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EAST'S GASOLINE SUPPLY REDUCED TO 50 PER CENT

Heating Oils Also Af- tankers and emergency me First

Washington, May 5 .- The War Production Board tonight ordered de-liveries of both gasoline and light heating oils reduced to 50 per cent of normal in the Atlantic seaboard curtailment area, effective May 6.

Gasoline deliveries in the 17 Atlantic coast states and the District of Columbia already have been cut one-third to release transportation facilities to carry badly-needed industrial fuel oil, while Petroleum Coordinator Harold L. Ickes last month asked distributors to work towards a voluntary 25 per cent cut in heating oil deliveries.

Tonight's order did not affect Oregon and Washington, where the earlier gasoline and heating oil cuts also were ordered. Officials expect all restrictions soon can be raised in that area.

The gasoline cut will apply at service stations and to bulk consumers, whereas the heating oil resuppliers.

of the type used generally for space Honor, Bill Royster; Preacher, George heating and central heating, including domestic heating plants, Officials said the order meant that the

Davis; Bridesmaids, Rex Hodges, Power Rotary Conference

Rotary Conference

A WEEK OF Bond and Stamp quantity of fuel oil available for James Monk and Hal Winders. household purposes would be restricted and controlled.

Rationing July 1. On May 6, the Office of Price Administration, acting under the Usher, Alex Allen; Mother of the War Production Board's authority, Bride, Leroy Parker; Father of the will start interim emergency rationing for gasoline consumers. This plan will remain effective until Sister, Charlie Rasberry and her July 1, when a permanent gasoline Negro nurse, Aunt Jemimah, Lath rationing will be inaugurated.

in a formal statement that transportation dislocations may force Curiosity, Matthew Gibbs; Mrs. other sections of the country.

The War Production Board's action was upon recommendation from Pianist, J. R. Shearin. the Office of Petroleum Coordinator

the Apalachicola River), Georgia, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New

The WPB announcement indicated the effective date for rationing gaso has been placed in the Gymnasium. line would be May 16 instead of May 15 as previously announced.
An OPA spokesman said the agency would get together with the WPB and Ickes' office this week to determine which day is would start.

Allotments Soun.
WPB is expected to disclose soon how much gasoline will be allowed to non-essential motorists. It ap-pears certain the quotas will not be

fected; Gasoline Card maintain supplies "cannot be carried much longer, as they already Rationing Starts July are threatening the solvency of many companies and shortly may cause a complete economic break-down of the industry."

Davies said that areas outside of the East and the Pacific Northeast have been called upon "to give up a large percentage of their trans-portation facilities" for transfer to the shortage regions.
"After all, this is every Ameri-

cans war and we see no reason why the East Coast alone should be forced to bear all the hardships and the inconveniences resulting from the course of that war."

"Wedding" Without Women Big Success

An evening of fun and frivolity was enjoyed by the large audience attending the P. T. A. sponsored performance given in the Gymnasium Auditorium on last evening with with the following cast: The Bride, ductions will apply to deliveries to Zeb Whitehurst; the Greom, John Lewis; Best Man, L. E. Walston; Maid Fuel oils covered by the order are of Honor, James Lang; Matron of

Mac Carraway and Wade Drake; Bride, Ted Albritton; Twin Brothers R. E. Picket and Lynn Eason; Baby Morriss; Grandfather, John Stansill; Meanwhile, Deputy Petroleum Grandmother, Charles Baucom, Aunt, Coordinator Ralph K. Davis said Tom Ryon; Uncle, John H. Paylor; Grandmother, Charles Baucom, Aunt, Mrs. Castoff, Stanley Garris; Miss spread of the rationing system to Nosey, Dr. Gregg; Trainbearer, Ed Nash Warren; Ringbearer, Walter Jones; Soloist, Elbert Holmes; and

"Wedding Without Women" was

York, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, and to the cast for the splendid per-Rhode Island, South Carolina, Ver- formance, and to all who in any way of Rotary within the 49 clubs of Dismont, Virginia and West Virginia helped the play to be a success. Pro-and the District of Columbia. Claude F. the handsome stage curtain which

Room To Re-Open

The Red Cross Sewing Room which has been closed for some time because of the Petroleum Industry War Council reported to the soundit's mouthly meeting that "the East Coast's supply situation has grown worse during the past mouth to an extent even greater than anticipated"

