

# Tobacco Quota For 1941 Exceeds First Estimate

### Wallace Officially Sets Flue-Cured Marketing Quota at 618,000,000 Pounds.

Washington, Aug. 27.—The flue-cured tobacco quota for the first of three restricted years beginning July 1, 1941, was proclaimed today by Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace following official determination that 86.1 per cent of the growers favored the three-year period.

In North Carolina, the official tabulation indicated 87.1 per cent of 142,243 voters favored three-years control.

Official figures for North Carolina show 123,863 voters, 87.1 per cent for three year control; 2,073 or 1.4 per cent for the one-year program; and 16,307 or 11.5 per cent against any quota.

The amount of the entire quota which will be in effect for 1941-42, the first of the three marketing years, is 618 million pounds. This is 10 per cent more than the quota of 516 million pounds which was proclaimed prior to the referendum.

Approval of the three-year quota makes it possible to increase the quota determined for the 1941-42 marketing year, and to spread the adjustment needed to eliminate excess supplies over the three-year period.

The amount of the quota for the 1942-43 marketing year will be announced some time between July 1 and December 1, 1941. Similarly, the amount of the quota for the third year of the period will be announced between July 1 and December 1, 1942.

The official canvass showed that 174,779 voters, or 86.1 per cent of the total of 203,059 approved the quota which had been proclaimed for the marketing year beginning July 1, 1941, and also favored the proposal of having marketing quotas in effect for the three years beginning on that date.

Approximately 3,655 votes, or 1.8 per cent, favored the quota proclaimed for the 1941-42 marketing year in preference to quotas for three years. The remaining 24,625 votes, or 12.1 per cent of the total, were cast against both the three-year quota proposal and the one-year quota.

#### SPREAD.

Under present plans of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, the food stamp plan will be extended to a total of 175 to 200 cities or to the members of 5,000,000 relief families by the end of the fiscal year.

### Grading Of Tobacco Will Be Demonstrated

Lloyd T. Weeks, Extension tobacco specialist of N. C. State College, has announced plans for a series of tobacco grading demonstrations arranged by county agents of the Extension Service, and presented with the assistance of marketing specialists of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

W. L. Bradsher and J. O. Armistead of the U. S. D. A. will give the demonstrations. Weeks and possibly other specialists from State College will assist with some of the grading schools.

The schedule announced by Weeks beginning in September is as follows:

September 4, Craven; September 4 and 5, Beaufort; September 5 and 6, Bertie; September 6, Hertford; September 9 to 17, Wilson; September 9, Edgecombe; September 10 and 11, Pitt; September 16 and 17, Harnett; September 18 and 19, Wake; September 20, Vance; September 23, Cumberland.

September 24, Moore; September 25, Richmond; September 26, Anson; September 30, Franklin; October 1, Durham; October 2, Orange; October 3, Rockingham; October 4, Guilford; October 7, 8 and 9, Forsyth; October 10 and 11, Stokes; October 14, Davidson; October 15 and 16, Yadkin; October 17, Wilkes; October 18, Alexander; and October 21, Alamance.

Weeks said that two demonstrations per day will be given in a county. The times and places for the demonstrations will be announced locally by the county farm agents.

#### LIFE D'LL? YOU'RE LUCKY

Celebrities—even those not so celebrated, except in the advertising—don't lead dull lives. They merely hop from one of Irvin Cobb's metaphorical fishbowls into another. . . I think a few years of it lures all but the most chronic cases. Take it from me, for people who "do things"—even we bush-league celebrities—life isn't a grand, sweet song; it's going to bed in a greenhouse next to a billiard parlor or a jazz band. . . When all's said and done, we Who's Whosers pay a high price. Fame is a full-time job, and the most avid celebrity must grow weary of living in a zoo and having people throw peanuts at him.—Channing Pollock, noted author and lecturer, writing in the current Rotarian Magazine.

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### Joint Defense Board Pledges A United Front

### Chairman LaGuardia Advances Pledge Of United Front Against Foreign Aggression.

Ottawa, Aug. 28.—A pledge of a united front by the Canada-United States permanent joint defense board against foreign aggression in the western hemisphere was advanced today by F. H. LaGuardia, chairman of the United States section.

