

Many Taxpayers Must File New Form Soon

C. H. Robertson, collector of internal revenue, Greensboro, recently issued a reminder that several thousand North Carolinians have a date with him within the next two weeks.

Many will receive advance notice in the form of a bill, but the reminder must decide for themselves whether they are required to file either an original or amended "declaration of estimated income and victory tax" before the December 15 deadline.

In general the latter are: 1. Farmers who took advantage of the additional three months granted them under the pay-as-you-go tax act.

2. Persons who discover that they underestimated their tax by more than the allowable 20 per cent in filing September 15 declarations.

3. Those who did not file in September because their estimated income then was insufficient to require a declaration but who now find:

(a) Their incomes will be above levels covered by the withholding levy (\$2,700 if single and \$3,500 if married);

(b) They will have more than \$100 gross income from a source not subject to withholding, such as dividends or wages earned as a farm laborer or domestic servant, and total income sufficient to require a tax return (\$500 for a single person, \$1,200 for a married couple or \$624 for an individual married person); or

(c) They were required to file an income tax return for 1942 and now expect their 1943 earnings to be less than last year's.

Robertson said taxpayers who filed September 15 declarations and paid only half the estimated tax still due will receive bills for the second half, payable by December 15.

Those who revise their estimates downward and find they owe less than they are billed for also may file amended declarations, accompanied only by the amount still due.

Declaration forms together with worksheets may be obtained from any collector's office. The same form is used for both original and amended declarations, but the latter should be identified by writing the word "amended" at the top.

Purpose of the quarterly dates—there'll be four of them next year—is to bring to date all taxpayers not covered completely by the 20 per cent withholding levy. Final returns must be made as usual on March 15.

Balsam News

By BEULAH BECK

Mrs. T. E. Duke and Mrs. George Knight and son left Saturday for Norfolk, Va., where they will visit Mrs. Duke's son, George Porter, who has just returned from the South Pacific war area.

Miss Freda Jones, of Asheville, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Jones.

Mrs. Gill Hoyle and Son, Mrs. Ruby Thomas and son, of Gastonia were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bryson.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND TO MAKE ASSETS

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT BEFORE THE CLERK NORTH CAROLINA, HAYWOOD COUNTY. T. L. GREEN, ADMINISTRATOR OF JOE WYATT, DECEASED, VS.

ANDY WYATT ET AL—HEIRS AT LAW OF JOE WYATT, DECEASED.

Under and by virtue of an order and decree of the Superior Court of Haywood County, made on the 11th day of November, 1943, in a special proceeding entitled T. L. Green, administrator of Joe Wyatt, deceased, vs. Andy Wyatt et al. heirs at law of the said Joe Wyatt, the same being special proceeding No. 271 upon the special proceeding docket of said court, the undersigned commissioner will, on the 11th day of December, 1943, at 11 o'clock A. M., at the court house door in Waynesville, North Carolina, offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, that certain tract or lot of land lying and being in Waynesville Township, Haywood County, North Carolina, near Junaluska, N. C., known as part of the Limer and Coman subdivision, and more particularly described as follows, to wit: 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42 and 43, being 7 adjoining lots of the Jerry Limer and J. T. Coman subdivision, near Lake Junaluska, N. C., which are more particularly described on a survey and plat made by J. W. Seaver, and recorded in map book "B", index L., page 3 of the record of maps, in the office of the register of deeds of Haywood County, it also being the same land described in a deed from Jerry Limer and J. T. Coman, to Joseph F. Wyatt, dated Feb. 5, 1942 and recorded in book No. 63, page 100, record of deeds of Haywood County.

This the 11th day of Nov., 1943. T. L. GREEN, Commissioner 1832—Nov. 11-18-25 Dec. 2.

Farm Specialist Says "Don't Sell All Your Sows Now"

"Don't sell off all your sows now and plan to go out of the hog business but keep your hog program in line with the supply of feed on the farm and follow good management practices," is the advice of Ellis Vestal, Extension swine specialist at N. C. State College.

He suggests a culling out of the poor sows, the use of additional grazing crops to offset high feed costs, and other good practices which will help to put hog production on a more profitable and a more conservative basis.

Under the meat rationing program he looks forward to the return of a heavy demand for pigs and believes that the grower who follows sound management practices will be in a better position to take advantage of an upward trend in the market.

