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YOU can have fun figuring out your message from the Orient by use of this pleasant little letter puzzle. If the number of letters in your first name is 5 or less, subtract from 7. If more than 5 letters in your first name, subtract from 13. Now take this result and find your key letter in the word ORIENT at the top of your puzzle. Then, starting at the upper left corner, check each one of your large key letters as it appears, from left to right. Below the key letters is a code message for you.

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U J I f u o r e s e i n r
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Job Placements Of North Carolina Graduates Now Reaching High Total

RALEIGH — College graduates, 385 from four-year colleges and universities and 137 from junior two-year colleges, were placed in their first suitable jobs following graduation by personnel in the 64 local offices of the Employment Security Commission of North Carolina during the fiscal year ended last June 30, it is announced by Ernest C. McCracken, director of the Commission's N. C. State Employment Service Division.

In addition to the 522 college graduates, these local offices recorded placements of 349 graduates of business and commercial schools and 3,487 graduates of high schools in the same period, or a total of 4,358 graduates of all types of institutions during the fiscal year.

Of the 385 four-year college and university graduates placed, 45 were graduates of such colleges located in other states and 340 graduated from North Carolina institutions. A break-down shows the number placed from the four-year colleges and universities, as follows:

University of North Carolina, 47; Woman's College of UNC, 33; A & T College, 25; Duke University, 21; N. C. State College, East Carolina College and High Point College, 19 each; Lenoir Rhyne College, 17; Wake Forest College, 16; Johnson C. Smith University, 15; Atlantic Christian College, 12; North Carolina College, 11; Meredith, 10; Davidson College, Appalachian State Teachers' College and Livingstone College, 7 each; Western Carolina College, Elon College, Catawba College and Fayetteville Teachers' College, 6 each; Gullford College and Flora McDonald College, 5 each; Greensboro College, Salem College and Shaw University, 4 each; Bennett College and Elizabeth City State Teachers' College, 3 each; and Winston-Salem Teachers' College, 1.

Of the 137 junior college graduates placed in jobs, 20 were from out-of-state colleges and the 117 graduating from North Carolina junior colleges were distributed as follows: Louisburg College and Mars Hill College, 19 each; Peace College, 13; Campbell College, 11; Gardner-Webb College, 10; St. Mary's College and Pfeiffer Junior College, 8 each; Charlotte College, 6; Mitchell College, 4; Pineland Junior College, Catawba College and Lees McRae College, 3 each; Elon College and Brevard College, 2 each; and Woman's College of UNC, A & T College, Chowan College, State Teachers' College, Montreat College and Catawba College, 1 each.

53, as a result of these tests, follows:

Mountains, Barley — Colonial 2, Oats — Forkedeer, and Arlington (has winter - killed in mountains during severe winters). Wheat — Thorne.

Piedmont, Barley — Colonial 2 and Davie, Oats — Arlington, Victor - grain 49-93, Fulgrain and Fulwood, Wheat — Anderson, Atlas 50, Atlas 66, Coker 47-27, Taylor (has fair mosaic resistance), and Chancellor and Thorne on mosaic land.

Coastal Plain, Barley — Colonial 2, Oats — Arlington, Victor-grain 49-93, Fulgrain and Fulwood, Wheat — Anderson (should be harvested early to prevent excess weather damage to grain), Atlas 50 (excels under heavy mildew conditions), Atlas 66, and Coker 47-27.

Burley tobacco production in North Carolina this year is currently estimated at 19,775,000 pounds, or nearly 2 per cent below that of 1952.