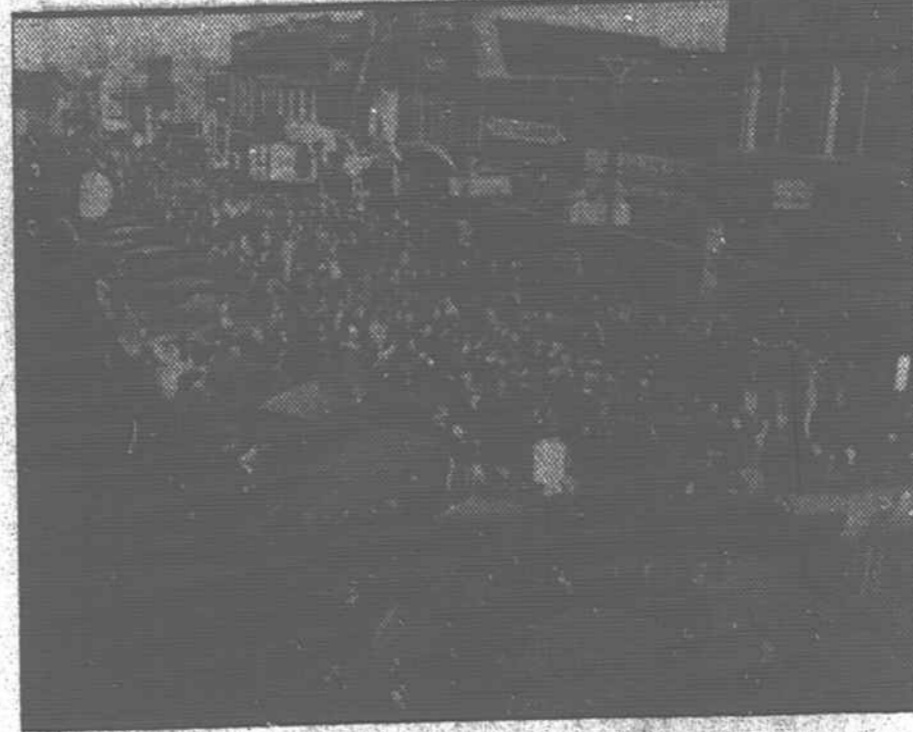
"I can assure you," the New York mayor said in an interview, "there will be no minority report from this board.

The board, appointed by governments of the two countries to study mutual defense methods, opened deliberations here yesterday under the joint chairmanship of Colonel O. M. Biggar, of Ottawa, and Mayor LaGuardia.

The United States chairman declared the problem so far as his government was concerned boiled down to whether strategic points in the western hemisphere are to be used as bases for offensive operations by potential enemies or as bases for hemisphere defense.

#### EXHIBITS.

Cleveland County 4-H Club members are taking much interest in preparing individual exhibits for fairs this fall, reports L. E. Thornton, assistant farm agent of the State College Extension Service.



A FAMILIAR SCENE ON FARMVILLE'S MAIN STREET DURING TOBACCO SELLING TIME

### Official Referendum Results Are Announced

Official results of the flue-cured tobacco referendum held July 20 have been announced by E. Y. Floyd, AAA executive officer of N. C. State College. The state-as-a-whole approved three-year quotas by a margin of 87.1 per cent. The total vote was 123,863 for three-year quotas, 2,073 for one-year quotas, and 16,307 against quotas.

The vote in Pitt County was 6,700 for three-year quotas, 24 for one-year quotas, and 143 against quotas, for a percentage of 97.6 in favor of three-year quotas.

Among the larger counties in the State, where more than 60 votes were cast, Greene County gave the three-year plan its largest margin of approval, with 99.2 per cent of the growers favoring restricting of production in 1941, 1942 and 1943. Fol-

lowing in order were the following other counties which cast 95 percent or more percent of their votes for three-year quotas:

Martin, 98.2 percent; Edgecombe, 97.9; Pitt, 97.6; Lenoir, 96.3; Granville, 96.2; Wilson, 96.1; Hoke, 95.9; Chowan, 95.5; Nash, 95.4; and Robeson, 95.0.

