

Suggests Treatment For 'Frozen' Trees

Coal piles are not the only thing that suffered from the freezing weather of the winter just past. The unusual cold periods were especially hard on fruit trees, says H. R. Niswonger, horticulturist of the State College Extension Service, who has prepared some recommendations for treatment of injured or "frozen" trees.

In the first place, he explains that the most common form of injury was the killing of the thin layer of bark, known as the cambium tissue, where all growth starts. The frozen areas can be detected by noting places on the tree where the bark is split all the way to the heart of the tree; where the bark takes on a dark color, especially at the base of the trunk; by sunken areas of the bark; and by separation of the thin bark from the sap and heart wood.

"Trees which are not too severely injured should have all the loose bark of frozen areas removed," Niswonger advised. "Cut back to the live wood, and make tapering cuts or wedges in the live tissue above and below the wound. This will leave a boat-shaped scar. The wound or scar should be painted with Bordeaux paste or with white lead paint in order to prevent entrance of wood-rotting fungi.

"Large damaged parts of the body

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Victim of Accident In County Dies At Home Near Leggett

Luther L. Pittman Was Injured in Wreck Near Parmele On April 7th

Luther L. Pittman, 47-year-old Edgecombe County farmer, died at his home near Leggett last week of an heart attack. It was reported that the farmer had died of injuries received in an automobile accident in this county last month, but an investigation conducted by Sergeant Jackson of the Highway Patrol, proved that the man died of an heart attack. Pittman was released from a Tarboro hospital just a few days ago, attending doctors stating that he had fully recovered from his injuries.

Pittman, accompanied by Mrs. Pittman, their son, Ruick, his wife, and their small son, was traveling toward Williamston early that morning for an outing on Roanoke River. Driving toward Bethel and said to have been operating his car while under the influence of an intoxicant, Harry A. Robinson, 28-year-old Bethel white man, left his side of the road and tore into the Pittman car head-on. Pittman was said to have turned off the concrete to his right in an effort to avoid the collision. He suffered a severe head injury and a number of cuts and bruises on the face and other parts of the body. Mrs. Pittman was badly injured and her little grandson was cut and bruised. Ruick Pittman and his wife, while painfully hurt, soon recovered. Robinson was not very badly hurt and was jailed by Sergeant Jackson of the Highway Patrol. The man, denied bond, was immediately charged with drunken driving and leaving the scene of an accident without offering aid to suffering and without making known his identity. The warrant was amended to include the charge of manslaughter.

Reaching the scene right after the accident, Dixie Parker, manager of the Williamston Baseball club, stated that it was about the bloodiest sight he had seen in quite a while. Robinson, who escaped with only minor bruises, attempted to leave the scene of the accident without offering aid to the suffering or making known his identity. Having served as an officer for a number of years, Parker overlooked Robinson and returned him to the wreck to await a patrolman. Tucker Jones, the young Albany man who tried out for a position on the Williamston ball club, was with Manager Parker and when Robinson of the tree may be bridge-grafted next spring, thereby providing a flow of sap past the wounded area. When the entire body of the tree has been girdled by sloughing of the bark, and when the loose bark has been removed before there is much fermentation of the sap, a new cylinder of sapwood is formed, sometimes resulting in the movement of water and nutrients to the top of the tree. "Application of nitrate fertilizers to the trees often results in more rapid recovery from cold weather damage in the orchard."

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Infertile Eggs Keep Best in the Summer

Get rid of, or pen up the roosters and produce only infertile eggs, says C. F. Parrish, head of the Poultry Extension office at N. C. State College, in his suggestions to poultry-raisers for the month of May.

"The male birds are of no use in the flock after hatching is completed, so sell them, eat them, or at least separate them from the hens," the specialist said.

He pointed out that infertile eggs keep much better than fertile eggs in the summertime. Gather the eggs often in wire baskets, especially in the broody hen season, and this will help to cool the eggs quickly. The eggs should be left in the wire baskets overnight, before packing in cartons or cases for marketing.

Continuing his advice, Parrish said, "If a cool moist room is not available for holding the eggs until marketing time, construct an egg cooling rack. It consists of a framework covered with burlap on one or more

attempted to leave the scene of the wreck a second time he placed a hand in the man's shirt collar and persuaded him to return.

Pittman was a member of the Baptist church near Leggett, and had been a farmer all of his life.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Maggie W. Pittman, of Leggett; a daughter, Maude Pittman; two sons, Ruick and Ransome Pittman, of Leggett; a brother, H. O. Pittman, of Leggett; two sisters, Mrs. Lillian Lane, of Coakley, and Mrs. Ila Manning, of Leggett.

