

ORANGE COUNTY M AGENTS' COLUMN

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SUCCESSFUL
Cold rainy weather in ham and Orange attended the Forest last week and had forestry facts pointed. On one acre of 30 bly pines, 16 cords were cut by a thin-ning leaving 300 trees grow into saw tim- cut-over scrub oak pine seedlings by cover all small trees diameter and under harrow attached. took a little more. The remaining trees were girdled with 2-4-5. It is es- to convert this acre table hardwoods to

SHEEP FIELD DAY—MARCH 13

C. A. Greene, Assistant County Agent, announces a sheep field day to be held Wednesday, March 13th on the farms of Raymond Weaver and Clyde Roberts located in the St. Mary's Community. The meeting will begin on Mr. Weaver's farm, located 5 miles east of Hillsboro on St. Marys Road, at 1:30 p.m.
Both of these farmers are suc- cessful sheep producers, and their flocks will be used to demon- strate good parasite control, se- lection of breeding animals, feed-

ing practices, shearing, and pas- ture management.
Orders for Western ewes will be accepted at this meeting.

LIQUID NITROGEN

Farmers all over the county are becoming interested in the use of liquid Nitrogen to top dress their small grain, corn, and pastures.
The State College Experiment Station has published a bulletin which in effect states that a pound of Nitrogen in liquid form is just as effective as an equal amount of Nitrogen in solid fertilizer. They urge all farmers to use a suffi- cient amount of Nitrogen since this element is so often the limit- ing factor in determining crop yields.

CHICK WEED CONTROL

In a test on the control of chick weed in alfalfa on the farm of George Lasley in the White Cross Community the County Agents re- ported that a spray containing Dinitro effectively controlled the chick weed without damaging the alfalfa. The proper time to begin spraying for control of chick weed is in December.

NEW INSECT DISCOVERED

Harry Woods of the Schley Com- munity noticed his alfalfa was looking bad. An inspection indi- cated it was heavily infested with larvae of the Alfalfa Weevil, which is a serious alfalfa pest. This is the first outbreak of this insect to be noted in Orange County, and is considered very damaging to the alfalfa crop. Since this re- port the County Agents have found several other fields affected by this weevil.

Recommended control is to spray immediately before the alfalfa plant begins its spring growth with 2 pounds of Chlordane or 4 oz. of Dieldren, or Heptachlor per acre. 2 pounds per acre of DDT can also be used at this early stage, but it is poisonous to stock if used later on.

PIG PARLORS BEING USED

The lowly pigs now have a par- lor in which to fatten. The latest method of mass production of pork is to build a 22 x 30' con- crete slab covered over with an aluminum roof in which 50 feeder pigs are placed for fattening. Water under pressure is used to clean

Special Broadcasts On Social Security Questions Offered

By F. A. BRANDON,
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The Social Security Administra- tion, which administers the Fed- eral Old-Age and Survivors Insur- ance system, and the Internal Re- venue Service, which collects the social security taxes, receive many questions daily from farm people about the law which has come to affect most every person who works for a living. Here are some of the most common questions:

1. Will I get social security cred- its for my farm work if I am a self-employed farmer?
2. Will I get these credits if I am employed as a farm worker?
3. If I own a farm, or have an investment in one, and it is operat- ed by someone else, can I use the

this slab daily. The pigs are fed a balanced ration of corn and sup- plement.

Tom Miller in the Schley Com- munity has built the first pig par- lor in the county and is fattening his first hogs.

income I receive from it for social security purpose?

4. When do I pay the social se- curity tax?
5. Who collects the social se- curity tax?
6. How can I tell when a tax re- turn should be filed?
7. How long must I pay the so- cial security tax before I can qual- ify for benefit payments?
8. When I qualify for benefits, how much can I expect to receive?
9. Must I completely retire be- fore benefits can be paid?
10. How does this option for farmers work?

These and many other questions will be answered by George R. El- more, Agent, Internal Revenue Service, and F. A. Brandon, Field Representative, Social Security Administration, Durham, N. C., in a series of special broadcasts pre- sented as a public service by Ra- dio Station WCHL. These broad- casts are scheduled for presenta- tion each Saturday at 6:30 a.m. be- ginning February 23 and continu- ing through March 30.

For current and timely social security news, read your newspa- per regularly.

About half the people in the United States 15 years of age or older drink milk on an average day, re- port marketing specialists with the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

At silo filling time farmers should watch out for a poisonous gas—nitrogen dioxide—that may form in fresh silage, the U. S. Department of Agriculture advises.

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