

Pre-School Clinics Begin On May 4th

Schedule Arranged For Convenience of Parents In County

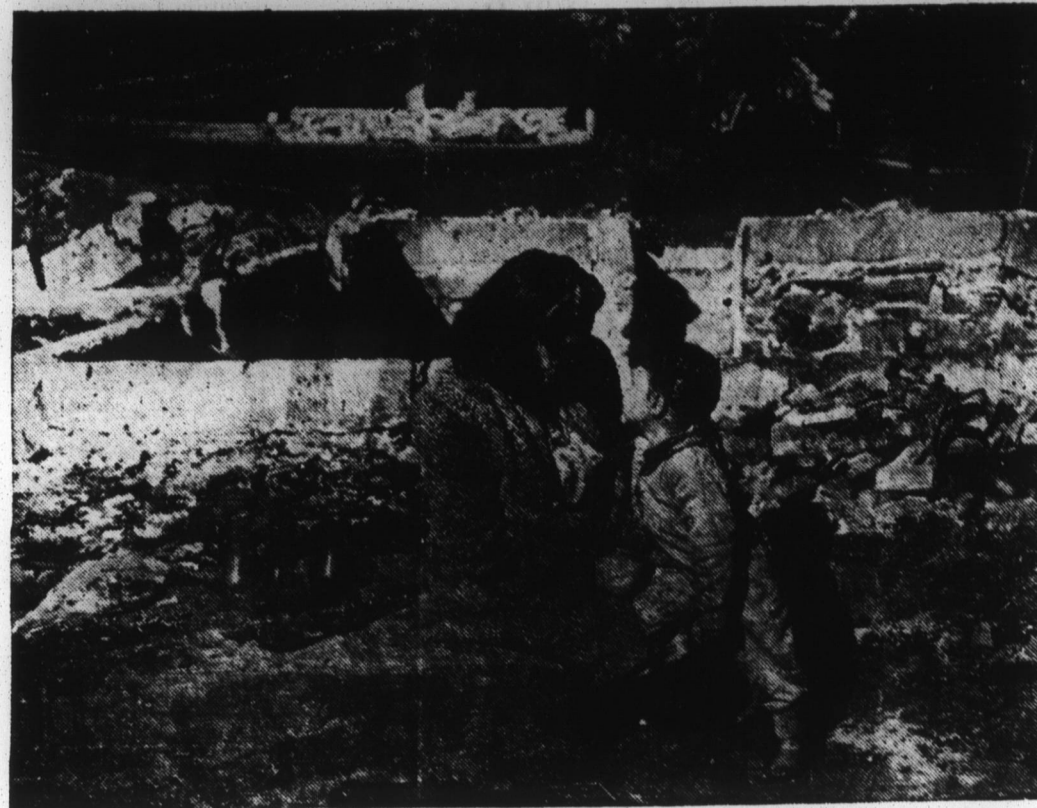
Dr B. B. McGuire, district health officer calls attention to parents of the pre-school clinics which will be held in Chowan County from Tuesday, May 4, through Thursday, May 13. All children whose birthday is on or before October 15, 1948 should be taken to one of the clinics.

The schedule for Chowan County follows:

- May 4 at 9 A. M.—Chowan High School boys and girls.
- May 5 at 9 A. M.—Rocky Hook School.
- May 5 at 10:30 A. M.—St. John's School.
- May 6 at 9 A. M.—Edenton colored school girls.
- May 7 at 9 A. M.—Edenton colored school boys.
- May 11 at 9 A. M.—Edenton white school girls.
- May 13 at 9 A. M.—White Oak school girls and boys.

Over 300 Members In Hospital Auxiliary

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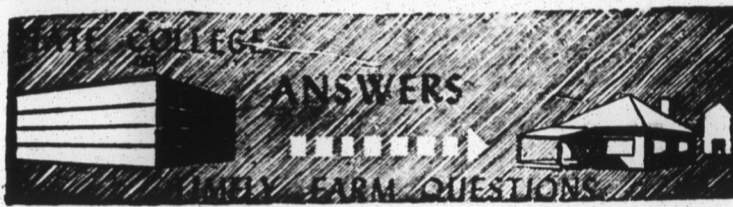
FOREST FIRE VICTIMS—Little girl consoles her brother after tragic forest fire destroyed all of their possessions. What started this forest fire? Carelessness... the cause of 9 out of 10 forest fires. Won't you please be careful this year? Be careful with matches, smokes, campfires, fires of any kind. Help prevent this sorrow and waste. This message sponsored by:

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Mrs. J. H. McMullan Speaker At Rotary

Mrs. J. H. McMullan was the principal speaker at last week's Rotary meeting, when she spoke about the operation and administration of the Chowan County Welfare Department. Mrs. McMullan cited the many activities of the department aside from the administration of relief. She was introduced by J. L. Chestnut, who had charge of the program.

A laugh to be joyous must flow from a joyous heart, for without kindness there can be no true joy. —Carylle.



Question: My land will not grow tobacco. Can I rent land to grow my allotment?

