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# The Floyd County Plainsman

FLOYDADA, FLOYD COUNTY, TEXAS, JANUARY 14, 1943

## Quality, and Quantity in Vital War Foods

MESSAGES FROM CREAM PROGRAM COORDINATOR CHICAGO

Farmers must keep an eye on the quality of their cream. They must strive to produce the highest quality of butterfat asked for in the war effort during 1943. H. C. Darger, coordinator of the National Quality Program, Chicago, in a message received here...

Darger's message was sent to the county with the scheduled program on Tuesday, January 12, National Mobilization Day. President Roosevelt called for "ensuring the maximum production of vital foods."

By may farmers to produce quality may result in a state and federal permit its use for butter—a true Victory Food. Darger writes, "During an estimated 30 to 50 pounds of cream—enough to make more than a thousand car-batteries—had to be rejected because of cream buy-ers. In addition, huge quantities of finished butter were condemned because of cream that had 'got' it. This represents not only a loss of valuable foodstuff but also a loss of many millions of dollars to the farmers whose cream goes into the production of a volume of unacceptable butter. To the extent that we are able to reject down the amount of cream and rejected cream men-ber 1943 food job will be done."

In a message, Mr. Darger calls attention to several facts on milk which hold the possibility of substantial increases in production of cream and butter with our present cow herds.

Using outdated water for setting and similar methods of separation lose fully 10 per cent of their butterfat in the milk, in comparison with the use of clean water. The loss of one per cent loss of butterfat is a good mechanical separator. "On the other hand, a mechanical separator not in efficient working condition can be a cream thief of the first order. Cow-test association reveal that losses of anywhere from 4 ounces to several pounds of butter per day are not unusual on farms having poorly working mechanical separators, the majority of which could be restored to efficient operation. There are also the totally unnecessary losses resulting from the use of many farmers to separating their milk immediately after milking while it is still warm. The loss of a temperature of 90 degrees and 125 pounds of milk will result in the loss of five pounds of butter. The same amount of milk separated at 60 degrees will decrease the balance running off the separator by four pounds of butter. This is equal to the loss of a five-cow herd down to one cow."

January 21. Last date for using No. 3 coupons in "A" mileage rationing books. No. 4 coupons will become valid January 22.

February 7. Last date for obtaining one pound of coffee with stamp No. 28, which became valid January 4.

## CADET RICHARD TUBBS TRANSFERRED TO MUSKOGEE, OKLAHOMA

Judge and Mrs. G. C. Tubbs were notified Wednesday by their son, Cadet Richard Tubbs that he was being transferred to Muskogee, Oklahoma, where he will train at Spartan Air College.

Cadet Tubbs finished his training at Kelly Field, San Antonio, last week. Judge and Mrs. Tubbs and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Turner visited recently in San Antonio with Mr. and Mrs. Tubbs.

## DRIED BEANS NEXT VICTORY FOOD SPECIAL

Dry Edible Beans will be the next Victory Food Special to be featured in this area from January 18 through January 23. Consumers are urged to take advantage of the plentiful supplies of dried beans on local markets and to give this rich protein food an important place in wartime meal planning.

The present supply of dry edible beans is the largest on record, far surpassing that of recent years. Ample supplies of beans will be available for military, lend-lease and civilian needs.

According to officials of the Department of Agriculture, extensive use of dry edible beans will release other less plentiful protein foods to our armed forces and for foreign shipment.

## District Office Warns of Rationing Deadlines

Lubbock, January 14.—Reminder of several important deadlines in the rationing program was given today by Lubbock district officials of the office of price administration.

January 15 will be the final date for registration with county war price and rationing boards for war ration book one, which the consumer must have before obtaining war ration book two which will be issued in the near future. Although most persons already have the first book, there are some late registrants, largely persons who eat most of their meals out and have had no need for ration book one so long as its only use was buying sugar and coffee.

Deadlines for first tire inspections in the mileage rationing program are January 15 for commercial vehicles and January 31 for passenger cars.

District officials urged motorists to avoid unnecessary rush at the end of the month by getting inspections immediately. Officially designated OPA inspectors are located in every community. Nether gasoline ration books nor tires will be issued in the future to motorists who do not meet the inspection deadline.

Other dates were listed as follows:

January 21. Last date for using No. 3 coupons in "A" mileage rationing books. No. 4 coupons will become valid January 22.