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ELABORATE PLANS UNDERWAY FOR ROTARY CONFERENCE The committee on entertainment and fellowship making plans for the annual conference at Raleigh May 20-21 of Rotary District 189 promises an occasion of unusual interest particularly to the May 20-21 of Rotary District 189 promises an occasion of unusual interest particularly to the ladies. In the picture are shown seated, left to right: Mrs. I. M. Bailey, chairman of the sightseeing committee; Mrs. L. V. Sutton, governor's ball; Mrs. J. Henry Highsmith, general chairman of women's activities; Mrs. William Linehan, host club dance, and Mrs. Ernest Layfield, Mansion tea. Top row: Earl Johnson, host club president; Claude Gaddy, general chairman of the entertainment committee; Mrs. L. P. Kennedy, bridge; Hal Trentman, golf; Henry T. Davis, Raleigh club secretary, and John A. Park, general conference chairman.

Flower Girls, Bobert Rouse, Charlie Meyer, Bill Rollins, R. C. Copenhaver, Dist. 189, Meets in First Usher, Eli Joyner; Second Raleigh May 20-21 Usher, Alex Allen; Mother of the Raleigh May 20-21

Headquarters For 2- duration of the war. Rotary Anns

Raleigh, May 7.—The annual Romarch. Beginning July 1, no one tary District 189 set for Raleigh on may charge more for services sold at retail in connection with a commodity than he charged during in two directions: First, on meeting existing and future conditions in a war-torn world; and second, through wholesalers and seller of services war-torn world; and second, through the services and seller of services.

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Mrs. Mac Carraway, P. T. A. President, wishes to express the Association's appreciation to the committees and that are expected to bring to

Claude F. Gaddy, chairman of the his club to direct various groups Clyde Dillon, garden tours; Mrs. E. L. Layfield, Executive Mansion tea; Mrs. L. P. Kennedy, bridge tourna-ment; Hal Trentman, golf tourna-ment; Luther T. Mincey, bowling Here Next Week

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THE WAR

(For Release May 5) Price Administrator Henderson is ued a general price regulation plac-Hotel Sir Walter To Be retail and wholesale prices for the

Beginning May 11, manufacture Day Session; Special and wholesale prices may not exceed Entertainment For the highest March 1942 levels for each individual seller. Beginning May 18, retail prices may not exceed highest Raleigh, May 7.—The annual Roman Rom

> Agricultural commodities are excluded from the order. Various other ing sign-up, which lasted through thems which do not conform with the price control act's definition of a commodity" are exempt also. In addition Mr. Henderson issued orders for rent stabilization in 30 areas of a state and Pherto Rico, housing the state of the Bank of the Bank of technique of explosions. 46 states and Puerto Rico, housing more than 76 million persons. Four-fifths of the rents will be frozen as Junior Woman's Cub. of March 1, 1942. The remainder

ordered cut back to early 1941 levels. President Roosevelt said the cost of living has advanced about 15 per cent since the Autumn of 1989, and we must now act to keep it from soaring another 80 percent or 90 ney Bullock, the North Carolina percent during the next year or two—to hold it to somewhat near the present level." The President said "The only effective course of action is a simultaneous attack on all of the factors which increase the cost of living . . . prices, profits, wages, taxes and debts."

Symphonic Choir, known this year as the American Victory Choir, gave its first concert of the season last Thursday night, April 30, in Memorial Auditorium, Raleigh. The concert ended Raieigh's Sesquicentennial program.

Farmville members of this great

Rationing.
The Office of Price Administration said five different gasoline ration cards will be distributed during reg-istration in 17 Eastern States and the District of Columbia May 12-14. ate varying degrees of assentisers. Commercial and government sers of gasoline will be exempt from

Sign-Up Campaign **Making Progress**

Local Chairman and As-To Do So Today

Concert By Choir Is Sesqui Finale

Under the direction of Lewis Sid oaring another 80 percent or 90 ney Bullock, the North Caroline

Farmville members of this great choir are Mary Anne Townsend, Etta Frances Harper, Alice Harper Parker, Frances Howard, Anne Jones, Helen Rouse, Joseph Gregory, Albert Roebuck, James Wilson and bert Roebuck, James Wilson and Breat of the first world war to

A portion of the program was re-orded and broadcast later in the wening.

Announce Changes In



Corregidor Falls Into Jap Hands

REPAIR PARTS

Washington, May 5.—The War roduction Board today ordered the nanufacture of repair parts for utomobiles and light trucks limited to those essential to operation, such as axies, brakes, clutches and engines, and the output of these parts reduced.

