

Good News for Williamston Shoppers On March 19-20-21

Hundreds Of Bargains For Thrifty Shoppers

"Victory Days" In Williamston Are Quite Inclusive

Special Bargains Will Prevail In Varied Line of Merchandise

Special bargains in reputable goods will be extended throughout the merchandising front during Williamston's big Victory Shopping Days on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. While centered around the dry goods stores and special shops, Victory Days are also holding a place in the spotlight with hardware firms, furniture stores, auto accessory units, drug stores and others. Briefly stated, Victory Days in Williamston means exactly what the words say, and the array of bargains will be made available on an extensive scale in one store after another.

Sponsored by the Williamston Chamber of Commerce, the Victory Days trade festival is all inclusive, touching on nearly every merchandising front as it relates to dry goods, wearing apparel, furniture, drugs, automobile parts and accessories and hardware.

At no time in the history of Williamston or this immediate territory has a greater array of bargains ever been offered at one and the same time. The stage is all set for a really big and advantageous shopping festival and throngs are certain to take advantage of the numerous bargains.

Get ready for the big event. Stores will open promptly as usual with additional clerks on the sales forces to better serve their patrons.

Spices
Although certain spices such as pepper and mustard are now on hand in ample quantities, the OEM is urging housewives to consider ways and means of conserving their present supplies.

WELCOME

The Williamston Chamber of Commerce, cooperating merchants and the town's citizens, as a whole, are extending a cordial welcome to all visitors for the big Victory Shopping Days trade festival here on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

The merchants have already paved the way to substantial savings for the throngs who are expected to participate in this section's biggest trade event of years. They will do everything possible to make your shopping tour profitable, convenient and pleasant. Plan now to attend Victory Shopping Days in Williamston Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 19, 20 and 21.

Williamston Is An Ideal Trade Center

While it is not the largest, Williamston holds an enviable reputation along with the largest trading centers in all this section of the State. It has long been recognized by thousands as the ideal trade center where dependable goods can be bought at reasonable prices and under convenient and advantageous circumstances.

The Victory Shopping Days trade event scheduled during the last three days of this week is being advanced to attract more patrons to Williamston and to prove that local stores are in a splendid position to serve their needs at all times with seasonable merchandise and at substantial savings.

Make your plans now to attend the three Victory Shopping Days on Thursday, Friday and Saturday and see as thousands of others have seen, that Williamston is an ideal trading center.

Japanese Invasion Barge Approaches Luzon



Copied from a German publication, this picture shows helmeted Jap soldiers on the deck of the invasion barge carrying them to shore during the attack on Luzon. A shell from one of the guns of General MacArthur's defending force hits near the motorboat which seems to be towing the barge.

Victory Shopping Days Timed For Favorable Easter Buying

A few more blows may be expected and it is quite likely that a few chilly days and nights will grip this section, but by the calendar and according to the censored weather man Spring is just around the corner with Easter a scant two weeks behind.

Cooperating with the Chamber of Commerce, Williamston merchants have planned a sensational—almost colossal—Victory Shopping Day Festival for the last three days of this week, the event being timed perfectly for the thrifty shopper who would take advantage of marked savings in making their Spring and Easter purchases. In fact, this trade event is inviting to those thrifty shoppers who would anticipate their merchandise needs for many, many months ahead.

The new Easter styles are already moving in, the merchants having already anticipated and prepared for a substantial Spring patronage. Stocks are unusually large in every department with a few items exhausted as a result of the war. Despite regulations and shortages in many places, local stores have been unusually fortunate in maintaining large stocks but promises for future deliveries are not guaranteed. Present conditions and future developments, it is firmly believed, are making the Victory Shopping Days in Williamston this week a trade event that will long be remembered. The trade festival is perfectly timed and arranged for the convenience of the thousands of shoppers in this section, the merchants doing so to build good will and contribute their part to the war program.

War Prisoners' Fate Sought By Red Cross

Will Send Food When Tokyo Approves Plans Now Being Negotiated

Washington, D. C.—Thousands of American families who are still awaiting word as to whether sons or brothers, known to have been in Guam, Wake Island, and the Philippines, are prisoners of war held by Japan are assured by the American Red Cross here that every effort is being made to obtain this information.

Many families have been notified their sons are "presumed to be prisoners of war," but definite confirmation must await receipt of the men's names from the Japanese authorities. When the official lists are received the Information Bureau, American Section, Office of the Provost Marshal General, War Department will notify the next of kin.

Negotiations are progressing but are not yet completed between the International Red Cross Committee and the Japanese Government relative to ways and means of delivering packages to American prisoners of war and interned civilians and of establishing methods of mail communications between prisoners and their families. All American Red Cross Chapters will be advised as soon as these negotiations are completed.

First steps in relation to American prisoners held by the Japanese have been taken, Red Cross officials said. These were, first, the naming of a Swiss delegate in Tokyo to represent the International Red Cross Committee—Dr. Fritz Paravicini; second, agreement by the Japanese Government, transmitted through the Japanese Red Cross and the State Department, that the treaty of 1929 relating to fair treatment of prisoners of war would be carried out; third, that civilians, or non-combatants interned in Japan or Japanese-occupied

SAVE ANTIFREEZE

Automobile owners should save their antifreeze mixtures this spring instead of throwing them away as many did in previous years, Dan A. West, director of the Consumer Division of OPA, advised recently. The chemicals used in making antifreeze compounds are needed to make explosives and for Army and Navy tank and airplane operation. Car owners can therefore aid the war effort, protect their cars, and help their pocketbooks by draining and saving the anti-freeze now in their car radiators as soon as cold weather lifts, Mr. West said. Car owners who usually have the antifreeze drained at service stations were urged to bring their own containers.

