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It is said that a custom in Ethiopia is that a creditor has the privilege of leading his debtor around on a chain until the dept is paid. If that custom were adopted in Canada there wouldn't be enough chain to go around.

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Future Events

DANCING IN DUNDALK

Dancing in Dundalk every Saturday Night (weather permitting) to the music of Alvin Dermott and his orchestra. Admission: 35c.

EASTER DANCE

The annual Easter Dance will be held in Flesherton Fraternal Hall on Monday, April 10. Murray Simmons' orchestra will supply music for modern and old-time dancing. Admission: 50c.

AUCTION SALE

Harry Shaw, east backline, Artemesia, will hold an auction sale of farm stock, implements, etc., Thursday, April 13th. — Geo. E. Duncan, Auctioneer.

EUGENIA RED CROSS DANCE

The Eugenia Red Cross will hold a dance in the Orange Hall, Eugenia, on Friday, April 14th. Music will be supplied by Pedlar's Orchestra. Lunch provided. Admission 35c.

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Maxwell Airman Missing

SERGT. CHARLES WINTERS

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Winters, Maxwell received word last week that their son, Sergt. Chas. Winters, Air Gunner, was missing after operations on March 19th. A report was circulated this week that Sergt. Winters was a prisoner of war, but it was without foundation. The many friends of the family hope the next news they receive will announce his reaching safety.

2,258 Ration Books Issued At Flesherton

The issuing of ration books took last week with Mrs. W. E. Betts in charge of the work. The ladies were extra busy and did a splendid job. There were a total of 2,258 books issued at Flesherton, 1,400 of them being given out on Friday. Markdale issued 2,141 and Dundalk 3,100. Those who did not apply for the new book may secure them through the local ration board office. It is reported that one bachelor from Artemesia township secured his first ration book at Dundalk. He had "got along" without any rationed goods since rationing was instituted almost two years ago.

Those assisting Mrs. Betts in the issuing of the books were: Mrs. E. J. Fisher, Mrs. H. Milligan, Mrs. Ken Betts, Mrs. J. A. Hutchinson, Mrs J. Dargavel, Mrs. Sam Phillips, Mrs. W. Turney, Mrs. A. E. Goessel, Mrs. J. Brackenbury, Mrs. A. Avis, Mrs. N. Stoddart, Mrs. E. Henry, Mrs. F. Taylor, Mrs. M. McFadden, Miss K. McMillan, Miss A. Heard and Miss Velma Sewell.

Artemesia Farmers Win At Grey County Seed Fair

Three Artemesia farmers had winning entries in the Grey County Seed Fair held at Markdale Tuesday afternoon of this week. A. S. Muir of Ceylon won three firsts on O.A.C. barley, No-barb barley and Katahdin potatoes. Allie McLean of Priceville won first on Warba potatoes and third on Sebago potatoes. Alfred Odell, also of Priceville took first prize on Mabel oats. These men are to be congratulated on the success they obtained and for entering their produce for show. The entries were not as numerous as was hoped and expected.

FEDERATION NEWS

(By Clifford Allen, President of Grey County Federation of Agriculture)

The Ontario Hog Producers Accociation assembled for their annual meeting in the King Edward Hotel in Toronto, March 17, took a strong stand on the use of the Farm Products Control Act as a means of establishing a hog scheme, completing the organization of all producers

The President, Mr. Chas. McInnis of Iroquois, reviewed the activities of the Association during the past year, including the effors made to persuade the Dominion Government that it was necessary to provide hog producers with better returns, either through higher prices or bonuses. More recently the Association had asked the Provincial Government to reconsider its decision to do away with the Provincial subsidy. There is every indication that producer problems will be more acute in the post-war period and preparation must be made to meet them.

Mr. W. L. Bishop, Norwich, secretary, reported that all counties in Old Ontario, with the exception of six, now have a hog producers' organization of some type The scheme was discussed in some detail and it was emphasized that it is essential to our democratic way of life for producers to be given a share in the management of their own industry.

A large delegation from Grey County, representing all townships in the country, attended the meeting.

A number of resolutions were passed by the convention dealing with the proposed hog marketing scheme, ways of improving quality, etc.

