

SOIL CONSERVATION NEWS

By JAMES H. GRIFFIN, Soil Conservationist

Don't forget the woodland demonstration at Marvin Evans' farm at Bandon in the Rocky Hook section today (Thursday) at 1:30, which is being conducted by C. W. Overman, County Agent, and myself. "Weedy" trees will be poisoned using the Tree Injector with 2-4-DT and an ax with Ammate. These are two accepted methods used for killing undesirable trees. This woods was set out in pine seedlings two years ago by Mr. Evans' boys as a 4-H project. The scrub oak in the plot must be killed to allow the loblolly pine seedlings to grow. Other recommended forestry practices will be discussed by Mr. Overman and myself. If you have any questions about woodland bring them to the demonstration and we will try to answer them. Remember the demonstration starts Thursday, March 13, at 1:30 P. M.

Ralph Van Matre of Greenfield is having a woodland conservation plan prepared for his farm. Last month Ed Karnowski, SCS soil surveyor, prepared a land capability map of Mr. Matre's farm. Six types of soil were found on the farm. Craven silt loam, Lenoir silt loam, Bladen silt loam, Elkon silt loam, Othello silt loam, and Mixed Alluvium all having a site index from 90 to 105. (Site index is the height a tree will grow in fifty years). On March 10,

John Wiggins, State woodland conservationist, and myself met Mr. Matre on his farm and started preparing the woodland conservation plan. The 733 acres of woodland was divided into six fields will be written up to include the necessary managerial practices needed to bring his woods into production. Some of the fields needed thinning using the D 6 spacing. (D 6 is the diameter of the tree at 4b feet above the ground 6 feet). Others of his fields needed the "weedy" hardwoods poisoned to get back into production of loblolly pine. Fire lanes were planned for all fields to protect the woods from fire. This type of planning service is available to all Soil Conservation District Cooperators.

R. F. Jordan of Gliden is completing his tile drainage system this week. He has installed 3,100 ft. of 6-in. drain tile using the open outlet ditch he dug last summer as an outlet. This is part of his water and soil conservation plan with the Albemarle Soil Conservation District. Isaac Byrum installed 1,400 ft. of 5-in. drain tile completing a tile system he started in 1916. These new lines of tile were connected to the main line of the old system installed by him in 1916. The tile trencher will now go to D. T. Ward's farm and install about 1,

500 ft. of tile from there it will go to M. E. Copeland at Ryland and W. J. Privott at Center Hill. W. A. Harrell of Edenton is digging an open ditch which in the future will be used as a tile outlet on his home farm. Fleetwood Brothers' dragline is doing this work. Waff Brothers' dragline will start Wednesday (Mar. 12) at J. L. Hardson's farm near Edenton digging an open ditch.

Hospital Patients

Visiting Hours: 10 to 11 A. M., 2 to 4 P. M., and 6 to 8 P. M. Children Under 12 Years of Age Not Permitted To Visit Patients.

Patients admitted to the Chohan Hospital during the week of March 3-9 were:

White
Mrs. Sue Barocia, Edenton; Floyd Swap, Edenton; John Matthews, Hertford; Mrs. Bertha Stallings, Hertford; Miss Brenda Parrish, Edenton; H. L. Reynolds, Columbia; Infant Donna Sawyer, Creswell; Mrs. Marie Winslow, Belvidere; Mrs. Mamie Parker, Edenton; Conroy Perry, Hobbsville; Mrs. Eleanor Byrum, Edenton; Miss Mary Harris, Edenton; H. Allison Campen, Edenton; Mrs. Inez Wierch, Edenton; Mrs. Lenzie Rhodes, Columbia; Rudolph Perry, Hertford; Infant Diane Roberson, Merry Hill; Rufus Overton, Columbia; Earl Barnes, Creswell; Rowland Thornton, Edenton; Mrs. Minnie Bass, Edenton; Mrs. Anne Lane, Edenton; Miss Inez Cohon, Creswell.

Negro
Hettie Jordan, Edenton; Bernice Slade, Merry Hill; Henry Brooks, Jr., Edenton; Arglady's Roulac, Windsor; William Backus, Edenton; Roscoe Valentine, Edenton; Willie Hathaway, Edenton; Shirley Winborne, Edenton; Beulah Mae Riddick, Belvidere; Mary White, Hertford.

Patients discharged from the hospital during the same week were:

White
Mrs. Jenette Monds, Tyner; Mrs. Jo Ellen Durbin, Edenton; W. W. Spruill, Roper; Mrs. Vicie Hudson, Fairfield; Mrs. Minnie Armstrong, Columbia; Mrs. Mary



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Trying Again This Year



Above is pictured Bryant White, son of Mr. and Mrs. Watson Earl White, displaying his grand champion steer in the 1957 Chowan Fat Stock Show and Sale. Young White will again enter a steer in this year's show Wednesday, March 26, when a total of 15 steers will be exhibited.

Dooley, Edenton; John Matthews, Jr., Edenton; Arglady's Roulac, Windsor; Thester Barnes, Hertford.

Births
Cpl. and Mrs. Josue S. Barocia of Edenton, a daughter; John and Mary Slade of Merry Hill, a daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Byrum of Edenton, a son; George and Arglady's Roulac of Windsor, a daughter; Sgt. and Mrs. Alvin H. Wierch of Edenton, a daughter; Ellis and Beulah Riddick of Belvidere, twin daughters.

