

Plans Prepared For Conservation Work On Farms In Chowan

Practices Are Expected To Increase Production of Crops

Soil and water conservation farm plans were prepared recently for Robert L. Byrum, J. Raleigh Peele, Charlie Peele, Ellie J. Goodwin, Mrs. W. L. Smith, Warner Bass, George Bunch, Robert P. Morris, Raye E. Boyce and for the Leary Bros.-Lupton farm. These farm plans were set up for the purpose of setting out and scheduling the soil and water conservation work to be done on the individual farms. Included in the plans are soil building and soil conserving, practices to assist farmers to increase soil fertility and crop production.

Land capability maps constitute a feature of each and every farm plan. These capability maps of each individual farm indicate the best use and treatment of each acre of land.

It is through the land capability maps that farmers receive the technical assistance needed for putting each parcel of land to its best use and for giving each acre its best conservation treatment.

In view of the high production goals requested of farmers in 1952 it is increasingly important that each farmer give greater attention to proper land use and improved conservation treatment. Closer application of conservation farming methods, as outlined in the soil and water conservation farm plans, should help materially in the immediate demands for greater production of food, feed, and fiber. Many farmers of Chowan County are finding that conservation farming methods pay off in higher yields of peanuts, cotton, corn and tobacco.

The soil and water conservation farm plans will be delivered to the above-mentioned individuals as soon as they have been typed and otherwise completed. These farmers were assisted in the preparation of their farm plans by R. C. Jordan, Soil Conservationist of the Soil Conservation Service.

A large number of applications for assistance in the development of soil and water conservation farm plans are on file in the Soil Conservation Service office. These applications will be serviced as fast as time permits. Presently, however, much of the Soil Conservationist's time will be consumed in assisting cooperating farmers with the establishment of practices. The season for application of drainage practices is here and will last until crop planting time, says R. C. Jordan, Soil Conservationist.

For Husbands Only

"How do you manage always to be dressed so well?" asked a man of an acquaintance. "Does your wife pick your clothes?"

"No," responded the other genially. "Just the pocket's."

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GARDEN TIME

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Vegetables are generally grouped or classified in one of three ways: 1—according to botanical families, such as the lily family which includes onions, garlic, leek and chives. 2—according to the plant used for food, such as beets, carrots and parsnips which are root crops. And, 3—according to the vegetable's ability to withstand low temperature.

This last grouping is probably of greatest importance to the average gardener because it concerns the survival and success of his crops. According to their ability to withstand low temperatures, vegetables are classified as hardy, half-hardy and tender.

The hardy vegetables are those that will not be damaged by moderate to hard frost after they have been planted. This group includes turnips, spinach, garden peas, mustard, radishes, lettuce, cabbage, kale, onions and endive.

The half-hardy vegetables are those which thrive in cool weather but are

often severely damaged by moderate frosts or even light frosts after they are up. This group includes beets, chard, carrots, cauliflower, broccoli and celery.

The tender vegetables are those that will not withstand any frost and will not grow at their best until the weather gets quite warm. This group includes, snap beans, lima beans, tomatoes, peppers, eggplants, cucumbers, melons, squash, okra, New Zealand spinach and corn.

There is some variation in hardiness within the groups and even between varieties of the same crop. The black valentine variety of snap bean is more hardy to cool temperatures than others, smooth seeded garden peas may be planted earlier than wrinkled seeded varieties. Cucumbers will withstand cooler temperatures than melons. Snap beans will withstand cooler soil temperatures than lima beans and, therefore, may be planted earlier.

Artificial Breeding Gives Good Results

Does artificial breeding give good results?

A Union County farmer, Bradley Reid of Route 3, Waxhaw, has an answer to that question.

According to T. C. Blalock, dairy specialist for the State College Extension Service, Reid owns a grade Guernsey heifer that resulted from artificial breeding to the registered Guernsey bull Beechwood Ruler.

She was in turn bred artificially and freshened at exactly two years of age. In 305 days on twice daily milking, she produced 8,350 pounds of milk and 377 pounds of butterfat.

"This is truly outstanding production for a first calf heifer and represents almost twice the total amount of milk produced by the average cow in North Carolina," comments Blalock.

Another dairyman, Gordon Baker of Catawba County, has two Guernsey heifers from artificial breeding that recently freshened, both with heifer calves. The first heifer to freshen, sired by Elmerest Peter Grey, is producing more than 28 pounds of milk a day, while the other heifer, sired by Priscilla's Fashion Duke, is averaging more than 34 pounds of milk per day. Both of these animals are

producing as much milk as their dams, and Baker is sure they'll soon be outmilking them.

Specialist Blalock points out that it takes the same amount of time and money to raise a heifer from a poor bull as it does from a good one. He believes artificial breeding will do much to raise average milk production in the State from its present low level of 4,600 pounds per cow annually.

Pvt. Aubrey Hollowell Assigned To Near East

Pvt. Aubrey E. Hollowell, son of Mrs. E. L. Hollowell, 103 E. Carteret Street, is on leave after completing basic training at the Medical Replacement Training Center at Fort Meade, Md., last Saturday.

He is assigned to the Far East Command.

The first eight weeks of the 16-week course covered basic military training necessary for all soldiers. This included weapons and combat training designed to enable the medical soldier to defend himself and his patients if the need should arise.

The remainder of his training was spent in individual and fundamental subjects of the Army Medical Service including emergency medical treatment, evacuation of casualties, military sanitation and disease prevention.

"BACK 'EM UP" SAY HEROES



Congressional Medal of Honor winners Marine Majors Reginald R. Myers of Boise, Idaho, left, and Carl L. Sitter of Pueblo, Colo., say the most practical way of supporting the soldiers in Korea and of letting them know that the country is behind them is to buy U. S. Defense Bonds.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH SERVICES

Services at the First Christian Church have been announced as follows by the pastor, the Rev. E. C. Alexander:

Bible School, Sunday morning at 10 o'clock; morning service at 11 o'clock; young people's meeting at 6:30 P. M.; evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Wednesday Evening Bible Class meets at 7:30 o'clock. Everyone is welcome to all services.

following members were present: G. B. Potter, chairman, Carey Evans, J. I. Boyce, G. E. Nixon, D. H. Berryman and Conroy Perry.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, Mr. Potter, and requested the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting. The secretary read the minutes, and same were



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Minutes Of County Board Of Education

The Board of Education met Monday, February 4, in the office of the Superintendent at 10:00 A. M. The

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approved as read.

The report of the County Treasurer on school funds was read, along with the local school fund treasurer's reports on Chowan High, Rocky Hook Central and White Oak Consolidated Schools. The reports were approved as read by a motion made and passed.

The secretary read the bills paid since last meeting in the amount of \$6,266.85, upon motion made and passed, same were approved:

Lunchroom program, \$634.30; Veterans Farmer Program, \$746.44; Teacherage, \$93.18; Capital Outlay, \$1,517.33; Edenton City Administrative Unit, \$1,776.91; General Expense, \$793.69; Vocational Teachers' salary, and travel, \$705.00; Total, \$6,266.85.

There being no further business, motion to adjourn was in order.

G. B. POTTER, Chairman
W. J. TAYLOR, Secretary.

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