British Advance in Western Desert

British soldiers read with amusement reports of the war in an Italian newspaper found in an Italian position captured in the victorious British sweep from Egypt into Libya, when 120,000 prisoners were taken by the British army.

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Testing Seed Grain

Ontario farmers are being advised by the Ontario Dept. of Agriculture to test all seed for germination before planting this year. With farm help scarce, every acre tilled should be made to produce more bushels per acre. Farmers can test seed at home and there is no time like the present.

Any method which keeps seed moist and at average room temperature for six to ten days should result in satisfactory germination, says Dr. G. P. McRostie, Field Husbandry Dept. O. A. C. Guelph. He states a five inch or larger flower pot makes a suitable container.

This can be filled about three-quarters full of either sand or loamy earth which should be firmed down. Scatter the seeds to be tested over the top of the soil, Pack firmly and keep moist but not wet. Set in some suitable place not too near the stove or window.

Count the germinated seeds at the end of six days and again at the end of ten days. The total number of the 100 seeds which produce sprouts will be the percentage germination. Any sprouts which are weak and sickly looking should be discarded and not included in the final percent germination as they would not likely produce healthy plants.

If the germination is about 85 percent the seed should be quite satisfactory to plant at the regular rates of seeding.

If it is between 60 and 85 percent, the rate of seeding, should be increased in proportion to the percent of kernels that do not grow.

If germination is below 60 per cent, it would seem advisable to secure other seed for planting. If this is impossible the rate of seeding would have to be increased as previously suggested, states Dr. McRostie.

Local and Personal

Mr. Ted McTavish of Toronto spent the week end at his home.

C.Q.M.S. Angus Turney was in Toronto over the week end.

Mr. Ted Dixon of Toronto was in town on Saturday.

Mr. J. A. Senn of Paris was a week end visitor in town.

Mr. Fred Stuart of Bracebridge was a visitor in town on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Doupe and Joan moved to Owen Sound, where Edgar has secured a position.

Dr and Mrs. A. E. ittle of town observed the 37th anniversary of their wedding on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. O'Brien and children spent a couple days the first of the week with her father, Mr. W. G. Karstedt.

Mrs. G. Alan Keith, Miss Ruby Aikenhead and Miss Doris Keith of Toronto were week end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. F. H. W. Hickling.

Aircraftsman Thos. J. Banks was last week moved to the new bombing and gunnery school at Macdonald., Man., 12 miles east of Portage la Prairie, Man.

A dance was held in the Fraternal Hall on Friday evening last when the draw was made on the L.O.B.A. quilt, which was won by Mr. Jas. Caushier of Hagerstown, Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Richards and Mr. and Mrs. Orland Richards and son, George, of Lucknew were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Richards on Sunday.

Mr. Frank Leavell moved his family and household effects to Collingwood on Monday, where they will reside. Frank is employed with the Collingwood Shipbuilding Company.

Mr. C. B. Wilson of St. Catharines was a visitor in town on Saturday. He spent the week end with Mrs. Wilson, who was assisting in nursing her mother, Mrs. W. C. Hanley, who has been ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Harold Morrison of Owen Sound is visiting her sister, Mrs. Guy Hazard, Meaford Road. Mr. Morrison has been transferred as a Provincial Police Officer to Owen Sound.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Smith and son, Gordon, of Shelburne, accompanied by Mr. Smith's brothers, Roy and Henry, and sisters, Alberta and Lillian, spent Sunday with Mrs. Chas. Doupe and family.

Messrs. C. S. McTavish, J. Nuhn, G. B. Welton and J. F. Collinson attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Alex. McIntosh, sister of Mr. J O. Dargavel of Flesherton, which was held on Thursday at her home near Dornoch.

One of the best arguments in support of advertising is the fact that to the man who does not know about you, you do not exist.

Italy is reported to be calling up more troops, and one part of the new regulations is that they shall be able to do 100 yeards in 10 seconds flat.

