

September 10, 1981

Browns 4-H

Cheryl Anne West New President

The first meeting of the Browns 4-H Homemaking Club was held on Monday, Sept. 21 at the home of Dorothy McKay.

It was opened with the 4-H pledge.

Members for this project are - Cheryl Anne West, Nancy Richardson, Christine Wakem, Heather Brooks, Lisa McKay and Heather McKay.

The meeting was opened for the election of officers. They are as follows - president Cheryl Anne West, vice-president Nancy Richardson and the secretary and press reporter are to be floating. Heather McKay was nominated for the first meeting.

Ideas for the club name

and a theme for the achievement night fashion show are to be thought about and brought to the second meeting.

Members' pamphlets for this fall project Get Ready Set Sew were distributed to members.

The meeting was then turned over to the leaders Joyce Tate and Dorothy McKay for discussion and demonstration. Body measurements and types were taken and recorded. Pamphlet pages 9-27 were read and discussed.

The home activities were reviewed and reminders given.

The next meeting will be held Monday Sept. 28 at the home of Dorothy McKay at 8:00. The meeting was adjourned.

Browns UCW Hear Peter Kent

Mrs. Peter Kent was the speaker at the September meeting of Brown's United Church Women.

She represented the Technical Services Association, sponsored by the Anglican Church of Canada, which is helping the Pakistan people who were forced to leave their homes after India and Pakistan were divided.

This association first helped the people develop agricultural skills and supplied tractors for cultivating the land. Later it undertook to teach the women sewing, embroidery and knitting.

Buses supplied by the Anglican Church brought women into a training centre for a three week learning period.

The Mederia embroidery is beautiful, done on organ-dy, originally imported from Switzerland and the United States. The women work sitting on the floor. The finished products are washed in the cold water in the river, and beaten on the stones. Finally they are ironed with charcoal irons.

Blind people are taught caning, making string bags, and mats made from reeds.

Mrs. Kent showed slides of Pakistan - the mountains, men plowing the rice fields with oxen, gleaners following the primitive harvesting of grain, beautiful flowers bazaars and much more.

Mrs. Kent offered for sale - tea cloths, aprons, scarves, handkerchiefs, and night gowns. These were under sponsorship of the Anglican Church of Canada and all proceeds go toward helping the Pakistan people.

The World Outreach group convened by Mrs. Clarence Tate prepared the meeting.

The Roll Call was How Can I Help World Development.

Miss Joyce Burgess read the scripture reading and Mrs. Clarence Darling closed the meeting with prayer.

Mrs. Murray Taylor presided for the business. Announcements were given for a bazaar at Lakeside United Church Sept. 30 at 2.30 p.m. and Siloam United Church Sat. Oct. 3.

The U.C.W. will cater to a wedding Oct. 17. A donation will be made toward installing a new furnace at the school.

Mrs. Clarence Tate gave a comprehensive report on "a day at Alma" which was attended by a carload of ladies from Brown's.

Browns Corners

Brown's United Church observed it's 118th anniversary last Sunday with Rev. Phyllis Barnes in charge. The Brownsville Quartet and cellist Velma Hall added a great deal to the worship with their music, with Mrs. Annie Uren, at the organ. Lunch and a social hour followed.

2. Congratulations go out to Mr. and Mrs. Steven Gorman (nee Carolyn McMurray) who were married in Brown's United Church last Saturday with the reception being held in the St. Marys Arena with the Brown's U.C.W. Ladies catering.

1. October 18, 1981

2. October 17, 1981

Browns WI

Apple Cooking Demonstrated

Browns Women's Institute met Oct. 20 at 8 p.m. in the Browns United Church basement. The business meeting was conducted by Mrs. David Arthur, president.

The 4H Achievement Day is to be held in Embro on Nov. 19 at 7 p.m.

An invitation to Oxford County Conference on Oct. 27 was received.

Mrs. Doug Metcalfe and Mrs. Ken Munro were appointed as delegates to the Area Convention to be held at the St. Marys Community Centre on Nov. 5-6.

Mrs. Murray Kingdon reported on the progress being made in planning the banquet for the Area Convention. Browns W.I. will be catering to approximately 350 guests expected to attend this dinner.

Mrs. Reg Harris reported that euchres will begin at Browns School on Nov. 19 at 8:30 p.m.

The program for the evening was arranged by the Family and Consumer Affairs group with Mrs. Fred Arthur presiding. Mrs. Arthur opened with words of welcome and a poem, Apple Pie Made Long Ago.

Mrs. David Miller introduced the speaker for the evening Mrs. Diane O'Shea who works for Great Lakes Farms demonstrating techniques of cooking with apples.

Mrs. O'Shea kept everyone fascinated as she showed how to make Apple Strudel and a tangy Festive Apple Salad. Mrs. Ray Wakem thanked Mrs. O'Shea and presented her with a gift.

Mrs. Arthur closed the meeting with a poem, Feeling Fall.

A delicious lunch was

served by the group in charge. Everyone enjoyed a taste of the dishes prepared during the demonstration.

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October 7, 1982

Work At The Plowing Match

Mr. Robert Burgess spent the past week at the International Ploughing Match near Barrie, representing the companies for which he is an agent.

Several people from Brown's attended the anniversary services at Wellburn United Church last Sunday.

The following people from around this community attended the wedding of Miss Jeanette Wakem to Mr. Bill Ungar, in Wardsville United last Saturday, namely Mr.

and Mrs. Ray Wakem, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wakem, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wakem and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wakem, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Wakem, Miss Christine Wakem, Mr. Robert Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Slater, Miss Sheila Greason, Miss Freeda Conn, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Harburn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hopkins, and several friends and relatives from St. Marys, Fullarton and district.

Browns Corners Hold Shower

On Oct. 6 at Brown's United Church Basement a community shower was held for Carolyn McMurray bride elect for Oct. 17.

Mrs. Joyce West was chair lady and gave several humorous readings.

Mrs. Annie Uren and Mrs. Helen Conway conducted a singsong.

Mrs. Nancy West gave three lively songs on the piano.

Mrs. Joyce Tate led in a contest.

Mrs. Ruth Ann Wright and Carolyn were called to the front and Ruth Ann read the address to Carolyn.

She called several girls to help her unwrap the gifts.

Carolyn thanked everybody for the gifts and all who helped prepare the shower in her honour.

For She's A Jolly Good Fellow was sung.

Lunch was served and everybody enjoyed a social hour together with Carolyn.