

TOWN and FARM

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SIMPLIFY GAS RATIONING

All "B" and "C" gasoline coupons issued after December 1 will be worth five gallons each, compared with the present value of two gallons for coupons of those types in the East and Midwest and three gallons in the far West. This means "B" and "C" books will contain fewer coupons than in the past, but each coupon will be good for more gallons than before. No increase in the amount of gasoline allowed is involved.

FARMERS TO GET BATTERIES

Approximately 20 percent of the fourth quarter production of flashlight batteries will be distributed to farmers, according to WPB. This makes enough batteries for about normal rural consumption available through farm outlets.

FERTILIZER OUTLOOK

American farmers will have more nitrogen and slightly less

potash in the 1943-44 "fertilizer year," than they had in the previous year, according to testimony of WPB officials before a senate sub-committee on agriculture and forestry. Farmers should have four tons of nitrogen for every three they had last year, according to present indications. WPB is endeavoring to make additional quantities of potash available for agriculture in 1944-45.

MORE HOSIERY FOR CHILDREN

Production of infants' and children's hosiery will be stepped up shortly as a result of priority assistance given to manufacturers for procurement of necessary yarn. The WPB action resulted from a falling supply of infants' and children's stockings.

SHOP AND MAIL EARLY

The public is urged to complete its Christmas shopping this month and to send all packages

destined to other cities, whether by parcel post or express, before December 10. Early Christmas shopping and shipping are necessary this year to enable satisfactory handling of the extra Christmas load, Joseph B. Eastman, director of the Office of Defense Transportation, said. "Remember," Mr. Eastman added, "the best gifts for this war Christmas are War Bonds and Stamps."

STEP UP TRUCK PRODUCTION

A four-fold increase in its civilian truck production program has been announced by the War Production Board. So important is this program that it has been given priority rating equal to aircraft and high octane gas. Provisions are also made for production of replacement parts for civilian use. In spite of the four-fold increase, the new stock of 123,492 trucks is still far short of the pre-war production of approximately 700,000.

TO STORE MEAT FOR SPRING

A wider variety of rationed meats will be available to the housewife during the low ebbs of next spring than during the winter. Meat whole sale prices will be loaned points to fill the their storage freezers with veal, lamb, mutton, and the lower grades of beef between now and mid-January, the peak period of meat output.

URGES FARMERS TO CUT TREES

Harvest of war-needed lumber and other wood products from the 139,000,000 acres of productive woodland on farms can be sharply increased without danger to the future supply, according to the Department of Agriculture. If farmers would consider farm woodlands and farm forests as cropland, and every year carefully cut selected trees that are ripe for harvest, they would be surprised at their returns and "they would certainly aid the war effort," H. H. Bennett, chief of the Soil Conservation Service, said.

CANNED LUNCHEON MEAT

Consumers will be able to buy more canned luncheon meat during the coming year, according to the War Food Administration. Canning of this product is encouraged because it prevents waste of good bits and trimmings of meat at packing plants.

TEMPORARY FOOD RATIONS

Service men on leave can get temporary food rations without the forms usually furnished by the armed services, according to OPA. In an emergency, application may be made on forms available at local ration boards.

REDUCE CHRISTMAS LIGHTING

The American people have been asked by the Office of War Utilities to confine Christmas lighting decorations to Christmas trees inside private homes. Saving of electricity will mean direct savings of fuel, manpower, transportation and materials.

SCRAP DRIVE TO CONTINUE

The "Victory Scrap Bank" Drive, scheduled to end November 15, has been continued indefinitely. H. M. Fault, director of the Salvage Division of WPB said "As long as the war lasts, there will be a continuing need for iron and steel scrap to keep the mills well supplied. The collection of iron and steel scrap from all sources must be a continuing operation."

MANPOWER HEAD PRAISES FARMERS

Assurance that farm men and women are occupying key positions in the war effort has been given by Paul V. McNutt, chairman, War Manpower Commission. "When the history of this war is written," he said, "I am certain that much of the credit for victory will go to the men and women of our rural districts. Certainly in no war has the production of food played so vital a part and certainly no group has rallied behind the war effort with more eagerness and devotion. We of the War Manpower Commission have done everything in our power to maintain the nation's agricultural labor force at top capacity. Every acre of land that can be planted brings victory so much nearer."

