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## City of Kings Mountain

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### At Home On The Farm with The City Cousin

Disinterested as they are in the world affairs, I feel sure that Tar Heel chickens would spurn all other candidates to name as their choice for "Man of the Year" slight, able Prof. Roy Dearstyne, head of the Poultry Department of State College.

There is little likelihood that even the Rhode Island Reds would veto his nomination.

Few men have so strenuously championed the cause of the cacklers during the past 12 months, nor has any man displayed the warmth the human understanding, and the down to earth approach of this ardent campaigner who has learned the innermost secrets of his feathered friends. They have come to think of themselves as "Dearstyne's Chickens," in the true Hiawatha tra-

Through the State College Extension Service, he helps farmers mediate disputes by explaining why egg production is falling off in the hen house, and he has built up a case for the "satisfied fowl" that makes a sulking piker out of the so-called "contented" cow.

I have read, somewhere, about mules being strong of will and taking a narrow-minded attitude about buckling down to work, but this business of chickens striking — well, it just never occurred to me that they were well enough organized, in the first place.

Manufacturers who are stumped

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by such knotty personnel problems as portal to portal pay, increased wages, and shorter hours, have never been up against an irate hen who refuses to lay her best when:

She dines on old, stale mash; the floor of her house is too bare; her house is chilly, and she catches cold there is less than one nest for each five hens or her drinking water is too cold when she goes to work of a morning. And if there's anything that depresses her, saps her vitality, and cuts down the number of those nice, fresh egg-shaped objects she turns out, it's the realization that there just isn't enough elbow room in the place!

This ground has been covered thoroughly by the hard-working professor, who leads you to believe that if the chicken's well-being is not taken into consideration, the expression "As scarce as hen's teeth," may well become "As scarce as hen's eggs."

I think I'd better take this up

Year," so I got him on the phone. "About these crowded pulets," I says, "just how much room do they need for utter happiness?"

"Well, Cousin," he tells me, "you want to allow 20 lineal feet of feeding space for each 100 hens. American breeds need an average of 4 square feet of floor space, and Leghorn require 3 1-2. Comfortable quarters are mighty important during the winter.

He also tells me to provide dry litter at all times, pay close attention to the ventilation, and to rap gently on the hen house door before entering so the birds won't get all flustered.

Tar Heel chickens are extremely fortunate in being represented by a man like the professor. His efforts will not go un-noticed.

### Mecklenburg Club Fighting for Separation

Charlotte. — The Mecklenburg Sportsmen's Wildlife Club, through its president, D. K. Sing of Charlotte, disclosed a few days ago that it is squarely behind the North Carolina Wildlife Federation in its efforts to separate the division of Game and Inland Fisheries from the State Department of Conservation and Development.

The Mecklenburg club is several years old and came into existence before the State Federation. Since its inception one of its top projects has been to obtain this divorce, which hunters and fishermen throughout the State are convinced is necessary for proper conservation and propagation.

Two years ago when unsuccessful efforts were made in the Legislature to set up a separate department Mecklenburg sportsmen were solidly behind the fight. The North Carolina Federation was organized during the closing days of that session and has been active ever since with its number one goal, the enactment of the divorce legislation.

Mr. Sing, an ardent hunter and fisherman, says the Mecklenburg organization will work hand in hand with the State Federation during the legislature. "I have seen the proposed bill and it seems to me to be

### RAMBLING SKETCHES OF Oak Grove News

By Mrs. William Wright

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Ledford and daughter of Shelby were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Ledford and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Philbeck had as their Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Oren White and daughter, Nadine, of Kings Mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Lovelace of the Patterson Grove section were week end guests of Mr. D. A. Bell and Mrs. Everette Ford and children

letter perfect," he says. "The sports men merely ask that they supervise the program, with the money they pay in license fees, to protect our wild life. It is something close to our hearts and we know we are right."

The Mecklenburg club will have many members in Raleigh when hearings come up on the legislation. While there is confidence here that the bill will pass, no efforts will be spared to see that the legislators are educated on its merits.

