



ANSWERS

QUESTION: What kind of females should I get to start a beef herd?

ANSWER: The difference in quality of the various breeds is so little that the choice should be that of the individual. However, the foundation females should be of high-quality grades of purebreds. In general, the inexperienced farmer should start with good quality grade females as they involve a smaller investment than purebreds. Furthermore, the breeding and raising of registered cattle is a specialized business and requires more know-how and experience for successful operation.

QUESTION: Could you give me some special hints to good honey production?

ANSWER: Honey is a special

food and you should give it special care. 1. Cut only new, fully sealed combs. 2. Have jars thoroughly cleaned and dry. 3. Keep surroundings clean. A damp cloth can be used to clean up drops of honey and for wiping your hands. 4. Store honey in a dry place until sale.

QUESTION: Can I expect an increase in rate-of-gain in my pigs as a result of cross-breeding?

ANSWER: Yes. Experiments have shown that an increase in rate-of-gain can be expected. A purebred boar of one breed is crossed on a purebred, or a good grade sow of another breed. Many commercial hog breeders use a system called cross-crossing, where three breeds are used instead of two.

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ABOARD CARRIER

Edgar R. Reep, boilerman second class, USN, son of Mrs. Lula B. Reep of Kings Mountain, is aboard the anti-aircraft cruiser USS Juneau taking part in the joint NATO training exercise "Weldfast".

Weldfast is aimed at testing and strengthening the readiness of land, sea and air forces to operate and maneuver in the defense of Allied Powers Europe's Southern European and Mediterranean Command Area.

United States, British, Greek, Turkish, and Italian forces are participating in the large-scale operation.

The exercise ends October 7th.

Two Boys Admit Attempted Robbery

Two Gaston county 14 and 11-year-old brothers, who said they left Gastonia on bicycles for their grandfather's home in Copper Hill, Tenn., are being held by Shelby juvenile officers after the 11-year-old boy admitted to the attempted robbery on Tuesday of Green Service Station on Kings Mountain-Shelby highway.

Deputy Sheriff Paul Byers and State Highway patrolmen, who investigated, said the two boys had left Gastonia early Monday morning. Both told the officers they had left home to go to their grandfather's in Tennessee carrying clothes and a can of beans.

They told the officers they slept in the woods Monday night.

The 11-year-old boy told Deputy Byers he entered Green's Service Station about 9 a. m. Tuesday morning. His brother waited for him on "down the road," he said.

H. L. Green, proprietor of the store, was stacking sugar and canned goods on shelves, he told Mr. Byers, when he was struck from behind with a blackjack.

The store manager was knocked off his feet, he told police and the younger boy ran when his robbery attempt was unsuccessful.

After leaving the store the boys went to Yelton's Service Station near Shelby, and told the attendants they were hungry. Officers were called by the service station attendant who told patrolmen that the "boys looked scared."

Mr. Green was treated for head injuries at Kings Mountain hospital and discharged Tuesday afternoon.

FORTUNE TELLER

ORIENT

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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 3 or less, subtract from 7. If more than 3 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 this 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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State Fair Offers Cotton Bag Contest

A new contest, with cash awards and a portable sewing machine as the sweepstakes prize, will be a feature of the women's division of the 1953 N. C. State Fair in Raleigh, October 20-24.

Miss Ruth Current, state home demonstration agent and superintendent of the women's departments of the fair, announced that sewing skill and ingenuity in transforming cotton bags into dresses and household articles will pay off in the new contest in the clothing department. Premiums are offered for curtains, dresses, luncheon cloths with napkins, and mother-daughter dress

Outfits. The winner of the most awards in these classes will receive a Pfaff portable sewing machine offered through the Textile Bag Manufacturers Association.

"We would like to urge homemakers to file their entries in the clothing culinary and house furnishings departments of the fair as early as possible," Miss Current said. "We anticipate the largest entry in the 100-year history of the N. C. State Fair in three women's departments, and we may need to seek additional exhibit space at the last minute from Dr. J. S. Dorton, fair manager. However, we cannot accept entries after all available space is taken," the State Home Agent declared.

The State College leader said there is still time to request a free catalog and premium list from: Manager, N. C. State Fair, P. O. Box 1388, Raleigh. The official entry form, which must be used, is attached to the back of the catalog. Entries in the women's departments of the fair close Saturday, October 17, at 6 p. m. and all exhibits must be on hand by 10 a. m., Monday, October 19.

"We have been offered \$1,016.75 in clothing premiums, \$691 in culinary awards and \$579 in prizes for the house furnishings department of the fair this year," Miss Current reported.

