

**Farm Demonstration Department**



Conducted by  
**W. H. BARTON**  
Office in Courthouse, Rockingham.

Yours very truly,  
James M. Gray,  
Secretary.

**FEED YOUR SOIL AND IT WILL FEED YOU.**

I went Richmond County to sow 10 tons of vetch seed next fall. To date, 7 tons have been actually ordered. If you don't need 220 lbs., get your neighbor to join you. This is the smallest amount that can be bought at 10 4-10 cents per pound, shipment to be made September 1st. The following have ordered:

Colin M. Covington	220
J. W. Webb	220
J. F. Diggs	250
W. D. Dennis	220
C. W. Luther	220
D. L. Culberson	660
Everett Farm	840
W. H. Carpenter	220
O. H. Hinson	220
E. A. Lackey	220
John W. Covington	220
E. P. Pearce	220
J. W. Smith	220
Cumberland Nurseries	440
T. J. Fletcher	220
W. B. Covington	220
J. A. Marks	220
W. L. Parsons	440
J. S. Sugg	1000
John N. Hasty	880
Leo W. Bryant	220
C. Capel	1000
J. H. McRae	220
W. E. Hall	220
H. C. Ellerbe	220

**LET'S GO!**  
The Farmers' Institute convenes at the State College, Raleigh, July 23, 24, 25.

W. H. Barton.

**To County Agents:**  
Since writing you last I have been able to get meals furnished during the Farmers' Convention at twenty-five cents each. Please give this what publicity you can among your farmers.

Arrangements have been made to get reduced rates on the railroads provided as many as 250 come by rail. Tell your people or ask for a certificate when purchasing their tickets. If as many as 250 have certificates when they get here, they will be allowed half fare on the return trip.

Prospects are for the best program we have ever had and we hope that you will bend every effort to get a good delegation from your county.

J. A. Walker	830
J. A. Covington	320
Jas. M. Dockery	1000
C. Hodges	625
W. H. Purser	220
L. D. Frutchey	590
Henry C. Wall	440
R. A. Derby	440
J. M. Hutchinson	220
W. S. Pearson	220
Afred Baldwin	220

Order now before the price advances.  
W. H. Barton, Co. Agt.

**TUBERCULOSIS ERADICATION**

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for Richmond county last year, but the estimate is that there are fully 5000 head in the county. Of this number, there are undoubtedly one per cent infected with tuberculosis—and these become a menace to other cattle, and to the people, especially children, who use milk.

The veterinarian sent to have charge of the work will probably be in the county fully 8 months. He will inspect and test every head of cattle in the county. Where a cow is found to be infected, she is killed. The State and Federal then pay the owner two-thirds of the appraised value not exceeding \$50 for grade animal, nor \$100 for pure bred. The owner, veterinarian and an outside third person compose the appraisal board as to value of cow.

As stated, this tuberculosis eradication work is in co-operation with the United States Bureau of Animal Industry. It is now unlawful for any cattle—bulls, oxen, steers, cows, heifers, calves or yearlings—to be driven, transported or allowed to stray into Richmond county, except upon written permission from a duly authorized quarantine inspector unless such cattle come from a "free" county. Scotland, Anson, and Stanly have had this tubercular work, and are therefore "free" counties; parts of Moore are "free", the work now being in progress in that county. It is likely that Montgomery will follow Richmond's lead and have a similar campaign in the early fall; this, then, would make these fine neighboring counties free of tubercular cattle, and again show the State that we lead—others follow.

**LEDBETTER'S ITEMS.**

Rev. J. G. Johnson filled his regular appointment Sunday night with Communion service and enrolling 14 juniors into the church.

Little Miss Pauline Webb spent last week with her uncle, Mr. Will Turner, at Charlotte.

We are glad to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sullivan back to our village.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Currie and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Garrett were visiting Mr. Garrett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Garfett, at West Rockingham, Monday evening.

Mr. John Chance has returned to his work at Pinehurst after spending a few days with relatives.

Mrs. Z. Beale was seriously sick Saturday night, but she is some better now we are glad to state.

Little Miss Dorothy Breeden, of Wilmington, is spending a while with her aunt, Mrs. W. H. Marks.

Mrs. Mary Blue and Miss Eppie were visiting Mr. James Watson at Hoffman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Horne accompanied by Misses Lola Whitley, Myrtle Harrington, Bessie Crisco, of Pee Dee, were visiting the Misses Gillis here Sunday night.

We are glad to say Miss Ila McDonald is improving.

Mrs. Claude McPherson has returned to Charlotte after a week's visit with friends and relatives.

