

WALSTONBURG NEWS

Mrs. Jesse Smith, Helen Smith, Mrs. C. T. Hicks and Mrs. Irvin Zilshew were Raleigh shoppers Tuesday. Mrs. Floyd Adams and family spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Jesse Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Clearance Dail spent Sunday with Mrs. Mimmie Gardner in Goldsboro. Lt. and Mrs. Linwood Shelton were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gardner. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Craft and Miss Dorothy Gardner were Wilson shoppers Saturday. Miss Alice Morton and Miss Ruby Marlowe of Rose Hill were the weekend guests of Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Marlowe. Mrs. W. A. Marlowe, Mrs. C. T. Hicks and Miss Fannie Mae Smith were in Raleigh, Saturday. Mrs. C. T. Hicks, Mrs. Irvin Manshew and Mrs. W. A. Marlowe were Goldsboro shoppers Monday. Mrs. Frank Holloman of Molthie, Ga., has returned to her home after attending the funeral of her brother, Sam Corbett. Mrs. A. D. McGlowhorn of Winterville spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Corbett. Tom Holloman of Nebraska, Mo., has returned back to Camp after a few days visit with his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Corbett. Mrs. W. V. Redick spent Tuesday in Wilson with friends. Miss Juanita Redick of Raleigh is visiting her mother Mrs. W. V. Redick. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Speight spent Sunday visiting friends at Fort Bragg. Mrs. George Bailey has returned home after a week's visit with her mother in Princeton.

FERTILIZER

For the 1943-44 crop season the supply of fertilizer materials available for food production is larger than any previous year, except for potash and organic nitrogen, say USDA officials.

BROILERS

Poultry growers should not buy chicks for broilers until feed dealers can assure them of an adequate amount of feed, T. T. Brown, poultry specialist at State College, advises.

TOWN AND FARM IN WAITING

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plies and supplies of manure can be accumulated, and either turned under wherever ground is not frozen or stacked for use in early spring.

Increase in Apple Prices

Increase in apple prices over those for 1942 will mean that a 28-ounce jar of apple butter will cost from 3 to 4 cents more at retail, OPA reports. This reflects an increase of approximately 80 cents to \$1.65 a hundredweight in apple prices and an increase of approximately 7 1/2 cents to 15 cents a pound in apple chops. The method by which dealers in apples for home consumption determined their maximum prices in sales prior to retail was changed. With maximum prices for terminal markets the same as those for rural markets, apples tended to become scarce in rural markets. So, a premium of 3/8 of a cent a pound now is allowed on sales in rural markets.

Syrup Prices Are Higher

Retail prices for cane syrup have been increased by OPA as a result of refiguring the parity formula, which resulted in increased returns to sugarcane growers. Increases in No. 10 cans—slightly less than one gallon—are about 10 cents for country cane syrup, formerly known as Louisiana cane syrup, and 4 to 5 cents for commercial cane syrup, formerly known as Georgia cane syrup. Accumulators, mostly country store operators, have been granted an increase from 1 to 2 cents a gallon for their handling charge.

Gift Packages Point Free

Gift packages of jams, jellies, fruit butter, preserves, and non-citrus marmalade that were packed before October 23 for sale as Christmas gifts may be bought point-free through January 6, OPA said recently. Because the packages were made up before these foods were rationed, and because they are often assembled in packages with such highly perishable products as cakes and cookies, it is necessary to sell them speedily to prevent waste.

Packed Food Products

Exempted from price control are sales by home canners who sell less than 1,500 quarts a year of packed fruits and vegetables, OPA reported recently. OPA also announced that consumers will pay more for canned sweet potatoes, binned cherries, maraschino cherries, canned mushrooms, and processed dried prunes and prune products.

Citizens Released to Civilians

Nearly a million more of tomato cans will be released to civilians. The release is being effected from specific reserves held and owned by civilians but not sold by them for government use.

Suspenders Buttons Back

Suspenders buttons are to be restored to men's work pants, according to an amendment of WPB's order L-181.

OCB Directors Meet

State directors of Civilian Defense of 20 states are meeting in St. Louis this week to formulate a policy shifting the emphasis on civilian defense activities from defensive to offensive operations for the duration of the war. These directors will determine specific programs to be adopted.

Most Cottage Cheese Rationed

Practically all creamed cottage cheese is under rationing because lower stamps now are required for this type of cheese containing 4 percent or more butterfat, OPA pointed out. Previously, only creamed cottage cheese with a butterfat content of more than 5 percent had been rationed under the meats-fat cheese program.

Batteries For Hearing Aids

Batteries designed for use in hearing aids are being sold only by hearing aid dealers, and not in drug or general retail stores. This provision has been taken by WPB in order to prevent their use for flashlights or other purposes.

Fewer Sheets in Tablets

The number of sheets in tablet, pads, and related products made from newsprint paper may be reduced, according to OPA, because of the two 24-ton increases in newsprint paper during 1943. On the average, seven sheets may be removed from a 5-cent pad and fourteen sheets from a 10-cent pad.

