

Farm Machinery Dealers Need Orders For Parts

Farmers are being advised to order repair parts for their tractors, plows, and other machines at the earliest possible moment. The Office of Production Management is prepared to give farm machinery manufacturers priority on metals, but not until they receive orders from their dealers, backed by bona-fide orders from consumers.

Therefore, farmers must determine now what parts they need to put their machines in good order for the 1941 season. Then, they must place their orders immediately for these parts.

In the "Food for Freedom" program farmers must produce more food with fewer men. "Greatly increased use of farm machinery is indicated. To meet the demand for new machines would require the manufacture of 20 to 25 percent more tractors, plows, combines, etc.

There is only enough metal available for 75 to 80 percent as many farm machines as were manufactured last year, even with priorities on metals. This shortage must be made up by better use of all all present machines.

Sgt. Charles Lyle Raby, now stationed at Edgewood Arsenal, Md., has been visiting his father, Albert Raby at West's Mill. He has been in the Army for the past six years. Pvt. Paul Shuler of Fort McClullen, Ala., and Pvt. Clyde Shuler of Fort Jackson, S. C., have returned to their posts after a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Shuler of West's Mill.

Classified Advertisements

DOGWOOD WANTED
Delivered at Mountain City, Ga., \$25 per rick.—T. J. Tallent & Sons Mountain, City, Ga. J8-4tp—J29

WANTED—Will pay good prices in trade and cash for good fresh country hams. Also buy corn, wheat, Irish potatoes, onions, eggs and chickens.
Ray Grocery and Feed Co. Palmer Street Franklin J8-1tc

FOR SALE—Carload of good baled shredded shucks at bargain prices. See us for your feed needs.
Ray Grocery and Feed Co. Palmer Street Franklin J8-1tc

FOR RENT—One apartment and one office. See Ada McCoy. J8-1tp

I have 15 bushels black walnuts for sale at 2/3c per lb.
C. T. BLAINE, Box No. 514, Franklin, N. C. J8-1tc

FOR RENT—Steam heated single or double room, adjacent bath. Good meals, automobile accommodations. Rates reasonable. Mrs. Gilmer Jones, Phone 127 or 2105. J8-1tp

WANTED—To buy four foot cord wood for fire and furnace. Will pay \$3.75 per cord delivered at mines.
Bradley Mining Co. J1-4tc

Join Now
Potts' Burial Ass'n.
Protects The Whole Family
Fine Solid Oak Caskets
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Macon Theatre

THURSDAY, JANUARY 8:
WILLIAM POWELL
MYRNA LOY IN
"Shadows of the Thin Man"

FRIDAY, JANUARY 9:
"The Perfect Snob"
With: CHARLIE RUGGLES
LYNN BARI
Also Chapter No. 12
"WINNERS OF THE WEST"

SATURDAY, JANUARY 10:
Double Feature
No. 1
RONALD REAGAN
JOAN PERRY IN
"9 Lives are Not Enough"
No. 2
CHARLES STARRETT IN
"Outlaws of the Panhandle"

MON.-TUES., JAN. 12-13:
EDGAR BERGEN
FIBBER M'GEE & MOLLY
"Look Who's Laughing"

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14:
CHARLES BOYER
MARGARET SULLAVAN IN
"Appointment for Love"

Married 65 Years



Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Shepherd of Leatherman who recently celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary. Mrs. Shepherd was Miss Margaret McGaha and both are natives of Macon county. He is 86 and she is 81. Nine of their ten children are living.

Red Cross Meets Needs Of Recruits In Camps

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hodgins announce the birth of a daughter, Willie C. L. at their home at Prentiss on December 7, 1941.

A daughter, Eula M., was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Anderson at their home on November 15, 1941.

A son, Calvin John, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Stamey at their home on Cullasaja, January 1, 1942.

A daughter, Linda Marie, was born to Mr. and Mrs. John T. Angel on January 2, 1941.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Holder announce the birth of a son, Theodore Coial, at Angel Clinic on December 4, 1941.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Almond announce the birth of a daughter, Ma'y Kate, at Angel Clinic on December 31, 1941.

Mr. and Mrs. William Woodrow Poindexter of Franklin Route 3, announce the birth of a son, Clarence Wiley on Saturday, January 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Dills of Millshoal township announce the birth of a son, Charles Louis, on Friday, January 2.

A daughter, Vivian, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Erastus Wood at their home in Sugarfork township on Tuesday, December 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman McClure of township announce the birth of a son, Ellison Leon, on Tuesday, December 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Houston announce the birth of a daughter, Mildred Don, on December 3.

W. N. C. Baptist Ministers To Meet In Sylva Jan. 12

The Baptist Ministers Conference of W. N. C. will meet in Sylva on January 12 in the First Baptist church, beginning at 10 o'clock, and continuing until 2:30 p. m.

Rev. W. H. Covert of Bryson City, president, and Rev. W. N. Cook, secretary, announce the following program which has as its theme, "The Church."

Program
Morning session:
Devotional, E. W. Jamison; The Church's Beginning, D. W. Williams; The Church's Message and Messengers, A. B. Cash; General Discussion; Miscellaneous; Inspirational Address, P. L. Elliott; Lunch and Fellowship.

