

Growers Requested Peanut Quotas Vote

Peanut growers of North Carolina will have the opportunity to halt further expansion of peanut production in the Southeastern and Southwestern areas when they vote on three-year marketing quotas for the crop on April 26, says E. Y. Floyd, AAA executive officer of N. C. State College. "Peanut growers of this State have been duly alarmed in recent years by the increase in commercial peanut acreage in other states to the South and West," Floyd said. "They have requested the right to use quotas, similar to those protecting the tobacco and cotton markets."

In 1928, the AAA officer reported, the North Carolina-Virginia area produced 46 per cent of the commercial peanuts in the United States. Last year they produced only 32.8 per cent. Production in Georgia has increased from 315,000 acres in 1930 to 663,000 acres last year, and in Texas the increase has been from 120,000 acres in 1930 to 295,000 acres in 1940. During the same period North Carolina peanut production has remained fairly steady, increasing only from 205,000 acres in 1930 to 225,000 acres in 1940.

DR. V. H. MEWBORN
OP-TOM-E-TRIST
Please Note Date Changes
Robersonville office, Scott's Jewelry Store, Tuesday, April 15th.
Williamston office, Peele's Jewelry Store, every Wed., 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Plymouth office, Womble Drug Store, Every Friday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
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Another advantage to be gained by quotas, Floyd said, is that the Government will support prices with a diversion program or loans, or both, if quotas are approved. If quotas are rejected, the law recently enacted by the Congress prohibits a diversion program or loans.

The government spent \$10,000,000 in diverting surplus peanuts into oil in 1940, and without this price support Floyd said it is generally agreed that prices paid for edible nuts would have fallen to about the price of the oil market.

If two-thirds of those voting approve the new peanut marketing plan, individual farm quotas for 1941 will be the actual production on the acreage allotment under the Agricultural Conservation Program. Most North Carolina farmers have already received their conservation program allotments for 1941.

Livestock Prices Reported Higher

Raleigh—North Carolina farmers received substantially greater prices for the livestock products last month compared with the same period in 1940 "as a result of increased purchasing power, partially attributed to an expansion of national defense program," T. L. Stuart, junior statistician of the State Department of Agriculture, reported today.

Quoting the U. S. Agricultural Marketing Service report for March 15, comparing prices with the same date last year, Stuart said that hogs brought \$6.80, up \$1.50 per 100 pounds; beef cattle, \$6.10 per 100 pounds, up 30 cents; veal calves, \$8.50 per 100 pounds, up 60 cents; sheep, \$4.90 per 100 pounds, up 20 cents.

Chickens were selling for an average of 15 cents a pound March 15, or 1.3 cents above the same date last year; butter averaged producers 24 cents a pound, or two cents above the same period a year ago.

The price report for March 15 compared with the same period in 1940, follows:

Wheat, \$1 per bushel, down nine cents; corn, 70 cents a bushel, up five cents; oats, 55 cents a bushel, down one cent; barley, 79 cents a bushel, same as last year; rye, 97 cents a bushel, down one cent; Irish potatoes, 75 cents a bushel, down 25 cents; sweet potatoes, 85 cents a bushel, up 15 cents.

Peanuts
Provisions of the 1941 Agricultural Conservation program will be amended so as to permit the growing of peanuts for oil on any part of the cotton acreage allotment not used for cotton.

The United States exported foodstuffs valued at \$15,949,000 during February of this year, representing a decrease of 50 per cent from the same month of last year, reports the Department of Commerce.

'Bundles' Canteen at Dover—in Action



BRITISH FIGHTING MEN in England's "Hell's Corner" are fed from a Bundles for Britain mobile canteen pulled up at the curb in front of an air-raid warden's station by members of the Women's Volunteer Service. These canteens provide hot emergency rations for civilians and the armed forces when local supplies of food are inadequate or cut off or where normal cooking facilities are disrupted or destroyed by continuing bomb raids.

Convoyed by Cupid



A refugee from the war but not from romance is Julia Eygendaal, 28-year-old Belgian, pictured as she arrived in New York aboard the *Escaulbur* en route to Venezuela to marry a boy she met in Holland in 1929. It took her almost a year to reach America in her flight from Nazi-captured Brussels.

NOTICE OF SALE
North Carolina, Martin County, In The Superior Court.
George F. Cordon and others vs. Rosannah Cordon and others.
Under and by virtue of an order and judgment signed in the above entitled proceeding by L. B. Wynne,

Clerk of the Superior Court of Martin County, on Monday, the 31st day of March, 1941, the undersigned commissioner will, on Monday, the 5th day of May, 1941, at twelve o'clock noon, in front of the courthouse door in the town of Williamston, offer for sale for cash to the highest bidder the following described tract or parcel of land, to wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Jamesville Township, Martin County, described as follows: to wit: Beginning one perch East of the West line of the right of way of the one time Jamesville and Washington Railroad, and in the line of land conveyed to Francis Light by John Baker, thence along the said railroad, one perch, east of and parallel to the right of way of said railroad about 67 1-2 perches to the run of gum swamp to its confluence with Kenneth Lanier's swamp, thence along the run of Kenneth Lanier's

swamp to the line of John Baker's land, thence South 83° East about 37 3-10 perches to the place of beginning and containing 13 acres, more or less, same being a tract of land conveyed by J. G. Long and wife to George F. Cordon, Sr., and George F. Cordon, Jr., on Sept. 16, 1916, and recorded in the public registry of Martin County in Book L-1 at page 201.

This the 31st day of March, 1941.
CHAS. H. MANNING
Commissioner.

NOTICE OF SALE
Under and by virtue of the authority contained in that certain Deed of Trust recorded in the Public Registry of Martin County in Book X-3 at page 208 said Deed of Trust having been given to secure a certain note of even date and tenor therewith, and the stipulations therein contained not having been com-

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Beginning at the intersection of the Williamston-Washington road with the Harris Branch and opposite I. F. Griffin's and the Fore-Blades Lumber's Corner; thence running up

the canal in said branch to H. G. Godard's cottage; thence along said H. G. Godard's line to a maple, corner of the Sophia J. Corey tract; thence along the line of that tract first a Northeast course; thence along a line in an east course to the Williamston and Washington Road, thence South along the road to the beginning, containing 25 acres more or less.

This the 28th day of March, 1941.
CLARENCE W. GRIFFIN, Trustee.

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Obligations of the United States	5,895,204.04
Fed. Intermediate Credit Bank Debentures	130,000.00
Federal Land Bank Bonds	113,867.91
North Carolina Bonds	112,805.75
Municipal and Other Marketable Bonds	1,454,536.44
Loans and Discounts	2,867,529.09
Accrued Interest and Accounts Receivable	78,986.38
Banking Houses, Furniture and Fixtures, and Real Estate, Less Depreciation Reserve (Tax Value \$334,288.00)	232,563.60
	\$23,722,513.42

Liabilities

Capital Stock—Common	\$ 400,000.00
Capital Stock—Preferred	100,000.00
Surplus	750,000.00
Undivided Profits	419,870.60
Reserves	306,500.00
Unearned disc. & other liabilities	61,970.49
Deposits	21,654,172.33
	\$23,722,513.42

(Estimated value of assets charged off not included above—\$63,204.78)

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