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Food Shipments To Martinique Withheld By U. S. Since November

The small island of Martinique is ack in the news with the revelation that since November shipments of foodstuffs from the United States have been withheld.

Admiral Georges Roberts, who is has refused to cooperate with the in the island.

vidual, to do as he pleases, he for- Treasury has been received in the feits all claims to favorite treatment last four years. from the United States. So long as he observes the Franco-German tricity, holding back flood waters this year protects growers against list the number of walnut trees you consideration from this country.

the pangs of hunger they must effect synthetic rubber and fertilizer . the change that will again enable regime in the island they must con- proved economic conditions. tinue to be watched.

that an agreement had been conclud- Harvest Pulpwood ed between the United States and the By Selective Cutting Admiral in regards to these ships. They have been rendered more or less harmless but, nevertheless, so long as they are in the possession of a hostile Admiral they possess power nations.

U. S. Banks Stronger Than Ever. \$90,000,000,000 Deposits New High.

The banking structure of the naaccording to a report submitted to the President by Leo T. Crowley, chairman of the Federal Deposit Insur- years than does clear cutting. ance Corporation.

With deposit at \$90,000,000,000, a new high, and with adequate earnings in prospect, the banks are in a position to serve the needs of the nation at war.

Incidentally, the FDIC has saved 1,250,000 depositors from loss in the trees." closing of 390 banks in the past ten years, assuming a loss of \$50,000,000 to help depositors but, nevertheless, accumulating a surplus of \$325,000,-000 for future emergencies.

Eden's Visit Stirs Speculation.

the President, although little is definitely revealed except that the British States.

which was paid back into the Federal Treasury and reappropriated. This included \$21,683,000 for depreciation for insurance on the 1943 cotton crop and amortization of acquisition ad- has been set for April 1, and no apjustments and \$22,319,000 in net income.

The Authority estimates that slightly more than \$300,000,000 has, been invested in the power facilities. in power in Martinique, has never Even if we include total appropriadisavowed his connection with the tions of \$454,000,000 by the end of worst elements of Vichy France. He the 1942 fiscal year, which includes year by the Federal Crop Insurance some re-appropriations, it is evident United Nations, especially in regards that the Authority is making a fair fer growers a guarantee of either 50 to the ships of the French navy now return. Moreover, it should be borne in mind that most of the revenues While it is his right, as an indi- required to make this return to the hazards, such as droughts, floods, in-

TVA is not only producing elec-

armistice terms, which Hitler has re- and providing a navigation system on pudiated, he is not entitled to any the Tennessee River, it is producing materials or machinery, provided it is one-fourth of the nation's munitions-If the people of his island suffer grade phosphorous, an ingredient for

The activity of the Authority has ditional supplies. them to receive food from the United greatly improved living conditions in States. In the meantime, we have the Valley. Today, one farmer in important agricultural year North individual owner and purchase the not overlooked the presence of a four has electricity, compared to one Carolina farmers will ever exper- trees. French aircraft carrier, two cruisers in twenty-eight ten years ago, jence," the AAA official said, "and it and some smaller warships in Mar- Manufacturing plants have increased, is up to us to give as much protection tinique. They have been watched with more wage earners, larger man- as possible to any crop to which we and until there is a change in the ufacturing volume and generally im- devote land, labor, and materials.

Carolina farmers to join in a program able in County AAA Offices in all to injure the cause of the Allied pulpwood to fifteen million tons in made at county offices or may be 1943. R. W. Graeber, extension for- filed with county and community ester at N. C. State College, says AAA committeemen. that those who take a part in this lective cutting because it is desirable Protect Fruit Trees national program should practice seunder most conditions and because By Using Repellent tion is stronger than ever before, this method of handling the woodland provides more frequent cutting of larger cash returns over a period of

"It is important to know what types of trees to take out in cutting search with headquarters at N. C. pulpwood," Graeber said. "It is also State College. He said that the reimportant to cut the timber stand pellent is used as a paint and is efproperly. The key to a productive fective, durable and safe. forest is to maintain a good growing stock. Always leave a good stand of

ially so where the job of harvesting protection. is to be turned over to others. If a

Post-War Matters To Be Discussed. marketing he should see his county catello, Idaho. If local dealers do The visit of Anthony Eden to the agent or consult with the regional not carry it, requests for a supply nation's capital stirs up much specu- forester. Sometimes it is best to re- may be referred to the county agent lation as to what will result from his move several timber products, such as or the U. S. Wildlife Service at N. C. ences with Secretary Hull and saw logs, poles and pulpwood at one State College, Raleigh. operation. Before marketing pulpwood, Grae-Foreign Secretary is in the United ber suggests that the owner go over his woods and estimate the number The general assumption is that of cords to be removed. Definite there will be considerable discussion contracts on the amount of wood to of post-war matters but when the be taken out should be made in adofficial communique of the parley is vance of any cutting. The sales constudied there will be few definite tract should specify the trees to be answers to those who have raised cut, the period of cutting, payment



Closing date for making application plications will be accepted after that date, according to Tom M. Cornwell, ed walnut trees which they want to Cleveland County farmer and a mem-

ber of the State AAA Committee. The insurance program, Cornwell said, is being offered to North Carolina growers for the second time this Corporation. Insurance contracts ofto 75 per cent of the farm's average yield against losses from unavoidable

sect damage, hail, windstorm, frost, fire and other acts of God or the public enemy. A new clause in the contract

losses by wartime shortages of labor, have for sale, giving the average determined that full use was made of the amounts available and every possible effort was made to secure ad-

"This year probably is the most Loss of a crop from unavoidable cases means loss of income, and we must maintain a balanced farm economy if we are to continue to produce maximum amounts of war crops."