Afternoon Session:
Song and Praise; Business Session; The Church's Passion for the Lost, W. B. Sprinkle; The Outlook for the Church in the Present Crisis, E. F. Baker; The Church's Final Hope, B. F. Shope; General Discussion; Adjournment.

Deserters Lose Citizenship As Well As Suffer Serious Consequences

General J. Van B. Metts, State Director of Selective Service, announced today that under the provisions of Federal law, all persons who desert the military service in time of war are deemed to have voluntarily relinquished and forfeited their rights of citizenship, as well as their rights to become citizens.

Such deserters are forever incapable of holding any office of trust or profit under the United States or exercising any rights of citizens thereof.

General Metts further stated that, in view of the serious consequences of desertion in time of war, it is to be hoped that all selectees on leave from their organization will not let anything whatever interfere with their reporting back for duty on the day required.

NO COMMONLY USED AD MEDIUM EXCEPT A HOME NEWSPAPER IS RATED AS A COMMUNITY ASSET

Nurses, Hospital Supplies And Personal Service For Army And Navy

Washington, D. C.—On the home and military fronts the American Red Cross is turning its focus on the man in uniform. In his behalf, more than 10,000 nurses are being recruited. Volunteers are donating their blood for a huge plasma bank. Red Cross women in chapters throughout the country are making 40,000,000 surgical dressings, and knitting sweaters for men in outlying posts and sailors on patrol.

But these are just fragments of the story. In military and naval stations, the Red Cross is concerning itself with the personal problems of the service man, helping him adjust himself to military life. For the disabled, the Red Cross is on the job in service hospitals, helping to speed recovery of the sick through a morale-building program.

In mobilizing a 2,000,000-man fighting force, the personal problems of the able-bodied man in uniform have in turn become problems of the morale divisions. Red Cross field directors stationed in all camps and reservations have been entrusted with the task of helping to solve these problems.

Speaking in a nation-wide broadcast recently, Chief of Staff Marshall, of the Army, addressed the following words to Red Cross field directors:

"When you help straighten out any of the great variety of tangles that human beings seem unable to avoid, you are helping to maintain morale on the home front and on the military front; you are helping us in training for defense."

The disabled man in a service hospital also can look to the Red Cross for help in speeding recovery. Medical-social workers, trained for their specialized assignment, are on duty at Army general and Navy hospitals to aid service physicians, to act as a medium of communication with the families of hospitalized men and to conduct recreational programs for convalescents.

ANGEL CLINIC NEWS

J. S. Jay of Greenville, S. C., who has been seriously ill at the Clinic for the last two months is somewhat improved.

Mrs. Tom Franks underwent an operation Sunday.

Mrs. George Cloer of the Leatherman section underwent an operation at the Clinic Sunday.

Mrs. Sallie Sours, of Aquone is under treatment here.

Ervin Gillespie, of Spring Creek, Madison county, underwent an appendix operation Saturday.

Ramsey Patton, of Blairsville, Ga. is a patient at the Clinic, suffering with a stroke of apoplexy.

Baby Mary Ann Franks, of Gay, is critically ill here suffering with severe burns sustained by falling into an open fire place.

Mrs. Mary Johnston, of the Watauga section is ill at the Clinic.

H. E. Blankenship, deputy sheriff of Madison county, has undergone an operation for ulcer of the stomach.

Richard Johnston is ill here with an infection of the neck and jaw.

Webster Man Drowned January 6

Tolvin Buchanan, 50, of Webster, was drowned in Tuckaseegee river near his home about noon Tuesday, January 6, when his automobile slipped from a dirt road into water 10 feet deep. The body was found two hours later.

Mr. Buchanan is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lula Deitz Buchanan; a half brother, James Buchanan, of Webster, and two half-sisters, Mrs. Flora Guffey and Mrs. Lilly Guffey of Franklin.

Pvt. Roy Louis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Louis, was at his home in Franklin on a short furlough. He is stationed at Camp Forrest, Tenn., near Tullahoma.

A Message to our Advertisers and Subscribers

War conditions are imposing new responsibilities upon every business as well as every individual.

Our sons are answering the call of their country by enlisting in the armed forces to defend America on every front. They must submit to the strict discipline of military life to prepare them to meet danger and attain victory.

Less evident, but equally important, is the necessity for keeping the home front mobilized. Every business must keep going as normally as possible in the face of new difficulties, since it is taxes paid on earnings of business that must provide for the soldiers at the front . . . and win the war.

Along with every other business the newspaper faces rising prices, shortage of vital materials and personnel shortage.

Every community must organize to meet the enemy by combining forces and cooperating for a solid front.

Instead of advertising from the standpoint of a plentiful market, retail stores must keep their business on a paying basis by informing the buying public of available goods and aiding wise selection.

We request our subscribers to read advertisements carefully . . . and to support home business as a part of their patriotic duty. . . . A dollar you spend at home will help your neighbor and you as well.

This newspaper, like all newspapers, is dependent upon advertising to live. The more advertising space we can sell the more news we can report.

We shall strive to keep you informed with local and world news.

We are prepared to be the medium of information for our advertisers with a thorough circulation coverage of the county.

Together we can strengthen Home Defenses and Help Win the War.

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