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EDITORIAL COMMENT

The Advance would like to have a few more correspondents from districts not now represented in its columns. Place your district in the public eye by some public-spirited citizen sending the news. We would appreciate it if you would get in touch with the editor in regard to this.

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Hydro in the Georgian Bay System showed a gain of 8 per cent in the primary load for February and a gain of 2 per cent in the secondary load in the same period. Many new lines for farmers have been constructed in this district during the past year or so, and the boon of electric light and power has been taken to scores of farms. A line south from Flesherton on Highway No. 10 was opened a few weeks ago and is being continued into Proton Station at the present time. It will only be a short time when all the farms in this area will be equipped with electric power, a privilege the towns and villages have enjoyed for years. Will it aid in keeping more of the young men on the farms?

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Britain still rules the waves! Two weeks ago the new super-liner, Queen Elizabeth, sailed proudly into New York harbor to spend the duration of the war tied up at the dock there. This was done in order to make room for shipping on the Clyde in Scotland, where the world's largest ship was built. Shortly after the arrival of the Queen Elizabeth, the Mauretania and Queen Mary left for an undisclosed port, probably Australia, it is said to be used as troop transports. All credit to the British navy in keeping the ocean's lanes clear for traffic. While many ships have been lost close to the British Isles, none of those that have been convoyed by warships have been sunk, and the destruction of shipping by German submarines has been at a minimum the past few weeks.

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Interference on the radio has been very pronounced the past few months and recently a petition was circulated amongst radio owners in an effort to have the trouble cleared up. A meeting was called for Thursday night last to discuss the problem, but not enough interested persons appeared to even start a discusion. So much for the interest of those who have to endure the radio nuisances. And while on the subject of radios, let us remark on the nuisance value of some of the programs coming through the air for which we pay a license to hear. Some of them are so foolish and nonsensical that we wonder if some of the radio audiences in studios are not paid to be cheer leaders, judging by the laughs that are given to some of the most casual would-be jokes of some of the entertainers. It is a shame to have the air poluted with such trash.

Creamery Manager

Mr. Angus Avis of Orangeville took over his duties as manager of the Flesherton creamery on Monday, succeeding Mr. Chas. Goddard, who left for Kirkland Lake a week ago and who was the manager since the creamery was opened. Mr. Avis comes well recommended as a butter maker. He has been with the Kingshot Creamery in Orangeville for the past two years. The new manager will endeavor to give the same good service as has been the custom of this firm for years. Mr. Avis has rented the residence in town owned by Mrs. Chas. Stewart, and expects to move his family here within the next week. We give Mr. Avis a cordial welcome to the business life of the village.

SLATER — BOYCE

St. Chad's Anglican church, Toronto, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on March 15th, at 7.30 p.m., when Bernice Louise, daughter of Mr and Mrs. J. J. Boyce, Maxwell, became the bride of Pte. Arthur W. B. Slater of the 48th Highlanders, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Slater Toronto. Rev. N. Nichol officiated. The wedding march was played by Mrs. N. Nickolson.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of Montory rose crepe and carried on her arm a bouquet of Sweetheart roses and maiden hair fern.

Miss Florence Boyce was her sister's bridesmaid, wearing rose taffeta and carrying pink roses. Little Miss Ruth McKee, niece of the bride, made a pretty flower girl, dressed in maize taffeta and carried a bouquet of carnations and roses. The groomsman was Mr. Fred Turvill of Toronto. The ushers were Messrs. Kenneth McKee and Ralph Turner of Toronto.

After the ceremony the wedding party repaired to the home of the grooms parents, where a buffet lunch was served. Mrs. Slater, wearing floral crepe and a corsage of pink carnations received.

The bride and groom motored to the home of the brides parent's at Maxwell, where a reception was held for the immediate relatives. The dining room was prettily decorated with pink and white streamers and white bells.

EUGENIA

Rev. Mercer delivered an impressive sermon on Easter Sunday. Owing to weather conditions the attendance was only fair.

The Woman's Association met at the home of Mrs. John Cairns on Thursday afternoon of last week, with only nine members in attendance. Business matters were discussed and the society donated $5 to the Flesherton-Artemesia Red Cross Branch. They also roposed sending a "travelling box" from house to house in the community in order to raise funds. The roll call was answered by each member paying her membership fee.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Deacon have taken up residence in part of Mr. L. Latimer's residence. We welcome them to the village.

Miss Irva Magee of Toronto visited over Easter Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Magee.

Mrs. Lee and little son of Toronto visited a few days with her husband, who is on guard here.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Warford and children have gone to Toronto to visit with friends.

