

## TOWN AND FARM IN WARTIME

### Red Stamp Rationing Reminder

Red stamps from War Ration Book Two, which are good for the purchase of meats, cheeses, edible fats and oils and canned fish, will become valid and will expire as follows:

Wek. Begin	Red Stamps	Expire
March 29	A (16 Points)	April 30
April 4	B (16 Points)	April 30
April 11	C (16 Points)	April 30
April 18	D (16 Points)	April 30
April 25	E (16 Points)	Announced

### Six Gallons Of Gas A Month

Autoists in 17 eastern states now will get only 6 gallons of gasoline a month, although they may use it for any kind of non-occupational driving. The new order does not apply to other areas. A-Books will still be good for 3 gallons in the 17 eastern states but they must last for four months. Shortage of gas and oil supplies, and greatly increased demands for fuel for farm machinery, caused the OPA order, which became effective on March 22.

### More Meat For Shortage Areas

OPA has empowered regional administrators to report to the food rationing division of OPA whenever an area has an acute meat shortage which endangers public health, morale, or the war effort. OPA will authorize slaughterers to increase their civilian deliveries of controlled meats in such areas. Action was taken in 12 North Carolina counties this week.

### Plenty Of Canning Supplies

Plenty of metal closures and rubber jar rings will be available for American housewives who will be doing an increased amount of canning this year. The War Production Board has removed all quota restrictions on the manufacture of certain types of metal lids used to seal the jars. Prohibition of the use of zinc is continued.

### Modifications of Shoe Ration Order

Three modifications of shoe ration Order 17 have been authorized by OPA. They are (1) an additional ration for "safety" shoes, used for health protection in special work, may be acquired from the local board by any person who has spent his ration stamp 17 even though a member of his family has an unspent stamp, (2) Sandals which can be sold ration-free are redefined to include all sandals with an open back and a heel height of 1-8 inches or less, regardless of the material used in the upper, (3) Certain shoes with soles made principally of rope, wood, or other non-strategic materials may be sold ration-free, regardless of the material used in the upper.

### Ceilings On Corn

Permanent maximum prices on corn—America's top-ranking farm crop in point of size and value—have been fixed by OPA. The ceilings apply from the time the corn leaves the farmer's hands until it is sold by retail dealers. Recognizing seasonal price variations and carrying charges, the new OPA order sets peak prices for all varieties and types of corn sold by farmers, truckers, local elevator and terminal market operators and retail dealers. Typical peak under the new maximum price regula-

tion No. 346 (corn) is \$1.02 per 56-pound bushel of No. 2 yellow corn at Chicago—key point in the country's grain exchange and marketing set-up.

### Can Sell Butter Below Ceiling

There is nothing in any OPA regulation preventing sales of butter at lower than ceiling prices set recently at the creamery and wholesaler levels. These ceilings represent the maximum prices at which this commodity may be sold. Price Administrator Prentiss M. Brown said.

### Farm Machinery Released

Restrictions on distribution of three types of rationed farm machinery have been lifted by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. The orders permit manufacturers of farm cream separators to release without restriction 80 per cent of their authorized production of separators as allowed by WPB Order L-170 and all remaining stocks produced under L-26. It similarly permits manufacturers of power spray pumps and horse or tractor drawn rod weeder to release 100 per cent of their production under L-170 and all inventory stocks produced under L-26.

### Blue Ration Staff Calendar

Blue Stamps D, E, and F in War Ration Book Two, totaling 48 points, will be good from March 26 through April 30. Stamps A, B, and C will be valid only through March 31. Consequently, between March 25 and March 31, Blue Stamps A through F may be used to buy rationed canned foods.

### Damaged Shoes "Non-Rationed"

Shoe dealers whose stocks have been damaged by fire, water, steam or other accidental causes to the extent that they cannot be exchanged for ration currency may be authorized by OPA offices to mark these shoes "non-rationed." The Raleigh and Charlotte offices can give this permission.

### Booklet On Car Care

A manual of ABC's of vehicle maintenance for cars, trucks, and buses, outlining the kind of inspections, checks, and adjustments that should be made to assure efficient and economic operation of all types of motor vehicles, will soon be available through the Office of Defense Transportation and the field offices of the Office of War Information. Write OWI at P. O. Box 2686, Raleigh, for your booklet.

### Deferment Appeals Handled Locally

All appeals involving claims for occupational deferment are now being handled by the selective service board of appeal in the area of the worker's employment. Formerly the appeals were handled in the area in which the worker was registered.

