

FARM DEMONSTRATION AGENTS COLUMN

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FARM SLOGAN—FIVE OR MORE CRACKING GOOD MILK COWS; ONE HUNDRED OR MORE CRACKING GOOD STANDARD-BRED FOWLS.

Board of Commissioners Votes for T. B. Test of Cattle—On Tuesday the County Board of Commissioners accepted the Federal and State proposition to test all the cattle in the county for tuberculosis. Dr. Husman, of the Federal Bureau of Animal Industry, explained the proposition to the commissioners and urged them to adopt it. Under the plan of testing followed in this work every head of cattle 2 weeks of age or over will be tested for tuberculosis. Cattle that react must be removed from the herd and killed. All such cattle will be appraised by the owner and the veterinarian doing the testing, the value decided upon, and the owner will then receive 2-3 of the appraised value of the animals up to \$500 a head. The test will be compulsory, every head of cattle in the county must be tested. When finished the county will become accredited, no cattle can lawfully be shipped into the county from any untested territory without first being tested. We can ship cattle to any other section, and it will be one step toward getting cream and milk from the county onto the Asheville market. Best of all it will remove the tuberculin milk cows from the county, the cows that spread tuberculosis to the human race. The Commissioners should be commended for the step they have taken.

KEYS' COWS STILL MAKING

J. Keys sold the cream from the milk of five cows at the cream station. He received for this cream right at \$66. He paid out for feed for these cows and for two other cows, the product of which was used at home, \$4 per week. Does it pay?

THAT POULTRY SHOW—Everything is headed toward a Big Poultry Show at Marshall, on Tuesday, October 5th. The following varieties of fowls will compete for premiums offered: White Leghorns, Brown Leghorns, Anconas, Rhode Island Reds, Barred Plymouth Rocks, White Plymouth Rocks, White Wyandottes. In each variety there will be a premium for the best Cock, the best Cockerel, the best Hen, the best Pullet, and for the best pen. The best exhibit in each class will receive a premium of \$1, cash; the second best bird, 50c, cash. A cock is a male bird hatched previous to the year 1926; a cockerel is a male bird hatched in the year 1926. A hen is a female hatched previous to 1926, while a pullet is one hatched in 1926. A pen of birds will consist of a male bird and 4 female birds. Birds entered in the single classes cannot compete with the birds in the pens nor can the birds entered in the pens compete in the single classes.

There will be classes for eggs at this show. For the best dozen white eggs, and the best dozen brown eggs, a premium of \$1 will be awarded. For the second best dozen of white eggs and of brown eggs a premium of 50c will be awarded. Size, color, uniformity, and



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quality will be considered in awarding the premiums on eggs. In other words they will be graded according to the market standards.

APPLE SHOW—In addition to the poultry show on October 5th, there will be an exhibit of apples. The varieties recognized at this show will be the Red Delicious, Golden Delicious, Stayman Winesap, Red Winesap, Rome Beauty, York Imperial, Virginia Beauty, and an open class of any variety. The entry for each class shall consist of a Plate of Five Apples. For the best plate of five apples of each variety a premium of 75c shall be offered; for the second best plate, 50c shall be offered.

A sweepstakes prize of \$1 will be given for the best Plate of Five Apples exhibited, irrespective of variety.

For the best collection of apples of four or more varieties, 5 apples of each variety, a Grand Prize of \$5 will be given. The plates of apples entered in competition for this prize shall not be eligible for the other prize offered in apples.

The Following Business Houses have generously contributed to the premiums offered at the Poultry and Apple Show to be held on October 5th:

Citizens Bank, P. V. Rector, Service Motor Co., A. W. Bryan, E. N. Ramsey, J. T. Redmon, O. C. Rector, J. N. West, Bank of French Broad, Marshall Pharmacy, City Mill Co., J. M. Ramsey, Z. V. Fisher & Son, Shelton-Tweed Co., G. L. McKinney, Coal, Feed & Lumber Co., Henderson Motor Co., E. E. Tweed, The News-Record.

Doctors and Lawyers Give Special Prizes—On Poultry and Apple Day, Tuesday, October 5th, in addition to the regular premiums offered, the Doctors and Lawyers of Marshall will offer special prizes. There will be a drawing contest, the winner of which will be entitled to a \$5 bill. A guessing contest, the winner of which will receive a \$5 bill. To be eligible to these premiums the participant must register in the morning previous to 11 o'clock and at this time register his guess in the Guessing Contest. At the end of the afternoon these premiums will be awarded. The names of those registered will be on slips of paper which will be shaken up and a drawing made by a little girl. The person whose name is

the slip drawn, if present in person, will receive the prize. If not present other drawings will be made, until the name of someone present is drawn.

The guessing contest will be on the number of kernels of corn a rooster can eat. This bird will be in a coop with a counted number of kernels in front of him. At the close of the day the number of kernels he has eaten will be calculated and the person whose registered guess is nearest this amount will win the premium. The person who makes the guess must be present in person or the premium will go to that person present whose guess is next closest. Get out your rooster and feed him.

STATE PEOPLE HERE ON OCTOBER 5th—Mr. A. G. Oliver, Extension Poultry Specialist, will judge the poultry exhibited on October 5th. We expect him to talk to us a few minutes also about the exhibits.

Mr. John W. Goodman, District Agent, from Asheville will also be present. Mr. Goodman knows the mountains and always has something worth while listening to.