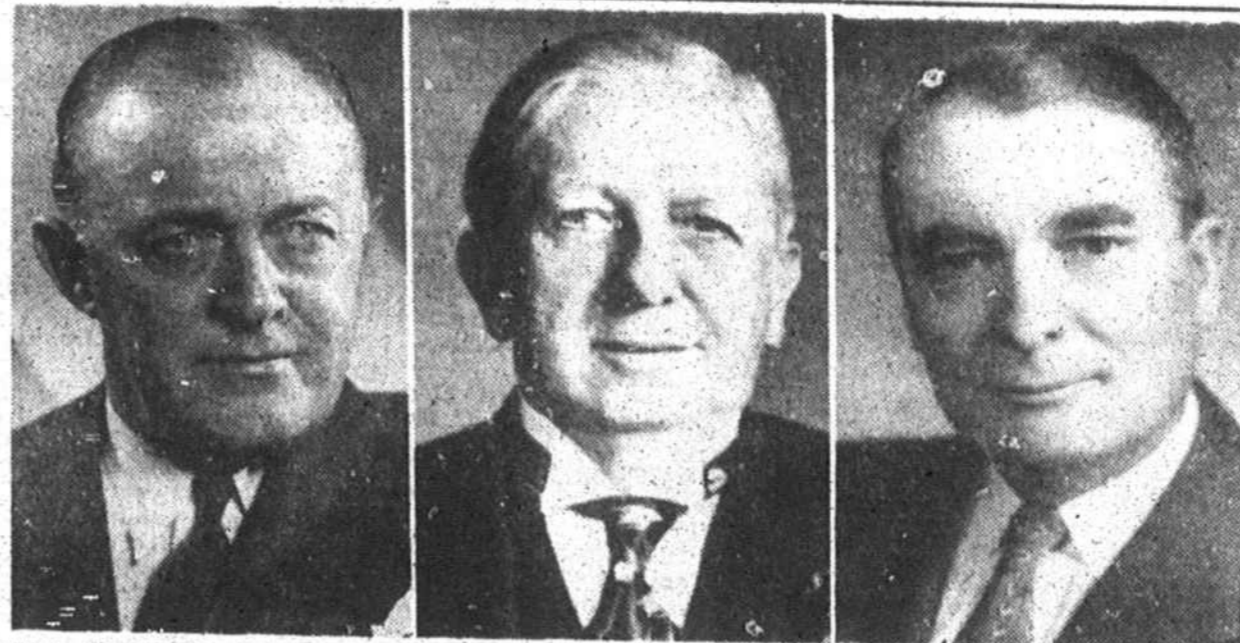
Bell Employees Get Pay Raise

E. F. Farris, local manager, announces that an agreement has been reached on wage matters between the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company and the Communications Workers of America.

Concluding negotiations which began on May 11, Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Co. and Communications Workers of America, CIO, today announced agreement on modifications of their contract which covers approximately 51,500 employees in the nine states served by the telephone company.

Wage increases ranging from \$1.00 to \$3.00 a week are provided for a majority of the employees. In addition, agreement was reached on the reclassification of a number of cities and towns to higher wage levels and on the upgrading of certain craft jobs. A number of changes were also made in working practices.

Modifications will become effective as of August 23, and the agreement will run for one year.



PANEL MEMBERS AT FARM MEETING—Three members of Congress will serve on a panel to answer farm questions at the 19th annual meeting of the Farmers Cooperative Exchange and the N. C. Cotton Growers Association in Raleigh Tuesday, September 8. They are, left to right, Rep. Harold D. Cooley of Nashville, member of the House Agriculture Committee; Sen. Clyde R. Hoey, of Shelby, a member of the Senate Agriculture Committee; and Rep. Clifford R. Hope of Kansas, chairman of a House Agriculture Committee. Serving also will be Dr. D. W. Colvard, dean of the State College School of Agriculture, and Dr. L. Y. Ballentine, North Carolina agriculture commissioner. Approximately 5,000 farm people are expected to attend the meeting.

Hints To Homemakers

Perhaps some of you are wondering just what to do with damsons. There is nothing better than damson jam, and Rose Ellwood Bryan, State College extension specialist in marketing and food conservation, gives us the recipe:

Wash fruit and pick off stems. To seed, place a small quantity of

fruit in a colander and lower into hot water. Allow to heat slowly. Press out seed and remove. Keep water over a slow fire until all are seeded.

At least three-fourths of the fruit should be fully ripe to give

flavor and color to the finished product; one-fourth slightly under-ripe fruit will improve the consistency of the jam.

Use one pound of fruit to three-fourths pound sugar. Put fruit and sugar into preserving kettle

with just enough water to prevent burning. Add sugar and mash fruit with a wooden spoon or bat. Cook slowly until fruit is a smooth, thick mass. The temperature of jam when finished will range from 221 to 223 degrees depending upon the kind of fruit used.

After jam is cooked it should be poured immediately into hot sterilized jars. Seal and process five minutes at 180 degrees.

AQUATIC SCHOOL
Donald Crawford was in Breward last week attending the annual week's Red Cross Aquatic school in session at Camp Carolina. He returned to Kings Mountain Monday.

