

Accomplice of Hickman



Welby Hunt, Kansas City youth who has confessed his part, with Edward Hickman, in the hold-up and murder, on December 24, 1926, of Ivy Thoms, Los Angeles druggist. Hickman is the confessed kidnaper and slayer of Marian Parker, 13-year-old, Los Angeles girl.

MADE POULTRY PAY DESPITE HARD LABOR

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 11.—Success in any branch of farming is not always as easy as telling about it, and especially is this true with poultry reports. A Four-H club boy of Caldwell county.

Ralph H. Hartley of Hudson in Caldwell County is now rated as one of the best poultry club members in North Carolina. He holds several "firsts" in his list of accomplishments. He was first to join any Four-H club in the county; the first to begin poultry work; the first to join a wheat club; the first to join a forestry club and the first to begin bee club work. He is also the first president of an organized club in the county.

But all this came about gradually. Ralph became a poultry club member in 1924 after his mother had given him six barred rock hens during the previous year. He bought 25 day old chicks which he raised along with other chicks hatched from his original hens. The family moved in the

MAY PROTECT MEATS FROM SKIPPER FLIES

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 11.—Much meat cured on the farm is subject to the attacks of the ham skipper which is a small fly resembling a winged ant. Maggots from eggs laid by this fly may cause considerable damage and it is a wise to wrap the meat or screen the smokehouse so that the fly cannot enter.

"This skipper is much smaller than the common house fly," says C. H. Brannon, extension entomologist at State College. "The maggots produced from these flies attack mostly the pork hams and shoulders which have been cured and smoked. The fresher the meat, the more rapid the injury. Old pieces of meat which have become hard and dry and which are sometimes covered with a coating of blue mold or a salvelike layer of fat, seem to be immune from attack. Very fat meat, like bacon, is not extensively injured. The insect apparently prefers lean meat."

The best control method is to prevent the adult flies from entering the storage room, states Mr. Brannon. This case can be done by screening with a 30 mesh wire cloth and by seeing that flies do not enter the room when the door is opened. Where the flies can enter this room, the usual method of preventing infestation, is to wrap each piece of meat with paper and then enclose it in a tight sack. If the screen mesh wire is used, wrapping is not needed.

Mr. Brannon states that the smokehouse should be well screened also. Meats stored in a well screened farm smokehouse should need no further protection. Where infested meat cannot be reconditioned by trimming, the meat should be destroyed. Bones should not be allowed near the meat as the skippers breed within these old bones.

There is an excellent market for well cured hams and such meat is too valuable to permit it to be ruined by the attacks of these flies.

fall of 1923 so Ralph sold all his poultry for \$45.

When he began poultry club work in 1924, he first bought 100 well bred white leghorn chicks, states P. M. Hendricks, county agent. He raised 23 pullets and 20 cockerels from this bunch and sold the cockerels. He went into 1925 with the 23 hens and one male bird but that year he had lots of hard luck and failed to make a profit. In 1926, he made a net profit of \$46.36 from a flock of 55 leg horns but when he began his poultry year for 1927, he found that he had to build brooder houses, buy an incubator, build an incubator house and construct a laying house for his flock.

He did all this and finally made a profit of \$371.15 for his labor during the year. Ralph received assistance from both Mr. Hendricks and Allen G. Oliver, poultry specialist. He has fed home grown grains in home mixed feed rations and he is now carrying along his poultry work on a profitable basis together with his other club projects.

WANT COLUMN

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FOR RENT—JAN. 1, 1928 CULLOWHEE Cafe. Furnished or will sell Lewis Tilson, Maryville, Tenn.

LOST—ON STREETS OF SYLVA, black leather pocketbook, with gold trimmings. Contained sum of money calling cards and letters to Miss Sarah Sue Sherrill, Asheville. If found please call 30-J.

WANTED—NO. 1 IRISH POTATOES, any quantity. Queen's Fruit Store.

FOR SALE—25 Half Hampshire pigs \$5.00 each 35 shoats and grown hogs priced to sell. Address Rasmussen, Aquone, N. C.

FOR SALE—Barred Rock Pullets—A. J. Dils.

FOUND—Wedding ring, on Train No. 18, September 2nd, date 1921.

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FOR SALE—CABLE PIANO. Raymond Glenn.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN — 2 stand roller mill, fully equipped. Write or see T. D. Heffner, Cullowhee, N. C.—12 15 4.

LOST—On the streets of Sylva, on the afternoon of Dec. 24, white gold wrist watch, octagon shape, turn to Mrs. Tilman Powell and receive reward.

FOR SALE—5 room house with water and lights, and five acres of land. Close in. For terms or other information see J. O. Parker, Sylva, N. C. 12-29127 3ts.

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Jack Smith, catcher with the New York American League baseball team, who is training for heavyweight boxing bouts. Smith is under the management of Eddie Holly, scout of the Chicago Cubs.

Liver is a valuable addition to the family diet says Miss Mary Thomas, nutrition specialist at State College. It is rich in vitamins and iron.

Most humorists take themselves too seriously.

Where there's a will, there's a way—a lawyer to break it.

There may be much joy in Washington over the new record for the number of Christmas packages handled, but the mail carriers who handled the packages haven't been heard sending forth any gleeful shouts.

The potato eyes and corn ears will be turned toward Washington one of these days when Congress gets busy on the farm relief question.

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