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TRYON, N. C., WEDNESDAY, MAY 24, 1939

Attend Board Meet

Nelson Jackson, Jr., Dr. George F. Taylor, Dr. C. Arthur Lincoln, B. L. Ballenger and Seth M. Vining attended the executive board meeting of the Piedmont Boy Scout Council at Shelby on Tuesday night. The camp at Lake Lanier will be improved this summer with more additions and the enrollment of Scouts from over the 11 counties will be greater than ever, judging from reservations already sent in.

Hen Gone Aerial

While visiting the farm of Pringle Hipp, near Saluda, a "Believe it or not" hen was introduced.

The hen, a four-year-old blue game bird, laid and hatched a brood of 14 chickens thirty-five feet high in a maple tree. Mr. Hipp says the hen goes up a spruce pine, which is very limby and near the maple. She then flies to her nest in the maple.

This high-minded hen is laying again this year in the same nest. If these chicks roost as high as they are hatched, they will roost too high for the average chicken "lifter."—From Farm Folks column in Polk County News.

Jump

The annual tonnage of beef graded according to Federal standards rose from 408,000,000 pounds in 1937 to 603,000,000 pounds in 1938, or an increase of 47.6 per cent.

Senator J. W. Bailey Has Farm Bill

Recognizing the need for improved marketing facilities for all farm commodities, Senator Bailey on April 24th introduced legislation in the Senate providing for an appropriation of \$5,000,000 to develop and improve the marketing services for such commodities.

Senator Bailey's Bill, S. 2212, states that it is "for the purpose of organizing, fostering, promoting, and developing marketing and marketing services for farm commodities in such State, with a particular view to providing a marketing system which will furnish a steady flow of standardized basis farm commodities to centers of distribution and will provide for farmers adequate and readily available marketing facilities for commodities produced by them."

This Bill has the approval of many of the State Commissioners of Agriculture, and at the meeting of the Commissioners of Agriculture held in Washington on May 5th and 6th, unanimous approval in principle was given to the legislation.

Dr. Clarence Poe, editor of the Progressive Farmer, has commented on the legislation as follows: "I believe the \$5,000,000 a year your bill proposes to set aside for marketing farm products will accomplish ten times as much good for farmers and public at large as average Congressional appropriation of same amount."

The Bill at the present time is in the Senate Committee on Agriculture. *Continued On Back Page*