Miss Hilda Duckett, who has been working at the Warford home has returned home.

The meeting of the Y.P.U. last week was not well attended, owing to bad roads and weather. Mrs. Cairns presided. Mrs. Martin, the Missionary convenor, had charge of the meeting and based her talk on customs in Africa. Miss Hilda Duckett rendered a solo, Dennis Campbell an instrumental and Miss Evelpn Campbell a reading. The meeting closed with the Mizpah benediction.

Miss I. Dinsmore is holidaping at her home near Thornbury.

Miss Dorothy Jamieson is visiting in Toronto this week.

We extend our sympathy to Mrs. R. Park in her sad bereavement by the loss of her brother, Mr. Angus McLachlan of Priceville. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Park and Mr. Fred Pedlar attended the funeral on Saturday.

Mrs. J. Fawcett and son, Herb, spent the past week or so in Toronto visiting the former's son, Ed., who is ill with pneumonia, but is, we are glad to know, improving.

Messrs. R. McMillan, Ray and Lewis Genoe and Chas. Goddard were home from Hanover over Easter.

Miss Reta Turner, of near Heathcote spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Goddard.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Magee attended the funeral of the late Ernie Boyle to Thornbury on Monday of last week.

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A guard, who guards the north way,
Grew tired of living alone,
So he thought he'd take unto himself
A guard to call his own.

So, on Thursday of last week
We read of a happy maiden's glee
In wedlock, joined by a "Deacon"
Sailing the matrimonial sea.

This guard has now returned
With his dearest "Victory" won;
They're residing in our village—
And housekeeping has begun.

We welcome them to our midst,
This happy bride and groom,
We wish them health and happiness
With never a bit of gloom.

(Intended for Last Week)

Rev. Dr. Mercer held evangelistic services on three evenings last week. Owing to the bad weather, the attendance was small.

Mr. Karl Knechtel of Hanover held a meeting in the L.O.L. hall Tuesday evening of last week, in the interests of the National Government party. Karl, who is a returned soldier, gave a very interesting address. He was accompanied by Mr. Austin Ball of Hanover, who also gave an address, both upholding the policy of Dr. Manion. Mr. Chas. Hanley presided over the meeting.

Pte. Norman Cameron of the 48th Highlanders, Toronto, visited a few days with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Magee, and other relatives.

Mr. Douglas Sloane of Chatham spent a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Sloan, here and his aunt, Mrs. Leslie Ferris, in Flesherton. Douglas is recuperating after his appendicitis operation.

Misses M. and I. McKee and friends of Toronto spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. McKee.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jamieson visited with the former's sister, Mrs. Dav Genoe, near Kimberley. Mrs. Geno has been ill for the past few weeks and we wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. Chas. Park was home from Owen Sound for a couple of days.

Mr. John Cairns has returned home from a week's visit in Toronto.

The Sunday School sponsored a St. Patrick social in the church basement Friday evening last, when a very enjoyable time was spent.

Mr. Ted Campbell has returned from New Liskeard, where he has spent the past several months.

Mrs. Roy McMillan is suffering from ear trouble at present. We hope that she is soon well again.

U. S. S. No. 15, Proton

Following is a report of U.S.S. No. 15, Proton and Artemesia (Proton Station). The first figures after each name give the standing for the year, Sept. 1939 to March 1940. The second set indicates the standing on the Easter examinationis, 1940:

Grade 8 — Jack Barber 71 — 70, Kenneth Bates 53—64, Russell Lee 60—72, Edith Blake 68—76, Margaret Blake 65—75, Patricia Dingwall 74—81, Jean Dingwall 61—70, Zella Lyons 54—68, Helen Peavey 71—79, Marvelle White 71—76.

Grade 7—Cecil Barker 65—70, Margaret Mills 80—85.

Grade 6 — Bert Badgerow 65—70, Robert Dingwall 70 — 74, Everett Lockhart 62—78, Henrietta Sims 73—80, Marion Baker 73—75.

Grade 5 — Helen Corbett 73—70, Ruth Lyons 65—66, Marion Lyons 66—68, Phyllis Wauchope 68—61, Murray Shaw 77—79.

Grade 3 — Murray Watson 70—71, Lorna Dingwall 66—72, Betty Neilson 73—74.

Grade 2 — Evangeline Shaw 70—72, Lillian Watson 69—72, Iona Hodgins 55—60, Leroy Whyte 52—54, Bill McLean 59—68, Ralph Lyons 63—66.

Grade 1 — Phyllis Reddick 44—50, Reggie Barker 50—54.

