

44,656 MEMBERS JUNIOR ORDER

Membership Is Constantly Growing; 174 in This County

Members of the Junior Order United American Mechanics in North Carolina now number 44,656, according to statistics compiled by Sam F. Vance, of Kernersville, state council secretary. The number includes 1,044 members of 21 new councils organized during the past year. The North Carolina state council ranks third in the United States from the standpoint of membership. Juniors in this county number 174, the state secretary's report shows. Under the leadership of B. C. Siske, of Pleasant Garden, the new state councillor, a determined effort to carry the membership beyond the 50,000 mark will be made. Through the operation of the field representatives, the councillor plans to stress strengthening of old councils and the institution of many new ones.

Windsor School Girl Badly Hurt There Last Tuesday

The 11-year-old daughter of Dancy Cale and wife was dangerously injured in Windsor last Tuesday when she ran her bicycle into a truck. The girl was leaving school on Highway No. 30 when she collided with the truck and suffered a broken arm, collar bone, and thigh. She was rushed through here to a hospital in Rocky Mount, where she is expected to recover.

Brick Brooder Finding Favor With Growers

The brick brooder is not better but it is just as good as the commercial brooder and probably much cheaper. The brick brooder is a recent development in North Carolina, but thousands of good poultrymen have found them satisfactory. They are easily constructed from brick or from stone found on the farm, and the fire hazard is not so great. Plans for building these brooders may be obtained by writing the poultry department at State College.

COURT UPHOLDS ACTION OF BOARD

Two Members Gum Neck School Committee Are Removed by Board

A decision was handed down recently by Judge W. L. Small, of Elizabeth City, holding that the Tyrrell County Board of Education had the right to remove the committeemen of the Gum Neck school in that county, and this was settled a much publicized case. W. L. Whitley, of Plymouth, was asked by the State School Commission in Raleigh to represent the interests of the Tyrrell County Board of Education, which was the defendants in the case. And the findings in the case by the jurist was sent to him here. C. A. Jones and F. T. Armstrong were serving on the Gum Neck school committee and scattered reports reached the officials that these two men had been accepting compensation from teachers for their employment in this school, and the county officials asked them to resign. Instead of complying with the instructions of the county officials the committee decided to continue in this capacity and then the county officials ordered them removed, but the local committee secured an injunction to hold their offices. Then he matter went into the courts. Mr. Whitley, as attorney for the Tyrrell County Board of Education, was advised today that the county board had the authority to remove the committeemen and that the case was dismissed and that this judgment was final. The Tyrrell County Board of Education, composed of C. J. Cahoon, John A. Sawyer, and J. E. Norris, and H. G. Robertson, superintendent of the schools in the county, were named defendants. A third member of the committee resigned when the matter came up and was not ordered removed.

HOME AGENTS OF STATE TO MEET

Hold Conference at State College on November 7, 8, and 9

Home demonstration agents employed by the State College agricultural extension service will hold a conference at the college on November 7, 8, and 9, according to Mrs. Jane S. McKimmon, state agent in charge of this work. The purpose of the conference, Mrs. McKimmon says, is to take an inventory of work done in 1933 and to make plans for aiding a larger number of farm women next season. "In our emergency canning work this summer, we found a large number of women who had never before had a part in our home demonstration clubs, and we are anxious to expand our services to meet the needs of these women," she said. "To do this, we are planning to ask our trained leaders to do much of the work in the clubs now organized so that the county agents may be free to reach some of the unorganized women who need our aid. We shall also make plans to have leaders reach some of the unorganized women in their own communities." The outstanding feature of home demonstration work next season will be reaching the woman who has not been reached heretofore. Not only does Mrs. McKimmon plan to use the home agents and the trained leaders to do this, but she expects to use her specialists from the college to go before these women and give them the benefit of demonstration work. At first, the elementary demonstrations will be made to be followed as rapidly as possible with the more advanced work which older home demonstration club members are now mastering. Another feature of the conference in November will be the daily round table discussions by which each agent will benefit and learn from the experiences of the other, Mrs. McKimmon said.

