the **germinal disc**. It contains the genetic material of the female. It will develop into the chick in the next 3 weeks.

Look for the chalazae ( white fibers or cords that connected the yolk to the membrane. These cords hold the yolk in the center of the egg.

Pour the yolk into a graduated cylinder and measure its volume.

- 9. Which was larger in volume, the albumin or the yolk? \_\_\_\_\_
- 10. Does this agree with the results other students found? \_\_\_\_\_