

Rationing, OPA News

SUGAR—Stamps No. 14 good through November 1, No. 15 good through November 1, and will be good for 5 pounds through January 15, 1944. Stamps Nos. 15 and 16 good for 5 pounds each for the remaining time through October 31.

MEATS—Stamp No. 18 good for the remaining time through October 31.

MEATS—Stamp No. 1 on the rationing sheet in War Ration Book becomes good for one pound through November 1.

MEATS—Brown stamps No. 19 and 20 good through October 31. Brown stamps G, now good expires December 4. Brown stamps H becomes good October 31 and remains good through December 4.

The original wrapper, bearing the indorsement, "Return to Sender, Insufficient Address," must be submitted with the correctly addressed package to prove that it originally was mailed before the October 15 deadline. Christmas packages also may be mailed to soldiers going overseas between now and Christmas. When the sender presents his package to the post office for mailing he must bring the change of address form containing the APO address to which the package is being sent.

RETURN RATION BOOKS IN MAIL
Finders of lost ration books may drop them in the mail without prepaying postage or enclosing them in envelopes. On payment of a five-cent postage-due charge, the Post Office Department will return the lost book to the person whose name and address appear on the cover.

TO PRODUCE MORE HOUSEHOLD GOODS
Increased production of cast iron skillets, kettles, Dutch ovens, and flat irons for household, institution, commercial and other uses is permitted.

TIRE HELP FOR TRUCK OWNERS
Truck owners who have tire rationing certificates but are unable to get tires because local quotas are used up and those operators unable to get ration certificates because of depletion of quotas soon may get help through the Office of Defense Transportation.

TO PROVIDE MORE SOAP
An increase of about 9 percent in the nation's soap supply, without using additional fats and oils, is expected under the adjusted formulas.

BY HIGHER ANALYSIS FERTILIZERS
Farmers purchasing mixed fertilizer can save money and at the same time contribute substantially to the war effort by buying higher analysis fertilizers. Higher analysis fertilizers will cost more per 100 pounds than those of lower plant food content, but the cost per pound of plant food is lower.

CAN STILL SEND SOME GIFTS
Christmas packages for soldiers overseas which have been returned to the sender because of an improper address still may be mailed, according to the War Department.

USE SYNTHETIC RUBBER
Synthetic rubber may eventually be used in garters, suspenders, foundation garments, and underwear. All restrictions on the manufacture of elastic thread made with synthetic rubber have been suspended by WPB until April 1, 1944.

MORE PAINTS FOR CIVILIANS
Civilian requirements for essential paints and varnishes will be more nearly met as a result of the recent amendment. The order increased from 50 percent to 60 percent the amount of drying oils that can be consumed in paints, varnishes, and lacquers.

56 PRISONER OF WAR CAMPS
More than 140,000 prisoners of war are now held in 56 permanent camps in the U. S. The ratio of Germans to Italians is approximately three to one. In addition to the permanent camps, there are

Disease Control For Chickens

Colds and chicken pox are two of the diseases that commonly strike flocks during the fall and winter, warn Poultry Specialists at State College.

Control of colds depends to a great extent upon removing the causes before the disease has a chance to get started. The specialists advise, be sure the chicken house is free from parasites, especially red mites, and the birds themselves are free from lice. Remove the birds with advanced cases clean and disinfect the chicken house often, and give the birds fresh water several times daily.

In feeding them, keep a well-balanced dry mash before them at all times, and at noon, feed them a wet mash in amounts small enough that they will eat it all within half an hour. To wet the mash, use buttermilk, skim milk, whey or semi-solid milk. If milk is not available, wet the mash with water containing one pint of molasses to each gallon of water.

Add a teaspoonful of feeding oil that contains vitamins A and D to each quart of grain they are given. Always keep the litter dry and allow no strong drafts in the chicken house at night.

For the care of birds with chicken pox, vaccinate all between eight and twelve weeks of age. When the disease does break out in unvaccinated laying birds, use pigeon pox vaccine for them.