January 31. Last date for issuance of temporary "T" coupons directly by county boards. Beginning February 1, "T" rations will be issued on the basis of ODT certificates of war necessity; last date for obtaining three pounds of sugar with coupon No. 10 in war ration book one.

February 7. Last date for obtaining one pound of coffee with stamp No. 28, which became valid January 4.

One of the best but hardest things to remember is to forget your troubles.



Courtesy Cleveland News

## COMMISSIONERS COURT MET IN REGULAR SESSION MONDAY

The Floyd County Commissioners Court convened in regular session Monday with all the court present except Henry Roberson, Lockney, who was reported absent on account of illness.

The regular routine of reports and accounts were examined and allowed by the court.

Salaries were set for the various officials for the term as follows: G. C. Tubbs, County Judge, \$165.00 per month. W. H. Brock, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, \$116.66. Henry Roberson, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, \$116.66. W. C. Plumlee, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, \$116.66. R. B. Calhoun, Commissioner of

- Precinct No. 4, \$116.66.
- Mrs. P. G. Stegall, District Clerk, \$65.00.
- Miss Margaret Collier, County Clerk, \$50.00.
- Lee Howard, Sheriff and deputy, \$147.50.
- Jason Gordon, County Agent, \$150.00.
- Edith Wilson, Home Demonstration Agent, \$83.33.
- B. P. Woody, Justice of Peace Precinct No. 1, \$20.00.
- Frank Perkins, Justice of Peace Precinct 2, \$20.00.
- John Stapleton, County Attorney, \$85.00.
- W. J. Browning, Janitor, \$75.00.
- Richard Stovall, Court Reporter, \$70.31.
- C. W. Henderson, Manager Food Stamp Office, \$105.00.
- Mrs. George Eudy, \$15.00.

## SERVICE INCREASE RELATIVELY GREATER THAN REVENUE INCREASE

It now is estimated that gross operating revenues of the railroads this year will be approximately 18 1/2 per cent greater than in 1929. It should be noted though that the increase in transportation service performed by the railroads has been much greater, relatively, than the revenue increase. The railroads this year are performing an amount of freight service approximately 40 per cent greater than was performed in 1929, and an amount of passenger service 50 per cent or more greater than in 1929.

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## Emergency Crop Loans Available for 1943

Emergency Crop Loans, known generally as "the seed loans," offered for many years in this county by Emergency Crop and Feed Loan Section of the Farm Credit Administration, are now available to farmers in need of financial assistance for the production of vitally important food crops and normal crops for 1943, according to announcement of W. E. Farwell, manager of the Dallas office.

Applications for the loans are being taken in this county at the District Clerk's Office, in Floydada, under direction of field supervisor Clyde F. Milan.

Funds obtained under these loans may be used to cover the cost of preparing the land and to purchase seed, fertilizer and supplies incident to the production of the crop. A first mortgage on the crops to be grown is the security required on the crop loans.

As in the past, borrowers will be required to agree to plant a large garden for home use and a balanced crop program will be encouraged. This year, however, particular emphasis will be laid upon the patriotic duty of all growers to produce food crops and oil bearing crops outlined by the Department of Agriculture as all important goals in meeting the urgent war needs.

Loans are also available from this agency to purchase or produce feed for livestock. A first mortgage on the livestock to be fed is the security for that type of loan.

Applicants who can obtain loans from banks, Productions Credit Associations, or on reasonable terms from other sources, are not eligible for Emergency Crop Loans.

## Buy an Orchard by the Bundle and Grow Fruit

Recognizing that many Texas farm families do not have enough fruit at home, Texas nurserymen have developed a plan for helping increase and enlarge orchards in the state.

J. F. Rosborough, horticulturist for the A. and M. College Extension Service, explains that four types of group plantings will be available from cooperating nurserymen: Packages for back yard orchards in towns or cities; a "Young America" package for 4-H Club boys and girls and other young people interested in producing fruit; a farm collection for a half-acre orchard; and a collection suitable for families planting an acre for roadside marketing of fruit.

The Young American package, for example, will include 24 berry vines, two grapes, one plum, one fig, and four peach trees.

Packages will be prepared according to geographical locations. Different varieties will be available for the East Texas sandy area, central and north central sections, and for South and West Texas, the horticulturist says. While shortages may develop in some varieties, on the whole there will be available large quantities of the established types.

In the commercial orchards of the state there are at the present time about six million non-bearing and bearing peach trees. There is a need, however, for fruit trees on every home ground.

