Paralleling the theories of the Axis powers in the recent war is yet un-answered a question in poultry: What

is the 'master race' in chickens?
The Axis discovered, painfully and at great cost, that there is no 'master race', Poultrymen of the State College Extension Service are in agreement, too, that there is no "ultrasuperior" strain of chickens although breeds have betters records others as broilers or egg-lay-

R. S. Dearstyne, head of the Department of Poultry Science at State College, says that American breeds such as Rocks, Reds and New Hampshires have desirable qualities as broilers. Leghorns and related American breeds, he adds, the transfer of the state of t

not necessarily mean that they will produce heavily." A chick's quality is determined by breeding before the egg is hatched and even good management can not develop quality in a chicken after hatching. "Consequently," Dearstyne says, "a person starting in poultry work

should consider his objectives very carefully and in doing this, consult with the agricultural advisor in his county as to what the demands of

### Bankers Back Farm **Speaking Contest**

ect judges in determining winners can discolor the garment underneath, to appear in the finals. Yet more than one contestant from each county.

Price of eggs was consistently

may enter the finals.

The 12-county winner will be a-warded, in addition to first prize money, a trip to Pinehurst and there will deliver the winning oration be-fore the bankers' annual assembly scheduled for a date yet unannounc-

It has been suggested that county contests be conducted on or about April 18. Prizes to county winners will be announced later.

# are normally better egg producers. Hints To Farm

By Ruth Current

White spots on varnished furniture may be caused by standing water, hot dishes or alcohol, ac-cording to wood experts and furnishings specialists.

If the spots are slight, they may

the local market are and thus tips to the nearest and best sources of stock that will probably meet his needs."

If the spots are sugar, they have removed simply by rubbing with camphorated oil or oil of peppermint—get 10c worth at the drug store. Or they may disappear when the strince of the furniture is washed with a mixture of I quart of warm water; 3 tablespoons of boiled linseed oil, and I tablespoon of turpentine; then dried with a soft dry cloth, and rubbed with furniture polish.

The North Carolina Bankers Association will aponsor a recitation-declamation contest in April among high school boys and girls in 12 western North Carolina counties on the subject of soil conservation, it has been announced by Frank Dogget soil conservationist of the State College Extension Service.

Finals of the speaking contest will be held in the Elkin Y. M. C. A. at 2 p. m., April 25. Victory bond prizes of \$100, \$50 and \$25 going to winners of first, second and third places. The contest, designed to familiarize farm boys and girls of high school age with modern practices of soil conservation, will be conducted in Alexander, Alleghany, Ashe, Caldwell, Davidson, Davie, Forsyth, Iredell, Stokes, Surry, Wilkes

'Master Race' Query Arises In Poultry

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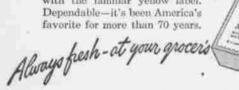
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