Visiting ministers for the week of March 9-16 are: White, the Rev. J. Paul Holoman; Negro, the Rev. S. N. Griffith.

Negro Home Demonstration News

By MRS. ONNIE S. CHARLTON, Negro Home Demonstration Agent

Sunday, thirty-six 4-H Club members and leaders braved the heavy rain to attend their program in observance of National 4-H Club Week, held at the Brown-Carver Library. Though attendance was small, a very interesting program was carried out. Donnell Blount, St. John 4-H Club, was mistress of ceremony. Main features of the program included a paper, giving the purpose of National 4-H Club Week, read by Ernestine Williams. A summary of 4-H work and activity for Chowan County was given by Ann Roulac. J. B. Small, County Agent, spoke on "Making Use of Your Opportunity." Mr. Small gave the many objectives of 4-H Club work and encouraged boys and girls to always take advantage of any activity to learn to do by doing. Recognition was given to leaders and parents.

Four-H Club members decided they would take the responsibility of getting their home yards clean as part of their observance of National 4-H Club Week. Here are some suggestions for the entire family in your spring clean-up:

Now is the time to clean up and throw out unnecessary trash and junk that accumulated during the winter months in the house, attic, yard, barn and out-buildings. The home and its surroundings is judged by the picture it makes and the story it tells to the people who pass by. It tells the type of citizen you are. A clean, orderly, attractive home and surroundings will add to the happiness and comfort of

the family, especially the children.

If you are not quite satisfied with the way your home and surroundings look, why not make a plan which will call for teamwork with the whole family. The father can be responsible for cleaning away old broken down trucks and automobiles. He can repair the leaky roof, repair the fence, hang a door on the outdoor toilet, replace the porch pillows, rebuild the broken porch and steps, fill the water holes, and fix the driveway.

The mother can be responsible for moving the clothes line from the front yard to the back yard. She can clean the inside of the house by removing cob webs from the walls, mending broken window shades, cleaning rugs, upholstered furniture and pictures, cleaning kitchen stove and utensils, throwing away broken utensils, and cleaning the trunk, clothes closet, and other corners. The mother can do general cleaning in the kitchen by cleaning old fruit jars, and throwing away unnecessary junk in the bedroom, living room, hall, and kitchen. The daughter in the family can assist mother in cleaning windows, venetian blinds, bureau drawers, dresser mirrors, the mantle piece and the beds.

The son can assist the father by keeping the wood pile high and neatly arranged in the back yard. He can learn to trim the hedge, plant the lawn, help clean out the barn, take up old stumps, move unnecessary rocks, clean up the paper, tin cans, bottles, weeds, etc. He can rake and pile up all leaves and put them down at

the end of the lot where they can stay until they rot, and they can be used later to enrich the soil for the flowers or family garden.

The whole family team can help to keep the back porch clean by storing everything in its proper place. Let us help to keep North Carolina Beautiful.

Home Demonstration County Council will meet Saturday, Mar. 15, in the office at 2:00 P. M.

All 4-H Club girls, carrying the clothing project are asked to meet in the office Saturday, at 1:00 P. M.

Chowan Clubs Join In Celebration Of 4-H Club Week

Nearly 300 Chowan County 4-H Club members joined 150,000 other North Carolina Club members, who in turn joined 1,500,000 other 4-Hers throughout the nation in the observance of National 4-H Club Week, March 1-8. The theme was "Keep North Carolina Beautiful," with special emphasis being on highways.

Local and school clubs held special meetings and local clubs sponsored a "Clean-up" campaign along Chowan highways and secondary roads.

The Oak Grove Local Club met on Friday, February 28, to make plans for the observance of National 4-H Club Week. Three team captains were appointed to coordinate the efforts in cleaning trash and rubbish from the public roads in the Oak Grove community. Edith Jean Nixon, Betty Jean Smith and Joe Nixon served as team captains, with each one having a specific area of road from which to remove the trash and rubbish. Each of the captains expect to have his section of road cleaned before the next local 4-H Club meeting. A report on the progress along with a list of workers will be given at the meeting. It is the duty and responsibility of the team captains to get a pick-up truck and driver or a tractor and trailer, and to notify their workers when to meet to do the job.

Kenneth Ray Layden served as team captain for the Gliden Local 4-H Club in its "Clean-up" campaign. Ronald Perry served as team captain for the Advance Local 4-H Club.

It is estimated that the state spends \$200,000.00 annually to clean up litter which is strewn by careless motorists. Therefore the efforts of our 4-H Clubs in cleaning up highways should be of great value to all citizens.

Other ways in which Chowan 4-H members observed National 4-H Week were by distributing "Grace Songs" to local restaurants, had a chapel program at Edenton High School, prepared bulletin boards at local schools, and placed posters at prominent places in the town and county.

Legal Notice

North Carolina. The undersigned, having qualified as Administratrix of the Estate of T. W. Jones, deceased, late of Chowan County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said Estate to present them to the undersigned on or before March 14, 1958, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said Estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned. This 13th day of March, 1958. ELSIE G. JONES, Administratrix, Edenton, N. C. Mar 13, 20, 27, Apr 3, 10, 17c

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The undersigned Haywood M. Phthisic, gives public notice that he is no longer associated with Henry G. Quinn in the operation of any business and is not responsible for any debts or obligations which may be incurred by said Henry G. Quinn in the operation of any business. This 10th day of March, 1958.

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