

OPA Officials Say Tire Situation Is Getting "Tighter"

The tire situation for the next two or three months is going to be "tight," officials of Price Administration said today.

The reason is quite simply stated: There are very few tires available.

Illustrating the situation, OPA officials pointed out that approximately 10,000 unfilled applications for tires were carried over from June to July in the Raleigh district alone.

Most of the available rubber is going into tires for the armed forces, officials explained. This is particularly true of truck tires. And while synthetic rubber is now being manufactured, it is being made in such limited quantities as hardly to affect the situation. Relief, due to synthetic rubber, is hardly to be expected for three months, or perhaps longer.

To the average motorist the OPA can offer just one bit of assistance. About 6,000,000 tires, taken in by the

government several months ago, are available for the nation as a whole, and will be shipped to dealers this month. They are termed "emergency" or "twilight" tires, because most of them are of no value except for emergency purposes. Persons in serious need of tires can get these "emergency" casings, on a Grade 3 certificate, and, by nursing them along, can get a few miles, or perhaps a few hundred miles, out of them. The ceiling price on these tires is \$1.

Most of the tires issued this month will be of this type.

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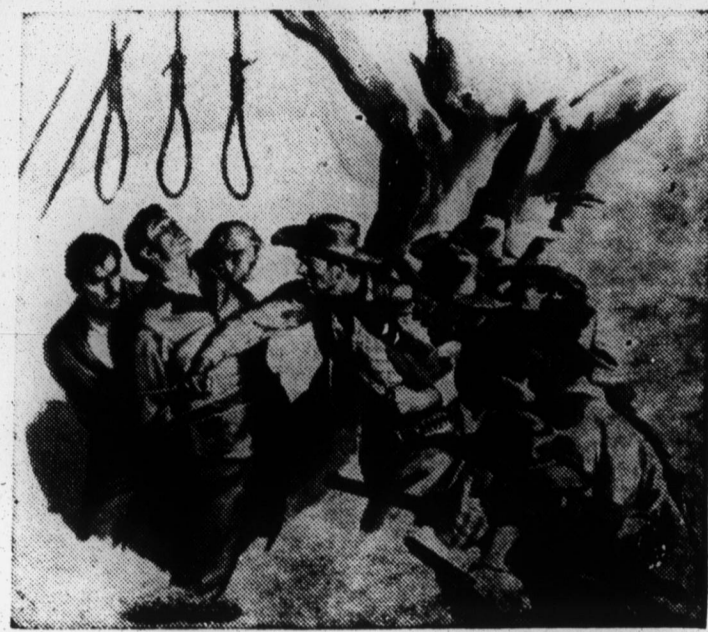
Miss Viola Wilson spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. W. P. Turner, of near Corapeake.

Mrs. E. B. Williams visited Mrs. Joe Jackson Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Seldon Bass spent Sunday at East Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Daughtrey White, of Virginia, spent from Saturday until Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bunch, Jr., and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Small spent Sunday as guests of Mrs. R. C. Bunch.



Vengeance in the West is sudden, dramatic, as this drawing shows. Here three accused rustlers are about to pay the terrible price demanded by an infuriated mob in a scene from the powerful new 20th Century-Fox picture, "The Ox-Bow Incident," starring Henry Fonda at the Taylor Theatre, Edenton, Monday and Tuesday.

"Down In Texas"

E. T. Rawlinson, who is noted for his choice, spicy contributions to The Herald office, brought the following poem, which he received from a friend in Washington City:

We're down here in old Texas
Where you never have the blues
Where the bandits steal the jitneys
And the marshals steal the booze
Where the buildings horn the skyline
Where the populace is hoost
Where they shoot men just for
pastime
Where the chickens never roost
Where the stickup men are wary
And the bullets fall like hail
Where each pocket has a pistol
And each pistol's good for jail
Where they always hang the jury
Where they never hang a man
If you call a man a liar you
Get home the best you can
Where you get up in the morning
In a world of snow and sleet
And you come home in the evening
Suffocating in the heat
Where the jitneys whiz about you
And the street cars barely creep
Where the burglars pick your pockets
While you "lay me down to sleep"
Where the bulldogs all have rabies
And the rabbits they have fleas
Where the big girls like the wee ones
Wear their dresses to their knees
Where you whisk out in the morning
Just to give your health a chance
Say "howdy" to some fellow who
Shoots big holes in you parts
Where wise owls are afraid to hoot
And birds don't dare to sing
For it's hell down here in Texas
Where they all shoot on the wing.

CHOWAN BOY VISITS PARENTS AFTER FOURTH OVERSEAS TRIP

Lindsay Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Williams, spent a recent week-end at the home of his parents, near Evans Church. Williams is a first-class seaman and second class gunners' mate in the U. S. Navy. He has made four successful trips overseas and is now with his ship awaiting orders.

Commissioners' Proceedings

The County Commissioners met on Monday, July 12, 1943, with a full Board present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were ordered paid:

M. P. Wilson, judge of Recorder's Court, \$90.00; J. N. Pruden, prosecuting attorney, Recorder's Court, \$90.00; C. W. Overman, county agent, salary and expenses, \$141.66; Miss Rebecca Colwell, salary and expenses, \$95.00; Miss Delcie Mae Jordan, clerk in county agent's office, \$50.00; J. B. Small, colored county agent, salary, \$15.00; M. L. Bunch, bill and services, \$33.84; Mrs. Carolyn C. McMullan, Superintendent Public Welfare, salary and travel, \$150.00; Pauline Moore, stenographer in Welfare Department, \$75.00; N. C. Tel. & Tel. Co., Welfare Department, \$3.75; Chowan Realty Co., rent, \$25.00; Pauline Moore, stamps and box rent, \$8.00; Leggett & Davis, bill, \$2.20; Goodwin's Quality Store, bill, \$6.80; The Chowan Herald, bill, \$2.25; W. D. Pruden, member of the Welfare Board, per diem, July 1, 1942, to June 30, 1943, \$24.00; W. W. Byrum, member of the Welfare Board, per diem,

Defense treasurer, contribution authorized at special meeting of County Commissioners on June 25, 1943, \$220.00; Dr. J. W. Warren, county physician, salary, \$25.00; Norfolk Southern Bus Corp., bus tickets for two stranded women and one child, \$10.08.

