

## WITH THE FARM WOMEN

By VIRGINIA M. NANCE, Extension Home Economics Editor

**Enjoy 'Em All Year**  
What happens to your beautiful Christmas poinsettia when the lovely flowers fade and the plant is no longer a pleasure to keep? If you wish to enjoy your poinsettias throughout the year, take this suggestion from a Jones County Home Demonstration club woman:

Mrs. Vance Griffin, New Bern, Route 3, saved her Christmas plant several years ago. According to Home Economics Agent Faytie Cox, Mrs. Griffin now has 15 large, beautifully blooming plants.

During the summer these plants are pruned and set out to attractively surround the porch. Cuttings are used to start new plants. Then, as the weather becomes wintry, Mrs. Griffin moves the poinsettias inside and the family enjoys the vibrant red blooms throughout the holiday season.

**Quilting Bees**  
In order to raise money for a community building, the women of the Mountain Valley community in Henderson County are making a "special" quilt to be sold at auction.

Mrs. Justine Rozier, assistant home economics agent, reports that each of the club women is making a square in the "log cabin" pattern to add to the quilt.

The batting has been given, and one woman is planning to do the lining. When the squares are completed, the quilting bee will enable everyone to use their needle to complete the community project.

**Proper Insurance**  
"I have realized my ignorance, and I'll not sleep well until I know more about my insurance," exclaimed each Alamance County Home Demonstration Club woman.

When Home Economics Agent Katherine Millsaps explained basic policies, these women were amazed that they knew so little about their insurance.

Few realized they were protected by an insurance commission. With their new-found information, they plan to better understand each provision in their policies.

**Clean, Better Sewing Machines**  
For two years, Mrs. Annie Bell Coston, Atkinson, Route 1, had not used her sewing machine. Mrs. Caroline Fennell, Wallace, Route 1, had had a repairman work on her sewing machine twice. Since other Home Demonstration Club women in Pender County were having similar difficulties, Mrs. Arvita Merrill, Negro home economics agent, gave a demonstration on cleaning and adjusting sewing machines.

As a result of this demonstration, these and other once-idle sewing machines are now being put to much needed use.

**Decorated Pillows**  
Home Demonstration Club women in Gaston County have been progressing on their decorative

pillow making under the guidance of Mrs. Henry Black.

By using "odds and ends" of material, the women were able to make some lovely decorated pillows at little cost. They proudly displayed their work of art at monthly club meetings, according to Miss Lucille Tatum, home economics agent.

**Craft Expert**  
"I thoroughly enjoy teaching other Home Demonstration Club members and 4-H'ers any new craft I have learned. I love to watch their hands create and to know that I helped them," says Mrs. Gordon Walter, Columbus County arts and crafts leader.

Home Economics Agent Earline Gibson reports 18 workshops have been held by Mrs. Walter. A total of 367 people have been instructed in Swedish darning, drawn work, rake knitting, decorating plates, splint baskets, covering coat hangers and copper embossing.

At this time, Mrs. Walter, herself, is busy perfecting another craft: corn shuck mats.

## 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 Chowan Hospital during the week of January 5-11 were:

**White**  
Louis Winslow, Belvidere; William Preston Parks, Edenton; Mrs. Frances Fay Bateman, Edenton; Mrs. Patty Morris, Hertford; Mrs. Ruby Irene Holmes, Edenton; William Jackson Lassiter, Edenton; Mrs. Mary Alice Hess, Edenton; Mrs. Nancy Emma Hassell, Edenton; Mrs. Pattie Dail, Elizabeth City; Don Davenport, Creswell; Mrs. Vivian Wheeler, Edenton; Mrs. Viva Leona Stallings, Hobbville; Mrs. Alma Wilkins, Edenton; Oliver R. Spivey, Edenton; Mrs. Mary Davenport, Edenton; Mrs. Joan Young, Edenton; Mrs. Helen B. Davis, Tyner; Mrs. Lillian Elliott, Hertford; Robert Perry, Tyner; John Thomas Hendricks, Hertford; William Phillip Long, Hertford; Mrs. Stella Richards, Delaware.

