Girls of Thunder Bay, Rainy River and Kenora districts at the Northwestern Ontario Junior Farmers' Conference. Standing: Miss Eadie, Supervisor of Junior Extension, Women's Institute Branch; Lucy Markiw; Grace Josephson; Beverly King. Seated: Jeanette McKinnon; Eila Kuurila; Margaret Lewis.



secretary, Lois Armstrong, presented pins to the past presidents.

Among the many reports indicating Ontario girls' interest in 4-H Homemaking Club Work, also the interest of their elders — mothers, club leaders and Institute members, we have this story from Yarker in Addington: The club leader was taken ill. Her daughter was so anxious to continue in club work and get at least her county honour pin, that she told her mother, if she would "stand back of her" she would take over the leadership of the club and do her own project at the same time. Twenty-two girls in the district were con-

Miss Alice Storey receives the Oxford county Women's Institute Scholarship from Mrs. J. D. Hossack, President of Oxford County Women's Institute Conference. Alice is a member of the Burgessville 4-H Homemaking Club and is now working on her twelfth project. She has also acted as assistant leader. She is taking commercial work at high school and when she graduates she hopes to take an office position and continue her education in night classes.



tacted and the club work continued. The mother said "Lucille plans, if she graduates from high school this year, to try to find a position where she can board at home or be at home for weekends so she can go on in club work for provincial honours." Incidentally when this girl applied for work at a summer resort during the school vacation she "listed her home-making projects as well as her school standing." She was employed immediately and the proprietor of the resort asked if she could bring with her a friend who had had the same club training. The girls were very satisfied with their summer's work. At the end of the season they were given a substantial bonus and the promise of "their jobs back" next year at double the wages. (This is just one of many reports that come to us, testifying to the value of Homemaking Club Work.)

"No gift of leadership?" Well, plow your field, Or strike your anvil worthily. A man Needs not the first place in the Vatican To make him great. Why not be one to wield A hammer for the forging of a shield

That on some strong man's arm may break a plan To give to Wrong advantage? Say "I can" E'en to the humblest task, and share its yield. One may be leading when he knows it not.

-William Norris Burr.

Think not, because thine inmost heart means well,
Thou hast the freedom of rude speech; sweet words
Are like the voices of returning birds
Filling the soul with summer, or a bell
That calls the weary and the sick to prayer.
Even as thy thought, so let thy speech be fair.
—Archibald Lampman.

Give us this day our daily bread, we pray, And give us likewise, Lord, our daily thought, That our poor souls may strengthen as they ought, And starve not on the husks of yesterday.

—Phillips Brooks.