

SOIL CONSERVATION NEWS

By JAMES H. GRIFFIN, Soil Conservationist

Now is the time to do that mechanical preparation for natural reseeding or planting of loblolly pines. This practice is used to bring cut-over brushland back into pine production. A large tractor and heavy disk is used. Many of you have seen lands owned by pulpwood companies treated this way. Cost of this preparation is about \$20-\$25 per acre. Under the Agricultural Conservation Program a cost-share payment is made of \$10 per acre or about half the cost. Stanley Blanchard of Route No. 2 has signed-up for this practice. Several other district cooperators have planned it in their conservation plans with

the district. At least 25% of the woodland in Chowan County needs this practice. Now is the time to do it.

This week, July 20-26, is Farm Safety Week as proclaimed by President Eisenhower. Let's all work with safety every day. L. C. Bunch, Chairman of the Albemarle Soil Conservation District, is placing major emphasis on pond safety. Chowan County has about 100 ponds now. There is a great deal of danger in using these ponds for swimming. The sides are steep and the water deep and cold. Let's be safe... don't swim in farm ponds. Farmers who have not signed

for fall conservation practices should do so immediately. ASC committeemen have announced that farmers may sign-up now for cost-share under the ACP program. Practices include winter cover crop, pastures, open ditch drainage, tile, and woodland practices.

A practice of special interest is the seeding of 30 pounds of tall fescue in your small grain this fall. After the small grain is harvested the fescue can be fertilized and grazed. Many farmers report good results especially when using tobacco behind the fescue in rotation. Carroll and Fahey Byrum made 44 bushels of soybeans last year behind fescue. In the

same field beside the fescue sod, soybeans made 25 bushels following corn. Sound good, well other farmers are making reports that good on fescue in crop rotation. Frank Skinner of Perquimans County is trying his first wheat and fescue in his crop rotation. The roots from the wheat and fescue improves the soil structure. This causes better soil aeration and drainage. If you have stiff land and are using a small grain crop, try 30 pounds of tall fescue per acre mixed with your small grain seed. Both are seeded in the same operation. The ASC program will assist with the cost of this practice. Sign up now and try it.

get rid of it, and use additional calcium chloride). Buy at your local drugstore.

2. Use chloride of lime if your basement or cellar smells musty. Sprinkle it over the floor, when musty odor has gone, sweep, scrub, and dry the floor.

If molds or mildew are allowed to grow, they will cause a great deal of damage. Therefore, it will pay you to use care and not let clothing and household articles mold or mildew without special attention. It will prove to be very valuable and longer wear may be expected from your personal articles. If you keep your things well brushed, aired, and sunned, it will be the first step in controlling mold or mildew in your home.

Negro Home Demonstration News

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

This week 4-H Club members are attending camp at John W. Mitchell 4-H Camp, Hammocks Beach, Swansboro, N. C. Those attending are: Brenda Johnson, Donnell Blount, Carolyn Askew, Willie B. Holley, Bertha Ward, Edith Taylor, Kay Charlton, Dorothy Walker, Petrie Simons, Fred Joyner, Juan Van Putten, Calvin Webster, Allan Lawrence, Jerry Lawrence, Oscar Fleming, Jr., Calvin Coston, Calvin Holley, Lawrence Alford, Vann Fleming, Eddie Charlton and Winston Reeves.

The group is accompanied by the home agent, O. S. Charlton and 4-H Club Leaders J. B. Small, Jr., and W. H. Roberts.

Last week we gave you suggestions on how to prevent and remove mildew on some household articles. We shall continue with,

Leather—
1. Sponge leather articles with one cup of denatured alcohol and one cup of water. Dry in an airy place.

2. Polish shoes (including the shoe soles) and leather luggage with a thin coat of paste floor wax.

Book And Paper—

1. Dust books occasionally. Burn a small electric light in the bookcase.

2. Spread pages of books out fanwise to air. If very damp,

spread cornstarch or talcum powder between the pages. Leave on for several hours, then brush off. Heat the room for several hours or days if necessary.

3. Wipe or brush mold from paper with a clean soft cloth.

4. If paper is damp, dry it first in an airy place.

5. If paper is washable, wipe it with a cloth wrung out of thick soapsuds, then with clear water.

Upholstered Furniture, Mattresses and Rugs—

1. Wipe upholstered furniture with a cloth wrung out of one cup of denatured alcohol (do not use rubbing alcohol) and one cup of water. Rub thoroughly.

2. Brush with a whisk broom out-of-doors, sun, and air.

3. Sponge mildewed rugs and carpets with thick soap suds or a rug shampoo. Rinse with cloth dampened in clear water, and dry in the sun.

Wood—

1. Wipe mildewed floors and woodwork with a weak solution of kerosene and water (or plain water and soap suds and dry thoroughly).

2. Do not try to force swollen boards in place. Contact your carpenter.

Chemicals That Help — Check your local drugstore, hardware, or department store.

