

## Daughters of Confederacy Offer Essay Prizes for 1938

The United Daughters of the Confederacy of North Carolina will offer this year 15 essay prizes, as follows:

1. Twenty dollars. In memory of Dr. Francis Marion Garrett, a surgeon of the Confederate army, offered by his son, Mr. Paul Garrett, former North Carolinian, for the best essay on "Medicine and Surgery in the Confederacy."

2. Five dollars. Offered by Mrs. Mattie Gay Biggs, Rockingham, N. C., in memory of her mother, Mary Smith Gay, for the best essay on "Our Women's Part in the War Between the States."

3. Ten dollars. Offered by the James B. Gordon Chapter, Winston-Salem, N. C., in memory of Mr. H. L. Riffin, for the best essay on "The School of Journalism started by General Robert E. Lee at Washington and Lee University."

4. Five dollars. Offered by Mrs. Mollie Iceman, president of the Monroe Chapter, Monroe, N. C., in memory of her son, for the best essay on "General Wade Hampton, the Calvary Leader."

5. Five dollars. Offered by the Albritton-Sugg Chapter, Hookerton, N. C., in memory of Mrs. W. F. Taylor, for the best essay on "Business and Professional women of the Old South."

6. Five dollars. Offered by the Rebecca Winbourne Chapter, Farmville, N. C., in honor of Mrs. J. W. Parker, for the best essay on "John C. Calhoun, the Apostle of States Rights."

7. Five dollars. Offered by the Halifax Chapter, Halifax, N. C., in memory of the Halifax Light Infantry, for the best essay on "The Confederate Ram Albemarle."

8. Five dollars. Offered by the "Bethel Heroes Chapter," Rocky Mount, N. C., in memory of Mrs. Mary Parker Battle, for the best essay on "Religion in the Confederacy."

9. Five dollars. Offered by the Greene County Chapter, Snow Hill, N. C., in memory of Judge L. V. Morrill, for the best essay on "North Carolina's Progressive Spirit."

10. Five dollars. Offered by Mrs. Sam Broughton of Chicora Chapter, Dunn, N. C., in memory of her uncle, Myles Dancy Harris, Confederate Veteran, for the best essay on "V. M. I. Cadets at New Market, Virginia."

11. Five dollars. Offered by Mrs. W. D. Bryan, Oxford, N. C., in memory of her father, Captain Thomas M. Wiggins, for the best essay on "General James H. Lane, Army of Northern, Virginia."

12. Ten dollars. Offered by Mrs. W. A. Smith, Ansonville, N. C., in memory of her husband, General W. A. Smith, for the best essay on "Ante Bellum Life in North Carolina."

13. Five dollars. Offered by Mrs. W. E. Stone and Mrs. W. Ross Davis, Jefferson Davis Chapter, Whiteville, N. C., in honor of their father, Captain M. A. Byrne, Company H, 18th North Carolina Regiment, for "The Best Compiled Roster of Columbus County Soldiers, Who Served in the War Between the States."

14. Ten dollars. Offered by the Stonewall Jackson Chapter, Charlotte, N. C., in memory of Mrs. C. W. Tillett, for the best essay on "General D. H. Hill."

15. Five dollars. Offered by the Frank M. Parker Chapter, Enfield, N. C., in memory of Frank M. Parker, for the best essay on "The Enfield Blues."

### Rules

1. Essays must not contain over 2,500 words, number stated at top left corner of page.

2. Essay must be typed and signed with fictitious name. Real name, Chapter, and address of writer placed in sealed envelope and clipped to essay. Outside of envelope fictitious name and subject of essay.

3. Essays must be in the hands of Division Historian, Mrs. Quentin Gregory, Halifax, N. C., not later than September 1st, 1938.

4. To all essays must be attached bibliography to insure authenticity of information.

### Suggested References

Clarks N. C. Regimental History. (In every courthouse).

Ante Bellum Life in North Carolina. Griffis Johnson.

Ashe's N. C. History.

The South in the Building of the Nation.

Old Files of Confederate Veterans.

Files of Southern Magazine.

Women of the Confederacy. Simpkins and Patton.

The Church in the Confederacy. Bishop J. B. Cheshire.

Christ in the Camp. By Jones.

Women of the South. By Andrews.

Women of North Carolina in the Sixties. By Mrs. J. H. Anderson.

### State College Answers Timely Farm Questions

Q. What causes early hatched pullets to fall off in production when there is no signs of molt or disease?

A. This winter pause in production is often encountered when early hatched pullets have been producing heavily. The birds are just resting and will undoubtedly soon swing back into heavy egg yields. Give them normal care, keeping a well-balanced mash before them at all times and practice rigid sanitation. Watch the flock for a neck molt and, if this occurs, feed a wet mash to hasten production.