Arnold and Giles Bell were Sunday guests of Lowery and Manuel Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. Kemp Ledford and family spent Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Lovelace. Messrs. Menzel Phifer, Bill Page and Miss Helen Ramsey of Kings Mountain, and Miss Pauline Ware spent Sunday in Winston-Salem visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. Walter Ware spent Sunday afternoon in Bessemer City.

Those on the sick list are Mrs. T. M. Ware, Mrs. H. T. Wright, Little Faye Davis, and Miss Betty Ann Bell.

Mrs. Ann McSwain is spending sometime in Tampa, Fla, with her daughter, Mrs. Cecil Lovelace and Mr. Lovelace.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ware were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Elliott of Shelby.

A new type of furniture, developed by the Quartermaster Corps, constructed of laminated wooden panels and metal cores is suitable for use in all kinds of climates.

The Quartermaster Corps has found that canned and frozen sausage keeps better when processed without salt.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

### Sam Abernathy Holds the Line!

Folks in our town have been making mighty complimentary remarks about Sam Abernathy. In spite of talk about inflation, Sam's prices — (say, on eggs for instance) — are what they were a year ago.

"Shucks," says Sam, "Don't give me credit. I get my eggs from Slim Hines' dairy farm. Slim hasn't raised his wholesale prices, because Bert Childers has kept his price the same on chicken feed. It works by mutual agreement!"

And there again you have Self-Regulation, doing what no law

could ever do! Like Self-Regulation in the Brewing Industry... Brewers and tavern keepers get together by mutual agreement to maintain decent, law-abiding standards among places that sell beer.

From where I sit, the more you leave things up to the people themselves, the more you get the kind of results America is famous for — co-operation by mutual agreement. Or, if you want another name for it, self-regulation!

Joe Marsh

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### STATEMENT OF CONDITION

## HOME BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION

of Kings Mountain, N. C., as of December 31st, 1946.  
(Copy of Sworn Statement Submitted to Insurance Commissioner as Required by Law.)

### ASSETS

#### THE ASSOCIATION OWNS:

Cash on Hand and in Banks	\$ 22,382.79
State of North Carolina and U. S. Government Bonds	144,800.00
Stock in Federal Home Loan Bank	\$
Mortgage Loans	429,880.24
Money loaned to shareholders for the purpose of enabling them to own their homes. Each loan secured by first mortgage on local improved real estate.	
Share Loans	2,505.00
Advances made to our shareholders against their shares. No loan exceeds 90 percent of amount actually paid in.	
Advances for Insurance, Taxes, Etc	55.82
Office Furniture and Fixtures	200.00
Office Building	
Real Estate Owned	5,500.00
Real Estate Sold Under Contract	\$
Other Assets	372.31
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$605,696.16</b>

### LIABILITIES

#### THE ASSOCIATION OWES:

To Shareholders	
Funds entrusted to our care in the form of payments on shares as follows:	
Installment Shares	\$140,380.75
Full-Paid Shares	236,200.00
Prepaid Shares	7,178.00
Running Shares	173,610.94
Other Shares	\$
Notes Payable, Federal Home Loan Bank	\$557,369.69
Notes Payable, Other	\$
Money borrowed for use in making loans to members, or retiring matured shares. Each note approved by at least two-thirds of entire Board of Directors as required by law.	
Accounts Payable	\$
Loans in Process	\$
Undivided Profits	17,547.62
Earnings held in trust for distribution to shareholders at maturity of their shares.	
Federal Insurance Reserve (If Insured)	\$
Reserve for Contingencies	30,619.20
To be used for the payment of any losses, if sustained. This reserve increases the safety and strength of the Association.	
Other Liabilities	159.65
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$605,696.16</b>

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF CLEVELAND.

H. Patterson, Secretary-Treasurer of the above named Association, duly appeared before me this day, and being duly sworn, says the foregoing statement is true to the best of his knowledge and

H. Patterson, Secretary-Treasurer, appeared before me, this 23rd day of January, 1947.

White, Notary Public.

## Food Fact

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WE WILL APPRECIATE YOUR HELP THANKS.

## SUNRISE DAIRY