Mrs. Knowles, Teacher.

Flesherton Public School

Grade 8 — Genevieve Milne (H), Marjorie Brackenbury (H), Jean McCracken (H), Margaret Turney (H), Ken Henry, Edna Thompson, Mary Banks, Jack McDonald.

Grade 6 — Evelyn McTavish (H), Gordon Cherry (H), Gordon Miller, Keith Goessel, Ted Banks, Helen Brown, Eva Doupe and Velma Sewell equal, Eileen McClean, Burton Russell, Glen Cherry, Gordon Dungey, Shirley Marriott, Ernie RussellR.

Grade 5 — Lois Sparks (H), Eleanor Williams (H), Verna Loucks (H), Ruth Marriott, Colleen McCutcheon, Bob Turney, Jim Hamilton, Elma Talbot and Edmund Thompson equal, Norman Dungey.

Grade 4 — Ted Newell (H), Bruce Thurston (H), Evelyn Stewart (H), Shirley McCracken (H), David Aberdein, Marion Stauffer, Stanley Teeter, Frank Taylor, Bob Long, Howard Teeter.

Grade 3 — Dannie McTavish (H), Maxine Cherry, Don Banks, Ivan Russell, Norma Betts, Joyce McNabb, Keith Dungey.

Grade 2 — Eleanore Sparks (H), Barry Thurston (H), Joan Turney (H), Jack Milne (H), Billie Richardson, Clifton Marriott, Burton Talbot and John Milligan equal, Mark Wilson, Bob Stoddart, Earl McKechnie.

Grade 1 — Audrey Wauchope (H), Erma Aberdein (H), Margot Anne Goessell, Bob McCracken, Stanley Betts, Carson Stauffer, Eldon Fawcett, Ross Loucks, Garnet Hamilton, Clifford Richardson, Jim Stoddart, Isobel Dungey.

S. S. No. 8, Artemesia

Grade 8 — Jim Nicholls 58.

Grade 7 — Chester Plantt 69*, Donald Sheardown 65*, Victor White 60.

Grade 6 — Evelyn Shier 67*, Gordon Nicholls 65*.

Grade 5 — Doris Shier 74, Alvin Sheard 72*, D. A. Fisher 66.

Grade 4 — Gwendolyn White 77*, Evelyn Fisher 74*, Winnie Shier 70*, Mary Nicholls 67, Herb Shier 60*.

Grade 3 — Lloyd Shier*.

Grade 2 — Gordon White*, Mildred Shier.

Primer — Ruth Phillips*, Isabelle Croft, Loreen Shier, Eleanor Shier.

* indicates 5 days or less absent in attendance since January.

—F. E. Hodgkinson, Teacher.

Feversham Public School

Grade 8 — Margaret Pocock, Albert Ottewell, Florence Pocock, Ted Pedlar, Bill McKee.

Grade 5 — Harold Parker, Marion Eby, Maurice Teeter.

Grade 4 — Gwen Fadden, Bruce Hollingshead, Helen Parker, Bernice Hollingshead and Gladys Teeter equal, Bert Hale, Dallas Osborne, Stanley Teeter.

Grade 3— John McKee, Beryl Fawcett, Carl Hawton, Wilma Williams, Almeda Tyler.

Grade 2 — John Fadden, Charles Pedlar, Reg Tyler.

Grade 1 — Donna Osborne, Ruth Francis, Doris Springgay and Ken Teeter equal. Ranald Davidson absent.

Dorothy Jamieson, Teacher.

Feversham Continuation

Grade 9 — Francis Haley 72, Ruth McLean 70, Phyllis Roberts 70, Anthony Haley 69, Norman Ball 63, Jas. Pedlar 61, Grace Poole 58, Mae Maxwell 56, Shirley Springgay 48, James Hale 41.

Grade 10 — Eleanor McKenzie 71, Annie Radley 69, Hazel Magee 65, Rita Radley 63, Phyllis Hudson 63, Norma Maxwell 61, Velma Smith 55, James McKee 51.

Middle School — Edna Smith 73, Noreen Grummett 67, Murray Lepard 63, Norma Heitman 63, Bernice Wright 62, Mable Fenwick 61, Vincent Somers 56, Margaret Courvoisier 56, Mina Dougals 55, Dorothy Fee 47, LaVerna Smith 35.

"Bacon flavours election drive," says headline. The question is: Who'll bring it home?

A young man in Amherstburg stole a letter containing $10 from an aunt of his girl friend. Silly thing to do as he had to give up the $10 and the girl as well.

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