### War Expenditures

The average daily rate of U. S. war expenditures reached a new high of \$253,400,000 (million) in February. The previous high in November, 1942, was surpassed by 3.6 percent, or \$8,900,000 (million). Expenditures for war purposes totaled \$6,081,000,000 (billion) in February. This was \$173,000,000 (million) or 2.8 per cent less than in January and 2½ times expenditures a year ago February.

one is forming the atmosphere in which he is going to live eternally... This life and the life beyond are not two things but one, or at least parts of one whole."

With this lesson, we conclude our study of the Gospel of John. We are wondering if the past quarter's careful study has achieved the purpose of John, stated in the twentieth chapter of his gospel, in verses 30 and 31, in which he states that, while he did not record all of the doings of Christ, "These things are written that ye may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that believing ye may have life in his name," for, "as many as received him, to them gave he the right to become the children of God, even to them that believe on his name."

## Farmers Urged Save For Post War Reserves

To avoid the disastrous results of both inflation and deflation, a three-point investment program has been suggested to North Carolina farmers by the Secretary of the Treasury, in a recent communication to Dr. I. O. Schaub, Director of the Agricultural Extension Service at State College.

The Secretary pointed out that this Nation is looking to its farmers for more than the production of food for freedom, and more than the reduction of debts to a safe and sound basis.

Farm families have sent their men and boys into the armed forces, but along with the maximum production of essential crops and a reduction of present debts, Secretary Morgenthau suggests that they also purchase War Bonds to the limit of their capacity. Not only is it patriotic, but it is strictly good business from every standpoint.

The Secretary, in urging the purchase of War Bonds by farmers, said: "The experience of the last war period indicates that those men who purchase these bonds will find greater security and satisfaction in the long run in building financial reserves to protect their farms and their standards of living than in enlarging their holdings beyond a size necessary for efficient operation."

Dr. Schaub said that the financial welfare of North Carolina farm families after the war will depend to a great extent on how wisely they handle the increased farm incomes of the present period. For the first time since World War No. 1, the incomes of most farmers have been high enough to provide some reserves above necessary operating expenses. The \$3 invested in War Bonds now will be worth \$4 at the end of ten years and the money can be used to purchase badly needed equipment that can't be bought now.

Oldtimers will remember that after World War No. 1, the conservative grower had a hard enough time but the ones who speculated were sunk without a trace.

## CHAPANOKE NEWS

Carey Quincy, U. S. N., San Juan, Puerto Rico, and Mrs. Quincy, of Norfolk, Va., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Quincy.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Branch and son, of Portsmouth, Va., spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. P. S. Griffin.

C. P. Quincy expects to return from Duke Hospital, Durham, this week.

David Lewis, U. S. N., Norfolk, Va., spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lewis.

Mrs. John Symons was in Elizabeth City on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Lane and Mrs. Wilbur Newbold visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jackson, of near Edenton, Sunday.

Miss Helen Goodwin was the weekend guest of Miss Elizabeth White.

### BALLAHACK CLUB MEETS

The Ballahack Home Demonstration Club met Monday afternoon at Mrs. Murray Elliott's with Mrs. Freeland Elliott as joint hostess. The meeting was called to order by singing "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," after which the Collect and the American Creed were repeated. Thirteen members answered at roll call.

During the business session, the members purchased four dollars worth of Defense Stamps and donated two dollars to the Cancer Control Fund.

The demonstration "Quick and Sure Methods of Making a Dress," was discussed by Miss Maness. The members were asked to make a dress and wear it to the next meeting.

During the social hour the hostesses served cakes, salted nuts and drinks.

## CLASSIFIED AND LEGAL NOTICES

WANTED—WOMEN AND MEN attendants in State institution for mental defectives. Good physical condition. Must be United States Citizens but need not be residents of New York State. Age 18-70. \$54.00 per month, increasing to \$62.00 after three months service and room, board and laundry. Eight-hour day. Write: Superintendent, Letchworth Village, Thiells, New York. mar.19,26,apr.2pd.

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### NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Perquimans County, made in the special proceeding, entitled Town of Hertford vs. Prentice Franklin, et als, the same being No. \_\_\_\_\_ upon the special proceeding docket of said court, the undersigned commissioner will, on the 27th day of March, 1943, at 11:30 o'clock A. M., at the Court House door in Hertford, Perquimans County, N. C., offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash that certain tract of land lying and being in Hertford Township, Perquimans County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of Barrow estate and others, and more particularly described as follows to wit: Described in the complaint of the said proceeding as one house and lot situated on Punch Alley listed on the tax scroll in the name of Prentice Franklin, and further described as follows:

Bounded on the west by Reed and Barrow Avenue, north by Barrow land, east by lots Nos. 5 and 4, and south by lot No. 8, beginning on the west at the southwest corner of lot

No. 8 on the Reed and Barrow Avenue, and extending in a northerly course up said avenue 44 feet to Barrow's line, thence in an easterly course up said Barrow's line 91 feet to lot No. 5, thence south 53 feet to lot No. 8, thence west 90 feet down the line between lots No. 8 and 9 to the beginning and being lot No. 9 as per plat of David Cox made July 26,

1898, and recorded in Plat Book of Register of Deeds of Perquimans County, N. C., of the N. R. Holly property, containing 1/8 acre more or less. For further description see Deed Book 4, page 376.

