

### Around The Chowan County Farms

by Murray L. Goodwin  
 Agricultural Extension Agent  
 Super Market cantaloupe variety has replaced Harper variety as most popular with Chowan County Vegetables Farmers. Saticoy is increasing in popularity. This information was obtained from a questionnaire mailed to Chowan County farmers last fall.

Forty-two of those answering questionnaire said that leaf diseases damaged their cantaloupe crop in 1982. Thirty-three per cent thought their damage was over 20 per cent.

Over half of Chowan County farmers sprayed for leaf diseases on cantaloupe. Spraying three times was most popular with Chowan farmers.

Most farmers began spraying when vines were beginning to cover ground. Accord-

ing to our understanding this is late. Just as runners begin to form is about the time to start spraying for best results for most years.

Bravo was most popular fungicide used followed pretty closely with Difolitan. Dithane M 45 was used some and so was Manzate.

Most farmers sprayed right up to harvest which is good we think for most fungicides. Maneb has a five days waiting period.

Harper and Super Market have more trouble with leaf diseases than some other varieties.

Not surprising was "Weed Control" as the subject most often checked for discussion at our winter meeting. The trouble is we don't have a good weed control agent to recommend for cantaloupes.

The information in this news article is based on

farmer's questionnaire mailed out last fall as stated earlier. The number of farmers answering questionnaire and returning was low. This makes the validity of conclusion drawn not too good.

Report on watermelon variety survey will be given next week.

### Family Day Is Observed

Annual Family Day will be observed at the Kadesh A.M.E. Zion Church of Edenton, Sunday, May 29th, at 11:00 A.M. A special Family Day Message will be delivered by the Pastor, the Rev. W.L. Wainwright. There will be a family picnic on the church lawn following the family day activities. The public is invited.



**WORKSHOP ON SAFETY HELD**—Linda Terry from the Sheriff's Department is shown above explaining drugs to E. A. Swain's Fifth Grade.

### School Holds Safety Workshop

Swain's Fifth Grade was privileged to attend a mini-workshop on "Safety" on May 18, 1983. Jill Jordan, Health Educator for the PPCC District, discussed the dangers of cigarettes. David Jethro, from the Police Department lectured on Bicycle Safety. Linda Terry, from the Sheriff's Department explained the dangers of drugs and showed the students marijuana, and other items

confiscated in Chowan County. Chief Lynn Perry discussed the causes of fires and how students could help extinguish grease fires. He encouraged the students to have smoke alarms and fire extinguishers in their homes.

The students seemed very interested and enjoyed the four resource people who gave of their time to share.

Mrs. Teresa Jordan arranged the Workshop.

### Pvt. Dillard Completes Course

Pvt. Janet L. Dillard, daughter of Junious D. and Hattie E. Zachary, Route 1, Hertford, has completed a fabric repair course at the U.S. Army Quartermaster School, Fort Lee, Va.

During the course, students were trained to inspect,

mark, classify, resize and repair Army clothing as well as repair canvas and webbed equipment. Students also received instruction in hand and machine sewing.

### Student Council News

by Pat Halsey  
 The Spring Sports Banquet was held May 24, at 7 P.M. at the American Legion Building. Outstanding members from the track, baseball, softball, cheerleaders, girls basketball team, Junior Varsity and Varsity basketball teams, and the boys tennis team, were presented with awards.

The choruses of John A. Holmes Music Department, under the direction of Mrs. Shelby Strother, will present their annual spring concert. The concert is to be held on

Thursday, May 26. Thursday at 9:30 A.M. is the day that Seniors and Juniors at Holmes will be recognized for outstanding achievements during the school year. Scholarships, bus driver of the year, and Governor's School are among the awards that will be given to deserving students.

Members of the UICA club went on a trip to Langley Air Force Base in Virginia on Monday.

The musical "Carousel" was presented by members of the Holmes Drama Club and

other students at John A. Holmes. The play which was directed by Mr. Hugh Dial was performed Thursday, Friday and Saturday, May 19-21.



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### Recreation Report

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in the first and added one run in the 3rd, 4th and 5th innings. The A's offense managed their only run in the third as the Miller defense stiffened to allow no other runner past first. Millers was led by David Jordan and Billy Sawyer each going 2 for 3.

In other games Pickwick sped past PD 12-0, A's lodged an 8-4 win over Oakleaf, Busch plucked the Eagles 14-1, Texaco defueled Western Gas 13-2, Natural Times outlasted Pizza Hut 11-10, Exxon squeaked past Millers 2-0, Western Gas over Atlantic Forest, Texaco defeated Ryland 14-9, Tyner beat Western Gas 12-4, Pickwick panned the Pizza Hut 12-1, Texaco thumped Oakleaf 16-8, PD chopped down Atlantic Forest 18-4 and Exxon overcame Oakleaf 12-8.

League standings: Division I Texaco 6-0, Exxon 6-0, Oakleaf 3-4, P.D. 3-3, Atlantic Forest 0-6.

Division II Pickwick 5-0, Busch 2-2, CCU A's 2-3, Millers 2-4, Pizza Hut 1-4.

Division III Natural Times 4-1, Ryland 4-2, Tyner 2-4, Western Gas 1-4 Eagles 1-5.

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