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The Spirit of Christmas Although Christmas day comes sions.

but once a year its meaning and purpose should be kept in mind throughout the year. "Good will and try for the answer: What is it at night, when the birds will be and peace on earth," the theme you cannot hold for 10 minutes, disturbed as little as possible. In that's been known down through though it's lighter than a feather? using a flashlight, the grower can the ages as the real meaning of Christmas, or the advent of the Christ-child, is a theme that is of particular importance in this present war-torn world. The opportunity is open to each one to do his or peace and good will among com-terrupted by someone doing it. Let munities and nations to the end that it will bring about an early find numerous other ways in but one in which things are done. which to serve their country and The youth of a nation are the trusthe betterment of humanity. Let tees of posterity. the spirit of Christmas continue to prevail throughout every day of

the coming year.

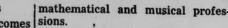
Your Horoscope

will meet with many reverses but gilet ties in a crisp bow in front of few temptations. You should over- the jacket. It's an attractive outfit. come your sensitiveness. You have a natural gift of wit and optimism and should develop it to great ad- time

vantage. You are unselfish, sympathetic and while forgiving, you never forget an injury. You are ting near rail on ship deck)- seed which will support prices on diligent, studious and self-reliant "Waiting for the moon to come hairy vetch, common vetch, crimand capable of great achievements up, eh?" if you conquer your fear and wor-

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ry. You would succeed in literary, me, has that got to come up, too?" higher than last yeear.



sible, says C. F. Parrish, in charge **Guess This Conundrum** of Poultry Extension at the N. C. Here's a conundrum that you State College. might put on your thinking-cap

Worth Remembering

take the loafers from his flock Time heals many things but and save feed costs. The non-lay worrying about them never does. ing hens show a pale, dry comb, We should be more inclined to which is shrinking up and scaly. compliment and encourage than The face has a yellow tint. In the to correct. The fellow who says it beak and eye-ring, the yellow colher bit in spreading this spirit of cannot be done is likely to be in- or reappears when laying stops. "Most heavy breeds and all yellow-skinned varieties of poultry us dare to expect that this war storm does not mean the end of show these changes in pigmentaand lasting peace among people of the world but rather the dawning tion, or bleaching out, except such all nations. Those unable to go of a new day. Be sure your world white-skinned varieties as orpinginto the actual battle front may is not one in which things happen He points out that the comb of and full of blood. The face is

Bell-Hop Suit

ring is bleached out and white. The Bell-Hop type suit is ideal "In culling hens, late molters for the young and slim and is al- should be retained as breeders, if ways a favorite with teen-agers. A the grower plans to reproduce his For thousands of years, man has new model seen recently in one of flock from the present group of believed that he can read his fu-ture in the stars. Here's a few veteen with a natty short double-ture in the stars. Here's a few veteen with a natty short doublehoroscopes which might deter-mine the destiny of persons born dark brown woolen with a center The within the limits of these two seam in front and inside tucks which are culled from the flock The non-laying hens or pullets dates, namely, Dec. 23 to Jan. 20: from the waistband. Pockets are can be used at home or canned for You are an idealist in many ways made in with the side seams. A future use, or they can be placed and will suffer accordingly. You brown and beige striped taffeta on the market. Parrish warns that poultry not

What Brevard Sailor Said

fit for food should be killed and **Conundrum Answer** buried deeply, as a disease con-Your breath. Think harder next trol measure.

The USDA has announced a 1944 Ship Captain, (to sailor boy sit- program for winter cover crop son clover, and rye grass seeds at

CULLING FLOCKS

Feeds For Poultry

Because of the rise in the prices

of feeds and the decline in egg

prices, North Carolina poultry

growers should thoroughly cull

their laying flocks and maintain

as high egg production as pos-

bright red, and the beak and eye-

Sailor Boy (seasick)-"O, dear levels from five to 40 percent



about what foods are most needed in the war effort and which are best for me to

NSWER: State College Extension officials suggest that you see your county agent, a member of the Agricultural Workers Council, a representative of the Ward Board, or

neighborhood leader in your community. "Food fights for freedom" drives are now being held in all parts of North Carolina, war crop goals are being discussed, and 1944 cropping plans are now being made. Attend one of these meetings, if possible.

QUESTION: Should I select eggs of some given weight for hatching?

SWER: C. F. Parrish, in charge of Poultry Extension at State College, suggests that best results are obtained from eggs

economists suggest a proper planning of meals. Purchases that run about 24 ounces per dozen. He also suggests that of food should be watched closely. Food should be stored

you pay particular attention in getting well formed eggs, of good shell texture, and of

the color which is proper for

the breed you are growing.

Eggs which are small, round, short or thin-shelled should

not be saved ffor hatching.

During the cold weather they

should be carefully stored to

QUESTION: How can I prevent

ANSWER: State College home

waste of food in the home?

prevent chillinf.

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in a dry place and kept from freezing. Get the maximum food value from all left-overs is another suggestion. To avoid waste in the preparation of foods, these home economists advise cooking vegetables in skins, whenever possible; the use of small amounts of water; seasoning less popular foods in a more appetizing way; the use of new recipies; and the saving of outer leaves of vegetables for stews and soups.

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All County Taxes Must Be Listed In January

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It shall be the duty of every person, firm or corporation, in whose name any property or poll is to be listed under the terms of this Act, to list said property or poll with the proper list taker or the Supervisor, within the time allowed by law, on a list setting forth the information required by this Act. In addition to all other penalties prescribed by law, any person, firm or corporation, whose duty it shall be to list any poll or property, real or personal, who wilfully fails, refuses or neglects to list the same within the time allowed by law, or who removes or conceals property for the purpose of evading taxation, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor; and any person, firm or corporation aiding or abetting the removal or concealment of property for the purpose of evading taxation shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. The failure to list shall be prima facie evidence that such failure was wilful, and the board of county commissioners shall present the names of all such persons, firms and corporations to the grand jury. Section 901, Machinery Act. 1939.

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