START CONSUMER SURVEY

Census enumerators expect to visit 7,000 households in a nationwide survey to determine the availability of 115 types of goods. As a result of these studies, the Office of Civilian Requirements will have information from consumers to aid it in carrying out its function of maintaining an adequate supply of necessary civilian goods within wartime limitations of manpower, materials and manufacturing facilities.

ARMY SAVES ON FOOD BILL

A saving of 1 1/4 cents per person per meal might seem trivial to a housewife feeding a family of four, but in an infantry division of 15,000 men it adds up to a striking total. In one division \$83,767.25 was saved over a five-month period by food conservation measures, the War Department declared recently.

GOOD TIME TO CHECK ON YEAR

Food Growers Should Take Stock of Past Activity and Plan For Next Year

INTERESTING METHOD

Now that a "Food Fights For Freedom" campaign is being inaugurated in every county in North Carolina, looking to maximum production and conservation of food in 1944, it is a good time for growers to check on what they did this year.

An interesting method of doing this is to compare the food sold from your farm with the amount which is consumed by a fighter in the armed services. For example, a farmer sold 37 hogs weighing 8,140 pounds on foot.

Since a hog cuts out about three-meats will be available to the housewife during the low ebbs of next spring than during the winter. Meat whole sale prices will be loaned points to fill the their storage freezers with veal, lamb, mutton, and the lower grades of beef between now and mid-January, the peak period of meat output.

Now, a fighter eats about one pound of meat a day. So, if we divide the 6,105 pounds of meat from the 365 pounds, the amount one soldier will eat in a year, we find that the farmer furnished enough meat for about 17 soldiers for a whole year.

If you are selling eggs, just divide the number of eggs you sold this year by 365, because soldiers average about one egg a day.

Every time you sell a case of eggs, you are sending another sailor, marine or airman high eggs for 1944.

The dairyman will also be able to easily figure how many soldiers he is supplying with milk, because the average soldier gets about one pint of fresh milk a day, either fresh or as evaporated milk.

During the week the fighter comes about 1 pound of butter, 5 pounds of potatoes, 5 pounds of fresh and canned vegetables, 4 1-2 pounds of tomato and citrus fruits, and 2 pecks of other fruits.

BULLY BEEF

"Bully Beef" in tin cans, traditional soldiers' food, now is to go only to troops in action, according to a recent announcement by the Combined Food Board.

NOTICE

By virtue of the power contained in deed of trust executed by P. Linville and wife to W. L. Rees, Trustee, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Try County, N. C., in record of deed of trust book No. 127, page 47, and default having been made the payment of the note secured by said deed of trust, and at the request of the holder, O. H. Linville, as Substitute Trustee, I offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door in Don, on the 1st day of December 1943, at one o'clock P. M., the following real estate lying in Don Township, Surry County, N. C. and bounded as follows:

UNDEED on the north by the lot of J. A. Walters, on the east by E. W. Burchett and N. E. Aity lands, on the south by Wm Dobbins land, and on the west by Weldon White lands, formerly Sarah Wilmoth lot, containing 81 acres more or less; about 21.18 acres sold off to Mie Burrows and about 16 acres sold off to T. W. Dockery. I am made to satisfy the note of \$500.00, with interest from February 19th, 1934, secured by deed of trust, due O. H. Linville, assignee of John Linville, on the 1st day of November, 1943.

W. M. JACKSON, Substitute Trustee.



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1-6-YEAR-OLD MARE

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AT AUCTION

Thursday, Nov. 25th

AT 1:30 P. M.

The Nanto-Casstevens Farm

Located on State Highways 21 and 26, towards Brooks Cross Roads, about 3 1-2 miles from Elkin, North Carolina.

This farm is well located and is some of the finest land in Yadkin county. It has been subdivided into fine home sites and fronting on the hardsurface road. Also several farm tracts that front on the new road. This land has good tobacco acreage, and one good home and other outbuildings.

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