**Negro**  
Emma Skinner, Hertford; Barbara Jean Felton, Hertford; Ethel Lee Cooper, Corapeake; Christine Walton, Hobbville.

Patients discharged from the

hospital during the same week were:

**White**  
Travis Carol Jackson, Tennessee; Mrs. Gladys Roughton, Columbia; Lister Dail, Maxton; Mrs. Frances Norris, Merry Hill; Richard Spruill, Edenton; Mrs. Inez Bunch, Belvidere; Mrs. Sadie Owens, Edenton; Mrs. Frances Bateman, Edenton; Mrs. Patty Morris, Hertford; Mrs. Ruby Holmes, Edenton; Mrs. Nancy Emma Hassell, Edenton; Mrs. Pattie Dail, Elizabeth City; Don Davenport, Creswell; Mrs. Alma Wilkins, Edenton.

**Negro**  
Thomas Isaac Harris, Edenton; Joseph Lynn Cooper, Edenton; Eula Jordan, Tyner; Eva Foreman, Roper; Emma Skinner, Hertford; Barbara Jean Felton, Hertford; Ethel Lee Cooper, Corapeake.

**Births**  
Births during the same week were: Mr. and Mrs. James Foreman, Jr., of Roper, twin sons; Mr. and Mrs. David Bateman of Edenton, a daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Felton of Hertford, a son; Mr. and Mrs. William Skinner of Hertford, a son; Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Ray Stallings of Hobbville, a son; Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Walton of Hobbville, a son; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hess of Edenton, a daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Davis of Tyner, a daughter.

Visiting ministers for the week of January 12-18 are: White, the Rev. C. F. Hill; Negro, the Rev. J. E. Blount.

## GUM POND CLUB NEWS

The Gum Pond Home Demonstration Club held its first meeting of the year on January 7, at the home of Mrs. Effie Evans with 14 members present. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Florine Nixon, president.

Miss Beulah Evans read a few verses from the Bible and the club members repeated the Club Collect and sang the club song, "Ever Onward."

The club decided to have its joint meeting in February at the Oak Grove Club house.

The schedule for the monthly club meetings was made with different club members taking it in their homes for the different months.

The club voted to renew its membership in the Hospital Auxiliary.

The club project leaders and committee chairmen were named for the coming year.

Miss Maidred Morris, home agent, gave a very interesting and useful demonstration on "Draperies You Can Make." She

told the members of different fabrics suitable for draperies, of the amount of material needed for different types of draperies, of drapery construction and how to finish and hang draperies.

At the conclusion of the demonstration, Mrs. Rodney Bunch, recreation leader, gave a quiz on different song titles.

The meeting then adjourned and the hostesses served delicious refreshments which consisted of fruit cake, ice cream and homemade fudge.

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

The apostle John's inspiring account of the raising of Lazarus by Christ Jesus is featured in the Lesson-Sermon entitled "Life" which will be heard at Christian Science services Sunday.

Selections to be read from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy will include the following (75:13): "Jesus restored Lazarus by the understanding that Lazarus had never died, not by an admission that his body had died and then lived again. Had Jesus believed that Lazarus had lived or died in his body, the Master would have stood on the same plane of belief as those who buried the body, and he could not have resuscitated it."

The Golden Text is from Psalms (118:14, 17): "The Lord is my strength and song, and is become my salvation. I shall not die, but live, and declare the works of the Lord."

## CORAPEAKE NEWS

The Rev. and Mrs. Alphonso Jordan of Raleigh will be weekend guest of his father, Isaac Jordan and brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Harrell. Mr. and Mrs. Jordan will be at Middle Swamp Church next Sunday, January 18 and he will preach at the 11 o'clock service. The public is invited to attend.

Mrs. Carl Barrier and sons, Eddie and Randy of Edenton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Harrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bowen of Portsmouth visited Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Harrell Sunday.

Miss Evelyn Jethro of Edenton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charleston Jethro Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Taylor and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Barnes Sunday afternoon.

Nothing is there to come, and nothing past, But an eternal now does always last.

—Cowley.