Freckles.

**HARRIS-WESTBROOK.**

The wedding of Mrs. Ethel Ingram Westbrook, formerly of Ellerbe, a daughter of Mrs. Belle Ingram, to Mr. William Bliss Harris, of Colorado, was solemnized on June 24th at the home of the groom's mother, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Odum. Mr. Odum's father, a retired minister, officiated.

Following the wedding the bride and groom left on a motor trip to southern Colorado; they will make their home at Boulder, Colorado, near which town Mr. Harris manages his 300-acre ranch. He attended the University at Denver in 1920 and 1921 and was a Phi Gamma Delta and active in campus affairs. Later he attended the State Agricultural College at Fort Collins.

The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Belle Ingram, and for the past two years has been employed in the offices of the Boulderado hotel. Her friends back in North Carolina will learn of her marriage with interest.

**BEREAN CLASS, FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.**

Members of Berean class are urged to be present Sunday. Class meets at 9:45 a. m. Visitors are always welcome.

Reporter.

**VICTORIES that build**  
**Firestone**  
**LEADERSHIP**

**Firestone Leads on Speedway with Five Record Breakers**

When the race driver selects his tires he does so realizing that his life and chances for success depend upon them. It is significant that all of the ten money winners in the Indianapolis race were Firestone shod. Firestone, using gum-dipping and other special processes, has developed tires to such a high degree of efficiency that at Indianapolis, May 30th, the following drivers broke the world's record for 500 miles over the brick track, making many rounds at over 100 miles per hour. Never before were tires put to such grueling service, where it was necessary for every ounce of rubber and every fibre of fabric to work in perfect unison with every other part.

Driver	Time	Miles per hour
Joe Beyer—L. L. Corum	5:08:23.51	98.94
Earl Cooper	5:06:47.18	97.99
Jimmy Murphy	5:08:25.39	97.37
Harry Harts	5:10:44.29	96.55
Bennett Hill	5:11:07.00	96.48

**Leadership in Everyday Service**

Millions of motorists are profiting by the lengthened service of Firestone tires. Scores of unsolicited testimonials emphasize the long mileage Firestone Gum-Dipped Cords deliver—which builds leadership in service, safety and economy.

**Leadership on Cabs, Buses and Trucks**

The largest taxicab companies in the five largest cities in the United States use Firestone Gum-Dipped Cords exclusively. One fleet alone, the Yellow Cab Co. of Chicago, uses over one-half million tire miles per day.

Firestone for years has been first to develop tires and rims complete which would meet the heavy trucking loads, great strains and demand for traction. By originating and carrying forward the Ship by Truck movement, and establishing Ship by Truck bureaus in all large cities, Firestone helped to speed up highway transportation and reduce costs.

**Balloon Tire Leadership**

Firestone's latest contribution to motoring is the low air pressure or Balloon Tire. This, the original full-size Balloon, was made practical by the special Firestone Gum-Dipping process, insulating every fibre of each cord, adding great strength and stamina. Firestone has also simplified the application of full-size Balloon tires to your present car by designing a special unit consisting of tires, tubes, rims and spokes applied by any dealer at a very low cost.

**Leadership Against British Rubber Restriction Act**

Attacking the unsound and uneconomic character of the British Rubber Restriction Act limiting the exportation of rubber from the Far East, Firestone was the one large tire manufacturer to take up the cause for the car owner. Soon after the agitation was started for America to produce rubber under its own control, the cost of crude rubber was reduced and tire prices brought back to normal.

**Dealer Leadership Through Tire Quality and Service**

Through Firestone dealers you can obtain organized service and the soundest values on the market, whether you need a Ford 30 x 3 1/2 Fabric, a set of full-size Balloon Gum-Dipped Cords or a 10-inch truck tire.

**MOST MILES PER DOLLAR**

**Pee Dee Motor Sales Co.**  
Rockingham, N. C.

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*H. S. Firestone*

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Yacht club now open to public. American plan hotel; rates reasonable. State highway to Conway; two trains daily from Conway to Beach leaving at 12:50 p. m. and 6 p. m. Ample storage for cars at Conway at low rates.

**Let's See Now**  
What is the thing you do when you need new shoes? Walk up and down the street, looking in the shop windows? No, because that is guessing, nothing else.  
Pin yourself down to a store that sells dependable shoes. Go where you need never guess about quality or style or store service.  
In other words let your next pair of shoes be purchased at this store, where you will be certain to get what you want at a price that you will like to pay.  
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**A complete line of hosiery.**  
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**HILLSIDE FLORIST**  
Rockingham, N. C.  
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