Answer: Under certain conditions, yes. If, for example, your land is infested with a tobacco disease, you may rent land to carry out a five-year rotation. In such cases, however, it is necessary that the cash-rented fields or tracts be covered by a written lease of not less than five years. The lease must be on record in the county in which the farm is located. The closing date for accepting applications for combinations of cash-rented land has passed for 1954.

Question: How often should I take soil samples?

Answer: If a good representative sample is taken from a field it should be good for a period of from three to five years. The length of time, of course, will be dependent somewhat upon the nature of the soil and on the cropping system followed. The cropping system will have an influence because of the fertilization and liming practices followed with different crops.

Question: Why is the livestock industry so important to the average farm family?

Answer: One reason, and a good one, is that the livestock industry helps furnish the family food supply. Livestock products used on North Carolina farms in 1951 were valued at \$90 million and cash sales in 1950 were worth \$147 million. In other words, the value of home consumption of livestock products is 14 inches tall approaches the income from cash sales, or until weeds appear. Plant corn at

That \$90 million figure brings up two other points: (1) Texas is the only state exceeding North Carolina in value of livestock products used at home, and (2) in North Carolina livestock products used at home are worth almost twice as much as home consumption of all crops.

Question: What is centipede grass?

Answer: It's a low creep lawn grass that does well on almost any kind of soil. Its scientific name is Eremochloa ophiuroides. It will grow well in the sun and does reasonably well in the shade. Its main claim is that it remains close to the ground and requires little mowing. The worst objection to it is that it browns over at the first frost of winter and remains so until spring growth starts. Seed of centipede grass are now becoming available. If you can get them seed them in April. However, the usual practice is to start centipede grass from roots planted in April and May.

Question: How can I keep crabgrass and cockleburrs out of my corn?

Answer: With 2, 4-D you can control crabgrass, cockleburrs, morning glory pigweed, lambsquarter and ragweed. Use pre-emergence spray, one, is that the livestock industry helps furnish the family food supply. days after planting or just before corn emerges. Use 1½ pounds of 2, 4-D per acre on sandy soils, 1½ pounds on clay soils and two pounds on muck soils. Do not cultivate or disturb the soil until the corn is 14 inches tall

least one inch deep. Avoid pre-emergence applications on extremely sandy soils. Injury to stand may occur if heavy rains follow the application before the corn comes up. Poor weed control is likely under dry conditions. Question: What actual value do legumes have in livestock feeding?

Answer: The legumes are rich in high-quality protein, are well supplied with phosphorous and calcium, and are a good source of vitamins, especially A and D. These qualities make legumes rate as one of man's best foods and as almost indispensable for efficient, economical livestock feeding. The protein in legumes is directly related to high nitrogen content, and in this respect they differ greatly from

grasses and other non-legumes. In one instance, the average protein content of one ton of each of eight legume hays was compared with the protein in eight grasses. The legumes averaged 304 pounds of protein per ton while the grasses averaged 156 pounds.

Quicker Route

A drunk was last seen ambling up to a subway excavation in New York City. He leaned over the rail and shouted down to the workmen: "Shay, how longzit gonna take to finish it?" "Two years, bud," someone yelled back up. "Two yearzsh!" the drunk cried. "Sh-too long—I'll take a cab."

Notice To Voters

As a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Chowan County, I am soliciting your vote and support in the Democratic Primary Election Saturday, May 29.

Due to my present business, I am unable to meet all of the voters personally, so that I am using this means to solicit your vote. If elected, I promise to carry out the duties of the office to the very best of my ability, devoting my entire time and efforts to make a creditable official of the county.

Registration books will be open Saturday, May 1, 8 and 15, from 9 A. M. until sunset. Please be sure you are properly registered in order to be qualified to cast a ballot in the election.

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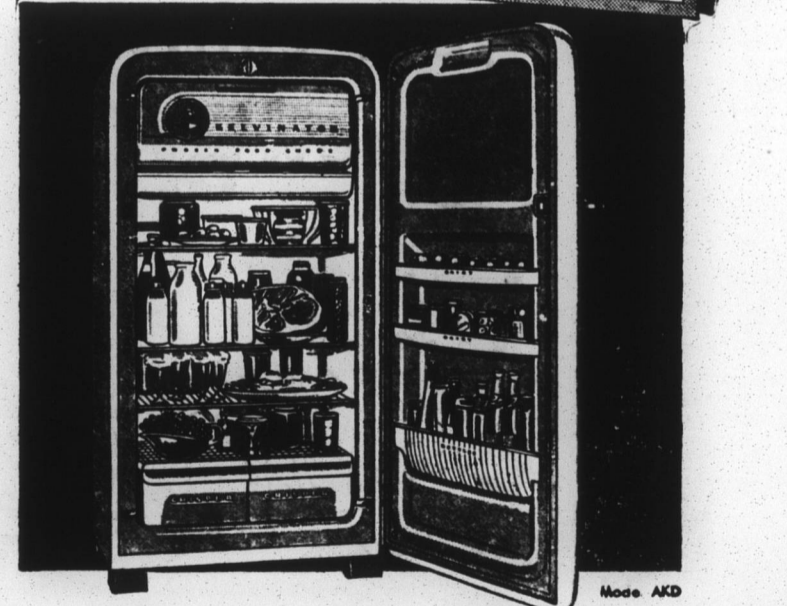
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