## Price Controls Placed on Farm Machinery

Lubbock, January 14.—In a move designed to relieve farmers from paying excessive prices for five kinds of used farm machines, the Office of Price Administration has placed price controls on all sales of the used machines made by dealers, auctioneers or farmers themselves, the Lubbock district office has been notified.

Machines covered are farm tractors, except crawler tractors, combines, corn pickers, corn binders, and motor or tractor operated hay balers.

Some reports have reached the Lubbock district office of sales of ancient used equipment in West Texas at prices higher than the ceilings for new equipment.

The new control will aid farmers who are trying to maintain their production of crops despite serious manpower shortages, district officials said.

A National OPA study of prices at farm auctions shopped some instances where sellers obtained as much as 100 per cent profit for equipment several years old.

The control measure specifies that private owners and auctioneers may not sell used tractors, combines, corn pickers, corn binders and hay balers less than one year old for more than 85 per cent of the base price, and not more than 70 per cent of the base price for such machines more than one year old. The same ceilings apply to sales of the five machines by dealers, except where such machines have been reconditioned and guaranteed for 30 days, in which case the ceiling price is 95 per cent of the base price. Dealers may add actual transportation charges to their maximum prices in sales involving movement of the machines more than 100 miles.

Although the ceiling placed on used equipment sales was the main feature of the amendment, which became effective January 9, the measure also makes several changes in provisions of the regulation dealing with transportation allowances for new equipment, distributors' handling charges and maximum prices for new equipment not having suggested retail prices. It also further restricted dealers on prices they may charge for all used machines resold without the dealer's guarantee.

Complete information and instructions may be obtained from the price division of the Lubbock district office.

## FUNERAL HELD FOR TULIA CHILD

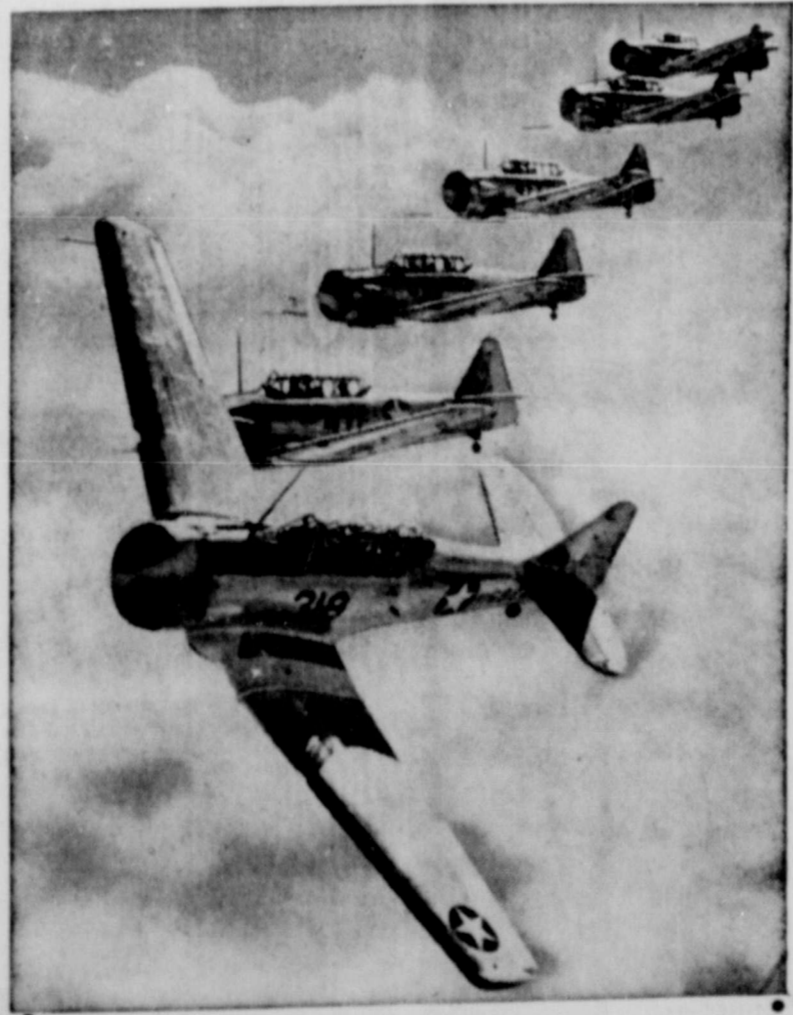
Funeral rites were held Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Baptist Church for Patsy Joyce Taylor, age 3 years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Taylor, of Tulia, who died January 6, 1943. The services were conducted by the pastor of the Tulia Baptist Church. Interment was made in Floydada Cemetery.

