

'As We See It'

By J. A. Strong

LAST FALL the leaves have been well taken care of by the high winds and there aren't many to rake up at all. There is quite a discussion about raking leaves and leaving them and yet it always seems strange to burn them. They make a humus if left to decay and when covered under or dug into the garden make good fertilizer. The odor of turning leaves makes one think of an autumn summer but whether we have had that season or not this fall is open to argument. Anyway it has been a nice fall and as we write these things we haven't had any frost severe enough to do any damage to the potato plants. The thunder and lightning of last week reminds us that that supposed to be a sign of an open season. There wouldn't be any kick about that either.

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THE PURCHASE of as many Savings Certificates as possible is as necessary as ever, perhaps even more so. They make nice gifts, wedding gifts, Christmas gifts or just plain gifts. Unlike other gifts they increase in value as time goes on instead of decreasing in value. Savings Certificates give an advantage over even the purchase of bonds. Often the interest that we get from bonds from time to time is spent when the bond expires. We merely have the amount of the original investment whereas with certificates, we have the original investment and all of its earnings besides. Another advantage in favor of certificates is that we can buy \$100.00 worth for \$90.00. When investing in bonds we usually have to pay the full value of these bonds at the time of purchase. Another advantage that

certificates have is that they may be purchased in so many different denominations and we don't have to wait until we get several hundred dollars as is the case so often in purchasing bonds. Suppose we make a special effort to buy all the War Savings Certificates possible before the end of 1941.

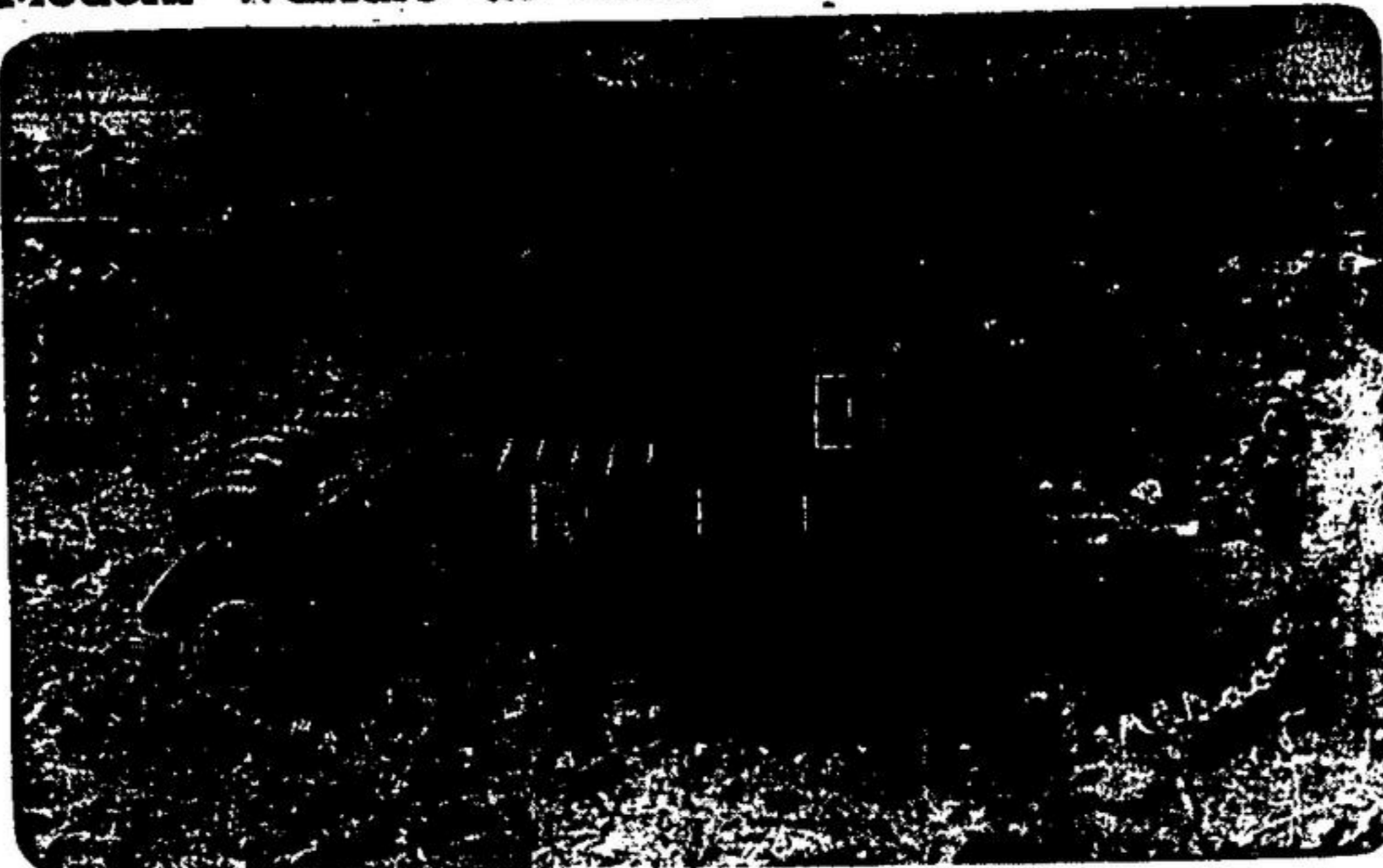
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THERE ARE PLENTY of ways by which we can show our loyalty these days and one of these would be to at times use pullets eggs, rather than the A Large ones. Britain wants all the eggs that we can send and it is the A Large that is sent overseas. At this time of the year there are more of the smaller eggs that would be the case later on and with eggs high in price the smaller ones are the better value. The quality of pullets eggs is comparable to that of the large eggs, the only difference being the size. It might be of interest to mention that A Large eggs must weigh individually at least 24 ounces to the dozen. A Medium weigh from 22 oz. to 24 and the A Pullets weigh from 18 oz. up to 22 oz. to the dozen. Of course there are other qualities besides weight that would be taken into account when eggs are being graded, however the size is of course the most noticeable quality. We understand that properly fed hens produce eggs that weigh heavier according to size than do hens that are not so well fed.

