

RATION BOARD

Shoe retailers all over the country are preparing to get rid of their odds and ends of broken stock and obsolete odd-lot shoes under OPA's so called "Grab Bag Amendment" between July 19-31.

A limited amount of dealer's shoe stocks to be thus disposed of will be sold to the public at a reduced price without payment of a ration stamp. Dealers are required to use the words "OPA Off Lot Release" in all announcements and advertising in connection with these sales.

The Maximum percentage allowed retailers for the number of shoes released from rationing during the period must be based on the number of rationable shoes in stock as of April 1 minus certain types such as baseball shoes, evening slippers and such which were released from rationing on July 7.

Dealers selling odd-lot shoes ration free will not be entitled to any additional shoe ration currency to compensate them for these sales. This amendment does not affect the sale of new modern regular-line shoes which will continue to be sold only upon surrender of the current Stamp No. 18.

Vacation Travel

Unrestricted vacation travel or travel to summer homes in an area in

which a gasoline shortage exists cannot, of course, be permitted. Whatever gasoline is available must be used to a maximum extent for occupational purposes. A limited amount of vacation travel on a Basic ration is, however, permitted where alternative means of transportation are inadequate.

Only one round trip to and from a vacation point by the shortest and most direct route shall be permitted during balance of the year 1943.

A person desiring to use his Basic ration for vacation travel must apply to the Board for permission. He must inform the Board of his destination, the date he expects to leave and the date he expects to return. He must also establish and certify on Form R-572, in duplicate, that he has sufficient A Coupons in his Basic ration or gasoline acquired by such coupons to enable them to make the trip.

After the Board sees that he has sufficient coupons to make the trip, he will be given Form R-572, with a validation stamp affixed to the form before it is valid, and "572" noted on the inside cover of the A Book.

Josephine Hall, Home Agent, will be glad to assist with planning any morning or Monday P. M. in July. The other afternoons in the month will be taken up with club meetings. Pressure cookers are available at the Home Agent's office.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB SCHEDULE

Following is a schedule of Home Demonstration Club meetings and names of hostesses for the remainder of July.

Thursday, July 15—Mildouson, at Community Building.

Friday, July 16—Little River at Little River Community Building, with Mrs. Alex McFadyen and Miss Mary Della as hostesses.

Tuesday, July 20—Antioch at Mrs. Sadie Watson's with Mrs. Watson as hostess.

Wednesday, July 21—Blue Springs, at Blue Springs Community Building, with Miss Mary Kate Clark, Mrs. Will Clark, and Mrs. Rube Clark hostesses.

Thursday, July 22—Rockfish, at Rockfish Community Building, with Mrs. Allen Wood and Mrs. McInnis as hostesses.

Friday, July 23—Raedeen, at Cliff Conoly's Service Station, with Miss Irene Downer and Mrs. Holland as hostesses.

Tuesday, July 27—Araba Club, at Hendrix' Grill with Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Bostic and Mrs. Johnson, hostesses.

Wednesday, July 28—Allendale, at Community Building with Mrs. Arch McGougan and Mrs. Thomas, hostesses.

The hostesses are asked to serve on ly a drink at the club meetings this month. The demonstration will be "Busy Day Meals" and the recipes prepared at the meetings will be served for refreshments.

'JAP GRASS'

North Carolina farmers have one of the finest grass crops in many years and they are calling it "Jap Grass" as it damages corn, peanuts, cotton, tobacco and other crops. State College Extension specialists declared yesterday.

Reports from county agents from all sections of the State stress the damage. In some counties growers are pulling the grass out of the peanuts with hoes so that they can get at it when the weather permits them to get into the fields with plows.

Most sections report exceptionally fine corn crops but in certain counties a heavy growth of grass is damaging the crop.

Growers are very proud of the good corn crop, the Extension report said, and realize how fortunate they are since the estimates for the nation show a reduction of about 463 million bushels from last year's corn crop, because of floods in the Midwest and the late planting of the crop.