Deceased was the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hartsell, of Floydada.

## SANTEA FE CARLOADINGS FOR WEEK ENDING JANUARY 9

Santa Fe System carloadings for the week ending January 9, 1943, were 21,164 compared with 20,268 for the same week in 1942. Cars received from connections totaled 10,641 compared with 7,739 for the same week in 1942. Total cars moved were 31,778 compared with 28,007 for the same week in 1942.

Santa Fe handled a total of 27,736 cars in the preceding week of



READY FOR ACTION

This formation of AT-6's—single engine advanced trainers—was snapped over Moore Field at Mission, Texas. Graduates of the class of 43-A, the pilots are among those who received their silver wings today. Skilled in the use of this particular type of craft, they will become pursuit pilots, and hope to see action against the enemy soon.



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W. L. CLAYTON

## Organize to Fight Infantile Paralysis Says W. L. Clayton

Dallas, January 14.—Organizing to wage war on the home front against the dread disease, infantile paralysis, is a Texas-wide effort which will culminate January 30th in the celebration of President Roosevelt's 61st birthday. The celebration this year will extend to every County in the State, according to W. L. Clayton, Houston, President Roosevelt's deputy Federal Farm Loan Administrator, who has established offices in the Cotton Exchange Building, Dallas, for the purposes of conducting the fund raising campaign. Again, George Waverley Briggs, Dallas banker, as vice chairman, will direct the campaign.

On the staff of the Texas State Committee for the celebration of the President's birthday, in addition to Clayton and Briggs, is Mrs. George H. Pittman, vice chairman, in charge of women's activities; W. aMrion Newman, secretary; John E. Owens, treasurer and Frank N. Watson, director of publicity. State offices

have been established at 221 Cotton Exchange Bldg. Already polio (infantile paralysis) is striking in numerous localities throughout the Southwest and drastic steps are now being taken and will continue to be taken to prevent further spread of the crippling and maiming disease. Funds raised in Texas will be divided between the authorized polio agencies within the State and the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. As in previous years, the campaign and celebration is extended to every state, territory and possession of the Nation.

## Hdq. Army Air Forces Gulf Coast Training Center

Randolph Field, Texas, January 14.—Trained to razor-edge and ranging in age from 18 to 27 years, the greatest number of war birds in the history of the Army Air Forces Gulf Coast Training Center received their silver wings at eight advanced schools today, and are ready and anxious to join their comrades in dealing aerial death and destruction to the enemies of Democracy.

Augmented by classes from two new fields, Blackland two-engine at Waco, Texas, and Eagle Pass, Texas, single-engine fighter schools, 43-A is the beginning of the 1943 output of pilots.

New pilots from the Floyd County area include: Lieut. William F. Bertrand, R. F. D. No. 2, Floydada (Moore) and Lieut. Charles L. Cates, R. F. D. No. 4, Floydada (Ellington.)

The tremendous expansion program, which was launched even before Pearl Harbor, saw eleven classes graduated last year. Forecast that the 1943 production will far outnumber that of 1942 is

based on the fact that many new schools in the Training Center are now nearing completion and will contribute flying graduates.

In addition to Blackland and Eagle Pass, new pilots received their wings at Foster and Moore Fields, Texas, and Lake Charles, Louisiana, single-engine advanced schools; and Brooks, Ellington and Lubbock, Texas, twin-engine advanced schools. They have been recipients of the finest instruction in the best planes in the world, and are part of the Army Air Forces answer to those who would destroy the American way. Of the graduates, some will be commissioned second lieutenants, while others will be appointed to the newly created rank of flight officer.

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5777—Jacket has contrast trim on collar and pockets. 2-pocket pockets with flap. Powder Blue jacket with Royal Blue skirt; Lime jacket with Loggare skirt; Green jacket with Red skirt. 12 to 20.

5771—Cute style with deep Appl border. Fine running around hem and sleeves. 2 top pockets. Gold, Aqua, Tan. 12 to 20.

5775—Women's Slips with long deep jacket has full pockets. Full paper slings that permit jacket to be worn open or closed. Pacific Green, Powder Blue, Natural. \$4.98 to 6.