In January of this year, Grey County organized a Hog Producers' Association, which will work with the rest of the Province for a better deal for the hog industry.

Eugenia Girl Leads In Four Year Puzzle Contest

(By Eugenia Reporter)

The annual report of the Puzzle Corner of the "Canadian Girl", published by the United Church, came out last month. It tells of the girls in all parts of Canada and Newfound who, week after week faithfully search the Scriptures for the answers in the contest. In the grand final honor roll for the past year there were eleven in the graduating class. This means steady, patient work and something to be proud of. Congratulations, along with a special book prize and a gold seal to be added to each diploma, were sent to the winners.

Among the winners was Marge Martin of Eugenia. Another splendid achievement among these graduates were the excellent records of Marge Martin of Eugenia and Leona Pratt of Brownsville, Ont., both of whom had a perfect record for four years. Although the prize is small, the honor is great. These two girls may be justly proud of themselves to lead the Canada-wide competition.

As we look forward to the better day when our efforts can be placed at rebuilding, in place of destroying, we know what a strength it will be to Canada to have a body of young people faithfully searching the Scriptures to learn God's will.

Feversham Airman Missing

(By Feversham Reporter)

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davidson received word last week to the effect that their son, Sergt. Norman Davidson was missing after air operations overseas. The many friends of the family in Feversham district hope that the missing airman will soon be reported safe.

Osprey Red Cross Receipts

Following are the funds of the Osprey Red Cross Branch, which includes amounts received from grants and donations:

Grant, Grey County	$100.00
Grant, Township of Osprey	700.00
Maple Valley Pres. Church	10.00
Rob Roy War Workers	25.00
Stephen's Corner W. W.	15.00
Maxwell Women's Institute	25.00
H. C. Francis	5.00
Miss Mary R. Mills	5.00
Miss Maud Smith	5.00
Geo. W. Ross	5.00
Mervyn Gould	2.00
	$897.00

EASTER SERVICES

Evedyone should go to Church on Easter Sunday. A welcome awaits worshippers at the Baptist Churches in Flesherton and at Rock Mills, always. Special Easter music and messages will make the ministry of Easter significant to you. Mr. F. E. Keys' subject will consider those who witnessed the first Easter, in his sermon "Christ and the Wondering Crowd."

A week from Easter Sunday night Rev. Mr. Bythel, Christ Church, Markdale will address 'Fireside' in the Baptist Church. The hour will be 8 p.m., as usual.

IMPORTANT

Any member of the Horticultural Society not intending to order plants, bulbs, etc., this spring as a premium or have the amount of the premium, 60 cents placed in the treasury for project work, will have gladioli bulbs ordered for him to the above value. Let the secretary or president know your wants, as the matter must be attended to this week.

Maxwell Hens Hold Record For Production

In Maxwell there is a flock of 24 hens owned by Mrs. Chas. Brodie that is certainly doing a great work in producing eggs or Britain. These hens, in the month of March, laid 520 eggs, almost an average of 22 eggs per bird and since January 1st to March 31st, laid 108½ dozens. This flock consists of 21 Plymouth Rocks and 3 White Leghorns, and to date have never been fed any boiled feed or laying mash. Keep up the good work.

DOMINION DAY WILL BE HELD SATURDAY, JULY 1

Dominion Day will be observed on Saturday, July 1st, this year, the day on which it falls, Dr. E. H. Coleman, Under Secretary of State, announced at Ottawa. The decision that the holiday would be observed on the nearest Monday to July 1st was rescinded by order-in-council last year

DIED

HOWARD—Charles Albert Howard aged 75 years, at his home 2241 Blenheim Rd., Vancouver, B.C., on Fri., March 10th, 1944. Surviving are: his wife, one son, Jack, in Vancouver, two daughtes, Mrs. G. Olsen of Kinusa, Alta., and Florence at home; one sister, Miss Annie Howard of Toronto and one brother, W. J. Howard, of Markdale, six grandchilden and two great grandchildren.

