

dollars a month pay, time off,
accident compensation, health
insurance and a hiring bureau.

JEAN SHEILS:

The Mothers' Council was a
coalition of CCF, Communist,
Women's Labour Leagues, pretty
well all the progressive women in
the city. The way that the police
would approach and manhandle
pickets and free speech there was
a great fear of facism in this
country. Women played a big part
in the League against war and
fascism.

EFFIE JONES:

A lot of the women were
protesting through the
Housewives' League, the times
called for something more than
social meetings then. We had
branches all over Canada. We
were desperate see, some of them
were more desperate. They knew
that they could help in some way