

### Negro Farmers Plan Better Garden Week

Negro farmers of the State, especially those in the 31 counties which have Negro farm agents, are planning to observe Better Gardens Week March 27-April 1, it was announced by C. R. Hudson, in charge of Negro work for the State College Extension Service. The program is designed to stimulate the practice of planting more home gardens, and better gardens with a greater variety of vegetables.

For the past several years the extension service has sponsored garden contests among Negro farmers at the start of the planting season, but this year it was decided to accomplish the same purpose with the Better Gardens Week observance. Many novel ideas to promote the program are being arranged by the Negro farm and home agents.

Counties with Negro agents are: Alamance, Anson, Bertie, Chowan, Perquimans, Craven, Durham, Edgecombe, Gates, Granville, Guilford, Halifax, Hertford, Iredell, Johnston, Lenoir, Martin, Mecklenburg, Northampton, Orange, Pasquotank, Person, Pitt, Robeson, Rockingham, Caswell, Rowan, Vance, Wake, Warren and Wilson.

Hudson said several pamphlets, Circulars and other publications will be available for distribution either through the county agents or upon request to the Agricultural Editor, State College, Raleigh. These include Extension Folder No. 25 "Good Gardening," which contains an outline of garden work, including a calendar showing the months in which different vegetables may be planted.

### Concord Farmer Plants Loblolly Pines On Tract

E. L. Morrison, Jr., of Concord, bought a 50-acre farm east of Concord recently and when he found it badly eroded, he had the county agent to order 10,000 loblolly pines as the crop to grow. He expects to set more pines each year until the 50 acres is covered with trees.

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### "Screwdrivers" Are A Menace To Travel In U. S. Every Year

"Screwdrivers"—bad-mannered motorists—cause 7,000 deaths a year, waste \$250,000,000 in gasoline and automobile efficiency, and bring about 25 per cent of all stop-and-go driving.

This was the conclusion drawn from a talk by Dr. Miller McClintock, America's number one traffic authority, at the annual banquet of the Greater New York Safety Council, when he was referring to those discourteous motorists who double park, turn from wrong lanes, and beat traffic lights.

A new twist in his role as toastmaster was also introduced by Dr. McClintock. He presided on the silver screen, by means of a motion picture entitled "Show Your Colors," produced by Shell, in which Dr. McClintock played a leading role. This film, which promotes the enrollment of all courteous drivers in a national effort to eliminate "screwdrivers" through a "Share the Road" campaign, delivered his keynote talk.

More than 1,200 traffic and safety authorities from all parts of the country were present at the banquet which climaxed a three day session held at the Hotel Pennsylvania.

Dr. McClintock, who is director of Traffic Research Bureau at Yale and head of traffic audit bureau, compared bad driving manners to bad etiquette. "Most men wouldn't plunge through a door that had just been opened for a lady by a more courteous gentleman," he pointed out, "but it is surprising how many ill-mannered individuals will drive up sanely to a traffic signal and when the light changes to green, stamp the accelerator to the floor to try to leap across before the approaching streams of traffic hit them."

"If you were walking down a city street with a friend who was on his way to keep an appointment," said Dr. McClintock, "you wouldn't think of sauntering up to every window and admiring the contents while he fumed impatiently. And yet you are doing just as thoughtless a thing every time you window-shop from your car, crawling along the street like a well-fed turtle while the cars line up behind you."

"Certainly one of the most discourteous drivers is the one who turns from the wrong lane. His particular lack of consideration for others takes the form of suddenly swerving from a right-hand lane to make a left-hand turn, or he veers left, as if trying to get in the left-turn lane and then swings abruptly to the right. In either case he is as discourteous to the driver he has cut in front of, as if he had slapped his face."

"He is the kind of dinner guest who would start for the other side of the table and then climb over. If he were an usher at a wedding, he would stalk down the right side of the aisle and then veer without warning to the left, treading on the preacher's toes and making the bride and groom stumble over each other."

"Double parking is pure thoughtlessness. The driver knows he'll just be a minute, but in that minute he can tie up a block of traffic, cause the shifting of hundreds of gears, waste gallons of gasoline. If he car-

### Fertilizer Important In Weed Production

High analysis fertilizers are important in the production of the cigarette-type tobacco, says L. T. Weeks, tobacco specialist of the State College Extension Service. He recommends from 800 to 1,000 pounds of a 3-8-6 mixture per acre for light and low-productive soils, and the same amount per acre of a 3-19-6 mixture for heavy and more productive soils.