123 Donors Volunteered For The Fourth Clinic

The fourth blood donors' clinic at Flesherton was held on Friday, March 31st, and was the most successful yet held. There were 123 enrolled, with full donations received from 114. More new donors participated in this clinic than at any time since the Flesherton clinic was organized, a total of 43 men and women. While a little time off is taken by the donors and some inconvenience caused them in various ways yet they realize that they cannot falter now, when so many of the Canadians are in action and the need of blood plasma grows. It must be gratifying to those who have donated their blood that they have made a record for the Province for the number of people attending the clinic in relation to the population. Even Orangeville last week reported 120 donated in that town at the last clinic. Mrs. Jackson, the Red Cross nurse in attendance remarked that the Flesheron clinic was the best ever held in the district. Those who enrolled came from as far east as Feversham and to Priceville.

It is expected that another clinic will be held in ten weeks' time. Let us accomplish even more than we have thus far, and do our part to save lives on the battlefront.

Following is the list of those who donated their blood and the number of the Flesherton clinics attended:

Four Clinics — H. A. Tucker, F. J. Thurston, A. S. Muir, Wm. Irwin, N. C. Buchanan, J. L. Irving, B. Phillips, D. J. Brown, C. Carruthers, Mrs. C. Carruthers, G. Irwin, K. Hawkins, D. L. Stephens, Wm. Stephens, J. A. Gowanlock, W. R. Meads, K. Stewart, J. A. Richards, Wm. Gibson, Jos. Stauble, R. J. Boyd, R. A. Brown, J. A. Henderson.

Three Clinics — W. Thompson, H. F. Fenwick, J. McMullen, N. P. Betts, R. Fenwick, J. McMullen, R. Phillips, D. Meldrum, B. A. McIntosh, W. Harrison, E. Wright, B. Hanley, E. Blackburn, Mrs. I. Clark, Mrs. M. Pattison, Mrs. A. Sled, Mrs. R. Park, Mrs. M. Bellamy, E. Partridge, M. Phillips, K. G. Betts, C. J. Bellamy, S. Muir.

Two Clinics — C. McKechnie, P. McDougal, G. Magee, E. Thuston, J. S. McDermid, G. Dungey, H. E. Collins, O. Marshall, F. Lovering, E. Beaton, F. Seeley, S. McLeod, J. P. Stewart, H. J. Courvoisier, W. Lever, B Hanley, Mrs. G. McTavish, Mrs. W. J. McMillan, Miss M. Ross, Mrs. M. Phillips, Mrs. J. A. Richards, Mrs. Wm. Newell, Mrs. J. C. Harrison, Mrs. J. Brackenbury, Mrs. W. A. Westcott, Miss J. Proctor, Mrs. H. Milligan, N. Loucks, T. C. Hughes, V. Wright E. Campbell, K. Cairns, Rev. C. Cox, J. Lougheed, and A. Humphrey.

First Clinic — Mrs. A. Idle, Mrs. P. Semple, Mrs. Wm. Mather, Mrs. C. Archibald, Mrs. D. Reiley, Mrs. C. Chard, Mrs. O. J. Rowe, Miss A. Murphy, Mrs. G. Whyte, Mrs. G. Seeley, Mrs. W. Smith, Mrs. C. Fawcett, Miss A. Whyte, Pte. E. B. Meads, T. Ferris, H. Fisher, D. Russell, W. Jamieson, E. Lougheed, S. Sutton, C. Loucks, Mrs. A. F. Williams, Miss V. Russell, Mrs. J. A. Nichol, F. Betts, P. Hunt, Sergt. G. L. Nichol, W. Smith, C. Fawcett, E. Sammons, A. Short, D. Davidson, F. Teeter, G. Jackson, S. Patton, Ben Hanley, M. Davidson, A. Proctor, G. Armstrong, S. Stauffer, E. Talbot, G. Strath, T. Mather.

Mrs. J. A. Richards was convener of the lunch committee and the Maxwell Red Cross unit contributed the refreshments and assisted in the serving. Those assisting included: Mrs. J. McDonald, Mrs. O. Phillips, Mrs. Ferris, Mrs. Gould, Mrs. Seeley, Miss M. Ross, Mrs. M. Sled, Mrs. W. Kaitting, Mrs. Henry, Mrs. P. S. McDougal, Mrs. E. Morgan and Mrs. G. McTavish.

