

Tar Heel Egg Producers Urged To Place Chick Orders Early

If the early bird gets the worm, it means one thing: there is no worm for the late bird. And what is true about birds and worms is also true about egg producers and profits, says F. Parrish, who is in charge of poultry work for the N. C. Agricultural Extension Service.

The egg producer who gets his pullet chicks early will get the fall and early winter profits from high-priced eggs.

"There are apparently fewer layers on the farm," Parrish said. "And everyone is expecting egg prices to go up in the near future. In fact, we believe eggs will average three cents more per dozen than they did in 1959."

To get in on the higher prices, Parrish urges producers to place orders for pullet chicks at an early date for these reasons:

1. Breeders can give you the quality of chicks when you want them.
2. You will make more money with the early hatched chicks.
3. You will not be caught by a chick shortage caused by producers who waited until the market looks like a sure thing before placing their order.

North Carolina exported about 1,500 truck loads of market eggs to northern markets in 1959. "Let's make it 2,000 truck loads this year," Parrish urged.

Timpani Soloist



BILL BOOTWRIGHT
Soloist at the John A. Holmes Band's winter concert Friday night will be Bill Bootwright, the band's timpanist. It is highly unusual to find the timpani treated as a solo instrument. He will solo in a number composed and arranged for band and solo timpani by Maurice Gardner, "Variations on a Tune for Timpani." Bill is in his second year as a member of the band. In addition to timpani in the concert band, he plays snare drum in the marching band. He holds a rating as musician second class.

Also a sit-down strike, similar by many that've taken place throughout the south? On the latter subject, many people believe that the idea behind these strikes would've faded away, but for newspaper publicity on each particular incident. The local strike was a perfect example. It occurred, hardly anyone knew about it, no publicity, no recurrence, the end.

Closing thought: "Life is cruel to men. When they are born, their mothers get the compliments and flowers. When they are married, their brides get the presents and publicity. And when they die, their wives get the insurance and winters in Florida."

Earl Smith and Thomas Nixon went up to Chapel Hill on Sunday. Mr. Nixon visited his wife who is a patient in the hospital. Mrs. Deb Leary of Rocky Hock celebrated his 85th birthday this past week.

On March 8 a furniture refinishing workshop will be held at Chowan Community Building, beginning at 9:00 A. M.

Week of Prayer will be observed March 7-11 at Rocky Hock Church. Ruth Worrell is prayer chairman.

Sunday School officers and teachers will meet at Rocky Hock Church Friday night at 7:30 o'clock. Also the adult choir will practice at 8:30 o'clock.

Chowan Home Demonstration Club will meet March 14 at 2:30 P. M. at the club house. Demonstrations will be "Personal Appearance." Afterwards a joint supper at 6:30 for club members, husbands and guests.

The Circles of Rocky Hock WMU will have a joint meeting in March with Emma Harrell and Audrey Gordon Circles as hostesses.

New Director



George V. McCotter, New Bern business man and leading N. C. Baptist layman, has been named to the newly created office of Director of Development in the administration of Campbell College, President L. H. Campbell has announced.

Negro Home Demonstration News

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

The County Council of Negro Home Demonstration Clubs is quite concerned about problems in Housing and Health and Sanitation.

One problem which could be listed under each of these areas is, "overcrowded sleeping conditions in the home."

Is this your problem? Do you need extra space in your home? A number of us may say yes, there is need for more space for the family to sleep comfortably, to store clothing, household linens, cleaning supplies and equipment, and space needed for family recreation. Many homes need more space for a good heating system where the whole house may be heated at the same time. A central heating system will keep the family from crowding around one spot in the home to dress, undress, read, sew, prepare or serve meals.

A Serious Problem: Overcrowded sleeping conditions is a very serious problem, because the average home is made up of boys, girls, and adults of all ages. The families that live in these homes have a limited number of bedrooms, this of course, is something that every homemaker should give her immediate attention. Plans need to be worked out to separate boys from girls while they are young. If you have a large family you may need additional space for comfortable sleep. Each homemaker should study her own situation and work out the best solution possible for her family.

Number of Persons Per Bed: The average home may need more space for additional conveniences, but the one that we are concerned with today is: How to get extra space in the home for comfortable sleep. The trend is that not more than two persons shall sleep in one bed during sleep hours. If you have already decided that there is not enough space in your home, and think it is impossible to work out a possible solution: stop! take another look, and you will find that you have extra space in the rooms you already have. It will be necessary, however, for you to study each room and pick out the ones that you seldom use, and plan how to get these rooms to serve for more than one purpose.

Space Makers for Comfortable Sleep: Rooms that are not used very often such as:

1. The guest room or the dining room are excellent space makers for the home.
2. Folding screens, lined curtains, partitions, or wall dividers may be used to divide large rooms in order to get extra space which will make the room serve for more than one purpose.
3. You may enclose the back porch or attic, insulate, paint, make comfortable and attractive for sleeping younger members of the family.
4. The den or family room may also be used to get additional space to solve overcrowded sleeping conditions in the home.
5. The living room may be used for sleeping, but you may change from the regular bedroom type of bed to the sofa bed.
6. Living-rooms are popular and useful space makers where double purpose beds are used.
7. Bed frames for single or double beds with good strong durable springs, mattresses and pillows, are excellent space makers that may be used for extra sleeping space in the living room.
8. Double deck beds may be used in homes with overcrowded sleeping conditions.

