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Spring Fever Threat To Easter Egg Pool

Of all things, Spring Fever is charged with the blackest threat to the egg supply at Eastertide.

C. F. Parrish, Extension poultry expert at State College, has this to say about what the coming of warm weather does to hens, not to mention the perennial Easter Bunny:

"With the advent of warm weather, more hens become broody and egg production in many cases is sharply lowered. The standard egg production per hen for April is 18 eggs, assuming that the standard bird lays 180 eggs in a year. Extensive culling will be needed in order to maintain this average. Almost without fail in past years the price of hens has advanced just before Easter. So, this year, April should prove a good month in which to rigidly cull laying flocks."

Much of the spring egg supply also is lost because of quick spoilage, Parrish observed. More than 200 carloads of North Carolina eggs went down the wrong drain last year, principally because of spoilage, Parrish declared.

"Most eggs that spoil are fertile and have been subjected to sufficient heat (above 68 degrees) to start germ growth. Most of the loss resulting from heat damage to fertile eggs can be prevented in advance by removing roosters from the flock, thus producing infertile eggs. Too, warm weather eggs should be gathered frequently, three times a day if possible. They should be stored in a cool, moist place. The main preventive measure against egg losses, however, is a bachelor's pen for roosters."

tains National Park near Ravensford; partial grading between Balsam and Soco Gaps.

The balance of the North Carolina projects included in the 1947 Blue Ridge Parkway program are as follows: Completion of viaduct near Blowing Rock; guard wall at Virginia line to Deep Gap 8; grade separation structure near Blowing Rock; bituminous surfacing north of Blowing Rock.

Weaver commented, "the four-lane parkway which has been referred to repeatedly as a project constituting discrimination by the Federal government as between North Carolina and Tennessee is purely a state project proposed to be under the Highway Act, just as all of the main highways of North Carolina and Tennessee are built."

"Of course, if Tennessee desires to use its funds, to be matched by Federal funds, in this way, it could hardly be questioned. No Federal appropriation has been made for it other than under the Highway Act."

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Haywood Man Posthumously Awarded DSC

Mrs. Mary K. Pope, of Clyde, was presented with the Distinguished Service Cross, posthumously awarded her husband, Ellis M. Pope, at Moore General hospital Wednesday.

Pope, a private in the infantry, was awarded the DSC for extraordinary heroism in action on March 19, 1945, near Ludwigswinkel, Germany.

Presentation was made at hospital headquarters by Capt. Dan Kadrovach, adjutant.

The citation follows: "For extraordinary heroism in action on March 19, 1945, near Ludwigswinkel, Germany, Private Pope, as a rifleman with an infantry company, was a member of a platoon that was engaged in an advance on the enemy. Suddenly both his platoon and another were subjected to intense automatic and small arms fire from prepared and well concealed enemy fox-holes and pillboxes, manned by an estimated 200 Germans."

"The two platoons had advanced until they were virtually on top of the enemy positions and the close range and intensity of the hostile fire pinned the men to the ground where they were ready targets for German snipers. Private Pope voluntarily moved forward to assault the enemy positions, exposing himself to concentrated machine gun fire. He destroyed one burp gun with a hand grenade and killed the gunner, then continuing his heroic advance, he killed a sniper with well aimed rifle shots."

"He continued to lay down a heavy base of fire, forcing one enemy machine gun to cease firing and so harassing the enemy that its overhead fire was lifted for a long enough time that his platoon was able to withdraw to safety under a near-by bridge. Later, while seeking cover under the same bridge, he was mortally wounded when it was destroyed. His loyal and courageous efforts reflect the highest credit upon himself and exemplify the finest traditions of the United States infantryman."

Mrs. Pope's two small sons, Melvin and Roy, and Pope's mother, Mrs. W. C. Pope, of Canton, were among the witnesses at the ceremony.

Pre-School Clinic To Be Held At Inman's Chapel Today

The pre-school clinic, scheduled as part of the program which is being sponsored in the county by the Parent-Teachers Association and the health department, will be held this morning at 9:30 o'clock at the Health Center at Inman's Chapel.

As it is the day for the regular monthly clinic conducted at this center, both mothers and pre-school children are expected to attend.

Lt. Annie Paxton Of Canton Goes To Oliver General

Lt. Annie D. Paxton, Army Nursing Corps, who has been stationed at Camp Butler for the past several months has recently been transferred to Oliver General Hospital in Augusta, Ga., according to information received by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Paxton of Canton.

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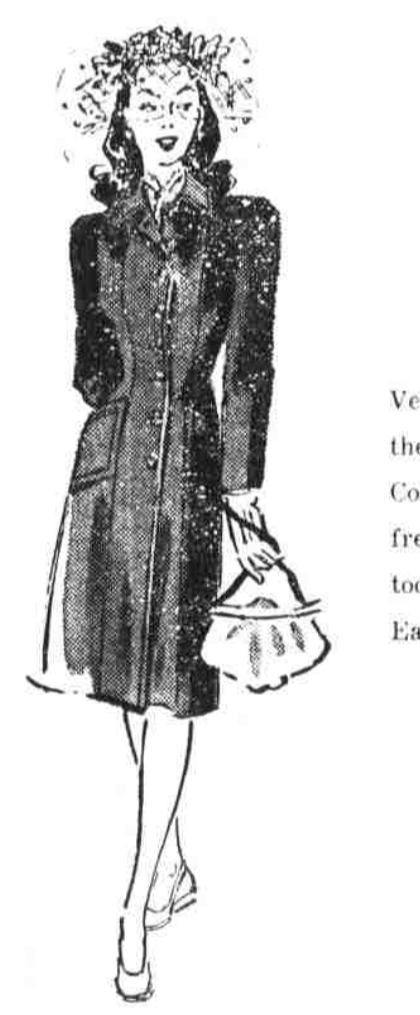


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