A "Bee" was held to build a platform in the church basement and make preparations for the Rally.

\$12.00 was donated to the European Flood Relief Fund.

One year, at the close of the season, the men who have been catered to by the ladies all winter took them to dinner at Butson's Coffee Shop, after which we were guests of Mr. & Mrs. Nat Lindsay for the evening in their home.

Now the Forum is no more as times have changed and we also have changed with them. But the Farm Forum was a phase in our lives and we will always have many happy memories of our group meetings in the Lochwinnoch homes.

We feel the Forum played a real part in enriching rural life in Lochwinnoch. It stimulated our minds, prevented mental stagnation, and promoted a spirit of friendliness and co-operation with our neighbours.

Mo. M. M. Storie

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Renfrew County is in another part of the province altogether, but whereever we have Farm Forum, we have happy, progressive communities. Lochwinnoch regard the Dental Clinic in their area as a community project and do not claim all the credit, but nevertheless they give it strong sup-port. Edgar Storie, secretary of this forum, reports that the school children enjoy their trips to the dentist when they go in groups and do not dread the experience at all. School grounds have been renovated and the buildings decorated—planting and painting "bees" were held when men and women turned out to help for the day, with the teacher and pupils co-operating splendidly. This school came second in the School Improvement contest at that time. A platform has been built in one end of the school for local

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concerts—this was planned at Farm Forum Review night. Lochwinnoch has made a little record for itself in that only two meetings have been missed since Farm Forum began.

It is necessary that these little Farm Forum stories be brief, but it is hoped from what we are able to pass along, that readers can read between the lines and realize the fine spirit of comradeship and good-fellowship that exists. It seems to us that it is doing little things together for one another that makes a great people.