## CONSUMERS ARE URGED TO CO-OPERATE WITH THE DEALERS

Time Before the Problem of Securia Coal For Winter Needs Will Again Face the People GOVERNMENT PLACES EMPHA of the County.—How Plan to Ration Coal to House, Holders Will Be Enforced.

It will be but a comparatively short time before Queen Wide-awake, energetic, aggressive long, or twelve feet of bacon to the Annes countians will again be face to face with the problem of and patriotic Queen Annes county hog. Persons procuring the coal required for winter needs. Those who suffer- boys and girls now have an opportuni- back to civil war days recall that be ed the inconveniences experienced last winter have no desire ty to be of real service to their couned the inconveniences experienced last winter have no disconveniences experienced last winter have no disconveniences experienced last winter have no disconveniences experienced last winter have to see a duplication during the winter of 1918-19. And users there has been a constant and ever table. But staples in pork eating have were not the only ones inconvenienced last winter. The Nation-increasing demand for more food and changed, and that order is reversed. al Fuel Administration found itself swamped by a condition more fats. The national supply can be The self-teeder for hoge is a comover which it had little or no control. This winter it will be bet- greatly augmented here in Queen over which it had little or no control. This written it will be a sup-ter prepared, and those who are now unable to procure a sup-ter prepared, and those who are now unable to procure a sup-ter prepared, and those who are now unable to procure a sup-tor market. Boys and girls can help has the Agricultural Department's inply of coal sufficient to last all winter, have at least a grain of by the organization of pig clubs, in dorsement. Here is the latest advice comfort in the knowledge that the coal officials have promul- which each member is pleadged to to hog raisers: gated plans which they expect to prevent a condition like that raise one or more pigs. of last winter.

In order, however, that the plans of the Fuel Administration may be carried out, the heartiest co-operation should be county. There are at least two thous economically than when fed by hand. given to the dealers by every user of coal.

That the public may know the rules it is expected to observe, the following outline is given of the coal situation, and how the plan to ration coal to householders will be enfor- villages has the chance to raise at ced.

will not be the amount used last year.

but only so much as is scientifically

Under this system every one will

get his fair proportion of coal The

hearder will be climinated. This sys-

How To Corry It Out.

This plan involves a department of

sary if the requisite care is taken

system surplus coal will be refused.

allotments, or who by deceit or mis-

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With a shortage of coal confronting

detailed regulations that a necessary

supply can be insured to all. To dela-

pects every one to recognize the ne-

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vision and to co-operate fully with

DIG ARMY CALL ON CROPE

Go To Boldiers.

carrying out the plan.

If reasonable economy is practiced tinues, or if unequal local distributhere is no danger of a hard-coal fam- tion is not prevented. ine this winter. Maryland's allotment of anthracite coal has been increased the necessary steps to this end 10 per cent. Last year 933,889 tons of Householders may be put on coal raanthracite were shipped into Mary- tions, as in England and France. land. This year there will be 1,027,317 The coal allowed to each consumer tons. Moreover, the coal will be divided equitably

Every city in the United States of hard coal, is listed by the anthracite committee of the Fuel Administration ance for each will be sufficient for and every ton of coal that enters each comfort. but the thoughtiess and city is entered. A huge card index has quarters in Philadelphia, each card bearing the name of the town and the of coal allotted Every operator in the anthracite region sends a by him, giving the name of the consignee, as well as the amount and the tem was originally worked out and destination. Scores of skilled cierks applied in Philadelphia it has proved fill out the data on the cards, so that an unqualified success and, with modat a giance the committee can learn ifications suggested by the experexactly how many tons of coal have iences in that city, the adoption and pped into any city or town, enforcement has been referred to the who sent the coal, how many tons be Federal Fuel Administration in t and by whom it was received states.

tional coal forwarded. with its quots of coal. This committee obtained by very simple yet effective land have from the day this country clared war on Germany studied every method of the closest cooperation with the government

ing recalled or the necessary addit features of the plan are

Proof Of Good Work.

Eloquent testimony to the effective beating system employed: work of the hard coal operators in supplying the vast needs of the government during the trying ordeal of last winter is given in a letter writ-Assistant Secretary of the Treasury J. H. Moyle to Mr Edward W. Parker, the secretary of the general committee of the hard coal operstors. In his letter Mr. Moyle says.