A formula derived on the following basis usually gives very satisfactory results, Weeks said. One third of the nitrogen from the high grade organic materials from plant or animal origin, such as cottonseed meal, blood, fish meal or animal tankage; and the other two-thirds from water soluble materials such as nitrate of soda or sulphate of ammonia. The source of the phosphate is derived from superphosphate. The potash should come from at least two sources, and in some cases it is advisable to get it from three. On sandy soil, where "sand down" may occur, two per cent should come from muriate of potash, and the remainder from sulphate of potash magnesia. Otherwise sulphate of potash may be used.

Potash may be used in excess of 6 per cent to very good advantage, the specialist explained. Additional potash will give added quality, more uniform ripening, and will reduce the damage done by leaf spot diseases. However, it is not safe to use more than 6 per cent immediately before transplanting. Additional potash, preferably sulphate of potash, may be used as a side dresser, applying it at the rate of 50 to 100 pounds per acre within 20 days after transplanting.

### Proper Treatment Of Sweet Potatoes In Transplanting

Where soils are infected with stem rot or wilt organism, the stem and roots of sweet potato plants should be dipped in a 20-20-50 Bordeaux mixture or dusted with a mixture composed of 25 per cent monohydrated copper sulphate and 75 per cent lime just before planting. The scurf infected roots and stems should have a thorough coating of sulphur immediately before transplanting. All treated plants should be set in moist but not water logged soil.

### Legislature Slaps Counties In Face

(Continued from page one) counties and ignore others. Fitzhugh E. Wallace, of Lenoir; Hugh Horton, of Martin; and Tompkins, of Jackson, urged the bill, which had been amended to prorate the cost of the investigation among the counties.

"I don't expect to get anything back, but I don't want the State to forget the debt," said Tompkins.

Mrs. Floyd E. Bufflap is expected to return home from Richmond this week end. She is improving rapidly following an operation in a hospital there.

Dr. McClintock lauded the Shell "Share the Road" Campaign, which is designed to rid the highways of ill-mannered drivers, as an organized nation-wide crusade to do away with "screwdriving." He further predicted that this coast-to-coast crusade "will be recognized as the great step in a continuing program to increase the efficiency of the automobile as well as our pleasure in its use."

## CHURCH NEWS

**POPLAR CHAPEL**  
D. W. Arnold will preach at the Poplar Chapel Church Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

**METHODIST**  
Church school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11 a. m. Palm Sunday program of music in charge of the young people.

Holly Springs, 3:30 p. m. Sacrament of the Lord's supper. Young People meet, 6:45 p. m. Evening worship, 7:30 p. m. Theme: "Who is a Christian?" Special choir practice for the young people tonight.

**BAPTIST**  
Bible school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11 a. m. Subject: "A Whole Day With Jesus." B. T. U., 7 p. m. Evening worship, 8 p. m. The sermon-subject for the evening hour, which begins a series of pre-Easter services for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, is "Is It Ever Too Late?"

These pre-Easter services will be held each evening at 8 p. m. We hope all of Williamston will attend some of the services that are being held simultaneously in all the churches.

**Jamesville Methodist**  
"God Needs You" will be the Palm Sunday theme by Rev. Wade Johnson in the Jamesville Methodist church at 10 a. m., and at Ware's Chapel at 3 p. m.

**EPISCOPAL**  
Palm Sunday. Church school, 9:45 a. m. Bible class, 10 a. m. Celebration of the Holy Communion and sermon, 11 a. m. This is a corporate celebration for the vestry of the church.

Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock all the ladies of the parish are urged to attend the called district meeting in St. Thomas church, Windsor. A discussion on the marriage canon will be led by the Rev. William Latta.

Litany on Tuesday afternoon, at 5 o'clock. Litany on Wednesday afternoon at five o'clock. A memorial celebration of the Holy communion on Thursday at 8 p. m.

A meditation on the Passion of our Lord and the cross on Good Friday at two p. m.

The children's service with children's litany on Good Friday at 4 o'clock.

