NORTH CAROLINA WEEKLY WAR ROUND UP

GET YOUR COAL SUPPLY

Coal consumers are urged to place orders for their entire next winter's supply immediately to accept the coal as it can be delivered and to place it in protective storage during summer months when production and transportation are more readily available.

GAS TO DRIVE TO WORK

Car owners who drive to work and do not get enough mileage from their B ration book may now get additional allowances — if they show they cannot get to their jobs any other way.

Applications must be made to local rationing boards and must fulfill the following conditions in addition to needing more gas 1. That driving is between home and a fixed place of work in connection with their principal occupation 2. That either a ride-sharing arrangement has been made or that the vehicle carries a full load 3. That alternative transportation is inadequate.

SUGAR STAMP 12 WORTH 5 LBS.

Sugar Ration Stamp No. 12 which becomes valid March 16 is worth five pounds but it must last thru the end of May a period of eleven weeks Stamp 11 good for three pounds is valid from Feb. 1 to March 15.

WHEAT QUOTAS SUSPENDED

Wheat marketing quotas have been suspended by agriculture secretary Wickard in a move to insure adequate food and feed supplies. This action lifts marketing quotas and releases at once for food or market any wheat which has been stored. Wheat farmers who meet 90 per cent of their farm war crop goals in 1943 will be eligible for AAA wheat payments and wheat loans even though they exceed their wheat allotments. About 500,000 victory farm volunteers will be recruited from nonfarm youth for farm work during the Spring and Summer months.

RICE, BICYCLES

Rice is not rationed the OPA has reassured consumers. Another announcement by OPA stated that prices for used bicycles will be substantially reduced in the near future.

MORE RUBBER FOR RECAPPING

Owners of tires smaller than 7.50 by 20 now may get their castings recapped with reclaimed rubber "camelback" without applying to their rationing boards for certificates. This does not relax the need for continued observance of rubber conservation measures. The change was made to reduce the demand for replacement tires by encouraging recapping, which takes less than half as much reclaimed rubber as a new war tire.

FARMERS GET GAS FOR SIX MONTHS

Farmers may obtain gasoline for their tractors, engines and other non-highway equipment for a period of six months instead of three months, under a change in rationing regulations announced by the OPA.

The change is being made because of the variagility of farming operations which frequently make it difficult for farmers to estimate their requirements for only a three month period. It will also save the farmers time.

SIZE OF ARMED FORCES

President Roosevelt said the goal of 7,500,000 men in the U. S. Army by the end of 1943 was decided on last Autumn, has never been changed, and will not be changed. The goal for 1944 he said, will probably be decided this fall. This year's army goal also calls for 700,000 officers, which would make a total of 8,200,000 men in te army. Adding the goals set for the other armed services, the grand total of all our arfed forces by the end of 1943 would be almost 11,000,000.

OUTLAW "COMBINATION SALES"

Sales of used wheel tractors, combines, corn pickers, corn binders or power operated hay balers in combination with other used farm equipment or commodities have been prohibited by the OPA. Numerous complaints have been received that the combination sales device is being employed to force farmers to pay exorbitant prices for such items. The scheme used is to sell an uncontrolled machine of little value jointly with a controlled item at a price which greatly exceeds the ceiling for the machine which is under price control.

CHANGES IN TIRE QUOTAS

The National quota of grade 1 passenger tires for March has been practically doubled. The increase will take care of accumulated applications, but will not be continued in succeeding months. The quota of truck tires for March was reduced as compared with February but the truck tire recapping quota was increased.

SMALL BUSINESS GETS CONTRACTS

Taking of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

568,770 were [illegible] recently by the [illegible] corporation. In addition [illegible] to the procurement agencies 1,191 firms who received business in the amount of $195,000,000 during the last 60 days.

Four-H boys and girls throughout North Carolina are mobilizing for food production and conservation. R. W. Murdock, assistant county agent in Durham County, reports an attendance of 800 at two meetings. Onslow county reports a 30 percent increase in membership.

At the first signs which may warn of a cold—the Dionne Quintuplets' chests, throats and backs are rubbed with Musterole—a product made especially to promptly relieve coughs due to colds, make breathing easier and break up local congestion in the upper bronchial tract.

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Striking A Responsive Note

Indicative of the spirit with which Americans will respond to the 1943 Red Cross War Fund appeal is this poster by Wendell Kling, noted illustrator. The cheerful individual pictured is proudly displaying the new Red Cross lapel tag, made from paper to help conserve metal for the war effort.

