

# TOWN and FARM in WARTIME

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**REMINDERS**  
**MEATS, FATS**—Red Stamps A8 through Z8, A5, B5 and C5 good indefinitely.  
**PROCESSED FOODS**—Blue Stamps A8 through Z8 and A5 through F5 good indefinitely.  
**SUGAR**—Sugar Stamps 30, 31 and 32, each good for five pounds indefinitely. Sugar Stamp 40, good for five pounds of canning sugar through February, next year.  
**GASOLINE**—A-11 coupons, good through November 8.  
**FUEL OIL**—Period 4 and 5 coupons, good through September 30. New Period 1 coupons now good.  
**SHOES**—Airplane Stamps 1 and 2, good indefinitely.

**THIS ONE FOR YOU KIDS**  
 More low cost candy and better price control for candy are two of the aims of the Office of Price Administration in setting up four new advisory committees of candy manufacturers.

**TIRES FOR FARM VEHICLES**  
 Because farm vehicles must be kept in service, they may be equipped with used truck tires if available, as well as with used passenger tires, OPA announces.

**STORIES OF TWO HARVESTS**  
 Many of the German prisoners of war captured in Normandy have volunteered to help with the harvest in Great Britain, according to a BBC broadcast. Inexperienced workers are paid six pence a day and experienced workers, one shilling. The broadcast also reported a story about the harvest in northern Italy, where the facts were quite different. Italian patriots drove the German occupation troops from one village and captured the entire harvest, which was all ready for shipment to Germany.

**RECLAIM QUARTER OF MILLION MEN**  
 Treatment of syphilis is responsible for the presence in the armed forces of 125,000 men who otherwise would have been unfit for service, and for making 140,000 others available for service unless otherwise disqualified, the U. S. Public Health Service reports. Among the first 15 million Selective Service registrants given blood tests, evidence of syphilis was found among 720,000. Selective Service boards, State and local health departments, Army and Navy cooperated in tracing, treating and inducing infected registrants.

**WANT CONSUMER PRICE LISTS**  
 Large-scale distribution of four to five million consumer price lists is needed in connection with a campaign to "sell retailers on their stake in price control," declared the Consumer Advisory Committee to OPA in protesting against substitution of a plan of posting community ceiling price lists in retail stores. Shoppers are too hurried or too timid to question prices in the presence of other shoppers who may be waiting, the committee said. Informed shopping, the advisors believe, "is possible when consumers have studied their ceiling prices at home."

**ASKS COMPLETE SOCIAL SECURITY**  
 "We will not have a just system of social security until all workers, no matter what their employment, are covered," Paul V. McNutt, Federal Security Administrator, declared in connection with the announcement that on August 8 the Social Security Board would begin to pay off on its one millionth benefit in force under Federal Old-

**EXECUTOR'S NOTICE**  
 Having qualified as Executor of the estate of John H. Allen, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to file same with the undersigned at Hazelwood, N. C., on or before the 3rd day of August, 1945, or this notice will be pleaded in bar thereof. All persons indebted to said estate will please make prompt payment thereof to the undersigned.  
 This the 3rd day of August, 1944.  
 CLAUDE N. ALLEN, Executor, Estate of John H. Allen, Deceased.  
 1377—Aug. 3-10-17-24-31 Sept. 7

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE**  
 Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Dr. R. L. Walker, deceased, late of Haywood county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Route No. 1, Clyde, North Carolina, on or before the 10th day of July, 1945, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.  
 This the 10th day of July, 1944.  
 J. L. WALKER,  
 Administrator of the Estate of Dr. R. L. Walker, Deceased.  
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Age and Survivors Insurances. The beneficiaries are a war-worker's widow, Mrs. Mary Rex Thompson, Parma, Ohio, and her two children. Mrs. Thompson's husband and his employer each had paid \$145 in premiums. Benefits now amount to \$58.49 a month and may total as much as \$15,182.83. Although 12 million farm workers and eight million other types of workers and self-employed persons are not now covered by social security benefits, the Social Security Board has recommended to Congress that coverage be extended to all these groups now excluded.