"As the current fiscal year has representation have violated any closed without there being on record rules and regulations of the Fuel Ad- bogs. a single instance where a building un ministration, will be prosecuted der control of this department using anthracite coal has been without fuel |- This system will be drastic and will during the past winter, the depart introduce conditions new to the counthrough you, the anthracite operators ever, than conditions demand in the prompt and efficient manner interest of all concerned. No one will supplied with coal. This record was heating; but no one will be allowed made in the face of the most trying fuel for waste or extravagance, or to transportation conditions and during doubly insure a supply of fuel while

an entraordinarily severe winter. neighbors on account of this excess "It may be of interest to you to are unable to obtain enough know that the total cost of anthracite three favorably with the bost of coal onditions in the fuel market bespormal. This is due to a sav- be fatal. The Fuel Administration er made through direct ship

But the Puel Administration, warn-

A PIG CLUB

PORKERS—SOME FACTS ABOUT head, though weighing less. HOW TO RAISE THEM.

No where in the world can pigs be tion constantly placed before them so raised more profitably or more advan- that they may eat it well, hogs will tageously than here in Queen Annee make gains more rapidly and more and boys and girls who have excellent The self-feeder is growing in populariadvantages for raising at least one pig. ty. It is simply a device by means Every farmer boy or girl and almost of which a supply of grain or other every boy and girl of the towns and feed is kept constantly available to the least one pig. The formation of a pig club at every school or in every community wiuld mean that hundreds and hundreds of additional pounds of pork The Fuel Administration has taken

would be produced for market. The splendid work of the various Corn Clubs throughout Queen Annes county shows what can be done when the boys are banded together to perform some particularly specified task. The work of the girls in the canning found sufficient to heat the house to and preserving clubs shows that the 65 degrees, providing every conservagirls may be depended upon in every emergency Why not let these young men and young women help selve the food and fat problem? This question is answered in the affirmative by Uncle Sam who approves most heartfly of the Fig Club Plan, and endorses the thank if he has no fuel with which to efforts of every community boasting a Pig Club

When the Government decided that the personal estate of food woud win the war a big share of the job was turned over to the Amerilargely responsible for the decision t put the pig into the front trench with wheat, for there is no device so efficient as the pig for turning vegetation into grease. The Department of Agriculture began an intensive camfaster than the butchers could reduce must settle at a Farmers bulletins were prepared covering every phase of the swine it dustry as an encouragement to live stock raisers to increase their berds and to induce farmers who raised only

their own pork to raise more. Treat ation is satisfactory the fault must be local bureaus can inaugurate the sysises on swine management, breeds of swine, movable hog houses, self feeders for hogs, hog cholers, hog tuber-First -- A censorship of every order culosis, and many other such topics In this way the Anthracite Committor coal received by any dealer each were prepared by the Government's tee intends to provide every town order being compared with a figure experts and sent broadcast over the is a volunteer body, selected by the formulas showing the rating of the Then the idea of the Boy's Fig Clubs

hard-coal operators themselves who house where the coal is to be used took hold and every farmer was urged all to turn over to every boy and every and a checking up farm at least one pig to raise into a made by householders as to coal on was a great success. The boys took hand, the space to be heated, and the more interest in their pig than their fathers did, and some record porkers were marketed by the boys Last year Third-An effective refusal to fur 40,000 boys raised one or more pigs nish any householder more coal than each, and this year more than 200,000 a scientific analysis shows is necesyoungsters are in the pork business. Girls, envious of the profit and prethe heating of the house. Under this tige of their brothers, are getting into the game and are making a success All consumers who have obtained a quantity of coal in excess of their of it.

