School Opening Calls For More Careful Driving

Raleigh, N. C .- Readin', 'ritin' and 'rithmetic time is here again for North Carolina's youngsters. "School has either started-or is about to-everywhere, and once again we must increase our

vigilance while driving." This was the warning issued today by Jeff B. Wilson, director of the Highway Safety Division of the North Carólina Department of Motor Vehicles, which is conducting its September highway safety campaign on child safety in traf- |

"School time," said Wilson, takes the child away from his mother's apron strings for a few hours a day and during part of ber, according to the Department, that time he is a potential traffic because at no other time of the

Emphasis on child safety is particularly appropriate in Septem-



their parents of correct pedestrian ness." habits, children are still immature in their thinking, and warnings have very little meaning to them, the Department said.

" We can't over-estimate the mportance of conscientious traffic training on the part of parents," Wilson said, "but we shouldn't forget that the responsibility for child safety will always lie heavier on the shoulders of the motorist than the parents."

In connection with the campaign, Wilson reminded drivers that during the first seven months of this year, 53 children were killed and 533 injured in motor vehicle accidents.

"Many of these deaths," Wilson said, "happened because motorists forgot to expect the unexpected accident victim unless we adults year are so many very young while driving near schools, play-

Moisture Factor In Corn Yields

Since much of the State's corn methods is used. was blown down in recent storms, many farmers entered in the State corn contest will need to harvest their crop early to obtain an early estimate of the yield, according to Dr. E. R. Collins, in charge of agronomy extension at State College.

In general corn is still too wet for accurate estimates of yields 100 or more pounds to a reason, according to L. W. Herrick, Jr., of to be made Dr. Collins says. How- able moisture content before de- State College. ever, he adds, yield estimates can be made early provided a moisture determination is made on the samples weighed.

Where a local moisture tester

children exposed for the first grounds and residential districts. is not available, the grower may termining the shelling percentage time to the dangers of the streets. When a child's life is at stake we obtain a free moisture test by and moisture. This will give a fac-In spite of careful teaching by can't afford the luxury of lax- sending at least one pint of shell- tor for correcting to shelled corn ed corn, in a sealed container, to with 15.5 moisture. Dr. Paul H. Harvey, State College Station, Raleigh.

> Acres entered in the State contest can be harvested early provided one of the following

(1) Dry all the corn in a commercial dryer before weighing, and determine the shelling percentage and moisture. The corn should be sealed in the dryer by the county contest committee, and weighed by the committee after it is dry.

Dr. Collins says all high yields submitted in the State contest must be harvested and certified by a county committee composed of representatives of agricultural agencies and businessmen, with an out-of-county chairman. The acre must be measured by a county surveyor or a licensed surveyor.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Stack of Graham are doing a fine job of (2) Weigh the corn wet. Dry producing quality turkey meat,

A herd of 38 purebred and highgrade Guernsey cows owned by L. H. McKay of Henderson County averaged 9500 pounds of milk and 426 pounds of butterfat per cow last year, says County Agent D. W. Bennett.





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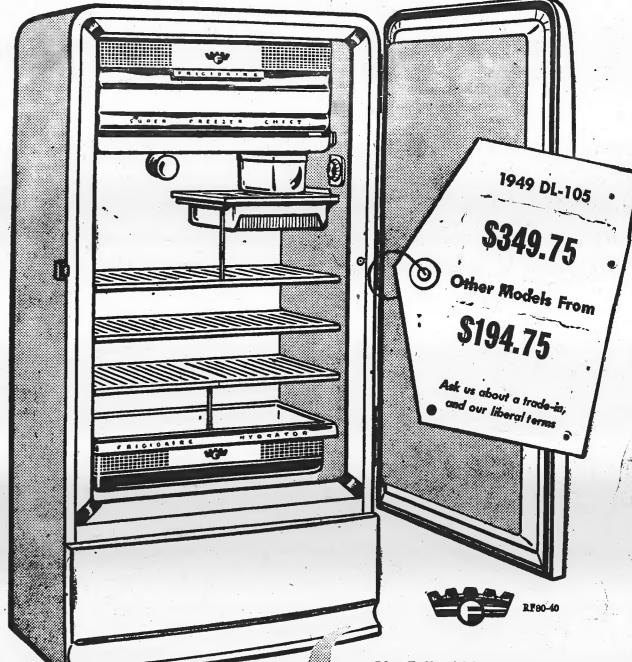
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