

Resources In State Banks Show Big Increase

Gains Are Made In The Past 12 Mos.

Reports, Covering 182 Banks, Show Resources of \$210,792,995

Resources of commercial and savings state banks and trust companies in North Carolina on June 30 aggregated \$210,792,995.65, an increase of \$54,082,268.30 during the year ending that day. In addition, the resources of industrial banks aggregated \$10,542,754.25. In figuring the total resources, national bank figures of March 5 were used, but the opinion was expressed that the resources had increased by June 30.

Gurney P. Hood, state bank commissioner released the report on the condition of all state banks as of June 30.

It was shown that resources of industrial banks increased \$36,983.75 during the year ending June 30 to a total of \$10,542,754.25.

The report for June 30 this year covered 182 commercial banks and 60 branches and showed that resources had increased about \$6,290,000 since the March 5, 1934, statement which covered 181 banks and 57 branches. On March 5 resources aggregated \$204,677,659.81.

Holders of bonds and stock by commercial banks increased \$28,598,136.83 during the year ending June 30, it was shown, with investments in United States bonds increasing \$11,234,336.29.

Loans and discounts by the commercial banks were reduced \$7,776,149.23 during the year, from \$76,013,926.69 to \$68,237,777.46.

In the liabilities account, it was shown that demand deposits due general customers increased \$12,185,409.88 during the year while the total increase in all demand deposits was in the neighborhood of \$27,500,000.

The amount of uninvested trust deposits was reduced by \$2,573,000.

The total of time certificates of deposits savings deposits by public officials and others, bills payable and rediscounts increased \$40,072,234.04 during the year.

Total commercial bank resources of North Carolina, including state and national banks, aggregated about \$283,062,995.65 on June 30, an increase of \$54,082,268.30 during the year ending that day. In addition, the resources of industrial banks aggregated \$10,542,754.25. In figuring the total resources, national bank figures of March 5 were used, but the opinion was expressed that the resources had increased by June 30.

50 Young Men To Be Accepted For Marine Corps

Savannah, Ga.—Fifty applicants to be selected from Virginia, the Carolinas, Georgia and Florida will be accepted for service in the U. S. Marine Corps during September, it is announced by Major Louis E. Fagan, in charge of Marine Corps recruiting activities for the South Atlantic States with offices and examining rooms in the Post Office Building, Savannah, Ga.

Only applicants who have graduated from high school are to be accepted. While it is desired to secure applicants 68 inches in height, Major Fagan has been permitted to accept 50 per cent of his quota between 66 and 68 inches. The minimum age is 18 years.

High school graduates in this vicinity who desire service in the Marine Corps can obtain applications by writing the Savannah office.

The American people spend an awful amount of energy pitching horseshoes every summer, and if they had to pitch them to earn a living, they would feel very much ashamed.

They say food prices are going to be higher, but many who always get trusted don't care about that.

The outlaws want to die with their boots on, and the public will gladly supply the boots so they can gratify that wish.

Fashion Marches On

Clever Coats for Autumn Charming on Larger Woman

by Mme. LANE BRYANT
Noted Fashion Counselor



NEW YORK—Fall is in the air—the fall of lively smart coats rather than of lying leaves. For this is the month in which New York fashion stylists bring out their new creations for crisp Autumn.

The Larger Woman should have no difficulty this season in choosing her coat. Both fur-trimmed and plain models display those little saving graces that make a size 46 look size 42.

Chests have a broad look, and hips a narrow one, as should be. The new sleeves are full at the upper arm for ease, and taper off gracefully at the wrist for slenderness. Clever panels in the back, and graceful seams that lead the eye away from the hip, do their share in making the short woman look tall and slender.

Cloths, too, have that slenderizing look. Bark crepe for dress coats promises to be a season favorite. Its vertical, tree-like markings emphasize height. And tweeds, for all-round coats, come in reliable herringbone patterns, or subdued necked designs, which are always right for the Larger Woman.

One designer has brought out the smart dress coat pictured above. It can be had now at a very moderate price in wool monotone crepe, silk-lined, in black or dark brown. It has a flattering collar of dark skunk, and the all-important tapering sleeves. The back is shaped with slenderizing panels, and the coat may be worn with a belt, or without one by the woman who needs added inches to her height.

The second coat illustrated is an all purpose-coat, in herringbone tweed. The scarf is adaptable, and can be worn over one shoulder, ascot fashion, or loose and open—three ways to suit three moods.

Practical shades that have little chance of being left behind in the march of fashion dominate the autumn color chart. These include black-and-white, and brown or gray mixtures for tweeds, and black and dark brown for unpatterned materials.

If you would like to know more about these coats, or if you have fashion difficulties which this article does not answer, I will be happy to help you any way I can. Write me: Mme. Lane Bryant, Fashion Bureau, 6 East 45th St., New York City.

London.—Chicken farmers have at last something to really crow about. The hen, model 1934, is practically perfect.

Some time ago, Prof. R. C. Punnett of Cambridge succeeded in producing for chicken farmers a pure-bred hen with amazing and highly valuable characteristics.

Known as the Cambar breed, the sex of its chicks could be told at birth. Its day-old cockerels are blonde and its hens at birth are brunette.

In addition, it has now been shown that when these brunettes arrive at maturity they are prolific egg-layers.

Before this it was impossible to tell the sex of chicks until they were several weeks old. Thus chicken farmers had to keep and feed young cockerels—which, if of a laying strain, would never fatten into table birds—until he could distinguish them from the hens.

The farmer cannot cut the cackle on the first day as Professor Punnett's "invention" is practically the hen that lays the golden egg.

The government urges the people of North Carolina to modernize their homes, but is cost many of them so much to modernize their ideas that they haven't much money left.

Dove Season Now Open

The season for hunting doves in the central zone in North Carolina set up by the state department of conservation and development opened Sept. 1, and will remain open throughout September.

The dove season closes October 1, but it will re-open November 20 and remain open until January 31. There are now two seasons in this section during which doves may be killed.

The hunting season for opossum opens on November 1 this year.

Hunting license are now on sale at a number of local stores and a large number of sportsmen already have purchased their licenses.

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