Funeral services were held at the home at 3 p. m. Saturday, with interment in the Greenwood Cemetery, Tarboro. The Rev. Norton Dendy, of the Howard Memorial Presbyterian Church, Tarboro, officiated.

sides with provision being made for a water pan or can on top to keep the burlap curtain saturated with water. The evaporation keeps the eggs cool and moist.

As other suggestions for work in the poultry yard this month, the specialist said a soybean patch should be started now to provide green feed and shade for the pullets this spring and summer. It is better to plant the beans in rows.

Also, in many farm flocks there is more than normal mortality at this season of the year where dirt floor hen houses are used and filth is allowed to collect. Fowl typhoid and other diseases usually get a start under such conditions as these, Parrish declared.

Germs are being used to destroy germs in garden and field soil in tests being conducted successfully at the New Jersey Experiment Station.

Phosphate Application Aids Growth Of Pasture

Price Dillard, a farmer of Willets, N. C., told J. F. Giles, assistant farm agent in Jackson County, that the application of phosphate to part of his pasture in the spring of 1939 made it available for grazing this year two weeks earlier than other pasture.

Bob Barrett, of Elizabeth City, visited here yesterday.

NOTICE OF SALE North Carolina, Martin County. In The Superior Court. County of Martin vs. Henrietta Station and husband, R. H. Station, Moses Jones and wife, Mrs. Moses Jones, Ellen Thorne and husband, Jim Thorne, John Henry Jones and Mrs. John Henry Jones, Jack Jones, and Mrs. Jack Jones, Annie Eliza

Turner and husband, Charlie Jones and Mrs. Charlie Jones.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and judgment in the above entitled proceeding made by L. B. Wynne, Clerk of the Superior Court of Martin County, on Monday, the 22nd day of April, 1940, the undersigned commissioner will, on Thursday, the 23rd day of May, 1940, at twelve o'clock noon, in front of the courthouse door in the town of Williamston, N. C., offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, to wit:

1st Tract: Beginning at stake, right of way of railroad on the Kinston branch of the Wilmington and Wel-

don R. R. thence West said R. R. South 20 yards west 70 yards to a stake, thence North 76 West 70 yards to a stake, thence North 20 East 70 yards to a stake, thence South 76 to the beginning, containing one (1) acre

2nd Tract: A lot being in the town of Parmele, beginning at corner of Third and B. Street, and running S 61-4 E 210 feet, thence S 83 3-4 W 420 feet to C. Street, thence along C. Street, N 61-4 W 210 feet to 3rd Street, thence N 83 3-4 E 420 feet to the beginning, containing 2 acres. The 22nd day of April, 1940. CHAS. H. MANNING, Commissioner.

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The State Needs A Business Man For Governor

VOTE FOR L. LEE GRAVELY



C. N. Castleberry of Jonesboro Says:

LEE GRAVELY points out in one of his speeches that the tobacco farmers of North Carolina stand to lose this fall between fifty and sixty millions of dollars on their tobacco crop, due to the loss of markets on account of the European war and other causes, and suggests that our Congressional delegation press for legislation authorizing the Federal Government to lend the British Government four billions of dollars on good security the British Government already has in this country with which to buy our cotton and tobacco. He predicts that if this loan is put through, our cotton and tobacco will be selling in ninety days for 18 and 25 cents respectively, and we farmers will have in our pockets this fall over sixty millions of dollars more money.

I have checked Mr. Gravelly's proposition and find it sound. Some people say that the suggestion is good, but if carried through will put our country in the European war. My reply to this statement is—Nonsense. Why should selling cotton and tobacco to the countries at war put us in the war any more than would selling them airplanes?

FELLOW FARMERS, we will be ruined this fall if we fail to find markets for our cotton and tobacco. Lee Gravelly is a practical tobacco man and is the only candidate for Governor who knows the tobacco business from the farm to the factory. In the present serious situation we need as Governor such a man who understands our problem.

With the European war in full swing, we cannot afford to postpone searching for new markets for our cotton and tobacco. I have more than twenty-four people on my farm, who are dependent upon cotton and tobacco for money with which to buy shoes, clothes, school books, and pay doctors' bills, etc.

Unless we have markets for our cotton and tobacco, starvation prices will follow and we will be ruined.

The State Needs Lee Gravelly for Governor