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THE HOME SPHERE

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Halifax County will be represented next week at 4-H Short Course held in Raleigh by 14 of the outstanding 4-H girls in the County. These girls were elected by their individual clubs in May to represent them and to bring back to them some real inspiration in club work.

Those girls attending and the clubs they represent are:

Carrie Best, Aurelian Springs Junior; Ramona Lide, Enfield Junior; Billie Kitchen, Weldon 6th and 7th; Hazel Stevenson, Hobgood Junior; Sarah Ann Butts, Aurelian Springs Senior; Ramona Powell, Enfield Senior; Doris Strickland, Weldon Senior; Marilyn Bullock, Roanoke Rapids Senior; Ann Winslow, Scotland Neck Senior; Margaret Strickland, Halifax Junior; Janie House, Scotland Neck Junior; Foy Pierce, Weldon 5th; Pattie Ann Mitchell, Wm. R. Davie Junior; Opal Jones, Aurelian Springs Junior.

The week will be filled with worthwhile programs. The club members' program will deal with four major topics, 4-H Organization, Citizenship, Health and Family Relationship.

The afternoon program will consist of demonstrations, campus tours and a tour of the various departments of State Government. Afternoon and evening programs will include music appreciation, athletic activities, and recreational programs.

FARM AND HOME WEEK —

A number of women from Halifax County are planning to attend Farm and Home Week held in Raleigh from August 19th to 24th. Here is a birdseye view of the Farm and Home Week Classes:

HOME MANAGEMENT AND HOUSE FURNISHINGS—

Tuesday and Wednesday: "Ideas on Home Decoration" will be discussed by Mrs. Stella R. Cusick, who has just finished work in interior decorating in New York City. She will discuss new trends, tricks in fabrics and colors to give attractive interior decoration effects.

Tuesday: "Making Comforts from Feathers." Miss Rose Ellwood Bryand will give a demonstration and discussion of the processes and methods of preparing the feathers and making comforts. As a result of this demonstration many of the women should be able to use their old feather beds to make comforts.

Wednesday: Tour of the home of Mrs. J. C. Castlebury, president of the Wake County Federation of Home Demonstration Clubs. Her home is a most attractive, modern farm home. It is located about 12 miles from Raleigh. It is arranged for convenience and comfort and displays the excellent taste of Mrs. Castlebury.

Friday: "Selection and Use of Electrical Equipment Available to Make Each Day Easy" will be given by Mrs. Marguerite G. Surlis, Home Service Director, Carolina Power and Light Company. She will discuss and demonstrate the selection and use of many pieces of electrical equipment that are now or will soon be available for the farm home laundry.

FAMILY LIFE PROGRAM FOR FARM AND HOME WEEK—

The purpose of the Family Life Program is threefold: (1) learn to understand our children better so there will be less friction within the home; (2) learn how personality and character develop out of little everyday experience; (3) understand what it is that makes family members enjoy home life.

CLOTHING —

Miss Alice Sundquist, National Clothing specialist, and Miss Davenport, Editor of the Woman's Department, Southern Agriculturist, will be with us during Farm and Home Week.

Miss Sundquist will hold classes on Tuesday and Wednesday on Clothing Buymanship. When is a Dress a Good Buy, What do you Expect of the Material or Garments you buy Today-Service, Comfort, Durability, Good Looks, or What? The manufacturers say they make what the customers want.

★ Fashions ★



All set to tackle the first grade with determination is the tyke in the wool reversible with cotton twill lining shown above as pictured in the August issue of Good Housekeeping.

Miss Davenport is a North Carolina girl and a former Clothing Specialist in Kentucky. She knows women and what they like and should have in clothes to be smartly dressed. Her subject for Tuesday and Wednesday is "Distinctive Dress—What to Wear and When or How to Look Your Best." On Friday morning she will give a demonstration on "Care of Hats" and "Make a New Hat From an Old One," along with many suggestions for style for the coming year.

SPEECH CLASS —

Public speaking and personality development-class title, "Speaking is Fun. Subjects to be discussed: Introducing Your Speaker, Blue Printing your Speech, Telling your Facts, Persuading your Listeners. This class is to be conducted by Mrs. John B. Martin, Jr., of Washington, D. C. She appeared on the Maryland Farm and Home Week program and comes to us highly recommended. She is delightful, young and most attractive. She has three children. She is a Vassar College graduate and has done much magazine and radio writing and speaking.

THE NICETIES OF EVERY DAY LIVING

Have you ever felt the need of knowing just what was the courteous thing to do, how to entertain a guest, how to make introductions? These and many other things that pertain to the niceties of every day living will be dis-

cussed Tuesday and Wednesday by Mrs. Hazel E. Wheeler, former Home Agent of Halifax County.

On Friday, "Simple Entertaining," will be demonstrated by Mrs. Mildred Seaber, Home Economist of Duke Power Company. Small electrical equipment such as the toaster, waffle iron, percolator, will be used to show how simple, attractive refreshments may be prepared with the minimum of effort. Attractive table settings for home company occasions will be shown.

HEALTH —

Farm men and women are interested in improving health conditions in their homes and communities. To give them a complete understanding of the situation, Dr. Selz C. Mayo, Rural Sociologist, State College, will discuss in an interesting way "Facts About Health and Medical Care in North Carolina." Following Dr. Mayo's talks Tuesday and Wednesday, Miss Helen Martiainen of the U. S. Public Health Service, will discuss "Mobilizing Community Resources for Health." She will suggest plans for communities to follow in using these services.

On Friday, the latest information on nutrition will be brought by Dr. G. Howard Satterfield, Biochemist, State College, when he discusses, "Health Through Good Nutrition."

All of the Health Classes will be held in the cool, comfortable Varsity Theatre just across Hillsboro Street from the campus.

FREEZE IN THE GOODNESS—

Many advances in methods of food preservation have been made in recent years. Freezing foods for the home is a popular method of food preservation. Freezing can assist in improving nutritive value

and palatability of many foods and in addition, help to make each home more self-sufficient in its food supply. The importance of variety, quality and careful preparation in order to obtain high quality frozen fruits and vegetables will be discussed and demonstrated in this class.

FROM RAGS TO RUGS —

Many well worn garments, which have done previous service may add considerably to the comfort, attractiveness and color of a room.

The beauty of hooked rugs made at home depends on color arrangement, shape, design or division of space and materials. These important factors which go to make well made homemade hooked rugs will be considered in classes taught at Farm and Home week. There will be a variety of hooked rugs and mats displayed to illustrate the points discussed.

DEATHS

WALTER WILLIAM NEWSOM

Walter William Newsome, 69, died at the Roanoke Rapids Hospital Saturday morning after an illness of several months. Funeral services were conducted from the Williams Funeral Home Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. W. R. Stevens. Interment was in the Hale Cemetery.

He is survived by two daughters: Mrs. Maude Birdsong and Mrs. Robert Faucett of Roanoke Rapids; three sons, Ernest L. C. W., and Frank Newsome of Roanoke Rapids; two sisters, Mrs. J. T. Whitehead of Richmond, Va.

Mrs. Grady Pearson and son, James, Mrs. John Lockey and daughter, Joan, spent Sunday in Emporia.

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