**MOST BEEF TO BE RATION-FREE**  
 Beginning Monday, August 14, all beef will be ration free except commercial, good and choice steaks and roasts, WFA has announced.

**STOVES ARE EASIER TO GET**  
 Anyone who has no other means of cooking is eligible for a stove rationing certificate, under easier rationing regulations announced by OPA. A small increase in the supply of cooking stoves makes possible the eased regulations.

**CANADA ALSO CUTS BUTTER RATION**  
 While OPA was cutting butter rations in the United States by increasing the point value of creamery butter four points, as announced last week, Canada also cut her rations. Just as in the U. S., Canadian butter stocks were down. Canadian butter consumption has increased approximately 16 per cent while creamery butter production has declined more than 5 per cent.

**HELP YOUR MERCHANT SAVE PAPER**

If your merchant doesn't wrap your packages as well as he used to, just remember that the War Production Board has asked him to save paper by doing away with all unnecessary wrapping and using sparingly such gift wrappings as remain. Other conservation measures your merchant has been asked to follow: 1. avoid double wrapping, such as paper over a box; 2. avoid inner stuffing or inner wrapping unless necessary for protection; 3. avoid decorative effects that use extra paper; and 4. inform customers of the necessity for the simple gift wrappings.

**ROUND-UP**  
 OPA says: No more special gasoline rations for travel to Victory gardens will be issued after August 15. . . . There will be a slight increase in the prices of some cookies, crackers, toast and crumbs now sold in retail stores as a result of a change in OPA regulations. . . . Enough sugar to produce as large a pack this year as they did in the 1941 canning season will be allotted to housewives and other home processors of fruits, fruit juices, preserves and fruit butters for resale, provided they make only those foods having a blue point value. . . . Point values will be restored to some cuts of pork August 13 through September 2.

**Coffee Substitutes**  
 Some of the new coffee substitutes contain such products as chicory, soy beans, roasted barley, Mexican chick peas, roasted rye cereal, rolled wheat flour, molasses, and corn meal. Some combinations are blended with coffee.

## In Puerto Rico



**CAPT. SAM C. WELCH, U. S. Army**, who is now stationed at San Juan, Puerto Rico, where he is serving as comptroller of the Antilles Command Exchange System. Capt. Welch entered the service as a volunteer in February, 1942, and was inducted at Fort Leavenworth, Kan. From the latter where he served as an interviewer of inductees for several weeks, he was transferred to Camp Wolters, Tex., for his basic training. From Wolters he was sent to Officers Candidate School at Fort Benning, Ga., and received his commission as second lieutenant. From Benning he was sent to Camp Croft, where he was stationed for over one year, after which he was sent to Camp McCoy, Wis., for amphibious training.

From the latter he was sent to Fort George Meade, Md., and from there to an embarkation port and to his present post. In his assignment in San Juan his duties will take him to various points in that area including South America. At the time he volunteered in the service Capt. Welch, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Welch, of Waynesville, was senior examiner in the Federal Home Loan Bank, with headquarters in Topeka, Kan.

## Dellwood News

Pfe. and Mrs. Paul A. Sheehan visited friends and relatives here over the weekend. Pfe. Sheehan is stationed at Camp Forrest, Tenn.

Friends of Wilbur Whidden are glad to know that he is well after suffering a broken foot. Mr. Whidden is employed by the Standard Oil Company in Asheville.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moody had as their guests over the week-end Mr. and Mrs. Homer Constance.

Ruth Wright, of Hazelwood, visited Wanda Moody the past weekend.

## Canton Man Home From Long Stay Overseas

S Sgt. Ralph D. Pharr of Canton, returned from service outside the continental United States, now is being processed through the Army Air Forces Redistribution Station No. 2 in Miami Beach, where his next assignment will be determined.