Q. How can I keep my hams from souring?

A. Strict sanitation in handling the animals both before and after killing is necessary to prevent this spoilage. Do not overheat the animals before killing and be sure to bleed the animals well after killing. All animal heat should be out of the meat before curing. Scald all curing vessels and boil all water used in the brine. Each piece of meat should be rubbed with salt before curing and, if brine cured, the brine should be examined every few days. When smoking, hang the meat six to eight feet above the fire.

Q. What is a good ration to give a calf six months old that has been abruptly taken from its mother?

A. The winter ration of a six-month old heifer should consist largely of a good leafy green colored legume hay. Usually two to three pounds daily is sufficient. A good grain ration is composed of three parts, by weight, of cracked yellow corn, one part of crushed oats, and one part wheat bran. Salt should be placed in the stall so that the calf can get it when desired and fresh water should be offered at least twice a day. In addition to the feed it is important that the calf be provided with a well bedded stall so that it can keep comfortable.

### Poultry Inventory Seen as Necessity

Inventories, highly important to the business man, get little attention from the average farmer.

In the poultry industry this glaring failure of bringing facts and figures up to date is especially true, says Roy S. Dearstyne, head of the State college poultry department.

Perhaps, he declares, the fact that practically all farms maintain some poultry is responsible for this condition, as in North Carolina the small flock predominates and is only one cog in the wheel of diversification.

Another cause, he says, may be due to indifference and lack of understanding on the part of the owner as to the potential possibilities of poultry as a profit-making venture.

Quite often the grower deceives himself into believing that he can carry the detail of 12 months' work in his head, the State college poultryman declares. However, such mental prodigies are few and far between.

"Perhaps they are not aware," Dearstyne says, "that the State college extension service has available for them a bookkeeping service which is rendered without cost, and takes the question mark out of the picture so far as profit and loss are concerned."

Besides keeping records, the wise poultryman pays attention to other details closely associated with success, Dearstyne adds. Such factors include proper housing facilities, breeding practices, feeding, and disease prevention.

## Russian Cathedral Observes Anniversary



The robing of his eminence the archbishop of North America and the Aleutian islands was one of the ceremonies in the services commemorating the thirty-fifth anniversary of the erection of the Russian Cathedral of St. Nicholas in New York, mother church of the Russian Orthodox Greek-Catholic faith in the United States.

## REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE BANK OF FRANKLIN

Of Franklin, in the State of North Carolina, at the Close of Business on December 31st, 1937

### ASSETS

1. Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	\$176,973.18
3. United States Government obligations, direct and fully guaranteed	26,951.00
4. State, county, and municipal obligations	56,192.03
7. Loans and discounts	87,791.97
9. Banking house owned, furniture and fixtures	14,438.44
11. Other real estate owned	20,177.67
15. Other assets	931.14
<b>16. TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$383,455.43</b>

### LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL

17. Deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations:	
(a) Demand deposits	216,467.65
18. United States Government and postal savings deposits	2,024.04
19. State, county, and municipal deposits	92,301.19
21. Certified and officers' checks, letters of credit and travelers' checks sold for cash, and amounts due to Federal Reserve bank (transit account)	1,918.89
22. TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$312,711.77
28. Dividends declared but not yet payable	270.00
29. Other liabilities	2,747.08
<b>30. TOTAL LIABILITIES EXCLUDING CAPITAL ACCOUNT</b>	<b>315,728.85</b>
31. Capital account:	
(a) Capital stock and capital notes and debentures†	\$43,000.00
(b) Surplus	14,500.00
(c) Undivided profits	3,226.58
(d) Reserves	7,000.00
(e) Total capital account	67,726.58
<b>32. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL</b>	<b>\$383,455.43</b>

33. On December 31, 1937 the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was \$46,906.76. Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to \$260,116.21

34. Deferred obligations not included among above liabilities, which are subordinated to claims of depositors and other creditors None. Undeclared dividends on preferred stock and unpaid interest on capital notes and debentures, accrued prior to end of last dividend or interest period None.

†This bank's capital is represented by \$..... capital notes and debentures sold to Reconstruction Finance Corporation and \$..... sold to public; 180 shares of first preferred stock, par value \$100.00 per share, retireable at \$100.00 per share; ..... shares of second preferred stock, par \$..... per share, retireable at \$..... per share; and 250 shares of common stock, par \$100.00 per share.

### MEMORANDA

35. Pledge assets (except real estate), rediscounts, and securities loaned:	
(a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and fully guaranteed, pledged to secure liabilities	\$15,000.00
(b) Other assets (except real estate) pledged to secure liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement)	30,000.00
(c) TOTAL	\$45,000.00
36. Secured and preferred liabilities:	
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirement of law	45,000.00
(d) Deposits preferred under provisions of law but not secured by pledge of assets	2,024.04
(e) TOTAL	\$47,024.04

I, H. W. Cabe, Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. W. CABE, Cashier

Correct—Attest:

C. F. MOODY, Director  
W. A. ROGERS, Director  
M. L. DOWDLE, Director

State of North Carolina,  
County of Macon.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 18th day of January, 1938, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.  
My commission expires January 30, 1938.

PAUL KIRK, Notary Public.