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Browns W.I. Welcomed Back

The Sept. meeting of Browns W.I. was held on Wed., evening, Sept. 20, at 8:15.

The President Mrs. Reg Harris welcomed all back from the summer, the Ode and collect opened the meeting.

The President read a poem "A hand Shake". Mrs. Fred Arthur, Sec. Treas. read the minutes, treas. report and correspondence. The Fall Board meeting Oct. 3rd at Hickson; the Area convention Nov. 1st & 2nd at the Banqueter in London.

It was moved that we continue to help the district to sponsor the adopted children. Twenty-five dollars given to the 4-H leaders

for the fall course, leaders are Mrs. Rodger McKay and Laurie Powers.

The year of the children award will be continued to the pupil graduating from grade four at Wildwood Park School and the pupil of grade eight from A. J. Baker School at Kintore. Five dollars sent to F.W.I.C. Mrs. Ray Wakem gave the report of the District Annual held in May. The short course will be quilts. In 1980 the W.I. will be celebrating the 75th anniversary of Institute and we are asked to keep clippings and pictures to keep our scrap book up to date. Collection taken and meeting turned over to the

agriculture group. The topic of the meeting was apples. Joyce Burgess as convenor opened with thoughts on apples.

The Roll call - Bring your favorite apple recipe for an exchange, and Mrs. David Arthur took charge of the recipes and as each member answered the roll call she drew a recipe from the collection of recipes, which was very interesting. Mrs. John Hawkesworth told of the life of "Johnnie Appleseed".

Mrs. David Arthur introduced our guest of the evening. Mrs. Bloye who has a craft shop in Thorndale and a very talented lady. She demonstrated Apple doll

heads, and had some already finished and dressed in different costumes to her liking. Each lady was given an apple and worked along as Mrs. Bloye showed us how to shape the features of the face, time will tell what our finished article will look like as they take some time to dry, but I am sure the ladies enjoyed doing it, as it made a very enjoyable meeting. Mrs. John Uren very graciously thanked Mrs. Bloye, who had requested no personal gift, but a donation be given to CARE instead.

Mrs. John Uren had a very educational contest on apples. Mrs. George Martin was the winner. Mrs. Harris

closed the meeting with the Queen and Grace.

Mrs. John Howe gave courtesy remarks and announced the next meeting, Oct. 18, at 8:15 mp.m. with Mr. Gordon McEwan as speaker, the men invited also.

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Promotion Sunday Awards

Seveal people from around here attended the 25th Wedding Anniversary Party for Mr. and Mrs. Willis Ball at Lakeside, last Friday night.

Last Sunday was 'Promotion Sunday' at Brown's with members of teh Sunday School receiving 'attendance

awards', presented by Mrs. Clarence Tate and Mrs. Hubert Uren. The Junior Choir supplied music which is always a special treat for everyone. Miss Jean Conn showed slides and spoke on her time spent in Mexico doing Christian work, this past summer. She was the

only girl from Canada and we are proud of her and her dedication to spreading the gospel. This was followed by Communion.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fenz, who are the former owners of "Forty Winks" entertained their employees at a dinner at 'Sir Joe's Rest-

aurant' last Wednesday night. Present were - their family - Susan, Ricky & Steve; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Harris, Miss Sandra Wilson, and Miss Charlotte Lessard. Best Wishes go to Joe & Dorothy and welcome to this community.

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Miss Cheryl Anne West, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester West, as "Queen of the Furrow" for Oxford County, competed for the Ontario Queen of the Furrow at the International Ploughing Match in Wingham. Mr. and Mrs. West were also present at the Crowning of the Queen banquet held last Friday evening at Gorrie Community Centre.



A ONE NIGHT BLITZ was carried out last week by students of St. Marys D.C.V.I. for the district Arthritic Society. A total of \$1,000 was the projected goal. Here Phillip Harris, and Brian Harris are seen getting their kits from Mrs. Bruce Marshall, president

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Mr. and Mrs. Don Henderson, Alex & Dianne of Dutton, and Mr. and Mrs. Chester West, were Thanksgiving Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chester West and family.

Get Well Wishes go out to Mr. Beverly West, who is recovering from surgery in St. Marys Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Harris and Brain attended the wedding of Brian Beacham and Betty Holden in Lakeside United Church, last Saturday night.

Mesdames Margaret Arthur, Marjorie Martin, Joyce Burgess and Donna Wakem, attended the Fall Board Meeting of the Women's Institute in the East Zorra Municipal Hall, last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Heron were guests at the wedding of Rod Petrie to Eleanor Monteith in St. James Anglican Church last Friday night.