St. Martin's, Hamilton  
Evening prayer and sermon, Palm Sunday night at 8 o'clock. Litany and sermon, Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.

**CHRISTIAN**  
Bible school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11 a. m. Sermon subject: "Forgiveness." Evening service, 8 p. m. with the minister speaking on "The Coronation of Companionship."

Circle No. 1 of Woman's Council meets on Monday afternoon at 3:30 with Mrs. Herbert T. Taylor. Circle No. 2 meets on Monday afternoon at 3:30 with Mrs. J. D. Woolard.

Mr. Goff will meet the boys and girls in instruction class at the church Monday and Thursday afternoons at 3:15.

The Council will observe Easter week of prayer with services at the church on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday afternoons at 3:30.

Beginning the Pre-Easter services on Sunday, the pastor will speak each evening throughout Passion Week at the church at 8 o'clock.

**PRESBYTERIAN**  
The usual regular services will be held at all points this Sunday. Williamston at 11 a. m., Roberson's Chapel at 9 a. m. Poplar Point at 2 p. m. and Bear Grass at 8 p. m. The sacrament of the Lord's supper will be observed at Williamston and Bear Grass.

The subject of the message: "Passion Week was and still is Decision Week."

### Best Fertilizer For Early Sweet Potatoes In N. C.

When sweet potatoes are grown for the early market on sandy soils, a mixture of 3 per cent nitrogen, 8 per cent phosphoric acid, and 8 per cent potash applied at the rate of 1,000 to 1,200 pounds an acre is recommended. Where more than this amount is used, one-half should be applied before planting and one-half soon after the plants are well rooted. For the late harvest of Porto Rico and Nancy Hall sweets when grown on sandy loam soils in the Coastal Plain section, an application of 600 to 800 pounds of a 3-9-9 mixture is recommended.

Were in Greenville Today  
Mesdames J. L. Roberson, J. C. Anderson and W. H. Booker were visitors in Greenville today.

### Dale Carnegie Tells How Girls Can Give Themselves Charm

How are six specific rules that will help every girl to make herself more charming. These rules were given me by Dr. Joseph R. Sevier, president of the Fassifern School for Girls, in Hendersonville, N. C.

A course on how to be charming is among the regular curriculum of this popular girls' school. How sensible in all the world is there anything more necessary for a girl?

If anybody should know the problems of girls, it's Joseph R. Sevier, for he's taught and managed them for twenty years. In addition to being the president of Fassifern, he has a summer camp for girls, Camp Greystone, in the North Carolina mountains.

I asked Dr. Sevier if he taught a southern drawl as a part of his course, and he said, "No. Charm is deeper than a manner of speech. Naturally many of our girls have what is called 'the southern accent,' but we have northern girls who haven't any at all, and they're equally pleasing as our southern girls."

Here they are, girls, just as you would get them in the classroom at Fassifern:

1. Interest yourself in others instead of trying to interest others in you. The great secret of charm is in thinking of the other person.

2. Don't monopolize the conversation. Draw out other members of the company present. Remember, that every person has an ego he wishes to express.

3. Do not expect constant praise. The girl who invariably tries to draw praise soon grows tiresome. If she wishes to make a good impression, it would be far better to praise the other person. To be liberal with praise if it is sincere, will lead toward making a dozen friends where the praise-seeker makes one.

4. Listen respectfully to the opinions of others. Do not make light of them because you do not agree with them. Besides, the other person may be right.

5. Cultivate a skill which will give pleasure to others. By "skill" is meant habits which influence and serve other people. For example, the girl who can play the piano or tennis, or is clever in other entertaining ways, is likely to be considered more charming than the girl who does

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none of these things. Singing, story telling, making quick caricatures of those present, and fortune telling will add to the amusement of a group. In other words, the girl who "does something" is more charming than the girl who sits back, contributing nothing.

6. If you feel a person is lonely, talk to him, serve him tea. There are many ways in which you can give attention and create happiness.

Above all, says Dr. Sevier, give up the idea that charm consists of beautiful clothes, an accent, a smile. It's deeper and far more fundamental.

Since these qualifications are some times not stressed in the home, Dr. Sevier is providing Fassifern girls with an asset that will serve them long after their diplomas may have crumbled into dust, an asset they often will find of far greater value than all the book-learning that may come their way.

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