

NORTH CAROLINA WEEKLY WAR BOUND UP

TO HOLD DOWN FLOUR PRICES
To hold flour and bread prices at present levels, the Office of Economic Stabilization has inaugurated a subsidy program that will enable wheat flour millers to pay as high as 10 cents for wheat—should the market go that high—and at the same time sell flour for no more than present ceiling prices. Without the subsidy, the Office of Economic Stabilization says, it would be necessary to increase present ceilings on flour, which in turn would force an increase in bread prices.

NO INCREASE IN BUTTER
Butter available for civilian use will not increase during the next few months, although the federal government has discontinued all purchases of the commodity until April, according to information from OPA and WPA. Current production of butter averages about 16 pounds a year per person or about half a pound less than in pre-war years. Of this, 3 1/2 pounds are being sent to our armed forces and our Allies, leaving approximately 12 1/2 pounds per capita for civilian consumption. Up to 5 million pounds of butter will be released to hospitals from stocks held by or set aside for the Food Distribution Administration. The butter is to supply the hospitals from November through March, and ration coupons will be required.

OPA AUTHORITY UPHELD
Authority of OPA to forbid persons from dealing in rationed commodities as a result of violations of rationing regulations was upheld in a recent decision by Federal Judge Archibald Lovett of Georgia. Judge Lovett ruled that OPA does have the authority, under the Second War Powers Act, to issue such suspension orders and dismiss the complaint filed by a gas dealer who had been suspended from dealing in gasoline for 90 days because of violations of the rationing regulations.

LIFT PORK, LARD RESTRICTIONS
Restrictions on the number of pounds of pork and lard made from home-slaughtered hogs that can be sold or given by a farmer to people not living on his farm have been lifted from November 17 to February 17, 1944. The War Food Administration lifted the restrictions to help handle the slaughter and distributions of this year's record hog supply. Farmers are asked to find out from their market agency or processor whether their hogs

are so handled before sending them to market.

AGRI FARM WORKERS TO HELP
Farmers and workers engaged in agricultural occupations have been asked by the War Manpower Commission to give all the time they can spare in the agricultural off-season to pulpwood cutting, lumbering, and other war-useful occupations. Farm workers may transfer to such employment without obtaining a certificate of availability but, if of military age, must still obtain approval from their local Selective Service Boards. Local boards have been instructed to approve transfers for periods up to four months, and registrants will be continued in their deferred classifications. Workers are expected to return to agricultural employment at the end of the off-season or at any other time the need for them arises. Shortages in logging and sawmill production make it imperative that workers be recruited immediately. Any farmer or farm worker who does not have ready access to logging and sawmill operations is urged to communicate with the United States Employment Service office in his community for information. Some other industry may have a greater need in his area.

EQUIPMENT SALES
To prevent others from getting scarce farm equipment needed by the War Production Board has issued a revision of the farm machinery order L-257 which prevents dealers from selling rationed farm equipment for non-farm use, except on a rated order of AA-4 or higher.

APPLE PRODUCTS TO COST MORE
Consumers will pay more for apple products because OPA has increased maximum prices for apples in sales to processors. The amount of the increase at the consumer level will vary with the product and the size of the package.

GIVE WAR STAMPS FOR CHRISTMAS
"A Stamp in Every Stocking"—that's what the Treasury Department wants for Christmas. To encourage the giving of war stamps, many ideas for utilizing them in gifts and decorations have been suggested: war stamps attached to a cellophane bag containing a small gift; war stamp lapel ornaments; a tiny Santa Claus holding stamps; small Christmas stockings containing stamps; a baby's rattle with stamps tied on with ribbons; and children's toys, with stamps attached. The stamps may also be used as decoration on wreaths, fastened to candy, and on Christmas cards.

Showing At Imperial Today, Thursday



Jean Arthur and John Wagner in 'A LADY TAKES A CHANCE' Today, Thursday

MAY CUT POINT VALUES
Wholesalers, distributors, and others in the food trade may cut prices of canned frozen and dried rationed foods that might spoil if held in stock too long. OPA announced recently. However, point values may be cut only if prices are at least 25 percent.