## 60 - SECOND SERMONS

— By —  
FRED DODGE

Text: "It costs more to revenge injuries than to bear them."  
—Bishop Thomas Wilson

Years ago, John L. Sullivan, the heavyweight champion, was paid for boxing lessons by a young man. After the first lesson the young man went home somewhat worse for the experience. When it came time for the second lesson, the young man returned and said,

"Mr. Sullivan, my idea was to learn enough about boxing from you to get revenge on a certain young man. But I've changed my mind. If it's all the same to you, I'll send this certain young man around to take the rest of the lessons for me."

Many wonderful lives have been wasted "getting even." The thought, the time, the energy used in getting revenge is sheer waste. It simply gives childish satisfaction. In political life, particularly, the stature of men is

shown by the revenge they take. Many a bitter political feud has wasted men of ability and sterling character, simply because some childish person in a position of power, took revenge. The chain-reaction set up by a vengeful act never permits a return to perfect balance. It must be stopped by someone who is big enough and man enough to refrain from taking revenge. Could that person be you?

## Miss Leigh Dobson In Play At College

Graham Greene's "The Potting Shed," three-act mystery drama with a religious theme, will be presented by the East Carolina College Playhouse February 11, 12, and 14 as a special event of Religious Emphasis Week on the campus.

Among the students who will appear in the play is Leigh Dobson of Edenton.

In addition to the three per-

formances on the campus, "The Potting Shed" will be presented at a drama festival at State College, Raleigh, February 13. Plans to take the play on a tour of various towns in this state during spring holidays at East Carolina, March 27-30, are now in progress.

## Maj. E. J. Mathews Dies In Thailand

Word has been received of the death of Major E. J. Mathews in Thailand. Deather was attributed to coronary thrombosis.

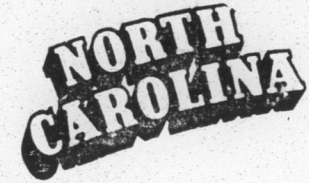
Major Mathews had arrived in Thailand last week for a 12-month tour of duty. He had previously been stationed at Fort Macon, Georgia, where his wife and two little daughters now reside. Mrs. Mathews is the for-

mer Myrtle Lane of Tyner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Lane and sister of Mrs. Rufus Smithson.

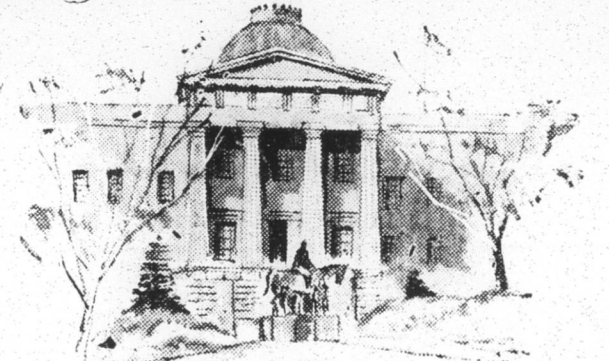
## Methodist Workshop In Elizabeth City

A Methodist Workshop, devoted to work of the local church, will be held at the First Methodist Church in Elizabeth City tonight (Thursday) from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Commission Chairmen and members, officers and workers in each local church in the Elizabeth City District are invited and urged, to attend this workshop. Training will include the study of methods of encircling the spiritual life of the church and enlarging its growth through the Commission on Membership and Evangelism.



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The Tax Books for the year 1958 are now in my hands for the collection of taxes. We urge you to pay your taxes now and avoid the penalty which will begin on February 1.

A PENALTY OF 1% WILL BE ADDED ON 1958 TAXES NOT PAID BEFORE FEBRUARY 2. ANOTHER 1% WILL BE ADDED MARCH 2 AND AN ADDITIONAL 1/2 OF 1% WILL BE ADDED FOR EACH ADDITIONAL MONTH TAXES ARE UNPAID.

ANY TAXPAYER WHO CANNOT PAY HIS OR HER TAXES IN ONE PAYMENT CAN MAKE PARTIAL PAYMENTS UNTIL PAID. YOUR CO-OPERATION WILL BE GREATLY APPRECIATED.

M. EARL GOODWIN  
SHERIFF OF CHOWAN COUNTY