Only two counties in the State failed to give the three-year plan the necessary two-thirds approval. These were Sampson, where only 55.2 percent of the growers favored three-year control, and Pamlico, where the vote was 66.5 percent in favor of three-year quotas.

The official vote in other counties in this section was: Wilson County, 4,931 for three-year quotas, 27 one-year quotas, and 173 against quotas, the percentage in favor of three-year quotas being 96.1; Nash county, 5,289 for three-year quotas, 12 for one-year quotas, and 243 against quotas, the percentage in favor of three-year quotas being 95.4.

### Father And Sons Given Sentences

### Pitt Man and One Son Get Terms for Bank Robbery, Another For Theft.

Greenville, Aug. 27.—A man and his two sons, who embarked upon a career of crime almost simultaneously some time ago, Monday drew sentences at a criminal term of Pitt Superior Court that will separate them from their family and friends for several years.

Judge C. E. Thompson, presiding, ordered Theodore Williams of Chicod Township to serve from 10 to 12 years in prison for the holdup and robbery of the Bank of Winterville. One son, Willie Williams, who assisted in the robbery, drew a five year sentence in the Concord Training School, and Alton Williams, another son, was sentenced to serve five years in the Concord Training School for the theft of an automobile a day after the bank robbery.

The daring daylight robbery was staged around noon on May 14, as Cashier Jesse Rollins was preparing to close. Theodore Williams and his son, Willie, forced him back into the bank and scooped up approximately \$300. They were captured several hours later by Highway Patrolman W. W. Massengill.

David Ellis, Negro, convicted of breaking, entering and attempted criminal assault at the home of Mrs. Golden Phillips in the Fountain community, drew a 20-year prison sentence. This was the heaviest sentence meted out by Judge Thompson in today's proceedings.

### Warden Teel Announces Fowl-Game Seasons

J. O. Teel, county game protector, yesterday announced the open seasons for migratory fowl and game as outlined by the North Carolina Department of Conservation.

Open season for migratory fowl follows: dove, September 15 to November 30; duck and geese, November 2 to December 31, and jacksnipe, November 2 to December 31.

The open season for game was announced as follows: turkey, November 28 to February 15; quail, November 28 to February 15, with lay days on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday; rabbit, November 28 to February 15; squirrel, October 1 to January 15; deer, October 1 to January 1.

Teel explained that the open date for o'possum and raccoon, with dogs or gun, is from October 1 to February 15. He added there is no open season for fox squirrel and otter.

The Pitt game protector warned that hunting licenses are now on sale by all agents and anyone convicted of any violation of the above regulations, they will be fined and restrained from hunting the remainder of the season.

### 863,100,000 Cigarettes Went To Puerto Rico

Washington.—Sales of U. S. made cigarettes to Puerto Rico broke all records in the fiscal year just ended, the territory saving purchased 863,100,000 cigarettes, or six per cent more than in the preceding year, when the previous high record was set, according to a statement by the Puerto Rican Trade Council, based on U. S. Department of Commerce figures. The island's purchases have more than doubled since 1930, and the value passed the 4,000,000 mark for the first time this year, the Council said. Puerto Rico, during the year, spent more for cigarettes purchased from the mainland than it spent for automobiles or shoes, and remained the second largest market for cigarettes shipped from continental United States.

#### VEGETABLES.

Growing fall vegetables cooperatively and selling them in Western North Carolina cities is being discussed seriously by New Hanover truck farmers, says Farm Agent-at-Large J. B. Herring.