Hogs have been rushed to market and a glut has followed. Some growers have recently sold hogs at relatively low prices but it is hoped that the floor which has now been placed under hogs will help to bring about a better price structure and a more normal marketing condition.

Vestal suggests that growers give their sows careful attention and save as many pigs as possible at farrowing time. He points out that men in the armed forces eat about 1 1/2 times as much as they did when at home. When these same men are sent overseas, the food reserve must be three times as great as when they are stationed in this country.

All of these demands for our men in the armed forces, plus meat for Lend-lease and freed peoples, in addition to the heavy demand from our civilian population, will call for a large number of hogs—all that can be produced from the available feed.

Gerald M. Burress Is Promoted At Camp Lee

Gerald M. Burress, a resident of Canton, route 2, has been promoted to the grade of T/5 in the Quartermaster Corps, it was announced recently at The Quartermaster School at Camp Lee, Va., where he is a dispatcher.

The cost of living is invariably less than it's worth and more than one can afford.

Asheville Leads

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Greeneville	42.87
Morristown	42.60
Knoxville	41.03
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Methodists Will Observe Brevard College Day, 5th

Brevard College Day will be observed by the Methodist churches in Haywood county and throughout the Western North Carolina Methodist conference this Sunday, December 5.

A goal of \$15,000 from the observance this year has been set and the Methodist churches in this county are expected to make liberal contributions.

Brevard is a modern junior college ideally located in the mountains of Western North Carolina. It is a co-educational and vocational institution providing a well rounded education at low cost.

"Brevard college is the only educational institution that is owned and operated by the Western North Carolina conference and I hope the observance of Brevard College Day will be universal," Bishop Clare Purcell, of Charlotte, states.

Dr. E. J. Coltrane, president of the college, pointed out this week that "Brevard College Day seems to be the only agency now whereby the church can make a suitable contribution to the support of the institution."

Sgt. J. E. Eavenson Is Graduate of Aviation Mechanic School in Texas

Sgt. James E. Eavenson, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Eavenson, route one, has graduated from an intensive course in airplane mechanics and now is prepared to join the ranks of "coverall commandos" who keep our American planes aloft. Sheppard Field, near Wichita Falls, Texas, is one of the largest schools of the Army Air Forces Technical Training Command, training specialist technicians for the ground crews which "Keep 'Em Flying."

Before entering the school, he was trained at one of the basic training centers of the Army Air Forces Technical Training Command.

Pfc Bill Hill Spends Thanksgiving In County

Private First Class Bill Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hill, of Fines Creek spent Thanksgiving week with his parents. He also visited his sister, Mrs. Jack Robinson, of Hazelwood.

Pfc. Hill has been in the service for the past fifteen months. Prior to entering the army he assisted his father in farming operations.

Methodists Plan District Meeting

A meeting of the Waynesville district Methodist church pastors and stewards was held Tuesday night with the Sylva church. Plans for a meeting to be held in January of all stewards and church leaders of the Waynesville district were made. Approximately 250 district leaders are expected to attend that meeting. A church leader will speak.

The purpose of the meeting is to give all leaders a broader and clearer idea of the work of the church in the nation and world at large.

Representing the different churches Tuesday night were: The Rev. W. L. Hutchins, district superintendent, the Rev. J. Clay Madison, and W. H. Massie of Waynesville; the Rev. McMurray S. Richey and Dean W. E. Bird of Cullowhee; the Rev. R. G. Tuttle and Paul Ellis of Sylva. Murphy and Bryson City were not represented.

Pvt. O. H. Shelton, Jr., Spends Holiday Here

Private Oliver Hugh Shelton, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Shelton, who has been stationed at Fort

Jackson, spent Thanksgiving Day here with his parents.

Pvt. Shelton entered the service November 12, and was inducted at Camp Croft and from there sent to Fort Jackson. Upon leaving here he reported to Las Vegas, N. M., where he will take training in the air transport command. Prior to entering the service he was employed in Coral Gables with the Pan American Airways.

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Many persons who start these fires toss away matches and cigarettes that aren't dead out. Many others burn to clear plow land or logging slash or grass or debris and—the fires they started break away into searing, roaring flames that destroy timber, forage, wildlife, and beauty that may never be replaced.

Each of these persons forgot—for a moment. And each thoughtless act was as destructive as if it had been the act of a saboteur.

YOU can help prevent disastrous forest fires by observing the four simple rules illustrated here when you're in forest areas. And by seeing that others observe them.

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

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