IMPORTANT NEWS

On The HOME- FRONT

Reminders

MEATS, FATS—Red Stamps A8 through Z8 and A5 through G5, good indefinitely.

PROCESSED FOODS—Blue Stamps A8 through Z8 and A5 through L5, good indefinitely. Blue tokens, good only through September 30. Pool tokens with your neighbors to make multiples of 10.

SUGAR—Sugar Stamps 30, 31, 32, and 33 each good for five pounds indefinitely. Sugar Stamp 40, good for five pounds of canning sugar through February, next year.

GASOLINE—In 17 East Coast States A-11 coupons, good through November 8. In States outside the East Coast Area, A-13 coupons in new "A" book, good through December 21.

FUEL OIL—Period 4 and 5 coupons, and new period 1 coupons good throughout coming heating year.

SHOES—Airplane Stamps 1 and 2, good indefinitely.

PLENTIFUL FOODS—Onions.

Butter Supply Down, Demand Up

Americans will not have as much butter as they want this year, primarily for two reasons—the supply is down and the demand is great, the War Food Administration says. Average per capita supply before the war was 16.7 pounds and this year it is about 11.9 pounds. More people are eager to buy butter today than ever before, and in the face of increased demand, production has declined while five per cent of the American supply is going to Russia, mostly for use in hospitals. While milk production is higher than before the war, a greater proportion of milk is going into fluid milk, cheese, evaporated milk and milk powder. No manufacturer will be required to set aside any butter for Government purchase in October or any succeeding month until Spring, when production will rise seasonally.

Stares and Questions Worry Vets

While modern surgery and medical care are skillfully restoring soldiers' bodies and morale is being strengthened by reconditioning programs in Medical Department Hospitals, "all this effort is being seriously interfered with when disabled soldiers are singled out by stares and prying questions of the public," warns Major General Norman T. Kirk, surgeon general of the Army.

Oil Stockpile Is Getting Lower

The Nation's stockpile of crude oil in storage tanks has been depleted at the average rate of 2,500,000 barrels a month this year, and now is only slightly above the minimum required to keep refineries in uninterrupted operation, the Petroleum Administration for War reports. Although gasoline stocks are at prewar levels, only about half is for civilian use, compared to 90 per cent available for civilian use in 1941.

Chinese Farmer Outwits 22 Japs

Before Hengyang, China, fell into Japanese hands, 22 Japanese soldiers got lost, and, as the story is told in the official Chinese magazine, China at War, the Japs "shanghaied" a Chinese farmer and ordered him to guide them in the direction of Changsha, a city that had already fallen into Japanese hands. The Chinese farmer, knowing his countryside, deliberately led the Japs on winding course that finally landed all 22 of them into the hands of Chinese troops—as prisoners of war.

New Storm Warning Service

The newly organized Severe Storm Warning Service, now operating in the plains states and the Southwest where twisters are most prevalent, is expected to spread to other parts of the country next year and to become a permanent service. The warning service—a joint operation of the Army Air Forces Weather Service, the Government Weather Bureau and the Office of Civilian Defense—has networks for reporting tornadoes, heavy thunderstorms, hail, strong winds and cloudbursts. If warnings some soon eonugh, emergency measures will avoid much damage. The OCD is now recruiting spotters to man observation posts in the area served by the warning service.

Pressure Canners Now "Freed"

Distribution of pressure canners was released from all controls by the War Food Administration September 21. Production of canners for the first nine months of 1944 is estimated at 400,000 compared to 65,000 in 1942. WFA expects manufacturers to continue production on into 1945, thus having canners on the market for spring and summer vegetables.

Be Careful—and Patriotic!

Because home accidents that killed 6,000 workers last year seriously impended the war effort, the Federal Security Agency endorses these safety suggestions: Walk—don't run, esepecially on stairways; don't, carry heavy loads on stairways; don't let children play on unprotected stairways; don't let floors become slippery or cluttered; never leave soap in bathtub and use non-skid mat to prevent slipping; keep utensil handles turned away from edge of stove; never touch an electric fixture and a grounded metal object at the same time; disconnect electrical appliances when not in use; don't smoke in bed; keep pillows out of babies' beds; keep pins, needles and sharp tools away from children; keep garage doors open when starting car; and use short ladders instead of stools, chairs or boxes in reaching for high places.