Australian military experts are considering the use of dogs for tracking snipers.

LEGAL NOTICES

DISSOLUTION OF CORPORATION

State of North Carolina Department of State, To All to Whom These Presents May Come—Greeting:

Whereas, It appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that the COLLINS DEPARTMENT STORE OF RAEFORD, N. C., INC. a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated in the Town of Raeford, County of Hoke, State of North Carolina (W. A. Collins being the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served), has complied with the requirements of Chapter 22, Consolidated Statutes, entitled "Corporations," preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate of Dissolution:

Now Therefore, I, Thad Eure, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 6th day of July, 1943, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereto set my hand and affixed my official seal at Raleigh, this 6th day of July, A. D. 1943.

THAD EURE, Secretary of State, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF HOKE.

The foregoing certificate of Thad Eure, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina is adjudged to be correct.

Let the Instrument, with the certificate be registered.

Witness my hand, this 13th day of July, 1943.

J. B. CAMERON, Clerk of the Superior Court.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE
The undersigned, having qualified as administrator of the estate of the late W. D. Smith of Hoke County,

hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement with the undersigned immediately; and all persons having claims against said estate will present the claim duly verified to the undersigned, on or before the 25th day of June, 1944 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

This, June 25, 1943.
James Johnson, Administrator of W. D. Smith, deceased.
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ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE

The undersigned, having qualified as administratrix of the estate of the late James Wiley Hewitt of Hoke County, hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement with the undersigned immediately; and all persons having claims against said estate will present the claim, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 30th day of June, 1944, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. This June 30th, 1943.

MRS. JAMES W. HEWITT, Administratrix of James Wiley Hewitt.
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ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of W. J. Long, late of Hoke County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having

claims against the said estate to present them to me duly verified, on or before the 21st day of May, 1944, or this notice will be pled in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 21st day of May, 1943.
H. A. Long, Administrator, C. T. A.
A. D. GORE, Atty.
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NOTICE OF TAX FORECLOSURE SALE

Pursuant to an order dated July 6, 1943, by the Clerk of Superior Court of Hoke County, N. C., I as commissioner will offer for sale at public auction at the courthouse door in Raeford, N. C., to the last and highest bid, for cash at 12 o'clock noon, on August 3rd, 1943, the following property, known as the Mary McAlister, deceased, estate:

In Antioch Township, Hoke County, N. C., and being the 10 acres devised by Ben McRae to his daughter, said Mary McAlister, as appears at page 44 of Book of Wills No. 1 in the office of Clerk of Superior Court of said County, to which reference is made for further details and description.

Pasted July 6, 1943.
ARTHUR D. GORE, Commissioner

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We're not all out there in the thick of the fight, but we're ALL IN IT! For every man on the front, there are TWELVE who stay at home working for victory.
So if you're not carrying a gun, you CAN consistently and regularly, every pay day, BUY MORE BONDS! Know that by doing so, you are doing your PART to provide our sons, brothers, neighbors with the things they need to BRING VICTORY CLOSER!
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I write letters in the nearly-dark

THIS is part of an actual letter from a soldier overseas:
"It's not the big things that you miss out here. It's little things. Like street noises. Or an electric lamp. Where we are there ain't no such. Since I'm on duty all day, I write letters in the nearly-dark. Funny, how you can miss a common, ordinary electric light bulb!"
Here at home, folks take electricity for granted. Take for granted that, when their fingers flip that switch, the lights will blaze — instantly!
The fact that you do take electric service for granted is a tribute to the men and women who supply it. They've made it dependable—and they've made it cheap. The average American family gets about twice as much electricity for its money as it did fifteen years ago.
Soldier, we're sorry we can't do much about sending you electricity over there. But we are pouring power into industry over here, so that you can have the tanks, planes, ships and guns you need.
The electric companies under business management are in the war — as you are — to dispel the darkness of state slavery! . . . Here's for seeing you — when the lights go on again — everywhere!
Carolina POWER & LIGHT Company
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