BOOK OF LIFE MEMBERSHIPS

Dear W. I. Members:

At a recent meeting of the Executive it was decided to compile a record of Life Memberships in book form and the work was entrusted to me.

The first Life Memberships in the Alberta Women's Institutes were given in 1949 to two members who had served our organization in positions of trust and prominence for many ears. They were Mrs. H. J. Montgomery and Mrs. A. H. Rogers. Since its inception, total of forty-nine Life Memberships have bestowed. Our Provincial Treasurer, Mrs. L. D. Smith, has kept a record of these for our provincial files, but for obvious reasons this record cannot be made available for general reading by our members. The Book of Life Memberships will fill that need in future at Provincial Conventions, etc., and our members will be able to read the record of those to whom this honor has been given.

Here briefly is the material I shall need to compile the book: A biography of not more than two hundred and fifty words, giving the personal history of the member, with special emphasis upon her contribution to Women's Institute work on any and all levels. Details of her activity in other organizations should be kept at a minimum. A clear snapshot or photograph not in excess of 3 by 5 inches will be required. There will be no charge for this extra service. Will each branch be responsible for sending this needed material for their members who are eligible for inclusion in the book.