

Workers Having Exhausted Benefits Should Register

RALEIGH, March 30.—Unemployed workers who have exhausted their benefits based on their work during the first three quarters of 1937 and who worked some in the last quarter of last year, should re-register for benefits at their local employment office now so they can begin to get any additional benefits based on work the fourth quarter, which are to be available after April 1, the unemployment compensation commission announces.

Benefits for the first quarter of this year, January, February, and March, had to be based on the earnings of workers in the first three quarters of last year, or up to September 30. On and after April 1, this year, the earnings in October, November and December, last year, can also be considered. Many workers had earnings in those last three months of last year, and had exhausted their wage credits or will soon exhaust those based on the first three quarters of last year. They still have to their credit any earnings in the last three months of 1937, and can get those benefits after April 1, if they are otherwise eligible.

In order to get these additional benefits, the unemployed worker should register again at the employment office, even though he had signed up the continued claims long enough to use up his benefit amounts. In such cases, the central office will figure the benefits again, including the fourth quarter earnings of last year.

If a worker has been employed some of last year and on through the first quarter of this year, then the earnings during the last quarter of last year will be included in figuring his benefits, in case he becomes unemployed after April 1.

Hospital News

Mrs. Tudor Hall, of Highlands, underwent an operation in the hospital last week. Her condition is favorable.

Mrs. Jane Bryson, 88 years old, of Cullasaja, underwent an operation last week. Her condition is satisfactory.

James Cole, of Rainbow Springs, is a patient in the hospital with a broken thigh.

Holbert Billings, N. C. F-10, Aquone, underwent an appendix operation last week.

B. M. Angel, 88 years old, of Ellijay, continues to improve after a second operation.

Mrs. Ida Ramey, of Otto, is a patient in this hospital and has been seriously ill suffering with internal hemorrhages. After a blood transfusion she has greatly improved.

Capt. Charles R. McCormack, N. C. F-23, Otto, is a patient in the hospital suffering with pneumonia. His condition is very serious.

Fred Bryson, Jr., son of Fred Bryson, of Cullasaja, underwent an operation for empyema. For a few days his condition was serious but now it is satisfactory.

Mrs. Rufus Joines, who recently spent one month in the Duke hospital at Durham, has entered Angel hospital where she will shortly undergo a major operation for serious kidney ailment.

N. C. Farmers Need More Certified Seed

The production of certified seed is one of the steps essential to improving the quality and yields of North Carolina crops.

Certified seed are produced by grower members of the N. C. crop improvement association, said A. D. Stewart, extension seed specialist at State college who is working with the association.

Growers who wish to grow seed that can be certified as pure, of a good variety, and free from noxious weeds and diseases may join the association and secure approved seed from the N. C. agricultural experiment station at State college or from other credited breeders.

While the crops are growing, representatives of the association make field inspections to ascertain whether the crops are free from mixture with other strains, free from disease, and uncontaminated with weed seeds.

After harvesting, the seed are tested in the laboratories of the

state botany division for purity and germination.

If the seed passes all the tests, and the variety is a good one for this state, the association places a blue tag of certification on the seed container.

R. L. WHITMAN FOR CONGRESS

(Continued From Page One) standing between business and government. Each is dependent upon the other.

"(10) Private business should be given every opportunity to absorb unemployment, but the government must allow no man to go hungry who is disposed to work.

"(11) Peace, but not at any price, should always be our supreme objective.

"(12) For the preservation of democracy and our national sovereignty, we need a navy and air force second to none, but there must be no alliances with foreign nations in times of peace.

"(13) If America is to remain free and democratic, private enterprise and individual initiative must be encouraged, pursuit of happiness and the right to enjoy the fruits of one's own labor must be protected and freedom of speech, press and religion must be upheld.

"(14) Upon this platform, if elected, I will not break faith with the founders of the republic."

State College Answers Timely Farm Questions

Q. When should I cull the cockerels from my early hatched chicks?

A. Where cockerels are to be saved for breeders, the first culling should be made when from eight to twelve weeks old. For best results the flock should be culled continuously and all through the growing period the birds should be watched carefully and any cockerels showing poor development or lacking in vitality should be discarded. The first culling of pullets may be made at the same time and the same procedure followed through the growing period.

Q. Is it necessary to side dress

Oxford Crew in Action on the Thames



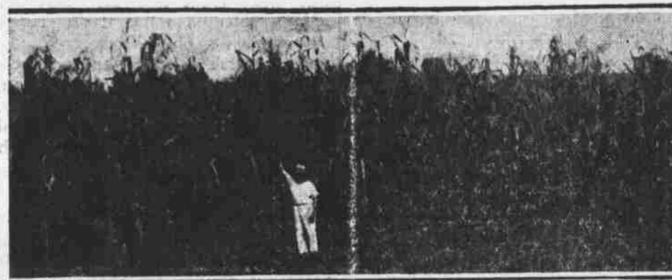
The newly completed Oxford boat race crew out for the first time, in action on the Thames, where they prepared for the annual race. The crew's average weight is 184 pounds, which makes them the heaviest to row in the race since its inauguration 109 years ago.

vegetables with nitrate of soda?

A. The quality of succulent vegetables is dependent upon rapid growth and it is often necessary to make side applications of quickly available nitrogen to maintain vigorous growth. The time of application will, of course, depend upon the vigor and maturity of the crop and upon seasonal conditions and the grower must use his best judgment as to the time. Care must be taken not to let the fertilizer come into direct contact with the plants as this may cause damage through burning or scalding.

Q. At what age should a calf be given grain and hay?

A. Small amounts of both grain and hay should be offered the calf at about two weeks of age or when the substitution of skim-milk for whole milk is begun. Only a handful or two of grain should be given the first day and this amount can be gradually increased until the animal is receiving about three pounds a day at six months of age. No more grain than the calf will clean up should be given at one feeding. Hay should be fed sparingly at first and gradually increased until the animal is getting all it will consume. On account of the laxative nature of alfalfa, it is best to use a clean, bright mixed hay for first three or four weeks. After that good, leafy alfalfa hay is best.



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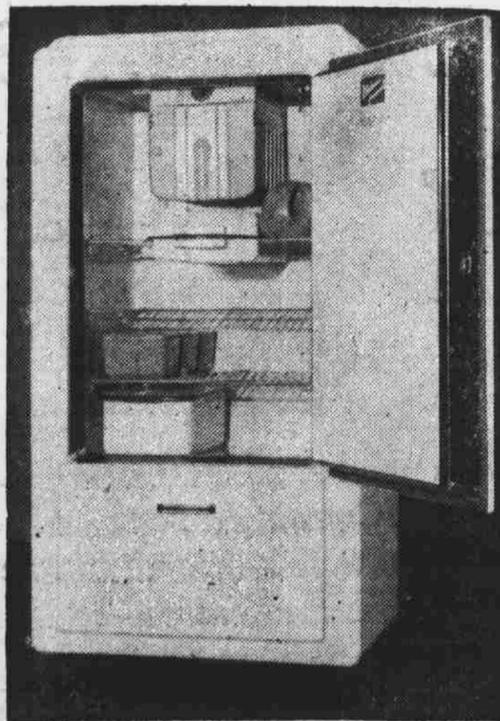
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