Sergeant Pharr, 27, a carpenter and shop foreman for 29 months in the Southwest Pacific, is the son of the W. A. Pharr's of Canton. He entered service Aug. 19, 1941.

Grocer—Well, little boy, do you want to buy some candy?  
 Little Boy—Sure do, but I gotta buy soap.

## SNAP SHOTS

By FRANCES FRAZIER Staff Writer

Good night, soldier. Sleep well. The glow from the moon will guide you into the Land of Forgetfulness and God will lay His soothing hand upon your tired heart. It has been a hard day for you and you, too, too young, so far away from home. It is odd, isn't it, that all day your thoughts have been back home with the loved ones? Why, early this morning you thought you heard that old red rooster crow right by your window—the window where the lilac bushes always showered you with dew when you leaned out to yell at "Ole Red". But it wasn't "Ole Red"; it was the whine of a sniper's bullet that passed so close to your head that you smelled its acid breath even after you had slipped back into the filth of the fox hole that had been your abiding place so long, it seemed, that you knew every clod of mud by name.

Then a little later you listened to the whistle of the meadow lark that always came to the edge of the clearing down by the lower pasture when you took the two little Jerseys down for the day. But the meadow lark disappeared in a cloud of smoke that rose between you and your buddy in the next furrow. When the smoke cleared away, your buddy didn't grin back at you. He would never come out of that last cloud of smoke.

Then you heard your mother's voice. Oh, that's what hurt the most, wasn't it, soldier? She was trying so hard to be brave and not let you hear the tears that were screaming in her throat. Her voice was low but every word slipped into your heart and stayed there.

"It's only for a little while, Son," she had said, "and whatever happens I will know I gave everything I had on earth to my country. And, remember, always, that I'll be waiting for you."

The voice you heard was that of the officer down the line and the words came in a muffled command. "Attention. Advance ten paces." The next ten paces brought you to the edge of a small creek and you felt the gentle lapping of the water against your tired, swollen feet instead of the bare toes that dangled in the brook over by Ann's house. There were tiny fish in that moving brook over by Ann's house and they always came up with curious eyes to know why you kept so still when Ann was with you. Even when the days slipped into the years and Ann came back from college, that little brook was your trysting place and there was never any other girl than Ann.

Home, home voices; home thoughts. Then suddenly you fell asleep. You never knew what happened except that some one turned off all the lights and everything was so still, so sweet, so beautiful. You were not in the slime and mud of the foxhole but resting on the softness of that old feather bed that had belonged to your grandmother. Your mother was tenderly tucking you in and from a far ways off you heard her gentle voice saying, "I'll be waiting for you, Son," and Ann was holding tight to your hand.

Good night, soldier. Sleep well. The soldier wrote his mother he had been giving blood to the Red Cross and has been made a capsule.

## In France



**SGT. C. O. JAMES** is now serving with the armed forces in France, according to recent information received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. James, of Waynesville, R.F.D. No. 1. Sgt. James left here with the National Guard unit in September, 1940. Before going overseas he was stationed at Fort Jackson, Fort Benning, Ga., Camp Blanding, Fla., Camp Forrest, Tenn., and Camp Atterbury, Ind.

Junior—What's inertia, Dad?  
 Senior—Well, if I have it, it is sheer laziness; but if your mother has it, it's nervous prostration.

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# THREE IMPORTANT LAND SALES

## MONDAY AUGUST 14 AT AUCTION MONDAY AUGUST 14

**JONATHAN CREEK FARM**  
**10:30 A. M.**

One of the best farms in the county, only 7 miles from Waynesville, joining Jonathan Woody Farm, adjoining the Asbury Howell property opposite the B. D. Medford Farm.

**LOTS NEAR DELLWOOD**  
**11:30 A. M.**

These lots on the famous Soco Gap Highway, near Dellwood. This section is destined to become one of the most wanted areas in the Mountain Area. See these.

**LOVE LANE PROPERTY**  
**3 P. M.**

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