Asks for Netherlands Harvest

In an appeal to the farmers of occupied Holland, Radio Orange, the Netherlands broadcasting station in London, pleaded: "The authorities advise the Netherlands farmers most emphatically to avoid any destruction of threshing machines. That destruction would be detrimental to the cause of the fatherland. The country wants the farmers to gather and deliver their harvest and report the results to the authorities in charge of distribution of agricultural products."

A Bit of Home in Foxhole or PX

American fighting men in this war "are getting every food nutritionists says is necessary to keep them in top physical strength,' declared Lee Marshall, Director of Distribution, War Food Administration. "In addition to this," he said, "they get a share of ice cream, the turkey, the soft drinks, the candy bars—in fact, the biggest amount of home we can crowd into a barracks, a foxhole or a PX.' To make this possible, American agricultural production has been increased roughly 40 per cent over pre-war levels, he pointed out.

Plan Living War Memorial

A living war memorial—a community in which invalid and disabled soldiers may live with their families—has been proposed for Scotland by an ex-servicemen's organization and will be built as soon as the endowment is complete and a building site is found, the British Information Services report. Blocks of homes will be grouped around a cloister in which will be a clinic staffed and equipped to give hospital treatment and medical aid. Covered corridors will lead to each group of apartments so that patients can be taken for treatment in any weather. The community will be complete in itself but will be built probably near Edinburgh—near shops, schools, churches, places of entertainment and centers of employment. Each tenant will pay whatever rent he can afford from his disability pension.

Saves Trainload of Prisoners

When the Nazis recently tired to ship back to Germany a trainload of persons of various nationalities who had been imprisoned in Belgium for underground activities, they were thwarted by the delaying tactics of the Belgian railroad engineer, who acted upon instructions from the Belgian underground. With prisoners packed in cattle cars so thickly it was impossible for anyone to sit down, the train started. Using various ruses, the engineer managed to go only 15 miles in 24 hours, despite threats of Gestapo men with machine guns who stood at his side. Finally the train stopped and the German authorities decided it was better to let everyone go free rather than trouble with them any further.

"Liked Chased Animals"

With the beginning of the Nazi collapse in France, the Germans, busy trying to save their own necks, turned their Dutch laborers loose, according to a correspondent for Aneta, official Netherlands news agency. He said that these men "like chased animals, afraid that the hunt is not over . . . introduce themselves often under assumed names, and as they recount their experiences under the Nazis, they look around, shifty-eyed, as if to make sure that no Gestapo agent is listening." All are hungry for news of their relatives. "They are eager for somone, anyone, to point out a destination in life for them after their years of being tossed about Europe."

New Shoe Stamp Coming

A new shoe stamp to become good November 1 was announced by the Office of Price Administration. The number of the shoe stamp will be announced later.

Round-up

OPA says: Apricots at retail will sell for approximately five cents a pound less than they did last season. . . The retail price of smoked, mild-cured salmon will be increased four or five cents a pound. . . Non-leather shoes with rubber soles have now been freed from rationing. . . Because of a short crop and big demand by the armed forces, cranberries will soon be brought under price control for the first time, and highest retail ceilings are expected to be approximately 40 cents a pound, high enough to compensate growers for their short crop. . . So few bicycles are on hand, they have been removed from rationing.

The Department of Agriculture says: Twenty-eight Liberty ships have been named by State 4-H Club groups. . . Tractors and horses now divide the pulling job of American farms just about "50-50."

To alleviate losses to apple growers caused by the recent hurricane, the War Food Administration will buy 500 cars of apples in North Atlantic seaboard states to be used in institutions and for school lunch programs . . . WFA is offering to sell feed millers and grain merchants, 1,498 bags of pea flour for livestock and poultry feed.

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PRODUCE MORE FOOD FOR FREEDOM

the CONSERVATION WAY

The Supervisors of the Kent and Queen Anne's Soil Conservation Districts wish to call the attention of the parents of school children to the fact that their children are being taught conservation of our natural resources—soil, water, wildlife—in our publis schools now. Please do all you can to encourage them in this work as this is the foundation upon which we must build a post-war America.

