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Indiana Reader Suggests Pond Title

Interest in naming the Millpond reached as far away as Wayne, Nebraska last week. Mrs. Gloria B. Van Buskirk wrote the following letter to W. Horace Carter, editor of the Tribune.

Dear Mr. Carter: I have just received my home town paper and it seems as if the first thing that caught my eye was the article on "names offered for the Millpond."

When I first read about this splendid project the thought came to my mind as to what name would be given the new recreation area. Now since suggestions are being made I would like to submit my brother's name William R. Butler, Jr.

If I'm not mistaken he was the first Tabor City boy to lose his life in World War II. And one of the first Columbus County fatalities. This could be checked. My Dad lives just out of Tabor City and he could give you more of the details. Or my Aunt, Miss Helen Butler who is right in town.

I do not know what the plans are but if this suggestion was by any chance accepted as a devoted sister I would like to pay for any signs or marking that would be used.

Thank you very much. Sincerely, Mrs. Gloria B. Van Buskirk, Wayne, Nebraska.

Farm Records A Must For Success

BY CHARLES D. RAPER, County Agent

Farmers are businessmen and as business men must keep records to show what their business is doing. During the year many dollars passed through the average farm and to be a good farmer it is necessary to be a good manager. Normally the manager of the farm, which in most cases in Columbus County is the farmer himself, should account for every dollar of income and expenses in order to know what he is doing and where he is going. Farm records will tell you quickly which enterprise on the farm is profitable and which one should be dropped. A good set of farm records will give you the necessary information on how much profit or loss there is in producing an acre of tobacco, cotton, peanuts, or other enterprises.

It is also necessary to keep a good set of records for income tax purposes. The first step in keeping a good farm record is to take an inventory. All that is needed in taking an inventory is a pencil, a piece of paper, and a little time. In taking the inventory, list and put a value on each item of equipment, livestock, feed, and supplies, show the amount of cash on hand, what you owe, and what is owed to you. Such an inventory taken at the beginning of the year and at the end of the year will show the position of your farm business.

You will also want to keep a daily record on income and expenses. Some farmers prefer to keep these on the entire farm

Farmers Urged To Think About Quality Yams

"The time for setting sweet potato plants in the field is rapidly approaching and farmers should keep in mind that high quality pays off on the market," Archie Martin, Assistant County Agent said today.

One of our big losses in the past has been due to wire worm damage. In some cases, damage from this insect has caused a 50 percent loss in value of a crop. Wire worms can be controlled effectively through the use of insecticides. The materials to use are 60 lbs. of 5% Aldrin or 120 pounds of 2 1/2% Heptachlor per acre. Either material should be in a granulated form.

Demonstrations on these materials were made in Columbus County last year on fields heavily infested with wire worms. The treated plots produced 95 percent undamaged potatoes while in the untreated check plot, 90 percent of the potatoes were damaged by wire worms. J. C. Wray of Rt. 3, Tabor City stated that the treatment increased the value of his potatoes \$1.00 per bushel.

The insecticide should be put on the land two weeks before the plants are set. The reason for the early application is to kill the wireworms before the plants are set in the field. The insecticide will not damage the plants.

Either material should be in a granulated form so that it can be put out with a lime spreader or broadcast by hand. The insecticide should be cut in twice with a disc so that it will be mixed with the soil.

The results of last years demonstrations are in the County Agents Office. Farmers with questions regarding the treatment are urged to contact the County Agent.

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Income tax time doesn't worry Bennie E. Leffer, 50, a Salisbury, N. C., stone-cutter. With 18 deductions to list, filling out a tax form is just a formality. Having such a large family is a blessing in many other ways, too, the Leffers say, and they highly recommend it. Picture was made recently when Hospital Care Association, of Durham, enrolled the family in Blue Cross. Naturally, they got the "group" rate.

Route 4, Whiteville, recently arrived in Hawaii and is now a member of the 25th Infantry Division.

The "Tropic Lightning" division is continuing its post-truce training program using valuable experience gained in Korea.

Private Simmons, a rifleman, entered the Army last October and completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S. C.

Roscoe Buffkin Is 20th Hiway Death Victim

Columbus County's 12th highway fatality died last Wednesday night in a one-car accident near Chadbourne.

Clifton Roscoe Buffkin, 33-year-old Whiteville farmer, died of a broken neck and other injuries received when he lost control of his automobile on a curve about one-quarter of a mile east of Chadbourne on the Pinelogs Road.

According to Highway Patrolman K. M. Gentry, who investigated the accident, it was the third time that the dead man had been involved in an accident on the same curve.

Chadbourne Chief of Police Charlie Heye said that Night Policeman Garland Suggs reported that he had been attempting to locate an auto answering the description of the Buffkin vehicle and another car which had been going through Chadbourne at a high rate of speed on the night of the fatal accident.

Funeral services were held Friday from the Pleasant Hill Baptist Church by the Rev. Roy Harris of Raleigh, assisted by the Rev. John T. Biddle of

Public Meeting Set For GOC Program

An urgent need for a ground observation post in Tabor City has prompted civic leaders to call a public meeting at the Tabor City school on May 3 at 8 o'clock.

Sgt. James L. Arthur of the Charlotte Filter Center said today that there had not been enough volunteers to man posts in this community.

Whiteville.

