

# To Administer Five Year Soil Management Research

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will serve a supporting role in the Indonesian and Brazilian projects.

The study of tropical soils is not new to NCSU. USAID has supported tropical soil science research at the school for the past 20 years, and a team from the soil science department has been working in the Amazon Basin of South America for the past eight years. The Peruvian project under the new CRSP will be a continuation of that work.

McCants said a lot has been learned over the past 10 years about the possibilities for cultivating tropical soils, a task once deemed impossible because of the fragile nature of the

ecosystem. It was thought that the soils would be changed irreversibly if cultivated, but McCants said research has shown that careful management can prevent such problems.

He added that tremendous effort will be required to educate farmers in the tropical countries to the use of good management techniques. In most cases the project personnel will be dealing with individual farmers who work small tracts, some smaller than five acres.

One of the most plentiful resources the tropical regions have to offer is manpower, so the researchers will concentrate on techniques that maximize human energy and

minimize fossil fuel energy. "Although there are no major limitations to the crops that can be grown, we will concentrate on those that have the most potential for profit and for alleviating the food crisis," McCants said.

He pointed out that even success in developing and implementing good soil management techniques

will not provide the whole answer to the food shortage problem.

"We recognize that soil management is simply one of numerous factors that go into the production equation," McCants said. "We anticipate that as we solve management constraints, other factors such as insects, disease and weed control, food processing and

food distribution must be brought into the system. It's not practical to grow crops if you can't market, store and preserve them."

To that end, the researchers will consider possible future collaborative projects with other agricultural disciplines and extension efforts, to insure continuing benefits from the soil management project.



**LADY TORJANS TAKE SECOND PLACE** — The Lady Trojans of Immanuel Christian School recently captured second place in the state volleyball play. They are, back row, left to right: Coach Richard Halstead, Felissa Harrell, Kim Briley, Mandy Peeples, Renee Aske, Kim Barnes; middle row, left to right: Ginger Belch, Pat Briley, Rene Harrell, Teresa Harrell, Kim Jones; front row left to right: Jerri Morris and Gina Morris.

## Sermon Topic Is Chosen

"Are You Ready For Christmas?" is the sermon topic selected by Rev. R. R. Blankenhorn for the worship service on Sunday morning, December 6, 11 A.M. at the Edenton United Methodist Church. The scripture lesson for this message is: Luke 3:10-18.

The Mary-Martha Circle will meet on Monday, December 7, at 10:30 A.M., at the home of Mrs. Erwin

Christmas meeting will be the annual pledge service and the installation of new UMW officers by the district president of the United Methodist Women, Mrs. Margaret Saunders, of Elizabeth City.

C. (Grace) Griffin. The General Meeting of the United Methodist Women will take place on Tuesday, December 8, 7 P.M. Included in this

## Floars Writes Card Of Thanks

I would like to thank my many friends for their care and concern during my recent illness and hospitalization.

I would also like to express my appreciation to the

doctors and staff at Chowan Hospital for their constant attention and concern, for which my family and I are deeply grateful.

Margaret H. Floars

## 4-H Council Meets

By Garry Copeland  
County Council Reporter

The 4-H County Council of Chowan County met Tuesday, November 24, 1981. The items discussed at the meeting were the 4-H scholarships; the 4-H Achievement Program to be held December 10; a skating trip to be taken in December; the spring trip for all 4-H'ers; and the election of the County Council Officers.

Jewel Langley; Secretary - Kim Coston; Reporter - Garry Copeland; Song Leaders - Donald Burrum and Donna Pippins; Recreation Leaders - Tonya Little and Colleen Jordan; and Pianists - Susan Bunch and Sherry Belfield.

Our new president, Tommy Harrell was a winner of the Junior Ruritan Club Trophy last year. He completed six projects in 1980 and was in the State Contest for Small Engine Demonstration for the past two years. Tommy has been a 4-H member for five years. The new officers will be in charge of the Achievement Program.

The next event of the county 4-H'ers will be the Achievement Program in which 4-H'ers will be rewarded for their participation in 4-H. The Achievement Program will be held December 10, 7:30 P.M. in the Center Hill Community Building.

## Sea Grant Program

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rooms are being prepared by the Raleigh Garden Club with the help of Mansion Social Director Suzanne Hedrick and the mansion staff.

Regular guided tours will not be given during the open house hours because of the heavy visitation expected, although hostesses will be stationed in each room to answer questions concerning the house and decorations.

To make plans for large groups, call the Capital Area Visitor Center at (919) 733-3456. Otherwise, reservations are not necessary.

Schedule is as follows:  
Monday, Dec. 14, 10:30 A.M. - 5:30 P.M.  
Tuesday, December 15, 10:30 A.M. - 5:30 P.M.  
Saturday, December 19, 10:30 A.M. - 5:30 P.M.  
Sunday, December 20, 1:30 P.M. - 5:30 P.M.

## CORRECTION:

In this edition of The Chowan Herald townwide sale insert a correction is to be made. The price for Dixie Darlin' Hamburger and Weiner Buns changes from 3/1.29 to 2 / 99" in the Winn Dixie ad.

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