This present war is between the "haves' and "have-nots", so let us take care of the things we have so that we can be certain of economic stability for all the years to come.

Conservation of our natural resources begins with proper land use and proper land use depends upon the capability of the land to produce, economically, that which one plants upon it. This will mean that your child will want to do something like planting wildlife feed plots or planting a small area to forest trees. Encourage this activity as this is one of the most promising means of getting our young people to realize that conserving pays.

How many of you today cannot, in your minds eye, picture a piece of land that you might have planted to trees when you were a boy or girl that is still today standing idle, or worse yet, ruined by sheet and gully erosion. Encourage young people to plant trees and wildlife shrubs so that our lumber supply may be adequate and our wildlife more abundant.

If you have no children in school, then help your friends and neighbors children in their sutdy of conservation.

Conservation is vital to the sustenance of our county governments. Depleted lands cannot pay taxes. Let us all put our shoulder to the wheel. Conservation of our natural resources pays.

Democratic Rally

GALENA FIRE HOUSE

GALENA, MARYLAND

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 29th

8:00 P. M.

Speakers Will Be

Dudley G. Roe **Richard Carvell**

Preston P. Heck

Everyone invited to attend. Special invitation to the Ladies

FALL HARDWARE

Fall weather is here and there are many items that you will soon need. Come in and you will find that we are well supplied with seasonable merchandise at right prices.

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PAINTS AND PAINTING SUPPLIES

We have a complete stock of paints of all kinds now. Roof paints, house paints, enamels, wall paints, turpentine, linseed oil etc.

Green roof paint per gallon..... $2.29
Outside white paint per gallon..... 2.49
Roof paint, black, 5 gallon..... 2.00

HAY LOADER

We have on hand one heavy type McCormick-Deering hay loader. This loader is especially nice for handling soy beans and other heavy crops. This loader will last you a long time.

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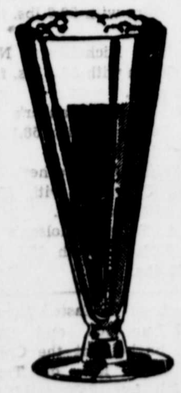

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NOTICE BY THE SUPERVISORS OF ELECTIONS

For Kent County Of

REGISTRATION

In compliance with Article 33 of the code of Public General Laws of the State of Maryland and the amendments thereto, notice is hereby given that the officers of Registration for Kent County will sit in the respective election districts and precincts at the time and places hereinafter stated, for the purposes named in and by the provisions of Article 33 to wit:

For the purpose of registering all persons who are entitled to vote at the coming General Election, who shall applpy in person to be registered in the Districts or Precincts in which they may reside, between the hours of nine (9) o'clock in the morning and nine (9) o'clock in the evening upon the following dates:

FIRST SITTING

Tuesday, Oct. 3, 1944

SECOND SITTING

Tuesday, Oct. 10, 1944

REVISION DAY

Tuesday, Oct. 17, 1944

No new names will be added on Revision Day except where applicant produces a Removal Certificate.

The places wherein such Registration upon the dates aforementioned will be held in the respective Districts or Precincts together with the names of Registrars are as follows:

FIRST DISTRICT

FIRST PRECINCT
Community Fire House, Millington.
Robert M. Logan, Dem.
Paul C. Price, Rep.

SECOND PRECINCT
Prettyman Store Bldg., Galena
H. Raymond Prettyman, Dem.
Jas. D. Davis, Jr., Rep.

SECOND DISTRICT

FIRST PRECINCT
Sutton's Garage Bldg., Kennedyville
Robert H. Van Dyke, Dem.
James A. Nickerson, Rep.

SECOND PRECINCT
D. C. Kelley Store, Kennedyville
George W. Webb, Dem.
Ralph Geary, Rep.

THIRD DISTRICT

FIRST PRECINCT
Community Hall, Worton
James S. Matthews, Dem.
Harry T. Williams, Rep.

SECOND PRECINCT
Fire House, Betterton
Harvey B. Moore, Dem.
Francis Owens, Rep.

