

Issue New Warning Against Illegal Use Of B and C Gasoline

Order Comes At Time Supplies On East Coast Are Smallest Ever

Declaring that east coast gasoline supplies "are shorter now than at any time since the war began," Price Administrator Prentiss Brown recently announced a nationwide campaign against pleasure driving on supplemental rations.

This time cars will not be stopped on the highways, Brown said in declaring that it will not be a "snooping" campaign, but—

Drivers will be interviewed by police and OPA investigators on occasion, and in some cases "license numbers will be noted and the drivers will be asked to present an explanation to the district office.

The drive is aimed at non-essential use of B and C gasoline rations. Holders of A books only need not worry, and those who have extra rations are OK if they can prove their pleasure driving is burning up only the gasoline acquired with their A book.

However Brown stressed that "with the limited amount of driving that an A book permits it is impossible for anyone to travel very far or very often to race tracks, or to distant resorts, or for any other non-essential purposes.

Motorists found doing so and holding B or C rations probably are mis-

Former Slave

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Major Latham married again. Anne was resentful of her new mistress and did not get along well with her. Rather than punish her, Major Latham, true to his promise, sold her to a Dr. Murphy, who carried her to Edgecombe County and sold her to Gullford Jones.

When the War Between the States broke out Aunt Annie's new master left at the head of a regiment. She remained on the plantation with a few faithful slaves until the war was over. When the slaves were freed Aunt Annie found her way back to the county of her birth. She said that all of her masters were good to her and that the slaves fared better than many negroes fare today.

Aunt Annie has reared a large family of her own with a preacher or two in the lot, but none of them is more eloquent in exhorting the sinner to repentance than was Aunt Annie, who preached almost every Sunday. But last Sunday Aunt Annie did not preach. There was preaching and a funeral just as she had planned it. The white shroud had been made and waiting for the past two years. Sunday it was put on her and she was carried to the church she loved for the last time. Her passing leaves many sincere sorrowers both among her white and colored friends.

using their rations he added.

He said the police will cooperate with the OPA investigators in turning in license numbers of drivers who attend race tracks, and other amusement spots "out of keeping with their gas allowance."

Creswell Spotters Met Last Friday

By MRS. SIDNEY SMITHSON

Sergeant C. G. Lehner met with the Creswell Airplane Spotters Friday night, June 11, in the High School building at which time a very good picture was shown which everyone should have seen.

Sergeant Lehner spoke briefly and to the point. He said "More of the people of Creswell should volunteer for duty at the observation post, that this is everybody's war and should not be left up to the faithful few. This is the first time in history that the civilian population has had the opportunity to serve their country in a vital hour of need.

"The Ground Observer Corps is of great importance to the government. Aside from the operational expense of keeping a fighter unit in the air at all times as this requires at least four times as many planes, and is known as 'air alert method,' you are training pursuit pilots to be better prepared to meet the enemy in foreign skies.

"You might, by your report, guide a plane that is lost to a safe landing, saving lives and plane. Many planes and lives are saved by the timeliness and accuracy of information reported by the ground observers.

"Observers are asked to be on time for their watches and notify captains of the day when the can't be at the post. The post should be manned 24 hours daily; volunteer today and take a part in the fighting forces of the nation."

Day captains: E. S. Woodley, Monday; A. H. Tucker, Tuesday; Mrs. Roy T. Hopkins, Wednesday; H. W. Fritchett, Thursday; Mrs. Sidney Smithson, Friday; Rev. L. B. Bennett, Saturday; W. D. Moore, Sunday.

SWAP-WORK

Last year Ashe County growers at Chestnut Hill cooperated in filling their silos by exchanging labor and equipment. The plan worked so well that it will be followed in hay making this year, reports County Agent H. H. Crouse.

"Run" on Shoes as Stamp 17 Expires

Plymouth merchants have been

having a "run" on shoes for the past week. With ration stamp No. 17 expiring June 15, the run started about the middle of last week and continued right on up until the close of business Tuesday. No estimate is available as to the number sold, but practically every store which handled them just about cleared its shelves during the few days when the rush was on, especially in shoes of the more popular sizes.

Some of the merchants said that purchasers were eager to buy any kind of shoes available. Many customers did not need or even want them, but bought simply to avoid letting the shoe ration stamp go to waste. The same conditions prevailed throughout the nation, and many shoe stores will have difficulty in replacing the stocks so drastically reduced by the buying spurge.