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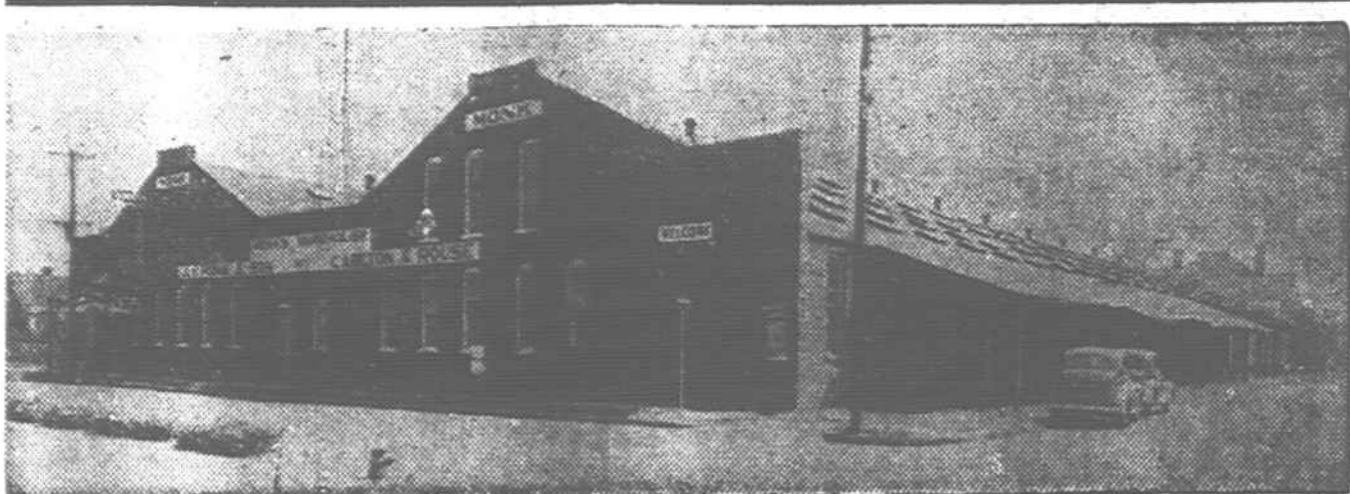
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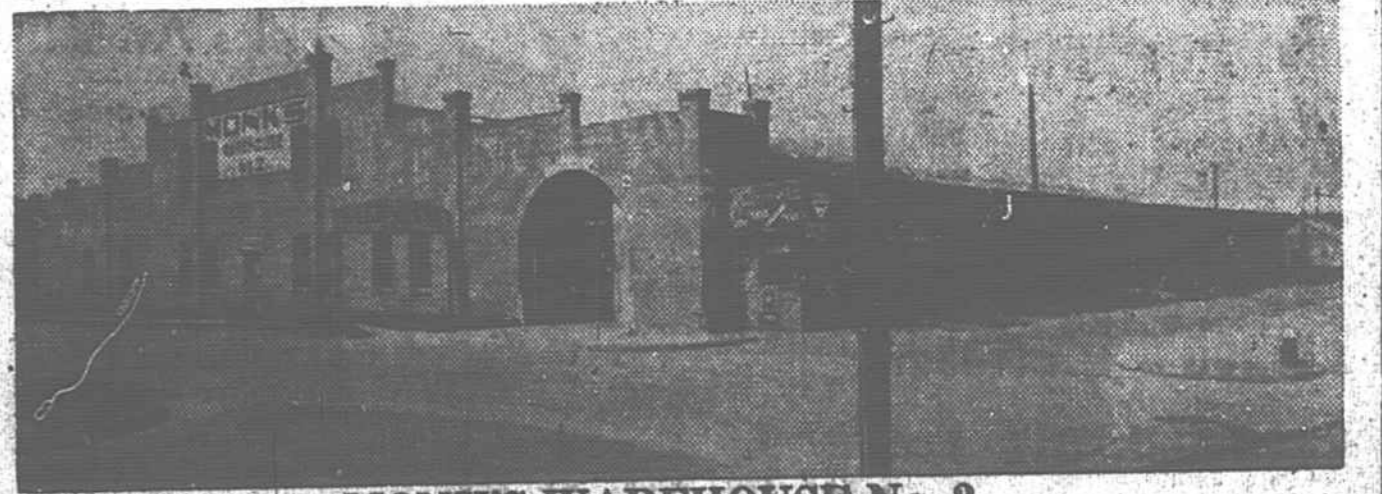
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