

SOIL CONSERVATION NEWS

By JAMES H. GRIFFIN, Soil Conservationist

Albemarle Soil Conservation District has entered the National Goodyear contest for 1959. District supervisors met at the SCS work unit office in Elizabeth City Monday night, May 11, and completed the application form. On the score card, the Albemarle District rated 2944 points of a possible 3400 points. Last year, when we won the Goodyear award, our score was 2758 points of a possible 3600 points. We cannot win first place this year according to the rules but will be eligible to win again in 1960.

Plant Materials Planting
Two plantings have been made on William Wood's farm. These plantings were made for the purpose of testing their desirability as quail food. One is a wild soybean Glycine Max seeded between the rows of Bicolor lespeza and interplanted with corn. The other planting is Dillen's Tick Clover (Desmodium illinoense) also for quail food. If these plants live up to their expectations a new quail food should be available soon.

Wildlife Plants
Several people have requested seed or plants within the last few days for wildlife plantings. It is a little late in the season for Bicolor but, annual seed mixtures might be available. Contact your local SCS office for an application form or a representative of the N. C. Wildlife Commission or other agricultural workers. The annual seed mixture is made up of several different kinds of seed such as millet, soybeans, annual lespeza, etc. It's very good for use in odd corners on your farm.

Summer Cover Crop
Did you ever want a summer cover crop yet didn't feel that you could afford it. Well, you can have a summer cover crop by seeding crotalaria in your corn. Broadcast 30 pounds of Giant Strata Crotalaria at the last cultivation of corn, watermelons or other truck crops. E. M. Ward of Gliden, Johnnie Chappell of Crossroads are trying crotalaria after watermelons. Cost per acre is about \$7.50 per acre. ACP program paying \$2 per acre providing you sign up for ACP payment prior to seeding.

Fescue
W. W. Stevens, State Soil Conservationist, has stated that there is a shortage of fall fescue seed. If you have a good stand of fescue why not consider saving seed. A good stand will produce from 300-600 pounds of seed per acre.

Stubble-Mulch
Do not burn your wheat or other small grain fields this spring. You can handle the straw by using a shredder and mulch planting. Cut your small grain high and run the shredder over the stubbles. Next use a middlebuster to blow out the rows leaving the soil in the middles. Use a follow plow or disk blades to fill in about two-thirds of the plowed out furrow. Plant soybeans or milo in the furrow. Several district cooperators are planning to try this method of planting behind small grain. Among them are T. E. Corpew of Gliden, J. A. Webb, Jr., and William Wood of Yennim. Dates of these plantings will be announced later.

Coastal Bermuda And Bahia Grass
Now is the time to top-dress these pastures for summer grazing. Nitrogen in any form will do the job. Use about 100 pounds of Nitrogen now and again in July for best results.



IN MINNESOTA—One got away from this mirey mess in Minneapolis. Car, right center, was abandoned. Gas company truck, center, tried to pass. Stuck. Helper truck, left, got stuck. Diesel cab, background, became stuck before this soggy saga began. A third gas company truck, piloted by a driver hep to mud, stayed out of trouble.

Marvin Evans and Milton Evans of Bandon have good pastures of both these plants.

Farm Planning
S. W. Moore of Edenton is having a conservation farm plan prepared on his farm. He has planned open ditch and tile drainage already. The existing field ditches will be filled when these drainage practices are installed. Use sod waterways as needed. On woodland, several decisions must be made to bring it into full production. His woods were cut down to diameter size several years ago. This left him with a "stunted" stand loblolly pines plus non-decay hardwoods. Mr. Moore says he wants to convert this condition since his woods has a high potential for loblolly pines. His conservation plan will be finished this week.

This is one of the many services of your local Soil Conservation District. Why not see about your conservation plan?

Police Make 50 Arrests In April

Chief of Police George I. Dail reports that during April Edenton police made 54 arrests, of whom 50 were found guilty as charged. The arrests were led by 20 for miscellaneous traffic violations, followed by 13 for being drunk.

Of those arrested 25 were white males; three white females, 23 colored males and three colored females. Fines amounted to \$220, costs \$365.10 for a total of \$585.10, of which \$251 was turned back to the town in way of officers' fees.

Activities during the month included 50 calls answered, three automobile accidents investigated, one automobile stolen and one recovered, three funerals worked, eight street lights reported out, 21 courtesies extended, 23 doors found unlocked, 22 investigations made, three fire calls answered and 411 traffic citations issued. The police made 978 radio calls and were on the air one hour, two minutes and 40 seconds.

Legal Notices

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Ernest J. Ward, Sr., deceased, late of Chowan County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to the undersigned within one year from date of this notice or same will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate please make immediate payment.
This 21st day of May, 1959.
ERNEST J. WARD, JR.,
Administrator of
Ernest J. Ward, Sr.
May 21, 28, 1959, 11, 18, 25.

preparation equipment.

Here are a few suggestions that will help you in your planning to conserve enough food for your family.

1. Green, yellow, fruits and vegetables can 25 quarts for each member of your family. Choose green snap beans, broccoli, carrots, yellow corn, okra, yellow peaches, garden peas, pumpkin, yellow squash, sweet potatoes.

2. Vitamin C Rich foods. Can 25 quarts for each member of your family. Choose tomatoes, tomato juice, strawberries (frozen) raw cabbage (stored).

3. Other vegetables. Can 25 quarts for each member of your family. Choose beets, beans, white corn, white onions, black-eyed peas, soup mixture, soybeans.

4. Fruits, Fruit Juices. Can 25 quarts for each member of your family. Choose apples, berries, cherries, figs, grapes, peaches, white pears, plums.

Meats: Can 20 quarts for each member of your family. Choose beef, fish, pork, poultry, game. Don't forget your jellies, jams, preserves and pickles.

Mis-Steak
"Say, dear, this steak doesn't taste quite right."
"Yes, I know, darling, it got a burn on it but I put on some vaseline right away."

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