He said yields which may be in Uncle Sam has asked all North sured and premium rates are availwhich would step up the production of cotton counties. Applications may be

A new repellent to protect fruit trees from rabbits has been an nounced by L. C. Whitehear, district agent for the Division of Wildlife Re-

It should be applied with a brush, and one gallon will treat from 200 to 800 seedlings over all for a season. All trees which are to be taken out Larger trees will, of course, require should be carefully marked and espec- more paint to give complete trunk

The repellent is prepared at the grower is not familiar with timber U. S. Pocatello Supply Depot of Po-

Black Walnut Timber Needed For War Effort

Black walnut timber is needed for war purposes-gunstocks, aircraft lumber and veneer. There is a good demand at prices somewhat above

normal. Prices of walnut will vary according to size and quality of the individual tree. Many farmers and other landowners have a few scatter-

sell, especially if they know that these trees will aid in the war effort. The Extension Service at State College is in touch with walnut buyers having war contracts for gunstocks and other products. County Agent L. W. Anderson is asking all formers and other timber owners in Perquimens County to report at his office the number and size of valuet trees which they have for sol . pes to be salable must be 14 indicate larger in diameter at breast boind t (4.5 feet above the ground). Littler see phone, or write the county agent and

diameter in inches, and average length of log (body of tree) in feet. When a sufficient number of trees are listed to justify shipping, an effort will be made to bring a buyer to the county, who will contact the



Starring Bing Crosby, Bob Hope Fred MacMurray, Dorothy Lamour and Paulette Goddard No Advance In Admission Prices

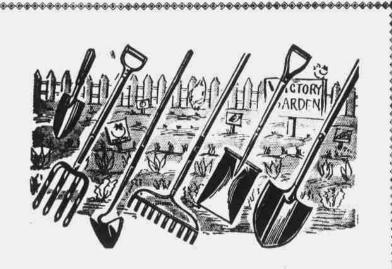
Saturday, March 27-Johnny Mack Brown and Tex Ritter in "DEEP IN THE HEART OF TEXAS

Sunday, March 28-Ann Miller, with Bob Crosby, Freddie Slack, Duke Ellington, **Count Basie and Their Orchestras** Mills Brothers and Radio Rogues "REVEILLE WITH BEVERLY" Monday-Tuesday, March 29-30-Lum 'n' Abner in "TWO WEEKS TO LIVE" Also Special Added Attraction March of Time

'One Day of War-Russia of 1943" Wednesday, March 31-Double Feature 10c and 22c Milton Berle in **OVER MY DEAD BODY**" Freddie Bartholomew in "JUNIOR ARMY" Also Chapter One "Junior G-Men Of the Air"

Thursday and Friday, April 1-2-Dennis Morgan and Ida Lupino in "THE HARD WAY'

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many issues for settlement.

Mr. Eden warns that the Allied nations will suffer reverses before the war ends and insists that the main business of the United Nations is to get on with the winning of the war.

In this the distinguished Englishman is eminently correct. The Alman is eminently correct. The Al-lied Nations have more important work shead than to waste energy Don't miss this informative article in work ahead than to waste energy the April 4th issue of trying to fathom the mysteries that will present themselves when the Axis has been defeated.

TVA Serves War Needs. Development Is Profitable.

The people of the United States do not hear much about the Tenessee Valley Authority but it is today producing vitally needed electric power for war purposes at the rate of 10,000,000 kilowatt hours annually, or about half as much electricity as the total amount .used in the first World War.

When Germany invaded Poland, the TVA system had a capacity of about 750,000 kilowatts. It had moved up one-fourth when Pearl Harbor occurred and has reached 1,500,000 kilowatts today. In less than a year, an additional 600,000 will be added to its capacity.

In the Valley, where the Authority operates in a region of 41,016 square miles, embracing a part of seven states, there is hard driving to complete eight new dams which are being rushed as war emergency projects.

TVA seems to be getting along very well financially. In the 1942 fiscal year it paid a total of \$1,859,-416 to State and local tax collectors to make up for their loss on taxable property taken over by the Authority. This exceeds the ad valorem taxes formerly paid on private power property together with taxes paid on all reservoir lands of the Authority.

Under the original act, passed in 1933, the power program was ex-pected to be self-supporting and selfliquidating. Consequently, figures from the annual report are interesting. From June 11, 1933, 'to December 31, 1942, gross power revenues totaled \$89,393,000.

After provision for all power ex-penses, there remained \$44,000,000,

trees and other points, he pointed out.

LOWLY MUSKRAT COMES INTO ITS OWN

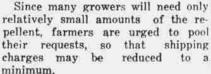
The war has brought on a trappers' boom down Louisiana way with 6,000,000 "marsh hares" providing for the ladies musk glands for perfumery

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The paint is composed of rezyl ethylene, dichloride, asphalt emulsion, copper sulphate, copper carbonate and dry lime sulphur. When painted for the timber, damages to unmarked on the trunks of fruit trees with a brush, the repellent will effectively protect the trees from rabbits,

> **Catholic Services Next** Sunday 11 A. M., 8 P. M.

> Holy Mass starts every Sunday at 11 a. m., and Stations of the Cross every Lenten Friday at 8 p. m., in St. Ann's Catholic Church, corner of N. Broad and Albemarle Streets, Edenton, announced the Reverend Father F. J. McCourt, Pastor, who invites everybody to attend every Service. A sermon is preached at every Sunday Mass, during which Holy Communion may be received by Catholics eligible, also during this week at 7:30 a. m., or during Mass at 8 a. m. Confessions are heard for half hour before every Sunday Service.

Guest-This steak is so thin that I can read through it Waiter-Yes, sir. What do you wish to read?



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