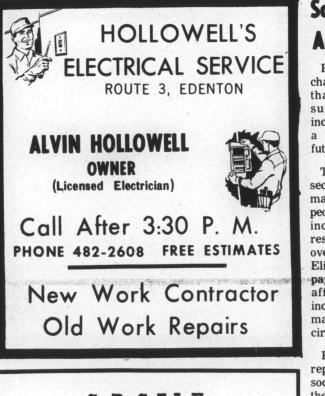


MONSTER MELONS-Asa Griffin's monster watermelons are a tradition in Chowan County, and each summer he displays a few of the largest. Last Friday morning grandsons Brent, left, and Neal did the honors, stopping on South Broad Street to present this year's stand. Shown in the foreground are three good examples of Griffin's summertime hobby. Although at the time of the photo, none of the watermelons had been weighed, it is common for many of them to well exceed 100 pounds.



## might be of real interest in New Books **At Library** Social Security **Adult Non-Fiction** "Letter from Reachfar" Administration by Jane Duncan. **Juvenile Fiction** "F.T.C. Superstar" by People who don't report Mary Anderson, and "It

changes in circumstances their that affect supplemental security income payments may have a penalty deducted from future payments.

The supplemental security income program makes monthly payments to people with little or no income and limited resources who are 65 and over or blind or disabled. Eligibility for payments and payment amounts can be. affected by changes in

THE CHOWAN HERALD Around Chowan

## **County Farms**

oking at research plots in Chowan County, on Thursday, August 26. This tour will start at 1:30 at Ray Byrum's farm in front of Earl Smith's store. Dr. Campbell has a mite test on peanuts and he will be with us to discuss the research that he has done on mites. At 2:00 we go to G. P. Bass's farm to look at cotton. We will look at Dimilin which is for control of boll weevils and Glenn Toomey's nitrogen plot. Dr. Ganyard and Murray Goodwin will discuss this stop. At 2:35 we will go to Thomas Paul Griffin's farm on highway 17 south. We will look at a landplaster test conducted by Astor Perry. At 3:20 we will go to Hayes and look at a peanut plot on pod rot and southern stem rot. J. C. Wells, Extension Pathologist, will discuss this plot. At 3:45 on Hayes we will look at some new chemicals on panut grass and weed control. Some of these materials on the pod rot and grass control are working on labels and we feel that these two plots

Looks Alive to Me" by

**Juvenile Non-Fiction** 

Tree: Creative Ideas for

**Twelve Months of Holiday** 

Fun," and "Looking for

**Library Doings** 

magnificent case and wall

display has been shared

with the public by Ralph

VanMater. From Chowan

In the library this month a

"A Pumpkin In a Pear

by

Colin

Thomas Baum.

Nigeria"

Latches:

We will have a farm tour, the future. At 4:15 we go to Robert Bunch's farm on highway 32 south to look at corn varieties. We believe that this test will be of real interest to you.

All of these stops will be conducted by research people showing materials that will probably be labeled in many instances and used, or varieties that we will be planting, for years to come. We believe that this is a real opportunity for you to see research here on a local basis that is applicable to those of us in Chowan County and we certainly hope that you will attend.

**Peanut** Growers **Plan Meeting In** Franklin, Va.

The annual meeting of the Peanut Growers Cooperative Marketing Takes Life Association will be held in the Armory in Franklin, Va., August 31 at 10 A.M. Reports on activities of the association during the past has been received here of year and plans for handling the death of James W. the 1976 crop will be presented. Presiding over this 23rd

annual gathering will be Scotland Neck. Reports will be given by Kitchin and Manager S.

Womack Lee. A question and answer period will follow. Answers will be given on legislation, differentials, price support operations and overall inspection procedure by Lee,

Joe Sugg, Russell Schools and L. L. Davenport. In addition to members guests will include Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation County **Executive** Directors, county agents, vocational agriculture, teachers, state leaders in farm organizations, sheller representatives and others

Carolina peanut growing area. The association will elect new directors.

in the Virginia and North





READING WORKSHOP-Seven teachers and 16 aides were involved in a two day Reading Program Workshop held at Holmes High School this week. The program was ad-ministered by Mrs. Peggy McGee, a doctoral student and graduate teaching assistant at UNC-CH. She is recognized across the state as one of the top people in the field of remedial reading. During the workshop, remedial lab personnel handled organization, and management of labs as well as characterizing the remedial reader and looking into the types of reading materials appropriate for the program. The reading labs, to be established in each of the county's five schools, will serve a total of 485 students and is funded by the ESEA Title I project and the ESAA Pilot Porject.

grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Jordan of Tyner. He died Sunday night as the result of President Leland Kitchin of an auto accident while en route to his home from Virginia Beach, Va. A native of Winston-

**Car Wreck** 

Of Teenager

Salem, he was the son of James W. (Jay) Duling, Sr. and Frances Jordan Duling.

He was an employee of Lowes Hardware Store in Woodbridge, Va.

Surviving besides his parents and grandparents are one brother: Johnny Duling of the home: his paternal grandparents: Rev. and Mrs. Charles W. Duling of Hertford: and two aunts: Mrs. W. Earl Smith of Rt. 3. Edenton and Mrs. Norman B Harris of Hertford.

A funeral service was held Wednesday at 2:00 Woodbridge, Va