R. L. Vaniman, deputy chief of the WPB automotive branch, said con-versation studies of the industry had utilized in war production and that, therefore, "a low rate of production may be maintained until at least September 30." This would make available a supply of the second that the second tha indicated that parts production faciliavailable a supply of repair parts

The navy announced that the sufficient to meet estimated needs for were 3,845 officers and men of the supply of the supply of the navy announced that the sufficient to meet estimated needs for were 3,845 officers and men of the supply of the navy announced that the navy announced the navy announced the navy announced that the navy announced the navy annou

The order provides that during the period from April 1, to September 30, manufacturers may produce 70 per cent of the total dollar volume of operating replacement parts sold by them in the corresponding quar-

cushions, body panels and other parts not essential to actual operation of

Pitt Farmers Vote Conservation Dist.

Greenville, May 6 .- In the recent referendum, held in regard to the der reported that casualties amestablishment of a Coastal Plain Soil Conservation District in Pitt county, sistants Urge All Who total of 534 votes cast 497 farmers Haven't Signed Pledge voted for the establishment of the district, and 37 voted against the For the fourth consecutive day,

Hundreds of Farmville citizens for complete organization of the have answered the call of their govlckes.

Davies outlined the shortage situation at the board's regular weekly meeting late today.

States included in the Atlantic coast curtailment area are Connecticut, Delaware, Florida (east of light of locked).

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directed by the Ways and Means are shortage situation and seller of services must preserve for pricing purposes across the narrow stream and Mrs. R. S. Scott were in charge of interest to Rotary Anns. Under locked by the Ways and Means according to L. E. Walston, local of resistence, Wainwright sa according to L. E. Walston, local of resistence, Wainwright sa according to L. E. Walston, local of resistence, Wainwright sa according to L. E. Walston, local of resistence, Wainwright sa according to L. E. Walston, local of resistence, Wainwright sa according to L. E. Walston, local of resistence, Wainwright sa according to L. E. Walston, local of resistence, Wainwright sa according to L. E. Walston, local of resistence, Wainwright sa according to L. E. Walston, local of resistence, Wainwright sa according to L. E. Walston, local of resistence, Wainwright sa according to L. E. Walston, local of resistence, Wainwright sa according to L. E. Walston, local of the sign of the Junior Woman's Club, in the Junior of the sign of the s

be easy. They already know the technique of explosions.

Costs Of Present War Far Ahead

The United States Has Already Spent More For Present War

the United States from 1917-until the peace treaty was ratified in 1921 was \$25,729,000,000, including loans to the allies. Since July 1, 1940, when this coun

Manila Bay Stronghold Surrenders: Twenty-Eight Days of Siege Pounded Island Fortress Into Helplessness; Number of Casualties and Prisoners Uncer-

Washington, May 6. - Corregid fortress fell into the hands of the

were 3.845 officers and men of the navy and marine corps on Corregidor when that fortress fell to Jar invaders and "it is assumed

ters of last year.

Effective immediately, however, they are prohibited from making such items as hoods, fenders, running boards, bumpers, hubcare Accounting stant firing swept away the beach defences and made it possible for the invaders to pour ashore from steel barges.

The tired defenders long had been cut off from supplies and reinforce

the last messages received from wright before the fall of Corregi the last few days, and the co pounding by the enemy resulted in severe damage to military installs

proposed Soil Conservation District.

Definite plans are now being made on Corregidor on May 5, Wainwright the Japanese brought their as

> Corregidor's guns replied to the throughout the siege of Manila bay forts, by lack of aerial observation. Wainwright also reported that the Japanese had landed reinforce-ments in the vicinity of Malagang rear Cotabato on the island of Min date, and were moving a considerable force in steel barges up the Pul

angi river near Digos, on Davo gulf in Mindanao, where American-Fili-pino forces have dealt severe blows heavy pressure against Wainwrig

uique sad. iThe doughty American-Filipino troops, who held the island fortress after the loss of Estaan despite sustained air bombardment and a sustained air bombardment and a shattering cross fire of heavy shore batteries from both sides of Manila bay, finally were forced to yield to

was announced in a laconic com-nique from the war department w ild that terms were being arran "Resistance of our troops has be vercome," said the announcement sued at 4:15 a. m., eastern

are being arranged covering the cap tulation of the island forts in Manis

regidor, a determined, last-ditch fight to prevent the Japanese from makin to prevent the Japanese from making use of Manila bay had been waged from American forts on three smaller blands—Forts Drum, Hughes and