Good sleeping conditions rate extremely high in determining how well we do our work, and how well we get along with people daily.

ON DEAN'S LIST

A total of 97 students at Atlantic Christian College had fall semester grades good enough to be named to the Dean's List at the college.

Announcement of the selections was made by Dr. Millard P. Burt, ACC Dean.

Among those on the Dean's List was Linwood Bond of Edenton.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to take this means to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to our friends and neighbors for their many deeds of kindness and expressions of sympathy during the illness and death of our husband and father, Eugene Baker. These deeds of love and sympathy will always be cherished.

Mrs. Ida Baker and Son, Melvin E. Baker

Isaac Layden Dies At Home Of Sister

Isaac Duncan Layden, 58, died Saturday morning at 12:45 o'clock at the home of his sister, Mrs. Lloyd C. Burton. A native of Chowan County, he was the son of Isaac and Mary Jones Layden. He lived in Norfolk for 21 years and had been a semi-invalid for 14 years.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Blanche Harrell Layden of Norfolk; a brother, Charles D. Layden of Morristown, Indiana; two sisters, Mrs. Lloyd C. Burton and Miss Aurelia Layden, both of Edenton, and a half sister, Mrs. Mary E. Coffield of Butner, N. C.

Funeral services were held at Ziegler Funeral Home Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Rev.

Paul Harrell, pastor of Memorial Baptist Church at Arlington, Va., brother-in-law of the deceased, officiated, assisted by the Rev. Ralph Fowlkes, pastor of the Edenton Methodist Church. Burial was in Beaver Hill Cemetery. Pallbearers were W. O. Elliott, Jr., Raymond Mansfield, West Leary, E. J. Moran, Rodney Byrum, Jimmy Partin, Roy Leary and Skinner White.

NAMED REPRESENTATIVE

The Rev. R. A. Harrell of Elizabeth City is serving as hospital representative of Chowan Baptist Association. In this capacity he will work with the 58 churches in that group in connection with the Mother's Day offering May 8 for N. C. Baptist Hospital.

Frankly Speaking

By Frank Roberts

First off, a few notes from WCDJ. A reminder to listen closely to our 9 o'clock news, for something different in the way of radio reporting. Secondly, I want to tell you to listen, later this month, as some members of the 4-H Club of Chowan County will be taking over all of the WCDJ announcing chores. From sign-on to sign-off. Should be interesting.

Switching the subject, from radio to the movies, March is a top month for some good movies at the Taylor. Just a sampling: two exciting sea stories—"Last Voyage," and "Wreck of the Mary Deare". The much-discussed "Happy Anniversary," with David Niven. "Adam and Eve," the controversial picture that began with a D rating from the Legion of Decency, then, on second viewing, came forth with a straight A rating. If you like gory-type murder stories, there will be "Jack the Ripper," and "Seven Thieves," and "Three Murderesses." Paul Munj is be-

ing mentioned for an Oscar for his work in "Last Angry Man." You can see why this month. Disney's newest about "Toby Tyler and the Circus," will be on view for the family. I remember that wonderful book from my childhood days. Two of the finest movies of the fifties will be together on one big bill, "Bridges at Toko-Fi," and "Country Girl." Bill Holden in both. The controversial "Best of Everything," will also be on view. Speaking of movies, the movie theatre in Hertford re-opens on a temporary basis the middle of this month. Week-ends only, I believe.

Once again, I'd like to remind you of the big dance to take place Saturday night, March 19. It's a record hop, plenty of dancing, plenty of fun, plenty of prizes. Soft drinks will be on hand during this, the first record hop held in North-eastern North Carolina. Listen to WCDJ for further details.

Howcum the big city newspapers missed out on two items of import? A visit and an extremely important message from the president of the United States Chamber of Commerce.

County News

Mrs. Barbara Sawyer and children of Elizabeth City visited Mrs. Roland Evans and mother on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Platts of Virginia Beach visited Mr. and Mrs. Lester Harrell over the week-end.

Miss Becky Warren of Halifax spent the week-end with Mrs. H. L. Leary at Tyner.

Miss Ann Pearce and Miss Judy Cox, students at Chowan College, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Pearce in Rocky Hock.

Bill Welch, Chowan College student, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Drew Welch of Tyner.

Alfred Perry celebrated his 87th birthday on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Copeland and Tony visited Mrs. Alma Harrell and family on Sun-



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MEETING OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION AND REVIEW

The Board of County Commissioners of Chowan County will meet as the Board of Equalization And Review in the Court House Monday, March 14, at 9 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of equalization of property values, and the said Board will adjourn from day to day until this work is completed.

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