

Farmers To Get Peek At 1954 Farm Outlook

One of 101 Meetings Will Be Held In Edenton November 12

Chowan County agricultural workers and leaders will get the latest information on what to expect on the farm front next year at a meeting in Edenton Thursday, November 12.

C. W. Overman, county agent for the State College Agricultural Extension Service, says that a series of 101 meetings will be held in 99 of the State's 100 counties this month, "to give the farm people information that will help them adjust to the farming picture next year." Overman said meetings will be held in every county except Craven.

The meetings will be conducted by five teams of farm management and marketing specialists from State College under the supervision of C. B. Ratchford, in charge of extension farm management and marketing, Overman said.

The outlook for tobacco, cotton, feed, feed grains, wheat, peanuts, soybeans, forest products, beef, hogs, sheep, poultry, dairying, fruit and nut trees, vegetables, farm costs, home furnishings, housing and household equipment, will come in for discussion, according to Overman.

The five teams of specialists, made up of Ratchford, D. D. Brown, Chas. Williams, Guy Cassell, G. S. Abshier, J. M. Hunter, M. S. Williams, David Stancil, John Curtis and W. Turner.

Group Hears TB Discussed At Meeting

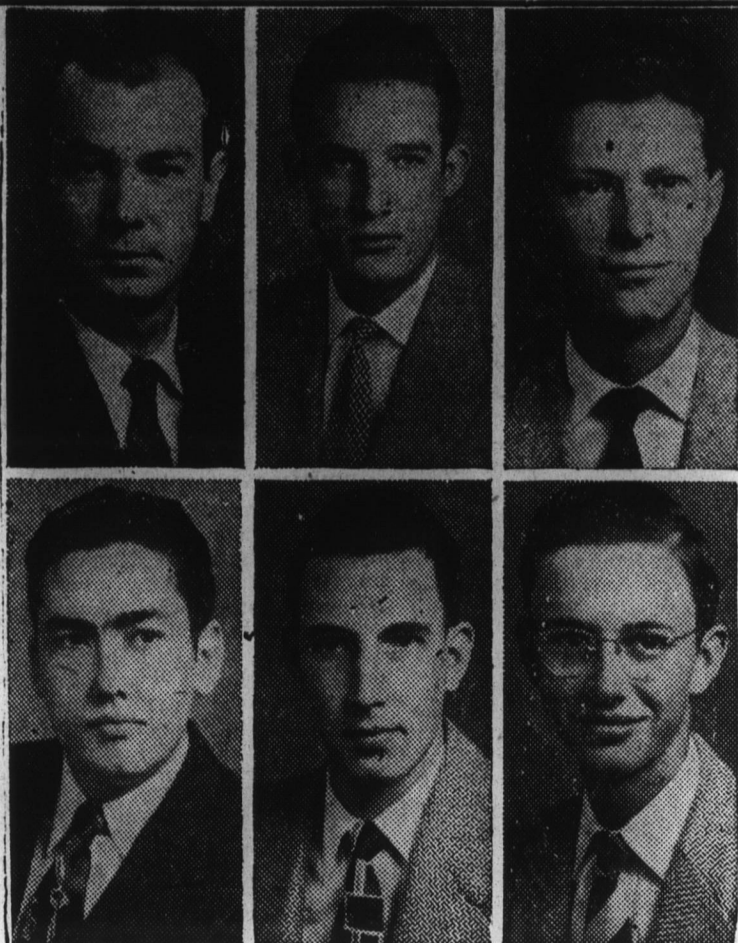
About 19 representatives of schools, churches and home demonstration clubs from Pasquotank, Perquimans, Camden and Chowan counties met in the Agriculture Building at Hertford October 26 at 4:30 P. M.

Mrs. Velma Joyner, Negro health educator, from the N. C. Tuberculosis Association, spoke on tuberculosis.

Miss Addie Hoffer, teacher in Perquimans Training School, commented on a health program, as well as oratorical contests, press projects which are good for school health programs. Miss Hulda Wood, Miss Audrey Umphlett and Mrs. Rose Pugh, public health nurses from their respective counties, were on hand to answer local questions that arose from the group present.

Mrs. Duke Cropsey, executive secretary from the district, reminded the

Edenton Boy Agricultural Club Officer



The fall term officers of the Agricultural Club at North Carolina State College are shown above. The club, largest departmental organization at the college, sponsors a wide range of extra-curricular activities. Top row, left to right: Samuel Sain of Cana, secretary; Henry Ramseur of Morganton, president, and Charles Overman of Edenton, vice president. Bottom row, left to right: Robert Maxwell of Brown Summit, treasurer; Banks Leonard of Lexington, reporter, and Eugene Pickler of New London, custodian.

group that in 1954, five X-ray units will be in the four counties and the cooperation of the various groups would be a great help in getting their people to come in and be X-rayed.

Dental Treatment For Vets Curtailed

Only one-time dental treatment will be given to veterans with service-connected dental conditions or disabilities that are not severe enough to rate disability compensation, Veterans Administration has announced.

VA said the limitation for these non-compensable cases was made under the basic 1933 law that authorizes the Administrator of Veterans Affairs to provide such medical, surgical, or dental service as is "reasonably necessary" for diseases or injuries incurred or aggravated in line of duty in the active military or naval service.

The limitation, VA said, does not

ond look? Virginia Wilson, extension nutritionist, says that you don't necessarily have to have beautiful naturally curly hair or big brown eyes to be considered attractive. "But you do have to have good posture."

How many times at about four o'clock in the afternoon have you felt completely exhausted? "That listless feeling may stem from organic difficulties, or it may arise from something as apparently simple as poor posture," says Mamie Whisnant, extension specialist in home management.