WILL HAVE CHRISTMAS TREES
Most people will be able to get Christmas trees this year but they will have less choice, WPA said recently. More trees will probably be sold locally to avoid long haulage.

NOTICE OF SALE
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a deed of trust given by Hazel Brown and wife, Ina Brown to the undersigned, as trustee for the Kings Mountain Building and Loan Association, on July 11, 1941, and recorded in the Register of Deeds Office for Cleveland County in Book 262 at page 178, to secure the indebtedness therein mentioned and default having been made in same and at the request of the Kings Mountain B. and L. Association, I will sell for cash at the Courthouse door in Shelby, Cleveland County, N. C., on Monday, December 20, 1943, at 10:00 A. M., or within legal hours the following described real estate:

Situated on the West side of Candler street in the Town of Kings Mountain, N. C., adjoining the lot of Ploak and Ratterree and beginning at a stake in the edge of Candler street, Ploak and Ratterree's corner, and runs thence with their line W. 150 feet to a stake; thence a new line N. 50 feet to a stake; thence a new line N. 50 feet to a stake; thence a new line E. 150 feet to Candler street; thence with Candler street S. 50 feet to the beginning, being lots 4 and 5 of the W. A. Morris property as will appear on a plat made by A. P. Falls, surveyor, as will appear on record in the Register of Deeds Office for Cleveland County in Book of Plats No. 1 at page.....

This 19th day of November, 1943.
B. S. NIBBL, Trustee.
J. R. Davis, Atty. —adv20—16 D

INCREASED YIELDS
Increased yields per acre of food and feed crops offer one of the best methods of getting a larger total supply of these crops, report State College specialists.

MACHINERY
Supplies of farm machinery for the coming year will be about double that of the past year, reports David S. Weaver, in charge of Agricultural Engineering at State College. More machinery means less hand labor. Swap hand labor for machine labor wherever possible.



SWEATERS
Especially For Him!
Styled the way men like them, in both cardigan and pull-over styles. Solid color and patterns. Priced from \$5.

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POTATOES
Weight for weight, white potatoes have one-fourth as much vitamin C as oranges or lemons and supply some vitamin A, thiamine, and riboflavin. They are also a good source of phosphorus and iron.

SOUTH AFRICA CONSERVES VEHICLES
A drive has been launched in the Union of South Africa to conserve limited stocks of public and private vehicles. People have been urged to carry packages, have cars carefully serviced and drive at a moderate speed. Commercial firms have been asked to pool their transport.

BUY WAR BONDS AND STAMPS



BEAUTY For CHRISTMAS BELLES

When he comes home on that longed for, planned for Christmas furlough, let him find you just as lovely as he remembered you—let him carry away a picture of your charms at their very best. Start preparing to be a morale builder upper NOW—make an appointment with us today. Don't forget your beauty duty while you do your wartime jobs! Let us help you.

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Mrs. J. B. Falls, Mgr.
Phone 88-R

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Say it with **DEEDS** ...not words

WE IN AMERICA have a lot to be thankful for this year. This is the one great nation that has not been laid waste by war.

Our boys are fighting in the jungles of the South Seas and in the villages of Italy that our own Main Streets may not become battle fields. By their sacrifices they have held the warfront thousands of miles beyond our shoreline. They deserve our deepest gratitude—a gratitude we should express in work rather than in words.

Let's back up these fighting men in a very practical way. Today there is a great shortage of pulpwood. Pulpwood has a thousand-and-one war uses—from explosives to shipping containers.

And since this is a pulpwood-cutting community, we have been asked to cut an extra cord of pulpwood in honor of every local boy in service.

This is a small thing to ask of us—small in comparison with what our boys are doing. One extra cord for every boy who went to war from the pulpwood areas will be enough to meet the present shortage.

So let's resolve to meet our quota—and make sure that no boy dies because we failed.

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