Eighty-four per cent of the agricultural land in the United States has now been incorporated in soil conservation districts, the 1953 Yearbook of the American Peoples Encyclopedia reports. More progress in the field of soil conservation was reported last year than in any other year in history, it was stated.

An acre of tomato plants will yield from 5 to 20 tons of tomatoes, according to the American Peoples Encyclopedia 1953 Yearbook.

Rites Conducted For Plato Davis

Funeral services for Plato Davis, 62, who died at Kings Mountain hospital last Tuesday afternoon after an extended illness, were conducted Thursday at 4 p. m. from Patterson Grove Baptist church.

Rev. Jake Thornburg officiated and burial was in Mountain Rest cemetery.

Mr. Davis, well-known farmer of route 1, in the Long Creek church section, was the son of the late Lizzie Tessener and Robert Davis.

Surviving are his wife, four sons, Robert and Fred Davis of Kings Mountain, Ernest Davis of Grover and Everett Davis of Gastonia and three daughters, Mrs. Radford Deaton of Lincoln, Mrs. Coleen Keeter of Bessemer City, and Miss Mozelle Davis of the home.

Tax Benefits Given For Grain Storages

Special income tax deductions have been provided by Congress for grain producers and warehousemen who complete or acquire additional grain storage facilities between January 1, 1953, and December 31, 1956, county agent Howard Clapp reminds farmers of Cleveland County.

Public Law 287, recently signed by President Eisenhower, provides, in place of the ordinary depreciation allowances, for income tax deductions, based on amortization over a 5-year period of the cost of building new grain storage facilities or of converting or enlarging existing space for grain storage. The deductions apply to corncribs, grain bins, grain elevators, or any similar structure suitable primarily for grain storage and intended for that use.

To take advantage of the benefits provided under Public Law 287, Mr. Clapp says that a grain producer who qualifies under the act for such deductions needs only to state his intention in his income tax return for the year in which the facility was acquired or completed. Permission before adding the facility is not needed to obtain the tax deduction.

The law states that deductions should be computed on a monthly basis, dividing the adjusted cost of the improvement by the number of months left in the 60-month amortization period to obtain the deduction allowable for one month. No regulations or instructions on the grain storage provision are available at this time.

The International Salvation Army operated in 89 countries and preached its gospel in 81 languages last year. Its 16,879 corps and outposts and 1,739 institutions were manned by 26,608 officers and 18,217 employees, according to the American Peoples Encyclopedia 1953 Yearbook.

The nation's 1953 cotton crop prospect improved during August, bringing the current estimate to 15,159,000 bales.

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS opportunities for suitable and gainful employment are the hope and ambition of all workers, and the American system of free choice of occupations, consistent with each worker's abilities and interests, is best suited to provide such opportunities; and

WHEREAS a great many physically handicapped workers presently employed have proven their competence when they have been rehabilitated or otherwise properly prepared for suitable jobs; and

WHEREAS there is a continuing need for greater understanding of effective methods for the placement of physically handicapped workers in suitable occupations, and community participation in educational and promotional programs can best accomplish this purpose; and

WHEREAS the Congress, by a joint resolution approved August 11, 1945 (59 Stat. 530), designated the first week in October of each year as National Employ the Physically Handicapped Week, and requested the President to issue a proclamation calling public attention to the need for Nation-wide support of and interest in the employment of otherwise qualified but physically handicapped men and women;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, G. A. BRIDGES, Mayor of the City of Kings Mountain, do hereby call upon the people of our City to observe the week beginning October 4, 1953, as National Employ the Physically Handicapped Week, and to cooperate with the local Committee on Employment of the Physically Handicapped in carrying out the purposes of the aforementioned joint resolution of Congress.

I also request the leaders of industry and labor, and members of religious, civic, veterans', women's organizations and all other groups and individuals to take part in the observance of the designated week, in order to enlist the widest possible support of programs designed to increase opportunities in employment for the physically handicapped.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed, the seal of my city.

DONE, this 30th day of September in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-three.

(Signed) G. A. BRIDGES, Mayor
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JOHN T. COLEMAN, a Southern Bell telephone man, rushed to the rescue when a lady fell into a 25-foot well at Anniston, Alabama. She was clinging — almost exhausted — to the well in 10 feet of water.

Making quick use of what was at hand, Mr. Coleman tied a length of garden hose to a tree, lowered himself into the well and supported the lady above water until she could be raised to safety with a rope. Then he applied first aid before an ambulance arrived. A courageous act? Yes. But equally important, quick thinking in an emergency. It speaks well of the type of men and women who provide your telephone service — often going beyond the call of duty.

John T. Coleman, telephone installer-repairman for Southern Bell at Anniston, Ala., who was awarded the Bronze Vail Medal for his act of heroism.