OAK GROVE NEWS

(By Mrs William Wright)

Rev W. L. Hawkins and Mr Jack Weeks [illegible] Mr [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] were [illegible] guests of Mr and Mrs Frank Ware [illegible]

Mr and Mrs Martin Wright and [illegible] attended the funeral of J. T. Wright held at [illegible] Grove [illegible] church. Thursday [illegible] of [illegible] Mrs Ollie Wright and the late [illegible] Wright who were former residents of this community.

Mr Oliver [illegible] of [illegible] was the guest of his sister Mrs [illegible] Hamton and Mr [illegible] on [illegible] day.

Mrs Hamton is [illegible] an illness of several days.

Mr Hugh Randall (A.S.) of the U. S. Army who has been taking basic training at [illegible] arrived home Friday to spend several days with his parents Mr and Mrs A. T. Randall.

Mr Wilbur Lovelace of the Skyland School of Winston-Salem spent the week end with his parents Mr and Mrs Crawford Lovelace.

Mr Thaniel Bell of Gardner Webb College was the guest of his parents Mr and Mrs William Bell over the week end.

Master Arnold Bell son of Mr and Mrs Sam Bell has been ill with flu for several days.

Mr Woodrow Ware who has been sick for the past while is slowly improving.

Mrs Erb McCraw and Mrs Amos McNeely and daughter Katherine of Patterson Grove were spent the day guests of Mrs Osby Lovelace Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs Frank Ware and daughters Misses Fannie and Annette attended the funeral of Mr Ira Bridges of Gastonia Monday afternoon.

Mrs R. H. [illegible] has been suffering with a head cold for the past few days.

Mr Boyne Randall of Elizabeth City spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Randall.

START WORK ON HOME YARDS AND GARDENS NOW

[illegible] for [illegible] [illegible] to [illegible] and plan [illegible] yards and gardens [illegible] John [illegible] Harris, Landscape Extension Specialist of N. C. State College. March is the [illegible] month [illegible] fall for the planting of [illegible] grapes, strawberries [illegible] and other small fruits.

Harris points out that [illegible] fruit trees and [illegible] should be sprayed with lime-sulphur. That trees, shrubs and lawns should be fertilized with [illegible] and [illegible] phosphate. [illegible] be used [illegible] purposes under present regulations.

[illegible] points [illegible] not [illegible] permitted.

— THE HERALD $1.50 A YEAR — BUY WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

Red Cross Needs $125,000,000 To Finance Wartime Program

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Faced with the greatest wartime program in history, the American Red Cross will launch its 1943 War Fund appeal for $125,000,000 on March 1, Chairman Norman H. Davis has announced.

Pointing out that the bulk of the fund will be used to expand Red Cross services to the men of the armed forces and their families, Chairman Davis urged every American man and woman to contribute to the fund.

With the approval of President Roosevelt, who also is President of the American Red Cross, the month of March is being observed as Red Cross Month. Walter S. Gifford, president of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, is chairman of the Red Cross 1943 War Fund.

"Red Cross services to our armed forces and to the needs of distressed civilians on the battle and home fronts can be supplied only by great expenditures and sacrifices," Chairman Davis said. "We are exerting our utmost efforts to accomplish these tasks with [illegible] [illegible] funds [illegible] [illegible] confident that all our people will be generous in their support of the 1943 War Fund."

More than 65 percent of the fund received by the national organization will be devoted to meeting Red Cross responsibilities to the armed forces. These include the Red Cross overseas club program, recreation and hospital program, the stationing of field directors at all foreign and domestic military camps and bases, the huge surgical dressing production program, and the blood plasma project which recently was expanded to a total of 4,000,000 pints at the request of the Army and Navy.

Chairman Davis pointed out that the 1943 program will be vastly greater than the accomplishments of last year, in which the Red Cross aided millions of war victims through its foreign war relief program, [illegible] to thousands of prisoners of war, collected 1,300,000 pints of blood [illegible] produced [illegible] surgical dressings and [illegible] than 1,500,000 [illegible]

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When 30 Seconds... = 7,000,000 Minutes

If everyone who uses the telephone talked just 30 seconds less on each local call, the aggregate saving in time for our war-busy equipment would be about 7,000,000 minutes each average working day or over 13 years.