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THE FINALS in the Provincial Women's Softball series went to the full three games. Simcoe taking the first game, Sudbury the second, and Simcoe taking the third and deciding game. Just to give you an idea of the interest that was taken in this series the total attendance at the three games was over 10,000 and of course that is as it should be. Girls' games provide just as many thrills as do boys' games and we have noticed that the home-town fans are even more loyal to the girls' teams than they sometimes are to the boys' teams. One

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These British tanks, lined up smartly in "1, 2, 3, 4" order, created a favorable impression on King George when he paid a special visit to an armored division somewhere in Britain recently.

thing sure the home-town fan wouldn't stand for any imposition on his home-team of girl softball players, that is if he had any red blood in his veins at all. With boys' games almost out of fashion on account of the war, a girls' softball league among the surrounding towns might prove to be quite popular. Sport has its place all the time, yes even in war time.

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THE HARVEST, of course, is over for another year. The mention of the word harvest brings to mind the harvesting of grain usually, but it also applies to the harvesting of other crops such as potatoes for instance, and other vegetables as well. We do like to see a bountiful harvest and it would be difficult to think of a prettier sight than a heavy crop of grain properly stooked up. One of the outstanding crops that we noticed this fall was the field of pumpkins at the Ontario Reformatory at Guelph. The smart yellow of the pumpkins stood out boldly in the bright sunlight and as they had several acres of them we could only imagine the number of pies that these pumpkins would provide filling for. Quite an institution this Ontario Reformatory. Last year the crops on this 1100 acre farm ran something like this: 175 acres of hay, 75 acres of fall wheat, 60 acres of potatoes, 5 acres of savory, cabbage, 11 acres of onions, and 70 acres of vegetable garden. One thing sure it ought to be a good place to learn "to hoe to the end of the row," and one wouldn't be any the worse of learning that simple rule either.