Beaufort Landlords Insist On Vegetable Gardens

Beaufort County landlords who have never taken an interest in tenant gardens are insisting this year that their tenants plant a sufficient number of vegetables to care for home needs.

ried nations, would be cared for equally well as prisoners of war.

The only steps now remaining are receipt of the lists of names of American prisoners of war held by the Japanese, and agreements that the American Red Cross may send food packages and necessary clothing and comfort articles for the prisoners.

The American Red Cross has been advised that all United States military men held prisoners are receiving the ration of the regular Japanese soldier. A list of food given to interned civilians indicated that they were receiving excellent care. These latter include construction workmen captured in Wake Island, and some Americans who were living in Japan.

'Winston Churchill'



Juan Angel Franco, Jr.'s impersonation of Winston Churchill stopped the show at the 386th annual Juan Ponce de Leon carnival in San Juan, Puerto Rico. Only thirty-five inches tall, three-year-old Juan drew tremendous applause.

Margolis Prepares For 'Victory Days'

"In addition to our regular large stock of wearing apparel for spring and summer, we made large purchases for special Victory Shopping Days items," Mr. Frank J. Margolis said in commenting on his recent buying trip to New York.

The special advertisement in this issue of the Victory Shopping Days section of the Enterprise will prove unusually interesting to thrifty shoppers throughout this territory. It is quite evident that the firm is stretching points to see that its store ranks high in the values that are being paraded before thousands of shop-

pers on March 19, 20 and 21st in Williamston.

The buying public will see countless opportunities at Margolis Brothers to effect substantial savings even on small purchases of articles in combination and unusually attractive

live bargains in articles ranging higher in price.

The store operators invite everyone to visit them during the special Victory Shopping Days and see the great opportunities to buy dependable merchandise at sacrifice prices.

Join In The VICTORY PARADE That Leads To Eagles 5c & 10c Store Victory Day Specials

FOR ALL YOUR NEEDS . . .

SPECIAL!	Spring Anklets
Enamelware At a NEW LOW PRICE	In All Spring Colors ALL SIZES
Easter Baskets & Other Novelties	
OILCLOTH For All Purposes In COLORS or BLACK	GLASSES All Sizes . . . Special ICE TEA GLASSES

Eagles 5-10c Store

WILLIAMSTON IS ON THE MARCH TO BRING YOU EXCEPTIONAL VALUES!

We Are Here To Help In Bringing You All Your

Hardware Needs

Springtime Is Planting Time

Check over your farm equipment and see what you are going to need. Then come to see us for

Farm Tools—Mule Collars & Hames

We Also Have—POULTRY SUPPLIES, COOKING UTENSILS, SHERWIN-WILLIAMS PAINTS AND MANY OTHER HARDWARE ITEMS.

Woolard Hardware Co.

FLOWER SEED GARDEN SEED

In PACKAGE Or BULK

Also SEED For The LAWN

When shopping in Williamston during Victory Days drop in to see us and get your supply of Flower and Garden Seed.

We have every known Flower Seed, Grown and selected by reputable dealers.

Clark's Pharmacy

WILLIAMSTON, N. C.

WILLIAMSTON VICTORY Days SPECIALS

One Gallon Mineral Oil \$1.59

Free One Orchard Crystal Dish with purchase of 25c Phillip's Toothpaste

Free 25c Gillette Shaving Cream with purchase of 50c worth Gillette Blades

Free 28c size Ponds Face Powder with purchase of 69c Ponds Cold Cream

Hinds Honey and Almond Cream HALF PRICE—50c size for 25c

Davis Pharmacy

Martin County's Most Completely Stocked Drug Store

The Harrison Shoppe

Presents

Fashions for Spring and Easter
DRESSES—COSTUME SUITS
JUNIOR DRESSES—BLOUSES
ACCESSORIES AND MILLINERY

THE LATEST IN THE POPULAR COTTON DRESSES AND TWO-PIECE DRESSES

Do Your Spring and Easter Shopping At

The Harrison Shoppe

NEXT TO POST OFFICE

Darden's Victory Specials

LADIES' White, and White and Brown SHOES
SPECIAL FOR \$1.98 TO \$3.98

LADIES' BLUE SHOES, Special for . . . \$2.98 to \$4.95

BOYS' SPORT SHIRTS
Victory Special

59c

BOYS' Fine Quality SLACK SUITS

\$1.59

MEN'S Red Ball OVERALLS
Victory Special

\$1.69

Fine Quality BEDSPREADS
\$1.49

Ladies' Chambray HOUSE FROCKS
\$1.49—\$1.69

Children's WHITE STRAPS, OXFORDS
BLACKS, WHITE
Sizes 8½ to 2
Special Value For
97c

MEN'S IDEAL WORK --- Chambray --- SHIRTS
97c

MEN'S WORK SHIRTS
Sanforized with Herringbone stripes
\$1.49

Watch For Important Announcement
CAROL KING DRESSES WILL SOON ARRIVE

Darden's Department Store

WILLIAMSTON, NORTH CAROLINA.