Upon motion duly seconded, the tax levy for year 1943-44 will be as follows:

County-wide schools0.11

Bonds and Interest0.60
Social Security0.09
Total County wide0.80
The following reports were ordered filed: Sheriff, Superintendent Public Welfare, County Health Officer, J. B. Small, colored county agent, and treasurer.
There being no further business, the Board adjourned.
M. L. BUNCH, Clerk to Board.

SUMMARY OF TOWN OF EDENTON'S PROPOSED 1943-44 BUDGET

Estimated Expenditures

ADMINISTRATIVE:	
Salary and Expenses of Mayor	\$ 400.00
Clerk and Helper	1,452.00
Treasurer	300.00
Councilmen	240.00
Collector	85.00
Attorney	100.00
Advertising, Stationery, Printing, Postage	100.00
Office Supplies	100.00
Telephone and Telegraph	150.00
Premium on Bond	205.00
Audit	62.50
Care of Clock	100.00
Printing Proceedings	90.00
Miscellaneous	100.00
Total	\$ 4,227.50
POLICE DEPARTMENT:	
Salaries	\$ 10,570.00
Uniforms	800.00
Maintaining Automobiles	500.00
Insurance	250.00
Miscellaneous	500.00
Total	\$ 12,620.00
FIRE DEPARTMENT:	
Salaries	\$ 5,000.00
Insurance	250.00
New Equipment	850.00
Miscellaneous	600.00
Total	\$ 6,700.00
HEALTH DEPARTMENT:	
Miscellaneous	\$ 585.00
STREET DEPARTMENT:	
Labor	\$ 14,226.20
Fuel Supply	1,800.00
Street Supplies	2,000.00
Insurance	730.00
Street Commissioner	240.00
New Equipment	350.00
Sidewalks and Streets Repairs	4,300.00
Miscellaneous	800.00
Total	\$ 24,446.20
OTHER EXPENSES:	
Advertising	\$ 150.00
Electric Current and Water	3,000.00
License Tags	75.00
Beautification	375.00
Rent of Hitching Lot	40.00
Membership in Organizations	250.00
Donation to Library	300.00
Donation to Boy Scouts	300.00
Upkeep of Parks and Playgrounds	1,750.00
Miscellaneous	2,750.00
Total	\$ 8,990.00
Grand Total	\$ 57,568.70
Estimated Revenue	
Poll Tax	\$ 400.00
Tax Levy	35,000.00
Special Licenses	5,000.00
Dog Tax	200.00
Rent	150.00
Auto Licenses	400.00
Penalties	200.00
Intrest and Cost on Delinquent Taxes	150.00
Miscellaneous Revenue	250.00
Fund from E. and W. Department	8,000.00
Cash on Hand	4,584.52
Officers' Fees	500.00
Back Taxes	1,500.00
Sidewalks Estimated	1,250.00
Total	\$ 57,584.52
Total Estimated Expenditures	\$57,568.70
Total Estimated Revenue Aside from Taxation	\$22,584.50
Amount to Be Raised by Taxation	\$35,000.00

The Town's property valuation is \$3,500,000, which with a levy of \$1.00 on the \$100 will raise \$3,500,000.

The Budget is now on file in the Town Clerk's office for public inspection, and any objections must be registered at the next regular meeting of Town Council on Tuesday night, August 10, at which time the Budget will be adopted.

This the 13th day of July, 1943.

Pepsi-Cola Company, Long Island City, N. Y.
Franchised Bottler: Pepsi-Cola Bottling Co., of Elizabeth City, N. C.

Transportation History Is Being Made

But Please Help Us To Keep It Under
Satisfactory Control

The Norfolk Southern Bus Corporation, during the past several months, has carried the greatest number of bus passengers during its history.

During those months traveling was not exactly a pleasure. Many times, perhaps, you had to stand up during your trip, and found traveling rather difficult. But we want to thank those who rode our buses and were good sports in accepting conditions as they were.

There is no indication that bus travel will become lighter and therefore, we must tell you that in nearly all cases our buses will be filled to capacity on most days throughout the week . . . so if you are going to travel you may discover you will have to stand at least part of the way.

We suggest that you observe the Office of Defense Transportation's request, "don't travel unless it is absolutely necessary."

When you do plan a trip, however, you can help us by planning ahead of time and making complete arrangements for your trip before you leave. Consult our Bus Agent nearest your home town for complete information. Buy your ticket before boarding buses and travel light. Carry only one piece of luggage . . . traveling light will mean more room for fellow travelers.

The Norfolk Southern Bus Corporation

That Nagging Backache

May Warn of Disordered
Kidney Action

Modern life with its hurry and worry, irregular habits, improper eating and drinking—the risk of exposure and infection—throws heavy strain on the work of the kidneys. They are apt to become over-taxed and fail to filter excess acid and other impurities from the life-giving blood.

You may suffer nagging backache, headache, dizziness, getting up nights, leg pain, swelling—feel constantly tired, nervous, all worn out. Other signs of kidney or bladder disorder are sometimes burning, scanty or too frequent urination.

Try Doan's Pills. Doan's help the kidneys to pass off harmful excess body waste. They have had more than half a century of public approval. Are recommended by grateful users everywhere. Ask your neighbor!

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