

FARM NEWS

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"Food Fights For Freedom" will be the subject of conversation and action in a meeting to be held in Dobson in the Court House on Friday night at 7:30. The Agricultural workers' council will have as their guests a group of state workers headed by O. F. McCary, district agent of the Extension Service of State College. The agricultural workers' council has invited a number of key men from various farm organizations. Some of those invited are the County AAA Committee, the County Superintendent of Schools, the Surry County USDA War Board, the bankers, the draft boards, the county commissioners, the press, and officers of the neighborhood leaders' organization. The size of the job to be done in 1944 will be agreed upon in this meeting. The "size" of the job will be known as "production goals" when it is presented to the farmers as their part in the 1944 war effort.

As we go to press in comes a new bulletin — North Carolina Fights with Extra Food — just published. The bulletin is known as war series bulletin number 28 and was prepared by the N. C. State College Extension Service. The bulletin emphasizes that Extra food can:

1. Shorten the war.
 2. Save American lives.
 3. Help write the peace.
- These advantages of extra food should challenge all of us to do our best in food production in the coming year.
- The bulletin will soon be available in the County Agent's office for distribution to any citizen desiring a copy. It has information right to the point on doing our part on the farm.

S. A. Holder, of Stewarts Creek

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NEGRO WOMAN ROBBED OF \$75

Lizzie Moore, Aged Jonesville Woman, Believed Victim of White Man

SHERIFF INVESTIGATING

Lizzie Moore, aged Jonesville negro woman, widow of the late Oliver Moore, is short \$75.00 in cash from a box she had in the house where she kept her money, but Sheriff A. L. Inscore has the money now, and ready to refill the loosely kept box at the right time. Sheriff Inscore and Deputy Sheriff Fred Vestal of Jonesville have spent much time trying to unravel the old darkey's troubles, get her money back and catch the culprit that stole it. They have succeeded in all but catching the thief.

Lizzie's troubles started when a white man who called himself an Indian, Chief Everett Hodge, who was about as much Indian as a South Carolina Finerooter hog, went to her home to sell her some Indian medicine which would cure her of everything from the toe itch to smallpox. When he left Lizzie's \$75. had gone also. Officers were notified and got on his trail. They found where he had bought an automobile and paid \$75 in cash on it, with bills identical to those lost by Lizzie. The man gave Sheriff Inscore the money and hoped to recover his car. A search by the sheriff located the car in Winston-Salem where it had been sold to a woman for \$30.00. What will become of the car is unknown, but the sheriff will give the old darkey her money back at the right time.

The sheriff's last trip to Winston-Salem Sunday revealed that the "heap big chief Hodge" had gone to the tall timber, and although the search for him will be continued, his present whereabouts cannot be calculated by the officers.

Former County Agent To Manage Big Farm

A. P. Cobb, former Surry county farm agent, left Dobson the first of this week for Battleboro, Edgecombe county, where he will manage a 22,000-acre farm for Braswell Co., an east Carolina farm corporation specializing in the growing of cotton, tobacco and peanuts.

Mr. Cobb will move his family from Dobson to his new place of residence about January 1, he told The Tribune Friday.

fattening hogs just as soon as the weather will permit. We are no weather prophet, but it will soon be cold enough to kill any size hog. There is another advantage of killing extra large hogs as soon as conditions are right — saves feed. Large hogs eat more feed per pound of grain than do smaller animals. By large hogs we mean a fat hog over 300 pounds. It will pay better to give the extra feed to more hogs and kill or sell them at lighter weights.

The following letter to Garland Johnson, Elkin Banker and chairman of the Elkin Agricultural Council is from the heart of a 4-H club boy. We want our readers to share in the spirit of this letter. The letter is as follows:

Route 2, Dobson, N. C.
Oct. 23, 1943.

Dear Mr. Johnson:

I am a 4-H club boy living in the Copeland community. I want to thank you and all the other good people from Elkin for making it possible for us boys and girls to sell our fat livestock in Elkin. I would like for you all to have another sale next year. I sold 4 pigs in the sale. They brought \$14.50 per 100 lbs. I am going to buy me a white-faced bull with the money and try to win first place next fall.

I will close.

Your friend,
HAROLD LAYNE.

That is the spirit that makes real men out of boys. This letter is enough to arouse any citizen to the benefits of 4-H club work and the satisfaction that belongs to a leader like Mr. Johnson. We bet that he has not received many letters lately that he values more highly than this boy's letter.

IRON
Food nutritionists say that a practical way of making sure that you get enough iron is to eat a wide variety of foods.

Don't Miss This! Pre-Thanksgiving ODDS & ENDS CLEAN-UP!

Especially in times like these are these values in odds and ends extremely desirable! Don't get the impression that items advertised are junk. They're not, but good, fine quality merchandise that has become slightly soiled or shopworn and which we have marked down to give-away prices to clear. You'll see, when you visit us, that here are sensational values it will pay you to buy while this opportunity lasts! Be sure to visit us early, for lots will sell quickly.

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