

TRANSYLVANIA FARM NEWS

In 30th Year Production Credit Association Makes Announcement Locally

The Asheville Production Credit Association has announced the appointment of Mrs. Bruce Mowery as clerk-stenographer for the Hendersonville office.

In making the announcement, Frank L. FitzSimmons, Jr., manager of the Hendersonville branch, said that the addition of Mrs. Mowery to the staff was necessary to better serve the growing number of member-borrowers in Henderson and Transylvania counties which this office serves.

Mr. FitzSimmons stated that the officers and directors of the association felt that they were extremely fortunate in being able to add the services of such an experienced and well qualified person as Mrs. Mowery to the staff.

New office hours for the Hendersonville office were also announced. The office in the Agriculture Building on Maple street

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Farm Bureau To Hold County-Wide Banquet At Penrose Friday Night

A county-wide banquet meeting will be held for all Farm Bureau members on Friday, January 10th, in the Penrose school cafeteria at 7:00 p.m.

Roger Ammons, field representative of the Farm Bureau, will be in charge of the program, which will be on insurance and the proposed amendment to the constitution of North Carolina on reapportionment.

Hints From The County Extension Chairman

Tax Guide: The Farmer's Tax Guide is available at the extension service office in the basement of the post office building. If you need a copy, contact this office. The guide will give you an answer to most any question you may have in regard to the Farm enterprise, Social Security, and How to Claim for Federal Gas Tax refund.

According to the ASCS office, farmers have until the end of January, to file applications for 1963 marketing year payments under the National Wool act.

This is the last day for accepting payment applications in connection with marketing of wool and lambs in 1963.

Also, you are reminded by the ASCS office to return your tobacco marketing cards as soon as you have sold your tobacco.

Poultry: 1964 Poultry Resolutions are as follows:

"1. ONE of the keys to high production is chicks that are

bred to live and lay.

9 NINE per cent of the cost to produce eggs has been found to be the chick cost.

6 SIX gallons of water and one pound of lye makes a 2 per cent solution. For a 1 per cent solution, add 1 pound to 12 gallons of water.

4 FOUR eggs, if eaten each day would furnish only 12 per cent of the calories needed daily by the average adult.

RECORDS furnish valuable information for making management decision. Know — Don't Guess — Keep Records.

EACH hen needs adequate space at the feeders and waterers in order to lay at her best.

SELL only top quality turkeys, broilers, and eggs in order to please the consumers and to create a demand for these products.

ONE additional use for eggs would be in dog and cat food. Odd shaped, sizes, and spots could be used.

LIGHT for layers should not be changed by more than about 15 to 18 minutes each day.

USING filler-fats in gathering eggs helps to reduce breakage.

TIME-minded poultrymen plan their work in order to save time and labor and to increase income.

IF most people knew they had about 26 trillion cells to wake up to feed and to keep functioning throughout the day, they should start the day right with 2 eggs for breakfast.

OUTLOOK: 1964 table egg prices are likely to be lower and broilers about the same as in 1963.

NEVER let the humidity fall below 50 per cent and the temperature go above 65 degrees F.

SUCCESS of a poultry farm will depend largely upon the decisions and actions of the owner or manager."

Mrs. Homer Clark Dies In Florida

Services for Mrs. Melrose Sitton Clark, age 43, were held Tuesday afternoon at the Catholic's Creek Baptist church.

The Rev. Theo Rose and the Rev. Bales Rogers officiated and burial was in the Cathey's Creek cemetery.

Mrs. Clark died Friday night in a Lake Wales, Florida, hospital following a brief illness.

She was a native of Brevard. Survivors include the husband, Homer Clark; the father, Clyde Sitton, of Penrose; two daughters, Mrs. Claude Snyder, of Brevard, and Miss Sandra Clark, of Statesville; four sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Percock, of Asheville; Mrs. Sue Taylor, of Brevard; Mrs. Doris Powell, of Rosman; and Mrs. Lois Sauvvin, of New Orleans, Louisiana; five brothers, J. P. Sitton, of Reeman, Rich Sitton, of E. W. h. James Sitton, of Greenville, S. C., and Sitton and David Sitton, of Penrose; and three grandchildren. Moore - Kilpatrick Funeral home was in charge of arrangements.

ASCS News

By JULIA WESTWOOD
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Information has been received in the Transylvania county ASCS office that the House and Senate have passed the Agricultural Appropriation Bill. The bill has now been sent to President Lyndon Johnson for his signature.

The Agricultural Appropriation bill authorizes \$250,000,000 for the 1964 ACP.

It also contains \$294,000,000 for the conservation reserve annual payments. For the cropland conversion program, Congress appropriated \$11,350,000.

When more information on the cropland conversion program for 1964 has been furnished, the local county office it will be passed on to the farmers.

Alexander Buys Registered Angus Cattle

Otto Alexander, Brevard, recently purchased nine registered Angus cows from Elmo McCall, of Brevard; four registered Angus cows and an Aberdeen-Angus bull from William S. White, also of Brevard; and a registered Angus cow from Worth Freeman, Bostie.

Mt. Pisgah Club Meets Friday

The January meeting of the Mt. Pisgah Citizen's Band Radio club will be held on Friday, the 10th, at 7:30 p.m. at the Etowah Lion's Den.

Following the business meeting of the club, Jay Byrne, president of the group, will present a program of sound and color motion pictures.

The first film is entitled "Friendship 7", which last 58 minutes and depicts the day that Astronaut John Glenn orbited three times around the earth. The picture also broadly documents Project Mercury, including a close look at the several international tracking stations around the world.

The second film, running 14½ minutes, is entitled "Unmanned Space Craft". It introduces, on camera, the aims of the U.S. Space program. Some of the successful launches of the U.S. Scientific Program are shown as well as models of the Ranger Surveyor and Mariner Space Craft.

All members and other interested persons are urged to attend.

"Recreation farming" is the term that is being applied to the practice of farmers making available sites for fishing, hunting, picnicking and camping. Extension wildlife specialist Hugh Fields at North Carolina State says there are money-making opportunities in recreation farming throughout North Carolina.

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