IN OUR MAIL BAG

Georgetown, Ontario, 14th October, 1941.

The Editor, The Georgetown Herald, Georgetown, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

May I, through the medium of your valued paper, bring to the notice of the citizens of Georgetown and vicinity a few facts regarding the mailing of Christmas parcels to those serving with the Canadian Forces Overseas.

It may seem a little early to be writing of Christmas, but it must be realized that, particularly in regard to this district, there are very many more of our boys overseas and for this reason the number of parcels to be sent will be that much greater.

A Christmas parcel should arrive at, or before, that time, otherwise it mere-

ly becomes "another parcel," and the Postal Authorities are as anxious as the senders that all the parcels arrive in time.

In order that everyone may be happy, the co-operation of the public is asked, which, if given, will produce the much desired result.

Parcels should be well packed and wrapped. Anything liable to melt or run should be in sealed tin containers. When making up a parcel, remember there are a number of things that are forbidden, and that anything perishable is not allowed. Remember also that the parcel to the other mother's son may be ruined because of one badly packed parcel in a mail bag.

Be sure to have the parcel correctly addressed. Incorrect addressing has been the cause of many delayed and uncollected parcels. A Customs Declaration must be filled in, giving particulars of the contents, and the values. These may be obtained at the Post Office.

Every parcel to the troops overseas has to have a great deal of handling, which takes time, and space has to be found in the already overcrowded ships. On the other side it has to reach the man who may be in some isolated outpost.

All this also applies to parcels to civilians. Should there be any doubt in the mind of the sender as to what may be sent, packing limits of weight etc. he or she should consult the Post Office before wrapping the parcel, and thus avoid possible unnecessary trouble when mailing.

It is in the interests of the sender, the addressee and the Post Office to mail in good time, and avoid the piling up of parcels at the last moment—and consequent delay. Mail your parcels for Great Britain not later than the first week in November—earlier if possible.

Yours truly,

G. COUSENS, Postmaster, Georgetown.

TERRA COTTA

Mr. H. Hayward had a very successful sale on Monday evening. Bidding was brisk and good prices were realized. Mr. Frank Peitch, Georgetown's hustling auctioneer welded the stick

in his usual good natured style. Mr. and Mrs. Hayward left here last week to make their home in Toronto. We are sorry to lose such kind and estimable citizens from our midst, but our loss will be Toronto's gain.

Mr. and Mrs. John Duncan have moved to Toronto. We also regret their removal from our midst, but wish them continued success in their new home.

A number of our citizens took in Erin Fair on Thanksgiving Day and report a good time.

Mr. E. Martin is building an up-to-date pig pen on his farm on the 10th Line and we understand is going into the hog industry on an extensive scale. We all wish Mr. Martin continued success in his new enterprise.

All our local quarries report trade quite brisk in the stone business.

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Treasurer's Sale
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TO WIT:
BY VIRTUE of a Warrant issued by the Mayor of the Town of Georgetown, bearing date of the 14th day of July, 1941, a sale of lands in arrears of taxes in the Town of Georgetown will be held at the Municipal Office in the Town of Georgetown at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon on the 8th day of December, 1941, unless the taxes and costs are sooner paid.
NOTICES IS HEREBY GIVEN that the list of lands for sale for arrears of taxes has been prepared and the said list may be seen at the Municipal Office, Georgetown, and the said list is being published in The Ontario Gazette on September 26th, 1941, one insertion only.
Notice is also given that it is the intention of the Council of the Town of Georgetown to purchase any of the said lands for which the amount offered does not cover the taxes and costs thereon.
Dated this 22nd day of September, 1941.
F. B. HARRISON,
Treasurer.

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