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Charlton Horethorne Women's Institute Keeping Up Their Spirits and Those of the Village in Wartime

CHARLTON HORETHORNE

A PARTY was given to the children of members of the Women's Institute in the Village Hall recently. After enjoying a good tea and pulling of crackers, a programme of games, organised by the President, Miss Tanner, and Miss Hacker, was much enjoyed.—A vote of thanks to the Committee was proposed by Master Ronald Gardiner, and hearty cheers were given for Misses Tanner and Hacker. On leaving each child received an orange, balloon, and chocolate.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE.—The monthly meeting was held on Wednesday week in the Village Hall, the Vice-President (Mrs. Hole) presiding in the absence of the President, Miss Tanner. After the usual business the meeting was an open one for the lecture, given by Mr. L. E. Rees, on "What happened at Versailles." Refreshments were handed round by the hostesses for the evening, Mesdames Abbott and Dyer.—A vote of thanks was accorded to Mr. Rees, on the proposition of Mrs. Creed, seconded by Mrs. Hole.

THE ANNUAL PARTY for members of the Women's Institute was held in the Village Hall recently. A varied programme of games, competitions, and dancing was arranged by the Committee, and a monologue by Miss Clavey. Refreshments were served during the evening, each member having invited one friend. The pianists were Mesdames Silk and Hannam. At the conclusion a vote of thanks was proposed by Mr. Silk, on behalf of the visitors, to all the Committee.