Please Stay Home, Urges ODT

Civilians are urged by the Office of Defense Transportation to give up all pleasure trips on trains or intercity buses from December 17 through January 10. Joseph B. Eastman, ODT director, requested civilians to defer—even necessary travel, wherever possible, until after January 10. Because of supply limitations, few extra trains can be operated over the holidays. Unless civilians stay home, accommodations for furlough and essential war business travel cannot be assured. Despite shortages of workers, the public transportation industries are successfully carrying more passengers and more freight than ever before. However, the transportation manpower problem is now becoming serious, especially in maintenance and repairs.

Start Making Ration Tokens

Manufacture was started last week on 2 billion ration tokens to be used in making "ration change" when the

ration token plan goes into effect Sunday, February 27, according to OPA. The order calls for 1,100,000,000 red tokens for meats and fats and 200,000,000 blue tokens for processed foods. Food retailers will get their supply from the nation's banks. Strips of stamps, each having a value of 10 points regardless of the numeral now on the stamps, will be validated on a horizontal or across-the-book basis rather than on a vertical or up-and-down basis, as at present. A regular schedule of validity dates will be established, which will provide five processed food stamps worth 50 points for each consumer at the start of each month. Three meat-fat stamps worth a total of 40 points will become valid every two weeks.

Back The Attack—With War Bonds

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust of record in Pitt County Registry in Book 0-22 at page 282, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness therein secured, the undersigned will offer for sale and sell, to the highest bidder, for cash, before the courthouse door in Greenville, between the hours of 12:00 o'clock Noon, and 1:00 o'clock P. M., on the 24th day of December, 1943, the following described property in Greenville Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, to-wit:

BEGINNING at a stake in the line of hard-surfaced highway from Greenville to Falkland, and thence S. 23-03 E. 112 feet to a stake; thence N. 64-26 W. 440 feet to a stake, a corner with John Page lands; thence N. 25-34 E. about 1565 feet to a stake, a corner on Tar River; thence with the various courses of Tar River, a northwesterly course to a stake, corner with the J. R. Moye heirs; thence S. 85-24 W. 2255 feet, more or less, to a stake in the northern line of hard-surfaced highway from Greenville to Falkland; thence with the northern line of said highway S. 85-10 E. about 809.6 feet to the point of beginning, containing 20.78 acres, more or less, and being all of Lot No. 14 and the northern portion of Lots Nos. 10, 11, 12, and 13 of the Anderson Farm Sub-Division according to survey and map of record in Pitt County Registry in Map Book No. 1 page No. 21. This the 23rd day of November, 1943.

ARTHUR B. COREY, Trustee.

"Silent Night"

The battle is over.

The bomb-shattered village is deserted, lifeless. And the silence that greets our invading men is deathly. It's the kind of grim stillness many of them will know on Christmas Eve this year.

Not like the warm, beautiful "Silent Night" we know. Not like the peace in our homes the night before Christmas.

But the only way we can have some peace in our hearts is to know that we're helping bring our men back. Actually helping by buying all the War Bonds we possibly can. And by giving all the War Bonds we possibly can.

For no other gift could mean so much this year . . . no other gift could do so much good.

In War Bonds, lies the spirit of Christmas.



FOR PEACE ON EARTH • BUY WAR BONDS

BELK-TYLER COMPANY

"FARMVILLE'S CHRISTMAS SHOPPING CENTER"

This advertisement prepared under the auspices of the U. S. Treasury Department and the War Advertising Council.

Farm For Sale

Josh Barfield Farm

16 ACRES—4.8 Acres Tobacco Allotment Near Friendship Church in Greene County.

• FOR SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION •

In Front of Town Hall in Farmville, N. C.

— at 12:00 Noon on —

• SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1943 •

Martha Barfield Moore, Owner

John B. Lewis, Attorney

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Gift Ideas

For Him:

- Pajamas
• Tie Sets
• Suspenders
• Dress Shirts
• Gaberdine Coats
• Socks, Belts
• Handkerchiefs
• Florsheim Shoes
• Bed Room Shoes
• Sweaters
• Alligator Coats

For Her:

- Pajamas
• Night Gowns
• Panties
• Bates Bed Spreads
• Blankets
• Sheets
• Pillow Cases
• Towels
• Bed Room Shoes
• Bath Room Shoes
• Hosiery

See Us Before Our Stock Is Picked Over!

MAIN STREET

FARMVILLE, N. C.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

To All Our Customers and Friends

and to all our old friends . . . the men and women in the the services abroad and at home . . . the workers on the production front . . . our friends on the farm, in the office and in the home . . . our own people who are doing so much to make our future Christmases happier.

• Our Apology: If we haven't been able to serve you, we are sorry . . . you see, we take essential cars and trucks FIRST . . . and we try to PLEASE ALL.

The Best Christmas Gift Is A WAR BOND

• Our Employees have been faithful and loyal — therefore, we close at 5:00 P. M., December 24th, to reopen for business Monday, December 27th. We trust that our good friends will get Necessary Services Early.

Eason Bros. Service Center

MILTON and LYNN EASON, Owners