

N. C. Bankers Again Winner Of Top National Farm Award

The broad farm program conducted by North Carolina's bankers has again won for them a top national award.

The county key banker for Chowan County, Richard S. Atkinson, Jr., vice president of Peoples Bank & Trust Company, has been advised that the N. C. Bankers Association has won—for the 15th consecutive year—the annual agricultural award, presented by the American Bankers Association to the state association with the best record for farm service.

Bankers of this state spend more money and time on their farm program than any other single association activity. At least 500 bankers participated actively as committee members last year in conducting the various farm projects sponsored by the NCBA.

The projects include a short course in modern farming, attended by about 150 young farmers; a two-day farm credit conference attended by hundreds of bankers and farm leaders; a land judging meet in which nearly 20,000 FFA members participated last year, and numerous other specialized regional meetings embracing all phases of agriculture.

News of the award was received first by L. V. Lowe of Fairmont, cashier of Waccamaw

Bank and Trust Company, who served as last year's chairman of the NCBA Agriculture Committee. Wayne A. Corpening, vice president of Wachovia Bank and Trust Company, Winston-Salem, was last year's vice chairman and stepped up to the chairmanship this year.

The bankers' organization each year appoints an agricultural liaison man in each of the state's 100 counties. These representatives are called "County Key Bankers" and they work closely with the Agriculture Committee.

NCBA President G. Harold Myrick of Lincolnton said that he was "pleased but not surprised" that North Carolina bankers had again won the award. "It's a matter of plain common sense for any banker—particularly one in North Carolina—to be interested in the farm economy," Myrick said, "and our folks work hard at the job of promoting agriculture."

"Despite the progress this state has made towards industrialization," Myrick said, "we are nevertheless a predominantly farm state. It's good business for us to do anything possible to assure a sound farm economy, for when the farmer prospers, all of us benefit accordingly. It would be well for all business men to remember that."

KNOW YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY

P. E. Bettendorf, representative of the Social Security Administration, is in Edenton every Thursday at the North Carolina Employment Security Commission in Citizens Bank Building.

To many working people social security means just old-age insurance. They realize that through the social security taxes, taken out of their pay envelopes they are building protection for their years of retirement. Their knowledge of this Federal insurance program stops right there.

Many of them are not aware of the family protection they have in case of their death before reaching retirement age. Others do not know that through their earnings and social security tax on these earnings they are also building disability insurance protection for themselves and their dependents.

Every working person and his family should know that through his social security tax payments, he is building three-way protection. He should realize that the

modest deductions from his pay envelope can provide a monthly income if his earnings are cut off either by old-age, disability, or death.

Social security insurance payments are only a partial replacement of lost earnings. However, because most working people are required by law to pay social security taxes, the measure of protection afforded is greater than it would be if the system was on a voluntary basis—that is, a system in which the worker could "join up" and pay the tax, or stay out and pass up protection.

By joining with other workers in the social security insurance program and paying social security taxes, all workers share the risk and receive a greater measure of personal and family protection at less cost.

In your area, take advantage of their facilities for processing and curing.

Following a recommended curing schedule for curing meat to prevent over salty meats.

When you take hams out of cure, or get them home, be sure to hang the hams in a fairly dry, cool place. Also, be sure to bag those hams by the first of March to prevent insect damage.

Do not over load your home freezer. Do not put in more than 10 per cent of the total capacity of your freezer in any one 24-hour period. If you have a large amount of meat to go into your home freezer, have it quick frozen at your locker plant or processing plant.

If you wish to have your meat processed at a freezer locker plant or processing plant, be sure to let them know before hand if you are going to kill hogs or cattle so that they can take them in and do a quality job for you. Deliver your animals to the place of slaughter early in the day so that they can be slaughtered on the same day. Leave cutting and curing instructions at the locker plant before you leave.

Chivalry

He neglected to hold her arm while they were crossing a busy street, so she asked, "Where's your chivalry?" "Oh," he replied, "the dealer has it. I'm trading it on a Buick."

This is the Law



By ROBERT E. LEE
(For the N. C. Bar Association)

Ejection From Theatre

May a person who has purchased a ticket to a theatre or other place of amusement be ejected by the proprietor without cause?

Yes. The decisions of the courts of the United States have generally held that a ticket of admission to a place of amusement is a mere license and can be revoked at any time by the proprietor.

