.

Paradise Valley, Alta.

DELEGATION TO PREMIER SCOTT

Dear Miss Stocking:—I am very much pleased with the result of our deputation to Premier Scott.

The deputation was a very representative one. The Grain Growers were represented by Mr. Musselman. I went as the women's section delegate at your wish. Mrs. Lawton, the president of the Provincial Equal Suffrage Board, represented that body; Mrs. Andrews and Mrs. Sinton, the W. C. T. U. Then Mr. Cocks came to speak a word for the Trades and Labor Council and explained that equal suffrage was a plank in their platform. All parts of the province were represented as well as all trades and classes. It was a great treat and surprise to have our energetic little president there after all and it must have been most gratifying to her to see such splendid co-operative work between the different organizations, as she was the one who worked up the federation of the different clubs forming the Equal Franchise Board.

It is splendid the way our men stand behind us and back us up as they do in our work for the franchise. And the women of the Trades and Labor Council can well be proud of Mr. Cocks' splendid support. His address was splendid and his earnest, sincere manner most convincing.

Premier Scott listened very attentively, as did all the members present, and told us at the close of our program that he had long favored equal suffrage himself and that the arguments we brought only strengthened his belief, but that before promising what we asked he must confer with his colleagues. This seems only fair and we shall hope that they will look at the question as favorably as he does and speedily give us our proper place among citizens and not keep us longer, as we are now, classed among idiots, criminals and Indians.

(MRS.) S. V. HAIGHT.

MOSTLY SUFFRAGISTS

Dear Miss Stocking:—The Gettysburg W. G. G. met May 1. Not more than half our members were present, as it is hard to get teams this time of the year, as all are busy in the fields. We had a good meeting just the same.

Our topic for discussion was home nursing and some interesting papers were read. We also planned for a supper and bazaar for the Association.

We discussed the letter you sent in regard to suffrage, but we thought it

was too late to do anything before the meeting of the legislature, but will help what we can later.

Most were in favor of the movement, the rest said they had never thought much about it, but would think it over.

Not many of us could sign the petition anyway as we are mostly citizens of the United States, but will help in any other way.

MRS. D. C. AUGUSTIN,
Sec. Gettysburg G. G. A.

CONTRIBUTE TO SUFFRAGE FUND

Dear Miss Stocking:—Your letter re donation by locals to suffrage fund was read at our last meeting. It was voted that we send \$5.00 to be applied to this fund, and as soon as possible we intend to help the cause still further. At the present time our funds are limited and the season too busy to raise money by entertainments. Hoping this will prove satisfactory.

MRS. GEO. F. ROBSON,
Sec.-Treas. Dinsmore W.G.G.A.

FRANCHISE AND BANISH THE BAR

Dear Miss Stocking:—We held a very interesting meeting in May at the Farmers' Hall. We were to have met with the men's section of the local, but owing to the late hour, 9.30, we thought it more advisable to hold our meeting separate.

Mrs. Wm. Collins read an essay on "Women's part in home life and in the nation," which was very greatly appreciated.

The ladies decided to meet at the homes of the members, which is more sociable than meeting in public.

Along with other subjects we discussed "Woman's Franchise" and "Banish the Bar Movement," in which we are greatly interested.

MARY O'LEARY,

Sec. Alameda W.S.G.G.A.

The quotation, "As a man thinks, so is he," has a direct bearing on the work of our Association. The change of thought for women members provided by the subjects discussed at their meetings will go far toward making Women Grain Growers a most progressive and intelligent class of people. Alameda is wise in including subjects on their program that will develop original thinking.—E. A. S.

BROKEN UP INTO TWO SOCIETIES

Dear Miss Stocking:—Enclosed please find the names of officers and directors for the Clunie Women Grain Growers' Association, organized May 6, 1915:

President, Mrs. R. Dale; Vice-President, Mrs. W. Thomas; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. W. Willis; Directors: Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Sharp, Mrs. Powell, Mrs. Rogers, Mrs. Shatford, Mrs. Clark.

You will notice some of the names in the "Star of the West," or at least they were last year. The territory was too large and some of the members had eight or ten miles to drive to the meetings, so we decided to divide into two organizations. We have fifteen members.

MRS. W. WILLIS,

Sec. Clunie W. S. G. G. A.

The new Association is a welcome addition to our ranks. I shall look forward to receiving reports from an Association that would not let unsatisfactory conditions dampen the ardor of their love for their club work.

PAPER ON HOME INFLUENCE

Dear Miss Stocking:—I am enclosing fifty cents for ten copies of the booklet on the Women Grain Growers' work.

Our May meeting was splendid. There were sixteen women present. The most interesting part of the program was the paper written on "Home Influence," by Mrs. T. E. Shepherd. I think we all went home with the thought in our minds that we must try to live up to the ideal she set before us.

MRS. O. V. HEPNER,

Sec. Stalwart W. G. G. A.

When a paper of special interest is written such as the one read before the Stalwart club, it should be sent to the provincial secretary for publication. We shall be glad to hear from Stalwart again.—E. A. S.

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In order to assist Guide readers to comply with this new law, which is for their own benefit also, we have had a large quantity of parchment butter wraps printed in two colors (red and blue), in brine-proof ink. The imprint on the label is as follows:

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