"The effects of an expensive, tailor-made suit are lost on the woman with poor posture," says Julia Melver, clothing specialist. "People actually get their first impression of you from your posture before they notice what you're wearing or how you speak. Posture tells others just how you feel—physically and mentally."

Posture is the way you hold yourself whether you're walking, sitting, or just standing still. Good posture is a habit that can be cultivated, but it will take exercise and lots of determination. There's a right way and a wrong way to do your daily household jobs. Use the right way—it's much simpler and easier on you.

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—George Washington.

Salt And Water Aid Pasture Management

If you have a few hundred yards of pasture which your cattle shy away from, there may be a way to get them to eat what forage remains.

County Agent C. W. Overman says that in most cases it's simple. Just provide water and salt, and maybe a shelter in the undergrazed area. This will bring even the most reluctant cow to the area where there is still grazing.

Mr. Overman cites the results of a study carried on by the U. S. Forest Service over a six-year period. The study shows that the development of watering places is one of the best ways of getting better distribution of grazing.

Cattle were successfully attracted to upland ranges and away from heavily grazed bottomlands through this means. Even temporary watering stations that took care of only a few head of cattle and lasted only a short time proved well worth while.

Salting was another successful means of attracting cattle to less-favored areas. And it is not necessary to locate salt and water close together, as is commonly believed. The study showed an average lapse of nearly seven and a half hours between the time cattle ate salt and drank water, even though they could have walked directly from salt to water in

20 minutes. Sheds or other shelters provided as protection from the weather should also be placed in areas where grazing is ordinarily light, according to Mr. Overman to serve as additional help in obtaining better grazing distribution.

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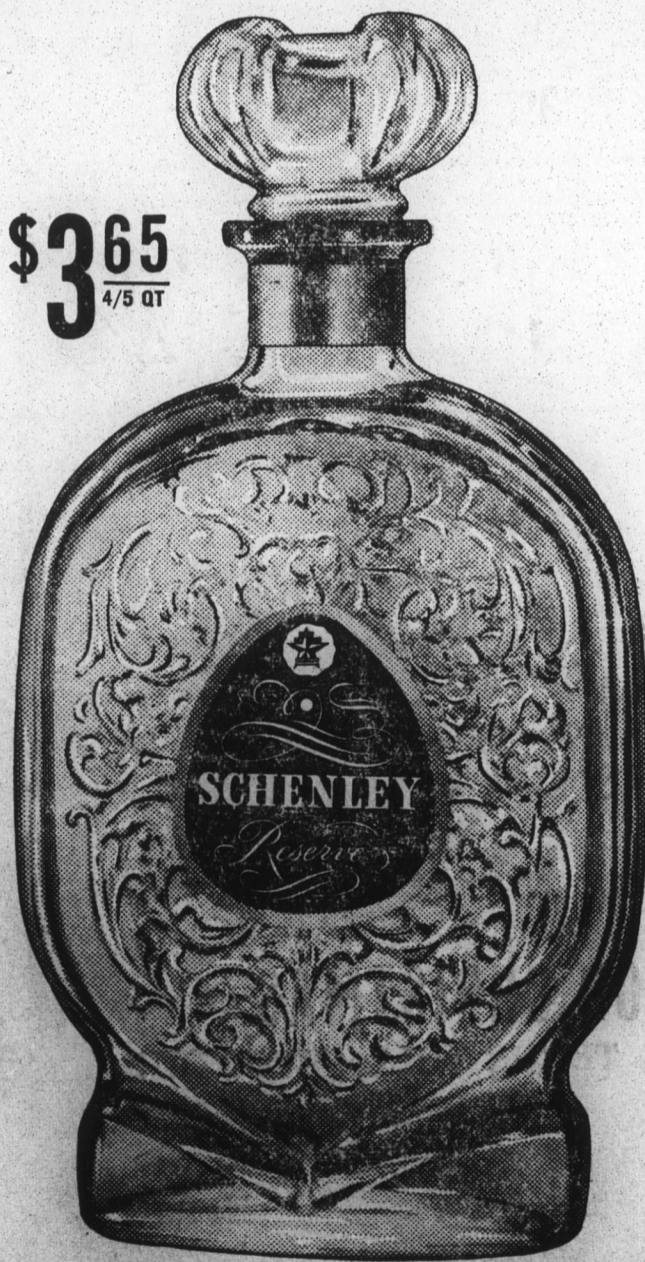
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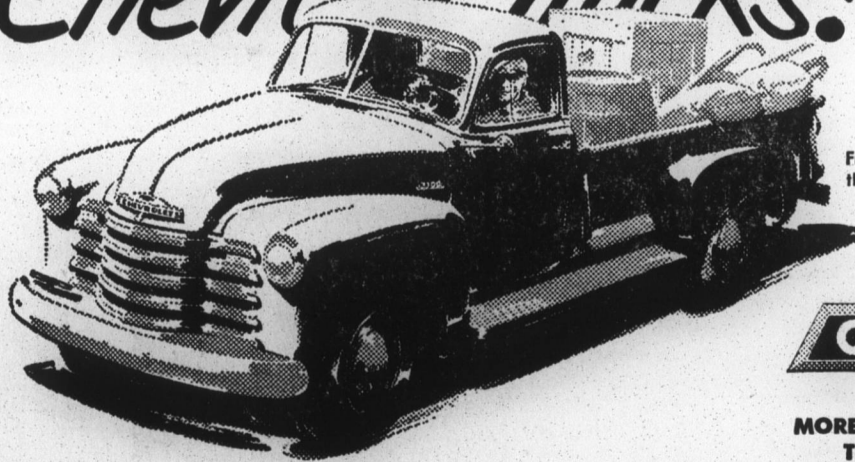
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