He is survived by his wife, the former Miss Mary Lee Williams; three sons, Larry Mitchell, Billy Bryan and Terry Lynn, all of the home; two brothers, Eldred and Harvey Buffkin; one sister, Mrs. D. M. Tyler of Chadbourne; his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Willie B. Buffkin, Whiteville, and paternal grandmother, Mrs. Mary B. Fippis, Chadbourne.

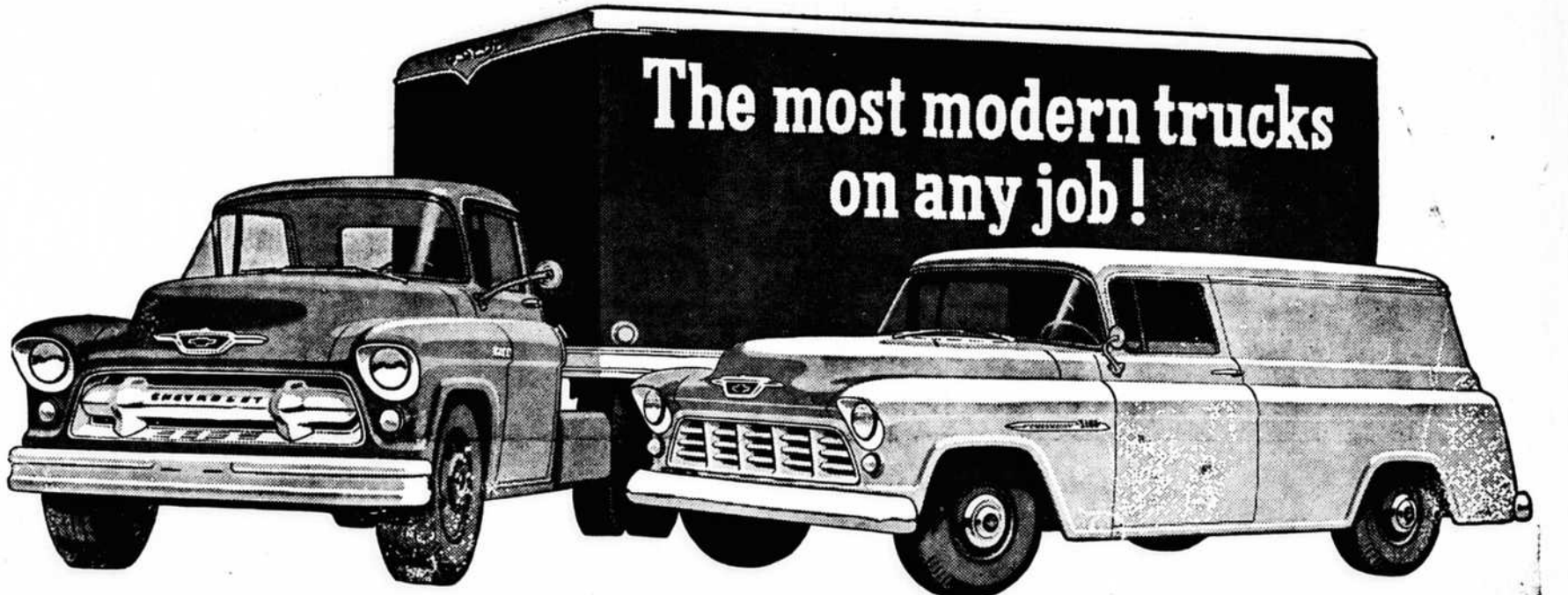
Mr. and Mrs. Ned Hayes of Guideway were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Benton.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Gore spent the week end with Mrs. Elizabeth Melton of Florence, S. C.

"We need a strong and efficient Ground Observer Corps to supplement our radar network because, despite Kremlin double-talk, the Soviet Union Air Force is rapidly increasing its capability to launch—at any time—from direction—a devastating surprise attack against any part of the United States. No section of the country is outside of the orbit of bomb blasts or the lethal effects of radioactive fall-out. To keep pace with our expanding radar network we are now expanding the Ground Observer Corps to cover the entire United States. This is the reason for our immediate need of additional civilian volunteers," Sgt. Arthur said.

Representatives from civic clubs who will attend the meeting are Jack Strickland, Rotary Club; Richard Gordon, Jaycees; Mrs. Erskine Young, Woman's Club; and Harry Bryant, Civitans.

Sgt. Arthur said the public was invited to the meeting.



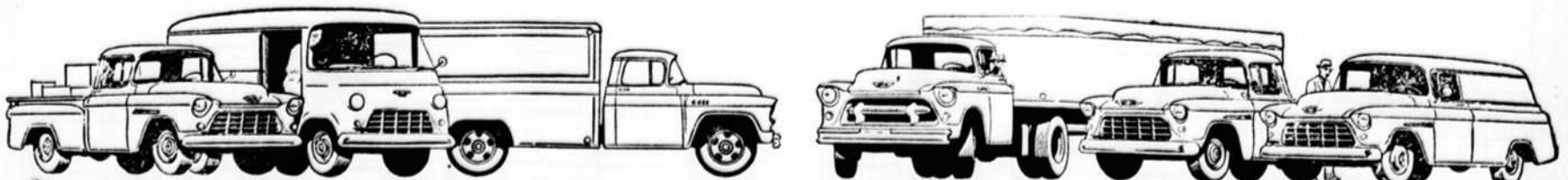
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