MARRIAGES

George D. Smathers to Anna Bell Mathis, both of Canton.
Everett K. Brown, of Bristol to Catherine Davis, of Waynesville.

Holding Revival



Rev. H. E. O'HAM, evangelist of Candler, is conducting a revival at the Church of God in Hazelwood, with services each evening at eight o'clock. Rev. S. C. Lowery, pastor, announced that the services will continue through November 7th, and that much interest is being shown. The services began last Sunday.

Tobacco Grading Demonstrations Are Being Held

Tobacco grading demonstrations, by W. L. Bradsher, of the Agricultural Service, Raleigh, will continue through Friday of this week in Haywood.

"With the possibility of high prices again this year, we should be very careful in classing and grading our tobacco," Howard Clapp, county agent said.

Demonstrations will be given today at C. R. Limer's farm, Howell Mill Road, at 10 o'clock.

At two o'clock today, at M. B. Reeves' farm, in Crabtree.

Friday at 10, the Manson Medford farm, Iron Duff.

Friday at 2, the Sam Ledford farm, White Oak.

Yesterday demonstrations were held at the farm of Dave Boyd on Jonathan Creek, and Mark Ferguson's on Fines Creek.

Mrs. Clark Medford, of Waynesville, and Mrs. J. S. Harrell, of Cove Creek, have returned from Parris, Tex., where they visited their sons, Private Wilson Medford, and Private Ernest Harrell.

State College Men To Organize

Plans are being completed to organize an Alumni Chapter in Haywood of State College alumni on Friday night, when the group will meet at the Canton Y.

H. W. "Pop" Taylor, secretary of the State Alumni, will be speaker of the evening, with the meeting starting at eight o'clock.

Howard Clapp has been designated to get all former State College men word to be present for this initial organization meeting.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT
Mr. and Mrs. Henley Jones, of Balsam, announce the birth of a son on October 21, at their home.

Mrs. Leon Morrow spent the past week-end with her husband, Cpl. Morrow, who is now stationed at Murfreesboro, Tenn.

AT FIRST SIGN OF A
COLD
USE **666**
666 TABLETS, SALVE, NOSE DROPS



WILL YOU BE THE NEXT GRAVEDIGGER?

Don't say "NO" until you read this—

SURE YOU KNOW about forest and range fires. How they destroy timber, which is a critical war material, and feed for cattle and sheep. How they rob us of precious man-hours—nearly eight million every year. How they cripple supplies of water that are vital for electric power and irrigation.

"So what?" you ask, "What can I do?"
YOU can do more than anyone else because it's folks like you—good, honest, fighting American citizens—who start the most forest and range fires.

Sounds incredible, doesn't it?
But here are the facts: Careless Americans last year started more forest fires than lightning, saboteurs, and incendiaries put together.

We can't let it happen again this year. So when we are in or near forests, farm woodlands, brush, and grass—remember: WE are the key men and women in this fight to pro-

tect the home front, and we mustn't let Our Carelessness be the Enemy's Secret Weapon.

ATTENTION, BRUSH BURNERS!

More than 6 million acres are burned, yearly, because of YOUR careless use of fire in clearing plow land and burning logging and other slash and debris. *Do your part this year.*

- Remember:
1. Don't burn without a permit from a ranger or fire warden.
 2. Don't burn during unusually hot, dry, or windy weather.
 3. Scrape a trail or "plow around" areas to be burned.
 4. Have help handy till the last spark is dead.

REMEMBER THESE RULES:

- Crush out your smoke
- Drown your campfire—then bury it
- Break your burned match

IF YOU BURN SLASH
First—get a permit
Last—kill every spark

Headline Hats!



Hats of QUALITY news
Our hats deserve to make the headlines on the merits of quality alone—not to mention the stylized comfort they also offer. Any brim or crown you prefer, any size to fit your head can be had in our store at reasonable prices. All colors to blend with and individualize your wartime wardrobe.

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