5774—Cute Mexican motif on pockets. Powder Blue jacket with Royal Blue skirt; Lime jacket with Loggare skirt; Green jacket with Red skirt. 10 to 18.

5773—A really beautiful one dress material of pastel rayon jersey. Ornamental buttons. Action back. Powder Blue, Rose, Aqua, Natural. \$4.98 to 6.

5770—3-piece Slender Fit suit. Jacket has smart piping around collar, revers, and down the front. Skirt is all-around pleated. Green, Coral, Blue. \$10 to 18.

## STAR CASH Values

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<b>BROOMS, each</b>	<b>59c</b>
<b>OXYDOL, Large box</b>	<b>25c</b>
<b>Mexican Style BEANS, 11b can</b>	<b>10c</b>
<b>Wilson's new 'Savory' OLEO</b>	<b>25c</b>
<b>Faultless GELATIN DESSERT, box</b>	<b>6c</b>
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### WARD SWINE AGAINST ERYSIPELAS

Station, January 14.—  
Erysipelas is not widespread  
in Texas, says E. M.  
of the A. and M. Col-  
Service, comment-  
a warning from the  
Veterinary Medical as-  
that the disease was  
in American farming

issued by Dr. J.  
executive secre-  
the association, cautioned  
"may soon outrank  
as a killer of farm

Extension swine  
said that while only a  
of erysipelas had been  
in this state, there was a  
Texas swine from breed-  
imported from areas  
disease is more common.  
farmers who place  
in their herds should use  
against possible  
and spread of the dis-  
home grown animals.  
statement, Dr. Harden-  
from the Official  
many swine raising areas  
aggravated with the ery-  
organism, adding greatly  
normal hazards of hog rais-

to Regenbrecht, the  
in several forms—  
and acute. In the acute  
comes quickly. Symp-  
chronic erysipelas include  
of the animals to  
their bedding, short-  
breath, enlargement of the  
in some cases, dia-  
patches appear on  
at a later stage of the dis-  
explained that the dis-  
is mistakenly for  
and that in many instan-  
diagnosis is difficult  
veterinarians.

### Machinery Quotas Released Made January 1

to the Plainsman  
on January 1, 1943, the  
machinery and equipment  
in Floyd County were an-  
reminder that the 1943 food  
would have to be made  
present available equip-  
to receipt of these quotas,  
rationing committee  
only that number of  
certificates for the items  
respective of the number  
on hand of the deal-

quotas as released by Paul  
chairman of the Farm  
Rationing Committee,

Plasters (corn and cotton)  
single row, 2; horse  
other than one row, 1; trac-  
3.  
with or without plant-  
(attachment) 6.  
drills 2.  
plows, walking, one horse  
two horse and large  
tractor drawn or mounted 2.  
plows, tractor drawn, 1;  
disc plows or tillers 2.  
tractors, one horse, 1; walk-  
ing, 1; tractor drawn 12.

Tractors, wheel type, 8.  
Farm wagons, 6.  
Separators (milk) 2.  
Sweep rakes 1.  
Engines, 1 to 10 hp. 1.  
Irrigation pumps, Turbine 1.  
Mowers, horse, 1; tractor, 3.  
Rakes, dump, 1; side delivery 2.  
Combines, 6 feet and less, 3;  
over 6 feet, 1.  
Corn binders, 1.

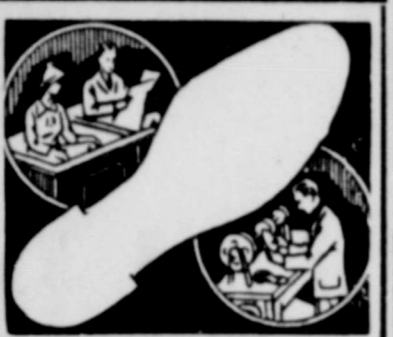
Applications for any of the  
above machinery should be filed  
within the next twenty days. The  
board will take no action until all  
farmers have had an opportunity  
to make application for the ma-  
chinery restricted under quotas.

Purchase certificates are being  
issued on machinery or equipment  
located in dealers hands which was  
released under announcement 1.

Rationing Order C. Machinery  
and equipment included in this or-  
der are windmill pumps, heads,  
towers, and pump jacks; Farm  
fencing (all types).

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Committee at the AAA Office,  
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### '43 AAA Program Revised as to Crop Planting

The County Committee of Floyd County are in receipt of a telegram which revises the 1943 AAA Program to eliminate the requirement which previously made it necessary to plant at least 90 per cent of the cotton and wheat allotments or penalties would be incurred.

