Cotton Referendum Chowan County will conduct a cotton referendum by mail between May 16-25. The issue involved in this referendum is to determine growers turned down this issue in the referendum last

White Reports On Bond Sales

Combined sales of E and H Bonds for the first quarter for most grades in 1965. of the year amounted to \$13,741,122, which is over 2 per cent ahead of first quarter sales of 1965. This amounts to 26 per cent of the State's annual quota of

Bond sales in Chowan County, according to Graham White, Chowan County Volunteer Chairman, were \$9,-273.00 in March. For the first quarter they amounted to \$24,260.00, which is 32.6 per cent of the County's quota for this year.

"We 'are pleased with the current trend of Bond sales in North Carolina," said W. H. Andrews, Jr., volunteer state chairman," and we expect to have another outstanding sales record in our State this year. With the new interest rate of 4.15 per cent which is now paid on all Savings Bonds, new and old. Savings Bonds are a better buy than ever before."

Churchwomen **Plan Meeting**

Rev. Howard Cutler of Kinston will speak to St. Paul's Churchwomen Tuesday, May 10, at their regular luncheon meeting in the Parish House at 1 P. M. His tive payment under the wool subject will be the "Dio- program at the ASCS office.

cesan Youth Program". meeting at 12 noon prior to on shorn wool or unshorn the luncheon. Rev. George lambs are made. Holmes will churchwomen officers for the The wool price support rate coming year at the close of for 1966 has been set at 65 the regular meeting.

to all known eligibe voters

by May 13. Price Support On Untied Tobacco

USDA has announced price support will be made available on untied flue-cured towhether or not Chowan bacco of all grades during County cotton growers wish first 12 sales days this year to transfer allotments across on all markets in South Cacounty lines. The county rolina, North Carolina and Virginia.

Price supports on 1966 crop tied tobacco will continue at 3 cents per pound higher than for untied tobacco for each grade. The differential was reduced from U. S. Savings Bonds sales per pound to 3 cents per pound last year to rein North Carolina during flect narrowing market price March showed an increase of differential between tied and over 7 per cent above sales untied tobacco in recent of March a year ago. Total years. The difference be-E and H Bond sales for the tween market prices of tied month amounted to \$4,299,842. and untied tobacco averaged from 2 to 4 cents per pound

Crotalaria—Friend Turned

Foe

Several grain marketing firms have reported an increase in crotalaria contaminated grain showing up at their elevators this year compared to the last few years. As you know, crotalaria seed have been found to be poisonous to livestock and poultry even when consumed in small quantities. When ingested in large amounts, death to the animalusually results.

A few farmers are still using crotalaria as a cover crop in some areas. However, this it not a desirable practice since the seeds may remain in the soil for many years after the mature plant is destroyed. The land may eventually be planted to a crop such as corn or soybeans and the volunteer crotalaria plants have to be removed to avoid contamination of the harvested grain. Growers should use another crop such as soybeans, cowpeas, vetch, lupine velvet beans or rye as their cover crop.

Wool

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