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At the home of Mrs. R.W. Gamble, the regular meeting opened with the singing of O Canada and the Institute Ode. Mrs. L.A. MacLean Vice President presiding in the unavoidable absence of the President. Mrs. Twyname at the piano.

The minutes of November meeting read and approved.

Mrs. Little, in giving a very fine report of the C.A.S. canvas, voiced her sincere appreciation of the work of the committee Mrs. Moraw, Mrs. Young, Mrs. P. Warner, Mrs. Homer McKeown. Mrs. Adams \$103.20 to be sent the County Treasurer.

In absence of Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Adams read her report on Public Speaking Contest - 7 contestants; judges Mrs. McElroy, Miss Dawson, Mr. Mac Marshall. A very constructive adjudication given by Miss Dawson. Mrs. Twyname was thanked for entertaining the executives and judges at a social hour. We are to enquire about a Jr. Storytelling.

Our chairman, having visited F.W.D.O. booth at Toronto Royal, reported on Provincial Quilt Contest, 60 quilts in this competition 27 people worked on first prize quilt from South Trenton W.D.

Algoma District, 2nd prize Villa Nova W.D. Norfolk North District third prize Allegan W.D. Elgin East. Collection \$235.15 members after discussion on quilt disposal. A minimum price of \$50 by private sale to guests present.

Mrs. Young voiced the thanks of the members to all who helped.

make the bazaar successful. Total receipts \$88.99.

Three recommendations regarding Bazaar were brought in that tickets be sold two weeks in advance that date be last Friday in November. Suggestion from chair to programme committee that we be allowed 3. shower meetings in preparation for bazaar. An Ex-Toggery Booth, including children's garment patterns, was suggested. Roll Call well responded to as was the shower of Christmas gifts for shut ins. Mrs. Homer McKeown was again asked to distribute these gifts. Carol Singing & mini speeches were most entertainly conducted by Mrs. Twyname. Refreshments served. Mrs. Beatrix Wade. Mabel McKeown Secretary.