Dated and posted this 23rd day of February, 1943. CHAS. E. JOHNSON, Commissioner. fed26mar5,12,26



## From where I sit...

by Joe Marsh

Big families? I think of Dad and Ma Hoskins and their thirteen children! Thirteen's a lot of youngsters to control. But Dad found a way to keep 'em out of mischief by "self-regulation."

"You kids can check up on yourselves," he says. "When somebody gets out of order, you call a meeting and dish out the punishment."

You know, the idea worked. And I mention it because it reminds me of what the beer industry is doing.

They've united with the beer distributors in a self-regulation program—to help the authorities "clean up or close up" offending taverns that bring discredit to a decent industry.

From where I sit, that's a fine thing for the brewers to do—to see that beer is sold in clean, decent, friendly places.

Joe Marsh

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# WOOD

We are now in position to sell cut pine slab wood. If you have an order with us (many of which were placed last year) advise us at once if you still want the wood. We deliver by truck, but base our price on \$1.00 per cart load. Our large truck holds five cart loads and the small truck 3½ cart loads.

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## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

### CHRIST'S APPEARANCES AFTER THE RESURRECTION

International Sunday School Lesson for March 28, 1943

GOLDEN TEXT: "I am alive forevermore."—Revelation 1:18.

(Lesson Text: John 20:19-39).

Having been arrested in the Garden of Gethsemane late Thursday night, falsely accused, convicted and humiliated early Friday morning, and, finally escorted to Golgotha where he was crucified between two thieves, Jesus lay in the tomb where he had been placed by Nicodemus and Joseph of Arimathea from Friday afternoon, throughout the Jewish Sabbath, until his resurrection early on the first day of the week, called by us, Sunday.

After scattering upon his arrest, the disciples of Jesus had reassembled after his death. Their spirit was anxious and pessimistic, although the mere fact of their being united seems to point to some fidelity of purpose or of hopes. A group of women, who went to the tomb early on the first day of the week, found the body of Jesus gone, but it was to Mary of Magdala that Jesus made his first appearance.

Some interesting sidelights of this appearance should be noted. It seemed strange that the first appearance of the resurrected Lord should have been made to a woman rather than to some great leader or prominent personage.

Again, the fact that these women were wondering how they would be able to gain entrance into the tomb shows that the body of Jesus had not been stolen by his own followers as the soldiers claimed. The condition of the grave clothes also negatives any theft. At first, Mary did not recognize Jesus, but shortly afterwards, the intonation of his voice brought recognition and Mary rushed back to the disciples to exclaim, "I have seen the Lord."

Jesus made many other appearances

during the forty days between his resurrection and ascension. He appeared to the other women who were with Mary and, somewhat later, to Peter. In the afternoon he explained the Old Testament prophecies concerning himself to Cleopas and another as they walked to Emmaus. Later that evening, he entered the upper room supernaturally and revealed himself to a group of disciples, including all of the Eleven excepting Thomas. Because of the latter's doubt that they had seen him, Jesus appeared again one week later.

To seven disciples beside the Sea of Galilee, Jesus appeared, as well as to the eleven apostles on a mountain. On one occasion, by arrangement, he appeared to more than five hundred of his followers in Galilee. He also made an individual appearance to James and, finally, to the eleven apostles when he gave them his final instructions.

The authenticity of the Christian faith stands or falls on the reality of the resurrection. The written record in the gospels carries conviction but there are other facts even more conducive to faith.

The fact that the Christians soon changed from the traditional Jewish day of worship to the first day of the week in recognition of some great occasion to be commemorated is important. The transformation in the conduct of his disciples from discouraged, disappointed men testified eloquently of faith and confidence.

Peter, who denied Jesus three times in terror, faced the opposition of the Scribes and Pharisees and, courageously preached the Pentecost, winning thousands of believers. Also, Paul, after his vision of the resurrected Christ, changed from a persecutor to an expounder of the new faith.

A personal faith in immortality is the strongest possible incentive for living properly. "The business of loving or hating, of being pure or impure, of spreading peace or weaving bitterness into the fabric of life," says Rufus M. Jones, "is eternal business, for all the time as one acts,

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