1. Calcium chloride. (place in fanwise to air. If very damp,

Firecrackers Chase Crows

Tom Asbell of the Center Hill community is convinced that crows don't like firecrackers. For several years he has used such methods as scare crows, twine string, and other devices to prevent crows from damaging his watermelons.

Some of his friends used firecrackers and a specially designed fuse rope for exploding the firecrackers. Since his friends got such good results Mr. Asbell decided to try this improved method.

When firecrackers are used they are fastened to the rope by their fuses. The rope is hung vertically and the lower end lighted. The time between explosions is controlled by the distance which the firecrackers are placed on the rope.

Mr. Asbell states that this method of preventing damage from crows is somewhat expensive. However, it is the most effective way he has found.

TRY A HERALD CLASSIFIED!

60 - SECOND SERMONS

— By — FRED DODGE

TEXT: "Selfishness is the greatest curse of the human race." —Gladstone.

"Come, Johnny," said his mother, "don't be selfish. Let your little brother play with your marbles."

"But," Johnny protested, "he wants to keep them always."

"Oh, I guess not," his mother replied.

"Well, he does, too. He swallowed three of them already."

Some time ago a man who committed suicide wrote down his sensations while dying. At first he boldly wrote his reasons for taking his own life. Gradually

penmanship became more labored and weaker. Finally he started a sentence — "I " — and his hand trailed off.

Some might say the man never finished his sentence. Actually he did. That one word "I" told the entire selfish story. His thoughts were so fixed on himself, what he wanted, what he felt, what he thought, that he must gratify a final selfish desire.

A suicide may arrive at a mental unbalance when the act takes place, but he traveled a road of self-interest to get there.

All selfishness doesn't end in physical suicide. Often it results in mental and moral suicide. Selfishness seizes man's finest

impulses and restricts them, confines them, blinds them, strangles them, kills them. By the way, what unselfish thing did you do today?

Page the Marquis of Queensberry "I disapprove of all brutal sports, prize-fighting, angling—" "Good heavens! How can you name those two sports in the same breath?"

"Why not? Isn't it the object of both pugilist and angler to land a hook in the jaw?"

Taylor Theatre

Edenton, N. C.

THURSDAY, JULY 24 — RETURN ENGAGEMENT

Henry Fonda, James Cagney and Jack Lemmon in

"MR. ROBERTS"

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, JULY 25-26

BLACKBOARD JUNGLE INVADES "NICE" SCHOOLS! M. G. M. presents An ALBERT ZUGSMITH Production **HIGH SCHOOL CONFIDENTIAL** in CINEMASCOPE starring RUSS TANKLIN, JAN STERLING, JOHN DREW BARRYMORE, and guest stars MAMIE VAN DOREN, JERRY LEE LEWIS

IT WILL MAKE YOU ANGRY... IT WILL MAKE YOU AFRAID... You'll say "It can't happen here." But can you be sure?

Special Show Saturday Afternoon — 1:15
One Show — Admission 25c To All
Chapter No. 4 "Zorro's Black Whip"

— AND —
Ray Corrigan and Max Terhune in
"BULLETS AND SADDLES"

SUNDAY AND MONDAY, JULY 27-28

The raging cry that swept the West and the blazing incident that set it aflame

FROM HELL TO TEXAS

starring **DON MURRAY - DIANE VARSI**
with **CHILL WILLS - DENNIS HOPPER**
Produced by ROBERT BUCKNER. Directed by HENRY HATHAWAY
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TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, JULY 29-30

M-G-M PRESENTS THE BOLD, BURNING NOVEL AT LAST!
THE BROTHERS KARAMAZOV
starring **YUL BRYNNER**
MARIA SCHELL - CLAIRE BLOOM
LEE J. COBB - ALBERT SALMI
and co-starring **RICHARD BASEHART**
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An Avon Production in METROCOLOR

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"THE BRIDGE ON THE RIVER KWAI"

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, JULY 25-26

Jerry Lewis in "THE SAD SACK"

SUNDAY, JULY 27

June Allyson in "INTERLUDE"

MONDAY AND TUESDAY, JULY 28-29

Walter Pidgeon in
"FORBIDDEN PLANET"

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, JULY 30-31

Glenn Ford in

"DON'T GO NEAR THE WATER"

Champion Bourbon

by Schenley



\$2.85 \$4.45

8 Years Old
Straight Bourbon Whiskey

3 BIG AUCTION SALES OF HOMES SATURDAY, JULY 26

10 A. M.	11 A. M.	11:30 A. M.
Home Westover Heights	3 Bedroom Home	12 Room House on Hertford Highway 1/2 Mile North of Edenton. Approximately 3 acres of land. Jim Davenport home.
On Highway 17 South	Moseley Street	
Lot 90 x 320 feet	— ON PREMISES —	

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