Cotton Stalks Should Be Destroyed Early

One of the most important things to be done in the fall to control boll weevils is the destruction of cotton stalks immediately after the last picking. The quicker the stalks are destroyed the better the control. This method of control has the added feature of being cheap and is just as effective as dusting with calcium arsenate in that it destroys the hibernating and feeding places. Destroying the stalks will not only kill a certain percentage of the weevils but will also control many other insects that infest cotton fields.

PEANUTS SHORT IN AUSTRALIA

Importation of Virginia Peanuts Authorized by Government

Virginia peanuts will be welcomed in Australia this year, according to a report received at the Norfolk bureau of the Department of Commerce. This bulletin said: "Owing to a shortage in the peanut crop, the Queensland Peanut board has been given permission by the Australian Commonwealth Government to import 350 (long) tons of peanut kernels, according to a report from Trade Commissioner Earl C. Squire, Sydney, August 12, 1933. Importation is conditional on the kernels being distributed among the board's customers in proportion to the particular manufacturer's purchases during the year ending June, 1932, and used only for manufacturing purposes. The kernels will be admitted under tariff item 434, a special by-law providing for a lower rate of duty on products to be used in domestic manufacture. The duty under the general tariff (applicable to imports from the United States), is 20 per cent ad valorem. In addition to the import duty, there is assessed a primage duty of 10 per cent ad valorem. A sales tax of 6 per cent of the sales value is payable by the manufacturer or whole seller at the time of sale to a retailer or to the public direct. "The importation of peanuts into Australia has been prohibited since May 3, 1929."

PLANT NOW FOR EARLY GARDEN

Some Crops Can Be Planted At This Season for Early Vegetable Supply

Though garden work is generally considered to be over at this season, there are a few crops which may be planted in most sections of the state for a supply of early vegetables next spring. "Lettuce seed may be planted during the latter part of October or early in November to assure a supply of head lettuce next spring," says E. B. Morrow, extension horticulturist at State College. "The plants will come through the winter if given light protection such as that afforded by a cloth-covered frame. Onion sets may be planted in October and will provide a crop of green onions early next season. The two best varieties for this purpose are the White Pearl and the Silverskin. Spinach, kale, rape, and mustard will make early spring greens if planted now and the seed row mulched with straw or a light application of straw manure." Mr. Morrow also advised planting cabbage seed in beds at this time to be reset in the open field by January or early February. One of the most important garden jobs at present, however, is to harvest and store the surplus crops produced this fall. Cabbage, celery, beets, carrots, parsnips, turnips, and Irish potatoes keep best at a cool temperature and in moderately moist atmospheres. The common forms of storage, such as pits, hills, and cellars, may be used for this purpose. Onions and other bulbous crops keep best at cool temperatures but in dry atmospheres.

PRODUCTION OF COTTON IS HIGH

Despite Plow-Up, Crop Is Nearly as Large as Last Year

Washington. — Cotton production this year was forecast Monday by the Department of Agriculture at 12,885,000 bales of 500 pounds gross weight, compared with 12,414,000 bales indicated a month ago, and 13,002,000 bales produced last year. The conditions of the crop on October 1 was 66.7 per cent of normal compared with 67.5 a month ago, 54.2 on October 1, last year, and 57.1 the 10-year average on October 1. The indicated yield per acre was announced as 205.3 pounds, compared with 197.8 pounds indicated a month ago, 173.3 pounds produced last year, and 167.4 pounds the 10-year average. The production forecast as based on the preliminary acreage statistics which placed the area remaining October 1 for harvest at 30,036,000 acres, allowing deduction for the proposed removal of acreage reported to the agricultural adjustment administration less abandonment of acreage not under contract. The acrea in cultivation July 1 this year was 40,770,000 acres.

TWO BAY MULES, A HORSE

Two bay mules, a horse mule 6; and a mare mule about 8 years old, strayed away from my farm October 5. \$10 reward for information leading to recovery. Edgar Harrell, Oak City. o18 2t

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