Mrs. Stoddart served as receptionist, and the records were compiled by Mrs. F. B. Keys, Mrs. H. Milligan and Mrs. F. W. Duncan. Mrs. W. A. Westcott gave numerous piano solos throughout the clinic.

Mrs. R. J. Boyd convened the nurses, as follows: Mrs. C. McTavish, Flesherton; Mrs. J. Robinson, Miss M. Smith, Feversham; Mrs. Micks, Mrs. Reid and Miss J. Marshall, Ceylon; Miss Fenwick, Maxwell; Mrs. W. Fisher, Dundalk; Mrs. Ferris, Victoria Corners; Mrs. Simpson, Miss H. Wyville, Miss Carefoot and Miss Noble, Markdale. Mrs. E. J. Fisher and Mrs. E. Betts served in the capacity of Nurse-aids.

Ceylon Airman Receives His W. A. G. Wing in West

(By Ceylon Reporter)

The graduation ceremony and presentation of wings to Wireless Air Gunner Gordon L. Nichol of No. 2 B. & G. School, Mossbank, Sask., which took place recently, is of interest to Ceylon vicinity and also to Flesherton and Priceville. Gordon is the elder son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Nichol and is now a Sergeant in the Air Force. He is being posted to Lachine, Que., after spending two weeks' leave at his home here. Sergt. Nichol is a former student of Ceylon Public School and an ex-pupil of the Flesherton High School. He received his training at Edmonton, Calgary, Brandon and Mossbank, and a wireless course at Winnipeg. His many friends extend congratulations and best wishes.

The Late A. D. Thurston

There passed away at Montreal on Wednesday, March 29th, a native of Kimberley, in the person of Mr. Alfred D. Thurston, the result of a stroke. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Thurston, pioneers of the Kimberley Valley and was born on the farm two miles north of Kimberley. He was married to Miss Blanche Walker of Eugenia, who predeceased him by about eight years.

He leaves to mourn four sons and one daughter, Kenneth of Montreal, Sergt. Bruce of the Canadian Army, Pilot Officer Arthur with the R.C.A.F., Gordon of Hamilton, and Ruth (Mrs. John Bonnell) of Montreal. He also leaves one brother and one sister, Dr. F. A. Thurston and Miss Myrtle Thurston of Chicago. He was an uncle of The Advance editor.

The funeral was held Friday afternoon in Montreal, with interment taking place in Mount Royal Cemetery.

Born

PHILLIPS—At Mrs. Nuhn's Nursing Home, Flesherton, on Sunday, April 2nd, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Neil Phillips, Proton Station, the gift of a daughter.

RICHARDSON — At Mrs. Nuhn's Nursing Home, Flesherton, on Thursday, March 30th, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Richardson of Corbetton, the gift of a daughter.

EASTER FLOWERS

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Thos. Aikenhead Passes

Associated for 70 years with the firm of Aikenhead Hardware Ltd., Thomas Edward Aikenhead, 84, president for many years, died on Monday at his home, 1 Browside Drive, Toronto. Although in ill health for some months, he had attended the company's annual meeting a few weeks ago.

Born in Toronto, Mr. Aikenhead at the age of 14 joined the business established by his father. He became president in 1904 and two years later the business was moved from Yonge and Adelaide to Temperance St., the present location.

The late Mr. Aikenhead was a member of Timothy Eaton Memorial Church and Wilson Lodge, A.F.&A.M. He was an accomplished violinist and also took great interest in sailing and fishing.

His wife, Lydia Anne Armstrong, predeeased him by several years. Surviving are two daughters, Miss Ruby Aikenhead, and Mrs. T. G. A. Keith (Lydia), and two sons, James T. F. and J. Wilfred Aikenhead.

The funeral is taking place this Wednesday afternoon, with service in Timothy Eaton Memorial Church at 3 o'clock. Interment will be made in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

Card of Thanks

Mrs. George Cairns wishes to thank her Flesherton friends for the lovely flowers and baskets of fruit and to her neighbors for kindness shown during her recent illness.

Card of Thanks

I wish to express my appreciation for the splendid support given me at the B-A Service Station during the past six years. I solicit continued patronage to my successor, Mr. Wm. Turney.

—HAROLD BEST.

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