The rule has been founded on a technical view of the law of licenses as applicable to real property.

A mere license is revocable at pleasure. If a person is in your home or place of business and you no longer want him to be there, you may ask him to leave. If he refuses to leave, he is a trespasser. You may

use such physical force as is necessary to eject him if he refuses to leave upon request.

The fact that a consideration has been paid for the privilege or license to be on the premises is immaterial. The holder of a ticket to a place of amusement may have his rights thereunder revoked even after being seated and even though there is no misconduct on his part. The proprietor can act for a bad reason or no reason at all.

Where a consideration has been paid for the ticket and the patron's right thereunder has been terminated without reasonable cause, there has occurred a breach of contract. But the measurement of damages for the breach of the contract is ordinarily the price of the ticket.

Where the patron has violated established rules of the place of amusement or is guilty of misconduct, it is generally held that he has forfeited his rights under his contract and can be ejected without the proprietor being liable for a refund of the price paid for the ticket.

The Supreme Court of North Carolina has said: "Where a guest in a hotel, a passenger on a railroad train, or a ticket holder at a theatre creates a disturbance, though either has a right under his contract to remain so long as he acts with due regard to the rights of others, the proprietor, conductor, or manager, or their agents, may use the amount of force necessary to expel."

There have been a few cases

where the patron has recovered damages for personal injuries on the ground that the proprietor used excessive force or acted in an uncivil manner. And there is always the possibility that when force is used that a jury, composed of laymen who may not like the technical legal rules, will find that there was excessive force when none in fact existed.

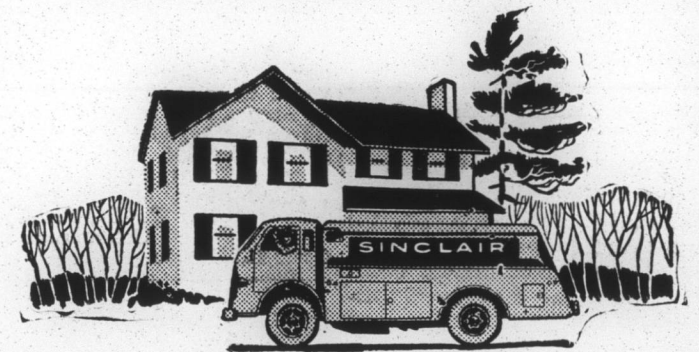
There are a few states which have statutes that change the common-law rules applicable to the patrons of theatres, baseball parks, and the like. The State-enacted civil rights statutes are examples. No such statutes have been passed in North Carolina.

DENNIS HARE PRESIDENT INTERMEDIATE 4-H CLUB

The Chowan Intermediate 4-H Club met Tuesday, October 6, in the school auditorium. Harry Venters and Miss Catherine Aman, assistant agents, were in charge of the business. The main item of business was the election of officers.

Officers for the 1959-60 term are as follows: President, Dennis Hare; vice president, Sarah Elliott; secretary, Sandra Harrell; reporters, Linda Byrum and Danny Long; song leaders, Elaine Hobbs and Lewis Evans, and program committee, Sarah Elliott, chairman, Joyce Bass, Arlyn Bunch and Gene Harrell. The club members also chose their projects for the term.