Mr. I. O. Schaub, Director of Extension and Dean of Agriculture at the State College, Raleigh, has promised to come to Marshall on October 5th and address the people. Mr. Schaub is a very interesting talker and always his talks are full of good things to hear and to put into practice. Mr. Schaub is always welcomed when he comes to a town where he has previously been and always has a good audience. We believe that the last named facts are the best endorsement we can give. We invite every one in Madison County to Marshall on October 5th to listen to Mr. Schaub.

FROM HOT SPRINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Davis have returned after an extensive tour of Canada, visiting many points of interest such as Niagara Falls, Montreal, and different cities on their trip, and report to friends that they had a lovely time.

Miss Fannie Canada, a member of the high school faculty, spent the week-end at Cosby Academy, Tennessee, where she formerly taught.

Mrs. Mary Ramsey of Jonesboro, Tenn., has been visiting her cousin, Miss Epps Haws.

Miss Elizabeth Lawson left Monday for Carson-Newman, where she will attend school during the year.

Miss Frances Sawyer has returned to Tulsa, Oklahoma, to resume her duties as teacher in the city schools.

Miss Jennie Lee Chandler, of the graded school faculty, spent the week-end at her home in Walnut.

Messrs. Roy Plemmons, Bob McClure and — had a very enjoyable trip to Rich Mt.

Mr. Morris Buquo spent the week-end at his home.

Rev. Mr. Doyle conducted chapel exercises at the high school last Friday, giving a very interesting talk on "Authority as a Fundamental."

The opening baseball game was played Tuesday in Walnut, the score being 7-4 in favor of Walnut.

After conducting devotional exercises in chapel Monday, Rev. Mr. Newton gave a most delightful and humorous reading, "Pigs is Pigs."

Miss Marie Odell, of the graded school faculty, has returned to resume her duties, after spending a summer session at North Carolina College for Women in Greensboro.

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Mrs. Abe Long and Mrs. Howard Euston spent Wednesday in Asheville.

Mrs. Blackwell returned Saturday from the hospital and is at much improved.

Mr. Oscar S. Brooks left Saturday for Bulls Gap, Tenn. Mrs. Brooks will leave later and they will spend the winter in Bulls Gap.

The Dorning Bell school opened Tuesday and they have a girls' school only this year.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Whisman spent Thursday in Asheville.

Mr. John Gordon, a merchant of



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enahip of Trust were in town Sunday.

Mr. W. T. Parker arrived Sunday on the Carolina Special and is spending a few days with home folks. Mr. Parker is with the General Railway Signal Co. located at Rome, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Fuller of Laurens, S. C., are guests this week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Melton.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Ryns and son, of Newport, Tenn., spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Ruffy.

Miss Ruth Brown and a party of friends from Asheville were in Hot Springs Labor Day. Miss Brown was formerly of Spring Creek, but now holds a responsible position with the Central Bank in Asheville.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Brooks, who was living in Chimney Rock, drove in Monday and will spend some time here.

The new building of O. S. Brooks is practically completed. The street floor was occupied on the first day of September by the new firm of J. W. Morris and Co., with a new and up-to-date line of hardware, shoes, and ladies and gents furnishings. The second floor has been filled out as a modern apartment with offices on the front designed especially for the use of the local telephone company. C. C. Brown, manager of the telephone company, will occupy them and will move the exchange to this building within the next few days.

Mr. J. D. Hensley has sold his grocery business to the Fleming-Kirby Grocery Co., and the latter took charge of the business the first of the month.

A picnic was given to celebrate Miss Betsy Ellerson's birthday, Friday at 4:30 p. m. They drove in cars to Iron Springs. Those invited were: Misses Margaret Lippard, Elizabeth Trubbs, Mary Lee Isler and Helen Dishill; Master George Lippard, Tommie Bruce, John and Tom Davis, Beverly Isler and Sherman Hill. They all reported a very lovely afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellerson have as their guest her brother, Mr. Will Garrett, of Asheville, N. C. He has just gotten over an operation and his many friends hope he will go back home very much improved in health.

Mrs. Margaret Culbertson, of Asheville, stopped in Hot Springs today. She will also visit her parents at Bluff.

The many friends of Miss Maud Culbertson wish to congratulate her on winning the new Oakland Sport roadster, given by W. I. Phillips Co., in Asheville for the greatest.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Tipton Polly and children, of Appalashia, Va., motored to Hot Springs Friday and spent the week and with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brooks.

The Ladies Aid Society held their

meeting Tuesday at 3:30 p. m. at the home of Miss Mary Robertson. About twenty members were present and most delicious refreshments were served and a very interesting program rendered. A little surprise was given for three of the members when gifts were received for their birthdays, Mrs. Thomas Ruffy, Mrs. Thomas Frisbee and Mrs. Joe Brooks being the oldest member of the Aid, her age being 75. The birthday cake cut by the President, Mrs. Ruffy. We hope each member will be present in October as it is time to elect new officers.

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THE DULL CHILD

Don't worry if your child is not always an honor pupil in his grade. Just an infant prodigy sometimes develop into backward adult, so dull children frequently become brilliant later. It is a great injustice to imply that they are stupid, or are dunces. Besides making them tragically unhappy, it develops in them either resentment and a sullen disposition or an inferiority complex, either of which may exert an injurious influence upon their entire lives.

The mosaic disease of tobacco is causing tremendous damage in some sections of eastern Carolina this summer.

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