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GEORGETOWN

"As We See It"

By J. A. STINE

IT SEEMS A shame that something substantial, or permanent, cannot be done about the Bacon Industry here in our Dominion. During the last fifteen years the industry has had its ups and downs aplenty, we would think. When hogs had reached a low of a little over 3c a pound some years ago we recall being offered some young pigs at 50c each. We were reminded of that just this past week. A Guelph man had ten little pigs for sale and had taken them to a neighbour's auction sale and didn't even get a bid on them. That wasn't bad enough, however, when he reached home with the little pigs he found that some one had slipped in a couple of their own pigs along with his in order to get rid of them. Of course you are familiar with the reason for the drop in the hogs, of the future at least, if not of the present. Instead of the 675-

000,000 pounds of bacon which the Dominion arranged to send to Britain for 1943 the arrangements just call for 450,000,000 pounds during 1944, and the same amount for 1945. There is nothing wrong with the quality of the bacon that we ship overseas and the British would like to have Canadian bacon. However it is all a matter of paying for it. It is expected that the war will be over sometime next year at the latest and when that happy event takes place there will be the business of attempting to make ends meet once more by nations as well as by individuals. Britain will buy all the Canadian wheat that she possibly can and the same applies to Canadian cheese but she may not have enough funds to buy Canadian bacon as well as the other two items mentioned. The reason of course is that while we would like to sell Britain all the bacon possible along with other goods we fail to remember that in order to sell her our goods we would have to purchase British goods in a like amount in order to supply her with Canadian dollars to purchase our bacon. Before the war Britain bought

most of her bacon from Denmark and in return sold that country coal and manufactured goods. While we may not like the idea of Britain buying bacon from other countries rather than from Canada, yet we must admire her frank statement about the whole thing and perhaps we may be able to find a market for plenty of Canadian bacon elsewhere. Anyway, if we were in the hog business right now, we don't think that we would sell them short. No matter what particular business you may be interested in, it has its ups and downs, and the fellow that carries it on is often the winner in the long run. It does seem a shame though that the hog market cannot be made more stable, doesn't it?

AN ANNOUNCEMENT was made last week that the fuel situation was much improved and that there was no likelihood of anyone going without fuel this winter. The mild weather had helped the situation and the consumer had taken the advice given and coal was being used sparingly up to date, at least. It always seems a shame that there isn't more wood available as fuel, especially in the fall of the year when a little fire is required. Wood seems to be too expensive though. If that we don't mean that the person engaged in cutting, drying, and delivering wood charges too much for his labor, not at all. However, compared with the amount of heat that we get from wood and from coal, coal always seems to be the better bargain of the two. In all this, any wish for that you may visit there is usually enough wood lying around decaying to keep a good many of us in fuel for a number of winters. Of course this articular kind of wood is made up of tops and limbs, and wood of that class. To cut it into wood of that class, it would require so much more labor than would the cutting of body wood that it wouldn't pay the wner to bother with it. However, if it were possible for anyone to get it who could cut it and haul it for his own use it would be cheap enough fuel as we imagine it could be purchased reasonably enough as it lies in the bush. It does seem a shame to see it decaying and at the same time many of us would be glad of that wood, could we but get it.

THIS HAS BEEN a fall in which it was quite possible to tap maples and to get a good run of sap. We haven't heard of anyone in this locality taking advantage of the unusual season though to make maple syrup. It would certainly help out the sugar situation though. However the shortage of sugar has had its advantages and we find that we get fruit and deserts with unusual flavors these days. When we get the low-down on the unusual flavor we often find that instead of sugar the housewife has been using candy to sweeten the deserts in question. If you haven't tried

it we advise you to try it out sometime. Of course the better the candy used, the better the flavour of the deserts, and the same applies to the color of the candy used. Keep away from the green colored candy if you want your experiment to be appreciated. We noticed some one advising the use of a few raisins in pumpkin lately. Now raisins haven't been too plentiful this past while and if you are unable to get them to try with pumpkins we suggest that you try chocolates in the pumpkin. Some of those classy chocolate creams make a real treat when used in pumpkin.

HALTON HOLSTEINS RECEIVE ALL-CANADIAN AWARDS

Halton County Holsteins did exceptionally well in the All-Canadian Contest just recently concluded, receiving one All-Canadian award, one Reserve, and three Honorable Mentions. Elm Clanthus Rag Apple Rightie, who was first and Reserve Grand Champion for W. S. Hall, Oakville, at the Oakville Championship Show, was named All-Canadian two-year-old bull. Strabaven Supreme Comrade, who was Grand Champion at the Kempsville Championship Show and was recently purchased by Mr. Hall, received Honorable Mention in the two-year-old class. Oakhall Trium Rag Apple Clara, also the property of W. S. Hall, was designated as the Reserve All-Canadian Junior Yearling Heifer. She is a daughter of "Rightie." Ashville Pietje DeKol, who was first prize bull calf and Junior Champion at Oakville for F. Bellefleur, Milton, received Honorable Mention, as did Meadowood Lochivar, owned by Dr. C. B. N. Blanchard, Freeman, in the class for Senior Yearling Bulls. "Lochivar" was first and Reserve Junior Champion at Oakville. The All-Canadian Contest provides the climax of the show season for Holstein breeders in Canada. Prize-winners at the various fairs and exhibitions of Provincial Championship calibre compete for national honors through the medium of photographs, the actual selections in the various classes being made by a committee composed of the judges at these fairs. In each of the fifteen regular show classes, an All-Canadian and a Reserve All-Canadian are chosen. This year thirty-two breeders from five provinces shared the awards, although the majority came to Ontario. This contest is sponsored by the Holstein-Friesian Journal.