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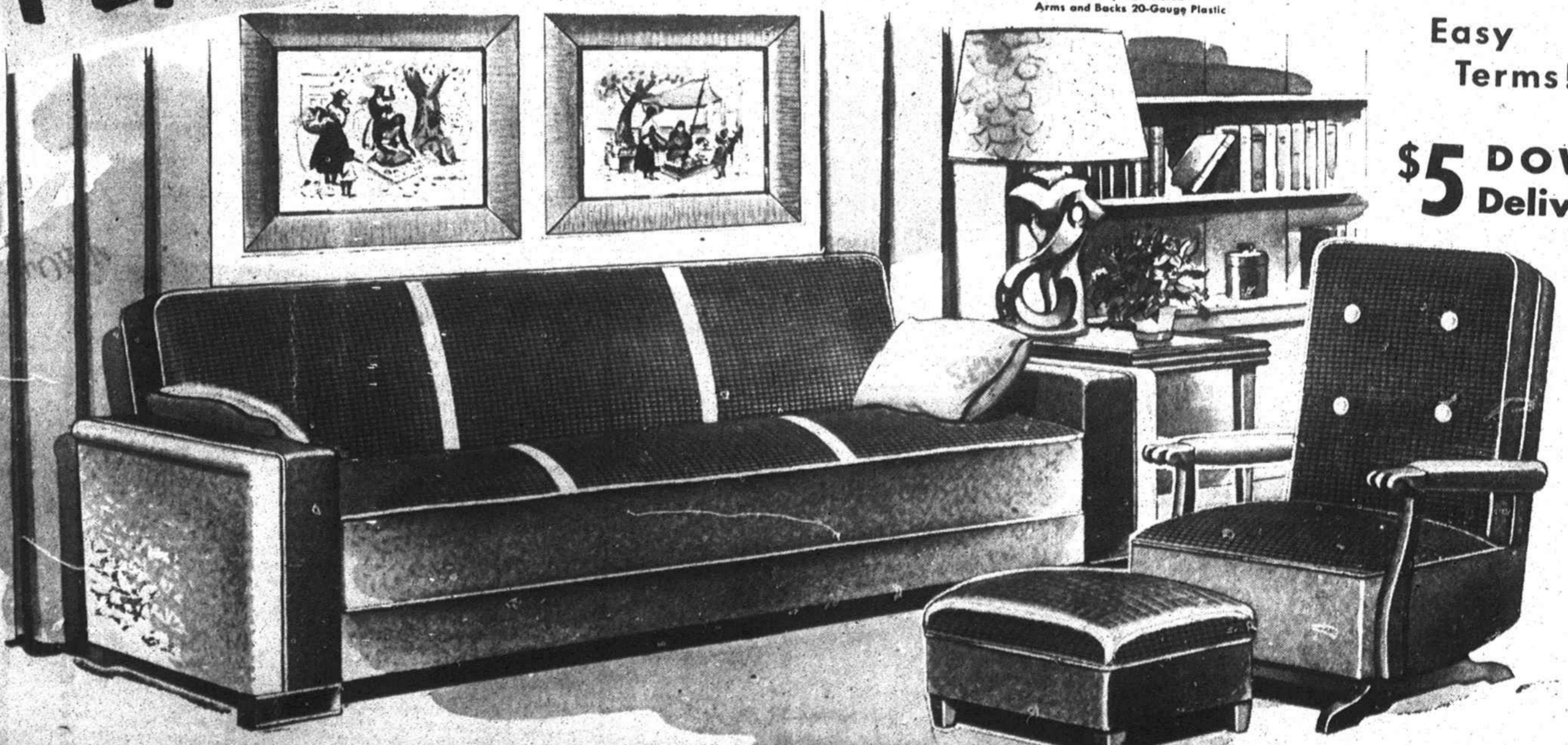
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N. C. Small Grains Compared by Testing

The results of North Carolina's official small grain variety tests for 1952-53 have been reported by M. G. McKenzie, Jr., research instructor; and W. H. Rankin, research associate professor, both of State College.

The objectives of the tests are to obtain information on commercial varieties and to evaluate newer strains and varieties, according to the agronomists. Five field tests were conducted to represent the different soil and climatic conditions of the state. From similar tests conducted in the past, it is possible to predict varieties that are most likely to produce consistently high yields in a given area.

Varieties recommended for 19-

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