Now the Department of Agriculture is fostering propaganda for still more

"Not only on the farms, but also is the small towns and suburbs, where space is available, evern one who can should raise one or more pigs and thus furnish the pork supply for himself try; it will be no more drastic, howand perhaps for a soldier," says the department's intest appeal. To help! in which these buildings have been be deprived of coal really needed for these urban and suburban pig raisers. literature has been prepared, telling all about hog production on a small scale and in limited area, which will be sent free to any one who wants to try the experiment. In its argument, the department says:

> "Pork is the mainstay of the ration of the laboring man and the soldier. and the need for increasing the supply until the emergency is upon uswould of fats is especially great. The need for meat and fats can be met more quickly by increasing the number of hogs than in any other manner. Hogs tal, make greater gains for the quantity of food fed and give a quicker turnover of money than any kind of live stock except poultry. Furthermore, pork products have the advantage of being easily transported. No branch of live stock farming gives better results than the intelligent raising

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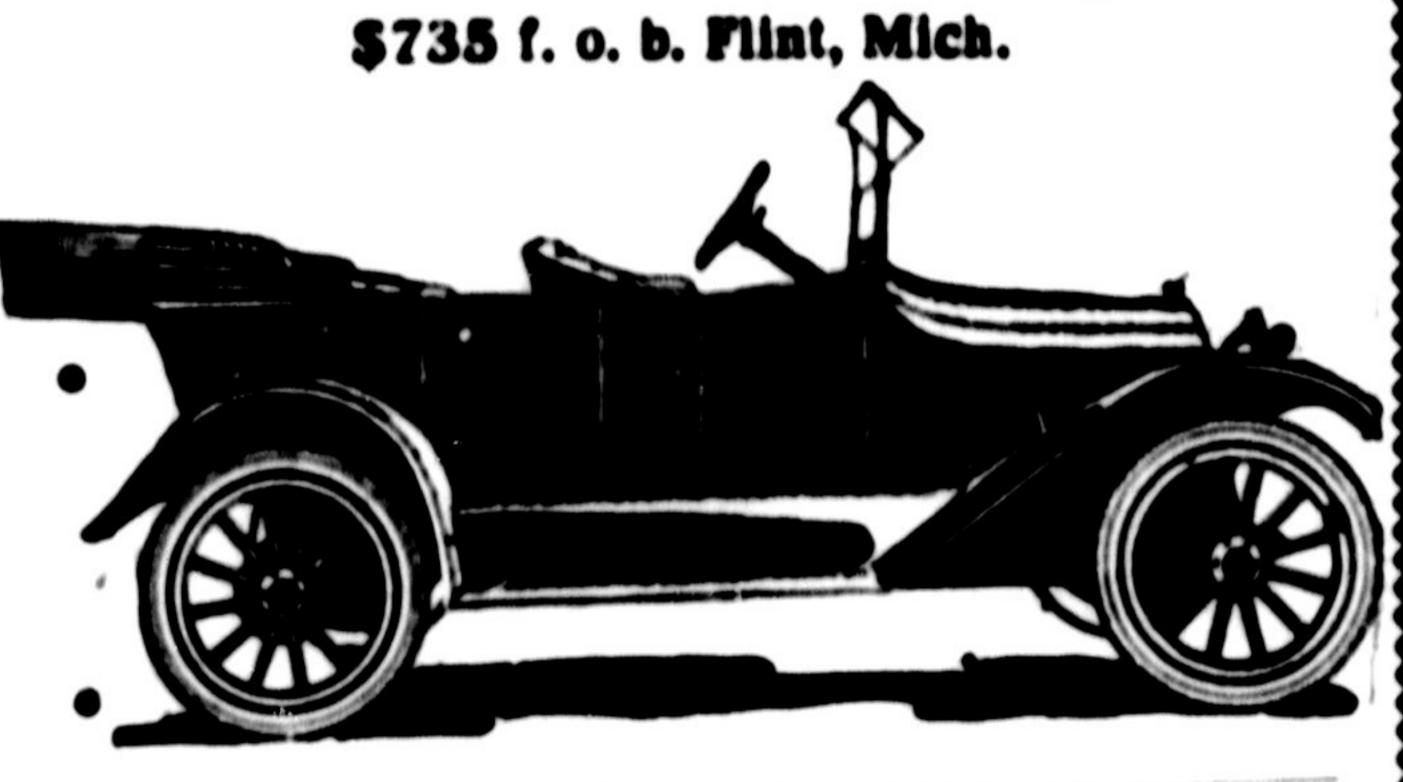
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