That's important time-saving these days when telephone lines are so crowded with calls, including military and government calls that help fight the war.

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GARDEN SCHEDULE FOR CLEVELAND COUNTY

Vegetables	When to Plant	Plants for 100 feet of Row	Depth of Planting Inches	Days to Come Up	Distances Between Rows	Plants in the Row	Mature or Ready for Use in—	Five Persons Should Use Annually
Beans (Snap)	April-Aug.		1 1-2 to 2	6 to 10	2 1-2 to 2 ft	3 to 4 in	40 to 65 days	75 lbs.
Beans (Pole)	April 15		1 1-2 to 2	6 to 10	4 ft.	2 to 3 ft	50 to 80 days	50 lbs.
Beans (B Limas)	May 15		1 1-2 to 2	6 to 10	3 ft.	6 to 10 in	60 to 90 days	25 lbs. shelled
Beans (P Limas)	May 15		1 1-2 to 2	7 to 10	4 ft.	2 to 3 ft	60 to 80 days	25 lbs shelled
Beet	Feb. 15		1 to 1 1-2	6 to 10	2 to 2 1-2 ft.	4 to 5 in	60 to 80 days	65 bunches
Cabbage	Feb 15	65 to 90	1-2	6 to 10	2 1-2 to 3 ft.	14 to 18 in.	90 to 130 days	250 lbs
Cantaloupe	May 15		1 to 1 1-2	6 to 10	5 to 6 ft	Drills 18 in.	120 to 150 days	
Carrott	Feb 15		1-2	12 to 20	2 to 2 1-2 ft	3 to 4 in.	75 to 110 days	65 bunches
Celery	Mar. 15	200 to 250	1-8	6 to 10	3 to 4 ft.	4 to 6 in.	120 to 150 days	
Collard	May 1-15	65 to 100	1-2	7 to 10	2 to 2 1-2 ft	12 to 18 in.	100 to 120 days	200 lbs
Corn (Sweet)	April 15		2	10 to 12	3 to 3 1-2 ft	30 to 36 in	60 to 100 days	300 ears
Cucumber	April 15		1 to 1 1-2	10 to 14	4 to 5 ft	15 in.	60 to 80 days	30 lbs
Egg Plant	April 15-30	50 to 70	1-4	6 to 10	3 ft.	18 to 24 in.	100 to 140 days	
Kale	Mar. & Sept.		1-2	6 to 8	2 1-2 to 3 ft.	8 to 10 in.	90 to 120 days	100 lbs.
Lettuce	Feb 15	125 to 200	1-2	4 to 5	2 to 2 1-2 ft.	8 to 10 in.	60 to 90 days	200 heads
Mustard	Mar. Sept		1-4	15 to 20	2 ft.	3 to 4 in	70 days	
Okra	April 15		1 to 2	8 to 12	4 ft.	2 ft.	98 to 140 days	50 lbs.
Onion (seed	Feb. 15		1-2 to 1	6 to 8	2 ft.	2 to 4 in.	130 to 150 days	
Onion (sets	Feb. 15		1 to 2	18 to 24	2 ft.	3 to 4 in.	90 to 120 days	
Peas	Feb. 15		2 to 3	10 to 14	3 to 4 ft.	1 in.	40 to 80 days	40 lbs.
Peppers	May 15	50	1-2	15 to 25	2 to 3 ft.	15 to 18 in.	100 to 140 days	
Potato (Irish)	Feb.-Sept.		3 to 5		2 1-2 to 3 ft	12 to 18 in.	80 to 140 days	
Potato (sweet)	May 1	75 slips	2 to 3	4 to 6	3 to 4 ft.	14 to 18 in.	140 to 180 days	
Radish	April 15		1-2 to 1	12 to 14	2 ft.	1 in.	20 to 40 days	
Spinach	Feb. 15		1 to 2	14 to 16	2 ft.	1 to 2 in.	30 to 60 days	
Squash (vine)	April 5		1 to 2	5 to 10	7 to 10 ft	2 to 3 ft. drills; 8 ft. hills	120 to 180 days	40 lbs
Tomato	April 15	35 to 50	1-2 to 1	6 to 7	3 to 4 ft.	2 to 3 ft.	100 to 140 days	500 lbs.
Turnip	Mar. & Sept.		1-4 to 1-2	8 to 12	2 ft.	2 to 3 in.	60 to 80 days	50 bunches

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