



JUNIOR BOYS PUBLIC SPEAKING WINNERS are congratulated by Optimist president Glen Shackleton following a competition held Sunday in St. Pauls. Lanny Hoare, centre, of Holy Name placed second while Riley O'Connor of Arthur Meighen took top spot.

Browns U.C.W. hold their Easter meeting

The Easter meeting of Browns U.C.W. was held at Browns school with 18 members and two guests present.

President Mrs. John Conway welcomed everyone. Mrs. John Hawkesworth read the February minutes of correspondence. Mrs. Dave Arthur presented the treasurers report. A donation to the Foodgrain Bank was accepted.

The Easter Thankoffering is to be sent to Seeds for Africa. Mother and child banquet is to be held May 5. It was decided to have lunch after church Mar. 12 planned by the World Outreach group. A video of 125th anniversary will be shown.

The 24th annual meeting of the London Conference will be held April 3 and 4 at Leamington United Church with the theme being "Come Celebrate Love". Westminster College weekend will be held June 9, 10, 11, theme "Songs by the stream" and speaker Shirley Endicott Small.

Joyce West read "Our Hearts lift with Joy." Mrs. Bob Arthur read the

Scripture readings. The roll call was answered with an Easter Thought. The convener read "Lift of Love", followed by prayer. She also introduced the speaker, Mrs. Anne Annen of Lakeside who is a volunteer of Family and Children's Services of Oxford County.

Mrs. Annen said the real rewards come from being part of the team of social workers and other professionals who help children and their parents when they need help most. She also read a poem "Reasons of Life". A violin solo was given by Heather West, Mrs. Victor West's daughter.

Mrs. Dave Arthur thanked the speaker and Heather with gifts. Courtesy remarks thanked the speaker and Heather with gifts. Courtesy remarks were given by Mrs. Jack McMurray. Mrs. George Towle read a poem, "A Bethlehem Man Sees the Crucifixion". The president closed with a prayer.

A luncheon was served by the stewardship and finance group.

Browns euchre

Twelve games of euchre were played at Browns School on Mar. 9.

High score winners were Laura Webb and Ed Monteith, lone hand prizes were won by Rose Whaling and Angus Green. Blanche Anderson and Bill Switzer took home the prizes for low scores. Travelling prizes were won by Anne Davis and Terry Barber. Anna Armstrong and Doug Kennedy received lucky prizes.

The next euchre will be held March 23 at which time tickets for the Brown's Women's Institute euchre luncheon on April 8 will be available for \$6 each.

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