Prince Don Juan makes it known that he is the claimant of the throne of Spain. That's all right by us we don't want it.

"Mabel is a very decided blonde, isn't she?"

"Yes, but there is a slight hesitation at the roots."

Some of us are inclined to think that problems cannot be solved unless we find the answers, in advance, in the back of the book.

He—"Indeed you are very pretty."
She—"Pooh! pooh! So you'd say if you didn't think so."
He—"Well, in that case and so you'd think if I didn't say so."

There was one report of a government snow plow being burned in Western Ontario. We have such things around here too, but just how one would set fire to them is something we do not understand.

Mrs. Smith—"Our new neighbours are awfully noisy. The other night they were having a party and were making such a row that I knocked on the wall."
Mrs. Brown—"What happened?"
Mrs. Smith—"They came around and asked Alf what he meant by hanging pictures at that time of the night."

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FOR SALE — Chemical toilet, almost new. — C. P. Wilson, Flesherton, Ont. 39p3

FOR SALE — 130 egg Queen incubator, used in good condition, reasonably priced.—Mrs. Chas. Moore, Proton Station, Highway 10.

NOTICE — After this date, Feb. 26, my Hereford bull will not be available for public use. — John Dow, Priceville, R. R. 3.

GIRL WANTED — Capable girl to help with general housework.—Mrs. Chas. Goddard, Aldershot, Ont., or phone Flesherton 32r12. 39c1

WANTED — Reliable girl desires position in good Christian home. For particulars write Miss Muriel Heather, Eugenia, Ont.

FOR SALE — House in Flesherton, with seven rooms, hard and soft water, double lot and barn. For full particulars apply to J. W. McMullen, Ceylon, Executor. 30c

FOR SALE — Library table and 2 chairs, 2 beds, bedroom tables, electric 2-burner stove with oven, and numerous other articles. — F. Pinder, Flesherton. 40c1

FOR SALE — Small farm, 18 acres, near Eugenia on County Highway, good house, barn. Bargain for cash. — Mrs. R. Bentham, Flesherton. 38c4

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Farm For Sale— 29 Acres, Range 2, Proton. Good buildings. Half mile west of highway no. 10 at Victoria Corners. Ideal premises for poultry farm. J. F. Acheson, Proton, R. R. 1.

FOR SALE—In Ceylon, comfortable 7-room house, electric lights, hard and soft water, good stable, hen house and garage with cement floor, lot containing 1 acre more or less. For particulars apply to Mrs. Nellie Gilchrist, Badjeros, R. R. 1, or Fred Irwin, Flesherton.

FOR SALE — 5 Cows, 4 yearling calves, 2 Polled Angus year-olds, 2 reg. Yorkshire sow, 3-year-old horse; aged mare, bred; oil-bath Cockshutt mower, like new; wagon, sleigh, cutter, harness, harrows, scuffler, etc. — Geo. Allen, Flesherton R.R. 3 (Mt. Zion.) 39p1

FARM FOR SALE

100 acre farm, 5 acres wheat, spring creek, tiled well and windmill, comfortable dwelling, barn and henhouse, situated 1 mile south of Flesherton on No. 1 Highway, reasonably priced for quick sale. — Apply to Fred Irwin, Flesherton, Ont.

NOTICE

To Whom it May Concern:
I have interviewed Mr. F. North, Markdale, and he admits the rumor which he was supposed to have made in regard to my purchasing of logs, is absolutely false.
—R. McNABB,
Flesherton, Ont.

FOR SALE — 3 Young sows, bred, $17 each.—Geo. Udell, Ceylon.

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EXCHANGE — Established garage business in down town Toronto, equipped and a going concern for small farm in trout fishing district. Wonderful opportunity. Owner called up. Estimated worth $3000. Box 212, Flesherton Advance.

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TENDERS WANTED

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned for the position of caretaker of Flesherton High School up to and including Saturday, March 15th, 1941, duties to commence April 1st. Outline of duties may be secured from the Secretary. Lowest tender not necessarily accepted.
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