The elimination of deductions for failure to plant 90 per cent of the special crops of wheat and cotton was brought about in order to place full emphasis on growing war crops and the production of essential food.

Ray S. McEntire, Administrative Officer of the AAA, in explaining the telegram, said: "This revision makes the 1943 AAA Program more adaptable to this county. Now a farmer may be in compliance in 1943 as long as he does not exceed his wheat and cotton allotments. There is no leave out land or 20 per cent requirement. It is possible to effect complete compliance by planting every acre of the land to feed crops for harvest."

Some farmers have asked the question "Why is a AAA program necessary in view of the increased productions requested?"

A balanced food prediction would not result if every farmer were allowed to produce just what he could produce with his machinery and manpower. We have a two-year supply of wheat and short staple cotton on hand; but we need long-staple cotton, soybeans, peanuts, meat and milk.

If industry were uncontrolled there is a possibility that we would have too many tanks, not enough guns, too many airplanes, not enough ships. Controlled industry can produce only a balanced output necessary for the prosecution of the war.

Similarly agriculture must produce a balanced-output of the needed foods to aid in winning this war. We have to take into account what our allies must have, what our fighting men need, and what our people on the home front must eat to produce the necessary war goods.

### O'Daniel Views the Rubber Plan

Washington.—Senator W. Lee O'Daniel of Texas said early this week that the office of Rubber Director W. M. Jeffers had told him flatly that none of the new grain alcohol plants being constructed by the government would be in Texas.

He said the reason given for rejection of applications for plant locations in Texas was to the effect that the Baruch report had recommended that plants be built in the Mid-West grain belt and on inland navigable waterways.

Observing that three plant locations already had been chosen, in Kansas City, Mo., Omaha, Neb., and Muscatine, Iowa, O'Daniel declared in an interview:

"It is interesting to note that two of the three points already selected are served by the Union Pacific Railroad, headed by Mr. Jeffers when he took the job as rubber director. The two points are Kansas City and Omaha."

O'Daniel said that he first learned of the rejection of Texas applications in a telephone conversation with D. A. Bandoen, of Abilene, Texas, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

"Bandoen told me he had been given that information in a letter he had just received from Washington. I called up Jeffers office and they not only verified the report, but said that they would not even send a man to Texas to investigate the advantages of establishing plants in our state for the production of alcohol from grains and processing the alcohol into synthetic rubber," O'Daniel said.

### Federal Income Tax Material —Form Return

Persons subject to the Federal income tax must report their income to the Government on forms, or blanks, prescribed by regulations. These forms are obtainable from any Collector of Internal Revenue, and generally from any bank. Special forms are designated for corporations, for partnerships, for trusts and fiduciaries, and for nonresident aliens. Farmers who keep no books of accounts on the accrual method must attach a special schedule to their return (Form 1040F). For individuals, two forms are used, depending upon the amount and source of income to be reported.

Form 1040. This form is intended for general use of individuals who are citizens of the United States, or residents in this country, whether citizens or not. It contains spaces to show the amount of income from various sources, deductions allowable, exemptions and credits, and computation of tax liability. As most of the items require some explanation in order to be allowable, the form also contains appropriate schedules to show in more detail how the income or the deductions are determined.

Form 1040A. This is a simplified report, which may, at the option of the taxpayer who makes his return on the cash basis, be filed instead of form 1040 by citizens and residents whose gross income was \$3,000 or less during 1942, provided all this income consists wholly of one or more of the following: salary, wages, dividends, interest, or annuities. In using this form it is necessary only to enter the amount of gross income as shown, deduct the credit allowable for dependents, and insert the appropriate amount of tax in accordance with one's personal exemption status, as shown on the table on the reverse of the form. This form has no entries for deductions allowable, since the taxes indicated in the table on the back of the form are computed after taking into account what have been considered average deductions for persons of this income class.

A taxpayer should, therefore, consider carefully which form would be appropriate for his purposes. Whichever form is employed, all the information called for in the spaces should be inserted so far as applicable to the taxpayer, in order to avoid the expense to the Government, and the possible inconvenience to the taxpayer, of subsequent check and inquiry.

With each return form is a set of accompanying instructions, and these instructions should be carefully read by the taxpayer before making his return.

# JANUARY PRE-INVENTORY SALE!

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- \$5.95 Dresses, reduced to .... \$4.49

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