

Nurseries To Get Inspection Soon

RALEIGH, N. C., June 23.—North Carolina's 200 nurseries will be inspected by State Department of Agriculture entomologists beginning July 1 to determine the presence or absence of "dangerous plant pests."

"All nurseries will be thoroughly inspected and those found free from dangerous pests will be issued State nursery certificates upon payment of the regulation inspection fee," C. H. Brannon, Chief of the entomology division said. The federal government and all other states honor North Carolina certificates.

Eastern nurseries will be inspected by J. A. Harris and western nurseries by Dr. David L. Wray. The work will be concluded in September.

TWO LOCAL MEN NAMED ON STATE PROJECT BOARD

Dr. Hill and Dr. Mauney On Advisory Council Of Vocational Farm

Appointment of Dr. J. N. Hill and Dr. Walter Mauney, both of Murphy, as members of the Advisory Council of Robin Hood Farms was announced at Raleigh today by George Poss Pou, chairman of the Steering Committee. Robin Hood Farms is the unique vocational project which plans to make worthy and properly qualified Tar Heel boys and girls self-supporting and self-respecting citizens by teaching them practical farming. Starting with a small number of boys, it is planned to increase the number gradually to 500 boys and 100 girls. Practical farm education will be given by experienced farmers, augmented by cooperation of the extension facilities of North Carolina State College.

The farms plan to select carefully a limited number of well prepared boys and girls over high school age and without means. Education, character and training will be among the qualifications to be considered by a committee on enrollment. There will be no expenses to those selected, and a small amount of spending money will be provided.

An option has been obtained on a tract of 2,000 acres of representative farm property, located near Pinehurst. The land is neither the best nor the worst in the state, affording experience under average conditions. About 700 acres are cleared, and part are now in cultivation. The remainder includes valuable wooded land, lakes, the largest barn in the State and an excellent water supply. It is believed by those interested that the community established near Pinehurst will be all inclusive and self-supporting.

It is believed also that after training there, the young men will have little difficulty in getting jobs on farms or in industries related to

DR. WALDROUP IS TAKEN BY DEATH IN BRYSON CITY

Dr. Rufus M. Waldroup, 64, prominent dentist and large property owner of Bryson City, died at 5:40 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in the office of Dr. D. R. Bryson at Bryson City.

Dr. Waldroup suffered a heart attack earlier in the day and had gone to Dr. Bryson's office for treatment. He had sufficiently recovered to be able to sit in a chair and was talking to Dr. Bryson when the end came.

Dr. Waldroup who was well known here was a native of Clay county and was reared near Hayesville. He went to Bryson City 35 years ago and had practiced dentistry there since.

Dr. Waldroup owned the Bryson City Ice company, the Cordell hotel, and other property at Bryson City. He was an unsuccessful candidate in the June nomination for representative from Swain county in the legislature.

Surviving are his widow, the former Miss Hattie Porter, of Andrews; his mother, of Hayesville; one sister, Mrs. U. K. Hyatt, of Hayesville, and one brother, Dr. Vergo Waldroup, of Hiwassee.

MRS. I. DAVIS, 42, OF GRANDVIEW, IS BURIED ON MONDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. Ison Davis, 42, of Grandview, were conducted from the White church near Grandview Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock with the Rev. M. Maxton, officiating. Interment was in the Grandview cemetery. W. D. Townson was in charge of funeral arrangements.

Mrs. Davis, a devoted member of the Baptist church for many years, died early Sunday morning of a lingering illness.

Surviving are the husband, three children, three sisters and two brothers.

Field Day Dates For Farms Given

RALEIGH, N. C., June 23.—Agricultural research and the need for an adequate marketing program will be discussed at the field days to be held at the six test farms of the North Carolina Department of Agriculture beginning July 14.

The field days will be held as follows: Blackland Test Farm at Wenona, July 14; Piedmont Test Farm near Statesville, July 21; Tobacco Test Farm at Oxford, July 28; Upper Coastal Plain Test Farm near Rocky Mount, August 11; Mountain Test Farm at Swannanoa, August 18 and Coastal Plain Test Farm at Willard, September 8.

More than 25,000 farmers, their wives and agricultural leaders attended the field days last year.

J. J. Rocco of Dover, O., was fined \$10 for dancing to the music of a Salvation Army meeting.

farming. Mrs. Edwin Clarke Gregory, of Salisbury, is State Chairman of the Women's Advisory Division.

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