James Kelly Francis To Become Air Forces Cadet

Rock Island, Ill.—Pfc. James Kelly Francis, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Francis, of Plymouth, has recently arrived at Augustana College for a course of Army Air Force instruction lasting approximately five months prior to his appointment as an aviation cadet in the Army Air Forces. During this period he will take numerous academic courses, as well as elementary flying training. Upon completion of this course he will be classified as a pilot, navigator or bombardier and go on to schools of the Flying Training Command for training in these specialties.

To Visit Son in Norfolk

Mrs. Pauline Bateman received a telegram yesterday from her son, Sammy Bray, who has been in the Pacific on a Destroyer for about a year, to meet him in Norfolk immediately.

India supplied 2000 miles of bandages to troops in the African campaign.

Labor Shortage

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devote at least one of their Wednesday afternoon holidays to help gather the potatoes in near-by fields, and several individual farmers who do not grow "spuds" are releasing their own tenants and laborers to assist in the work.

A representative of the pulp mill stated that upwards of 100 employees there are usually available during two or three days when they are changing from one shift to another; and it was proposed to request local union officials to use their influence to have them put in their off-days in the potato fields.

Every effort is being made by members of the labor advisory committee to get sufficient labor to save the big crop now rapidly maturing in the fields. While potatoes are plentiful now, it was only a few weeks ago when there were none to be had at local stores, and news that one of them had received a supply was sufficient to start "runs" that soon exhausted the stock.

Peanut harvesting later in the year was mentioned at the meeting last Friday, but farmers present said they were not worried, as they believed they could take care of that situation without so much difficulty. It was suggested that the schools could be operated on a half-day schedule then, and rural children could help their parents get the crop in.

An executive committee was elected at the meeting, composed of the following: W. V. Hays, chairman; J. R. Manning, vice chairman; M. J. Polk, H. H. McLean, C. E. Ayers, P. B. Bateman, and R. L. Tetterton. This committee will lead its efforts to solving other problems and labor emergencies as they occur.

Vacation Bible School At New Chapel Church

A Daily Vacation Bible School will be held in New Chapel Baptist church here, beginning next Monday, June 21, at 10 a. m., with Mrs. Eva Johnson Cooper as director and the Rev. A. R. Winborne, pastor, as superintendent. All children from 4 to 16 years of age are invited and urged to attend.

May Still Reduce Points

State retailers may lower the point values of rationed meats and fats which are in danger of spoiling until July 31, OPA has decided. These "mergency" reductions must be accompanied by a cut of at least 25 per cent in the established ceiling price of the item. If the point value is lowered more than 25 per cent, the price must be reduced proportionately, but never more than 50 per cent below the ceiling.

Fuel for Used Oil Stoves

Buyers of used oil stoves are eligible for fuel under the terms of a recent amendment to the fuel oil rationing regulations. Fuel oil rations for use in oil stoves acquired after December 19, 1942, have been denied unless the heaters were acquired under stove rationing provisions. Since only new stoves have been rationed, buyers of used or secondhand stoves have so far been ineligible for fuel oil allotments.

Go Fishing Without Gas

It's okay with Mr. Ickes if the state's ardent fishermen continue their sport, but he says, "We still think it's a good idea for them to fish when they can and where they can without extra gasoline." Gasoline for fishing trips won't be available, no matter how productive of food the sport may be.

Don't Write "Round Robbins"

Writing soldiers "round robins," or news letters, and inviting composite replies by the group is in advisability, the department has warned North Carolinians. Replies tend to become anthologies of military information, and a custom that arose from innocent motives becomes a security hazard.

BOOKS!

"One World," Wilkie; paper \$1, cloth \$2. "Biography of the Wright Brothers," Fred Kelly, \$3.50, a large library. Best books of recent years, originally selling up to \$5, we are offering at 65c each. A post card will bring you our large catalogue.

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LEGAL NOTICES

EXECUTRIXES' NOTICE
Having this day qualified as executrixes of the estate of C. V. White, deceased, late of Washington County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons holding claims against estate of said deceased to present them to the undersigned for payment on or before the 1st day of June, 1944, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery thereon. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This 1st day of June, 1943.
EVA VERNON WHITE,
SARAH ALICE WHITE,
Executrixes.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Having qualified as Executrix of Mrs. Cara Ann Armstrong, deceased, late of Washington County, N. C., I hereby give notice to all persons indebted to her estate to come forward and make immediate settlement. All persons holding claims against said estate will present them to the undersigned for payment within twelve months from the date hereof or this notice will be pleaded as a bar to their recovery. This notice dated and posted this 27th day of May, 1943.
MARY W. ARMSTRONG,
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