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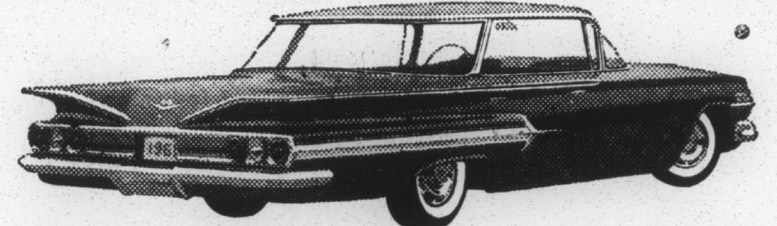
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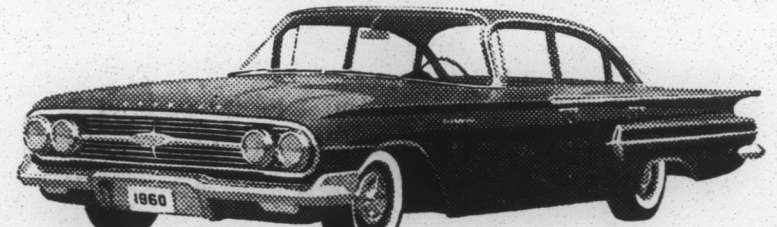
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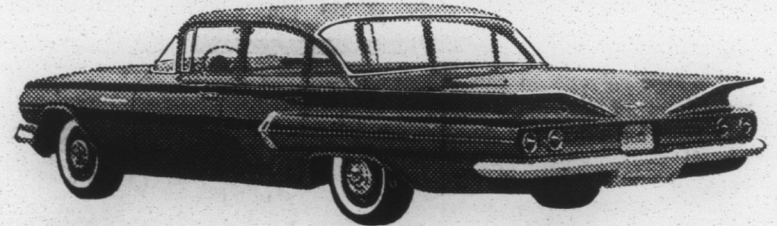
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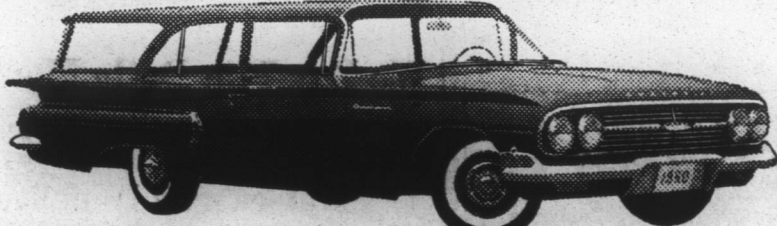
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Negro Home Demonstration News

By MRS. ONNIF S. CHARLTON, County Negro Home Economics Agent

Have you been to the Chowan County Fair? With today, you have three days in which you can visit the Fair and spend an enjoyable day and evening. You will find many educational exhibits on projects and activities of the home, farm and community. There will be swine, beef, poultry, as well as commercial exhibits. On the midway you and the children will have lots of fun. Don't miss the Chowan County Fair.

We have two educational exhibits on display. One on "Parade of Milk and Milk Products" by the Edenton Home Demonstration Club. The other "Does Poultry Have A Place on Your Farm?" by the Negro Extension Advisory Council.

Edenton Home Demonstration Club chose this exhibit on milk because it is still one of our serious problems. Many families just do not eat and drink enough milk and milk products.

Milk can make a difference in the way you look and feel. Did you get your quart of milk yesterday—or the day before? If you have gone without it too often you may not be as well as you think. Everybody—young and old—would do well to get a quart of milk every day. Adults can get along on a pint if they make sure not to skimp on any of the other foods needed. In addition to milk, you need five servings of fruits and vegetables, two servings of protein food (such as lean meat, eggs, fish or poultry), bread and butter or some other Vitamin A fat.

Let's see what is in milk that makes it such an important food for everybody. Milk contains eighty seven percent water; yet

the milk solids, which comprise the remaining thirteen percent, contain high quality proteins, nearly a dozen important minerals, some of all the vitamins known to be essential to man, milk fat and milk sugar. No matter what age or occupation, all persons need a constant supply of these food elements throughout life. The two food values milk is richest in are the mineral calcium, and the B vitamin called riboflavin. Not only is milk rich in these two food values, but it is almost impossible to get enough each day unless you include some milk in your diet.

Since we have so few family milk cows we must purchase milk for our families. There are plentiful supplies of fresh milk, canned milk, dry milk, butter milk, also milk products such as cheese and butter. Be sure to serve milk in your meals every

Hog Killing Time Just Around Corner

With the approach of cold weather farm families throughout North Carolina will be thinking about killing hogs. Meats specialists at N. C. State College offer a few tips for producing high quality pork at home.

First get a meat-type hog (one between 200 and 220 pounds that is six months old and has plenty of length and meatiness to it). The meat from these animals will cure easier than joints from larger animals. If these animals are going to be killed at home they should be killed late in the evening and allowed to hang over night and chill out before cutting and processing.

Do not get hogs over-excited before killing; this may give the meat poor keeping qualities.

Be sure that hogs are bled properly for better keeping quality. In curing meat at home, if the weather is not satisfactory the meat may sour or become off-flavor. If you have a meat processing plant or locker plant

in your area, take advantage of their facilities for processing and curing.

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