Mrs. Joseph A. Wilson Dies at Daughter's Home in Town

The late Mrs. J. A. Wilson, whose death occurred suddenly at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jack Beaumont, Georgetown, Ont., on Friday, November 5th, 1943, was a resident of Tottenham the greater part of her life. She was in her sixty-eighth year and was born at the Black Horse. At an early age she went to Tottenham with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown. For several years she lived at Allendale, then returned to Tottenham, and from here she went to Devon, but for the last two years lived with her daughters in Georgetown.

She is survived by a family of four sons and three daughters: viz. J. C. Wilson, Tottenham; (Georgina) Mrs. A. Thompson, Georgetown; Philip McMoran and Garret McMoran, Tottenham; (Helen) Mrs. R. Macdonald, Milton; Albert Wilson, R.C.A. (Pilot), (Anna) Mrs. Jack Beaumont, Georgetown; (Bessie) Wilson, R.C.A.F. (Yarmouth, N.S.); and Eric Wilson, R.C.A.F.C. (Toronto). Two daughters, Mrs. Geo. Felt of Sheldon Mills and Mrs. E. O. Cook of Detroit, and a son, James Brown, Tottenham, also survive her.

The funeral was held on Monday from the home of her eldest son, J. C. Wilson, herds in Fraser Presbyterian Church, Tottenham, which she attended for many years, and was conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. T. Cranston, assisted by Rev. George H. Pritchard, pastor of Tottenham United Church. Interment took place in the Presbyterian cemetery. The pallbearers were Messrs. Harry Cross, Wilfred Nelson, Mark Nelson, Ralph Thompson, Stewart McCabe and James Walsh. Many beautiful floral tributes were carried by Messrs. Harold McCurdy, Harry Baxter and Henry Agnes.

Present at the funeral were friends from Detroit, Belleville, Georgetown, Milton, Toronto, Orangeville, Beeton and Sheldon Mills.

MRS. ALBERT WILSON DIED IN TORONTO

The death occurred in Toronto Western Hospital on November 29th, of Mrs. Albert Willis, mother of Mrs. Harry Presswood, of Glen Williams. Mrs. Willis, who suffered a paralytic stroke, died only five weeks following the death of her husband, the late Albert Willis. She was born in Ireland and was in her 72nd year.

Surviving are three children, Mrs. Harry Presswood, Glen Williams; Rose Cox, and Benny, overseas for the past three years.

The funeral was held on December 2nd from Rank's Funeral Parlours, Queen Street, with interment in Prospect Cemetery.

ACTON

Several friends called on Miss Elizabeth Moore on Sunday to offer congratulations on her attaining her ninetieth birthday. Grenville A. Masales, Acton, who appeared in police court in Guelph, Thursday morning on a charge of

bigamy, was sentenced to a term of 12 to 18 months in the Ontario Reformatory by Magistrate F. Watt. The accused was remanded for one week on a second charge of perjury. James Winton, who had spent all his life in Epping Township and in Acton and district, passed away at the home of his brother, Robert Winton, William St., on Sunday, Nov. 21st. —Free Press.

TERRA COTTA

(Intended for last issue)

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hayward of Toronto, formerly of this place, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Brany and daughter Louise of Stewarttown. Also spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Melrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley and family have moved to Toronto. Sorry to lose such kind and estimable citizens from our midst, but our love will be Toronto again.

Mr. C. Hynes, who had his wrist fractured recently by falling out of an apple tree is once again able to attend to his many duties.

Wood cutting is still the order of the day.

Mr. Jay Mackie of Toronto spent the week end at his home here.

We are sorry to learn of the sudden passing of the late James Davidson, who at one time was a former highly respected resident of this place. Deceased was in his 81st year. Interment took place in Glen Williams Cemetery on Saturday afternoon. We all join in extending our deepest sympathy to the bereaved family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Eaves, and daughter, Nora, went the week end recently with Mr. and Mrs. J. Eaves and family. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie from spent Sunday with friends at Milton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Mackie of Toronto, to spend the week end at their home here.

Sorry to hear of the sudden passing of the late James Young, of Ballinacred and we extend our kindest sympathy to the bereaved family.

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WARNING TO TRESPASSERS

This notice is directed to all trespassers AND PARTICULARLY TO A CONSIDERABLE NUMBER OF YOUNG PEOPLE, BOYS AND GIRLS TOGETHER, WHO WITHOUT PERMISSION are frequenting the vacant house and property, until recently owned by the John R. Barber Estate.

Names of several of these young people are now in the hands of the Chief of Police and prosecutions will follow if trespassing continues.

These children are not all orphans and their parents would do them and the community a service if they would take interest in their welfare by exercising some control over them. A little thought and ordinary manners will solve the whole problem. Certainly the parents of these youngsters (as well as the boys and girls themselves) would hotly protest if gangs decided to romp through their properties.

There is real danger too. There are dangerous holes throughout the house, caused by thieves who stole everything movable (anybody blushing?) There are also two cisterns, the covers of which are in weak condition and may break through, causing tragic consequences.

I have no desire to prosecute, and trust the good sense of parents and young people alike will make any further steps unnecessary.

W. F. BRADLEY.

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