FOURTH DISTRICT

FIRST PRECINCT A-J
New Fire House, Chestertown
Leonard C. Needles, Dem.
M. Elizabeth Falls, Rep.

FIRST PRECINCT K-Z
Little Court House, Chestertown
Joseph E. Walters, Dem.
Burtie E. Clements, Rep.

SECOND PRECINCT A-J
Massey & Wilmer, Chestertown
John R. Hadaway, Dem.
E. Cornelia Davis, Rep.

SECOND PRECINCT K-Z
Jones & Satterfield Bldg., Chestertown
Elizabeth C. Miller, Dem.
Ruth B. Bordley, Rep.

FIFTH DISTRICT

FIRST PRECINCT A-J
Church House, Rock Hall
Rose Ella Leary, Dem.
Mary O. Coleman, Rep.

FIRST PRECINCT K-Z
Fire House, Rock Hall
Fred Williams, Dem.
Violet Urie, Rep.

SECOND PRECINCT
Raymond Hersch Building, Edesville
Christopher Grant, Dem.
Elizabeth Shriver, Rep.

SIXTH DISTRICT A-J
Walter Barnes Room, Fairlee
Wm. J. T. Keyser, Dem.
Annie E. Jones, Rep.

SIXTH DISTRICT K-Z
Will Lewis Room, Fairlee
Edith E. Stavely, Dem.
Joseph R. Lambert, Rep.

SEVENTH DISTRICT
Mrs. Starr's Room, Pomona
Wm. J. Maslin, Dem.
D. W. Ingersoll, Rep.

By Order of Board
HOWARD S. LEAVERTON, Pres.
W. NORMAN COOPER
HENRY S. RASIN
H. GILPIN BROWN, Clerk.
Supervisors of Elections for Kent County.

PUBLIC SALE

OF

Guernsey and Holstein Cows

I will offer for sale on my farm, tenanted by Robert Sutton, 1 mile north of Locust Grove on the State Road leading from Locust Grove to Galena, on

Thursday, Oct. 5, 1944

Beginning At 1:30 P. M.

24 HEAD OF CATTLE

This is an accredited Herd, T. B. Tested. 16 milking and 3 springers and 5 Heifers (3 two year olds and 2 one year old). Two of these are Registered Holsteins, the rest are made up of Guernseys and Holsteins.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash

Nothing to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

ELIZABETH H. WESTCOTT,
Owner.

William G. Smyth, Auctioneer
R. Hynson Rogers, Attorney
Jesse E. Ireland, Outside Clerk
s15

Notice To Creditors—

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has obtained from the Orhans' Court for Kent County letters of Administration on the personal estate of

J. S. WILLIAM JONES

late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of March 1945, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's personal estate.

All persons indebted to this estate must settle at once.

Given under my hand this 11th day of September, 1944.

ETHEL JONES
Administratrix

W. Paul Joiner
Register of Wills
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Notice—

Application has been made to the undersigned by W. O. Bringman and Olivia M. Bringman for a Beer License, Class D, on sale, generally, at the premises known as El Rancho, located on the Morgnec to Chesterville Road which shall authorize the holder thereof to keep for sale and to sell beer at retail, at the place therein described, for consumption on the premises or elsewhere. A hearing on said application will be had by the undersigned at their office in the Court House on October 17, 1944 at 2 P. M. at which time any exceptions to the application will be heard.

The Board of License Commissoners For Kent County
FRISBY N. WILLSON, Clerk
s22-2t*

Ratification Nisi—

Henrietta Clayton
versus
William W. Clayton
Preston P. Heck, Attorney
In the Circuit Court for Kent County
In Equity, No. 3298

Ordered, this 21st day of September 1944 by the Circuit Court of Kent County, in Equity, that the Auditor's Account and Report, stated and reported by Herbert E. Perkins, Auditor, in the above entitled cause, be Ratified and Confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown within three weeks from the date of the first publication of said notice, viz: October 13th, 1944;

Provided, a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent County, once in each two successive weeks before the 30th day of September next.

ROBERT A. SHALLCROSS,
True Copy.—Test Clerk
Robert A. Shallcross, Clerk s22-2t

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