

AROUND THE FARMS IN CHOWAN COUNTY

By C. W. OVERMAN, Chowan County Agent

Gross Farm Income Progress: In the "1.6 in '63" Extension Program the increase in gross farm income has made slightly below scheduled progress the first two years in the ten county Albemarle Area. In 1961 goals set for increase in income was 16.8 million dollars by 1963. During 1962 and 1963, the first two years, the gross farm income in the area has risen 5.9 million dollars. During the two-year period nine of the ten counties have had an increase in annual gross farm income.

In Chowan County our 5-year farm income goal was 1 1/4 million dollars. Our 1963 gross farm income had increased \$812,590, placing Chowan County well ahead of schedule in the 5-year period. We congratulate our Chowan County people on this progress. Now, the only way we can hold the progress we've made and still improve is to apply more of the recommended practices needed on our farms and pray for favorable weather conditions. We still have a lot of farms in Chowan County whose yields are below average for the county. It is on these farms mainly the needed improved practices must be employed to continue our progress. There can also be some adjustments in crops and livestock enterprises which will aid increased income. Let's keep the ball of progress rolling in 1964.

Corn Varieties: In 1963 we conducted one corn variety trial demonstration. There was considerable variation in the performance of the various varieties as to yield, quality of grain, and strength of stalk. The average yield per acre was 87 bushels.

The following varieties had good characteristics and were above average in yield: Early maturing DeKalb 805 yielded 92 bushels per acre. In medium season maturity Funks G-144 yielded 91 bushels, Coker 15 yielded 99 bushels, Watson 401 yielded 93 bushels, Watson 401A yielded 95 bushels, Pioneer 309B yielded 116 bushels, Pioneer 3037 yielded 108 bushels, VPI 648 yielded 97 bushels, Missouri 916 yielded 92 bushels, and Speight D-8 yielded 89 bushels. Full season maturing varieties Speight D-14 yielded 94 bushels, McNair 304 yielded 95 bushels, Pioneer 310 yielded 117 bushels, Pioneer 3048 yielded 89 bushels, Pioneer X-8218 yielded 111 bushels, M&W 120 yielded 117 bushels, and M&W 130 yielded 90 bushels. The varieties that were used in 1963 and were also used in 1962 performed correspondingly both years. All of these are yellow varieties and we consider them good ones to choose from for 1964 planting.

Peanuts and Cotton: Again I want to remind peanut growers to use recommended nematocides for controlling nematodes in their peanuts in 1964. D-D materials and Telone must be applied at least two weeks prior to planting. Zinophos granules

may be applied prior to or at planting time in the very upper surface of the row.

For controlling nematodes in cotton we can use D-D materials or Telone, observing the two-week waiting period. We can still use nemagon and fumazone at planting or prior to planting for cotton. I don't have any information on using Zinophos for sting nematode control in cotton but suggest that any growers who wish to try it do so on a limited basis; I don't see any reason why it should not work.

Junior Livestock Show and Sale: The Chowan County Junior Livestock Show and Sale is being held on Wednesday of this week. It will be over by the time you receive this paper but we will give you a story on it next week.

Agricultural Extension Agent Harry Venters and Vocational Agricultural Teacher Everett White inform me that their youth have done a nice job feeding out their steers and hogs. I feel sure we will have a very commendable exhibition. We are very regretful that the market price of steers is low at this time and no doubt will reflect on the chances of profit by our youth feeders. We can't afford to be discouraged and quit when the price pendulum hits the bottom because next year it could swing reasonably well up.

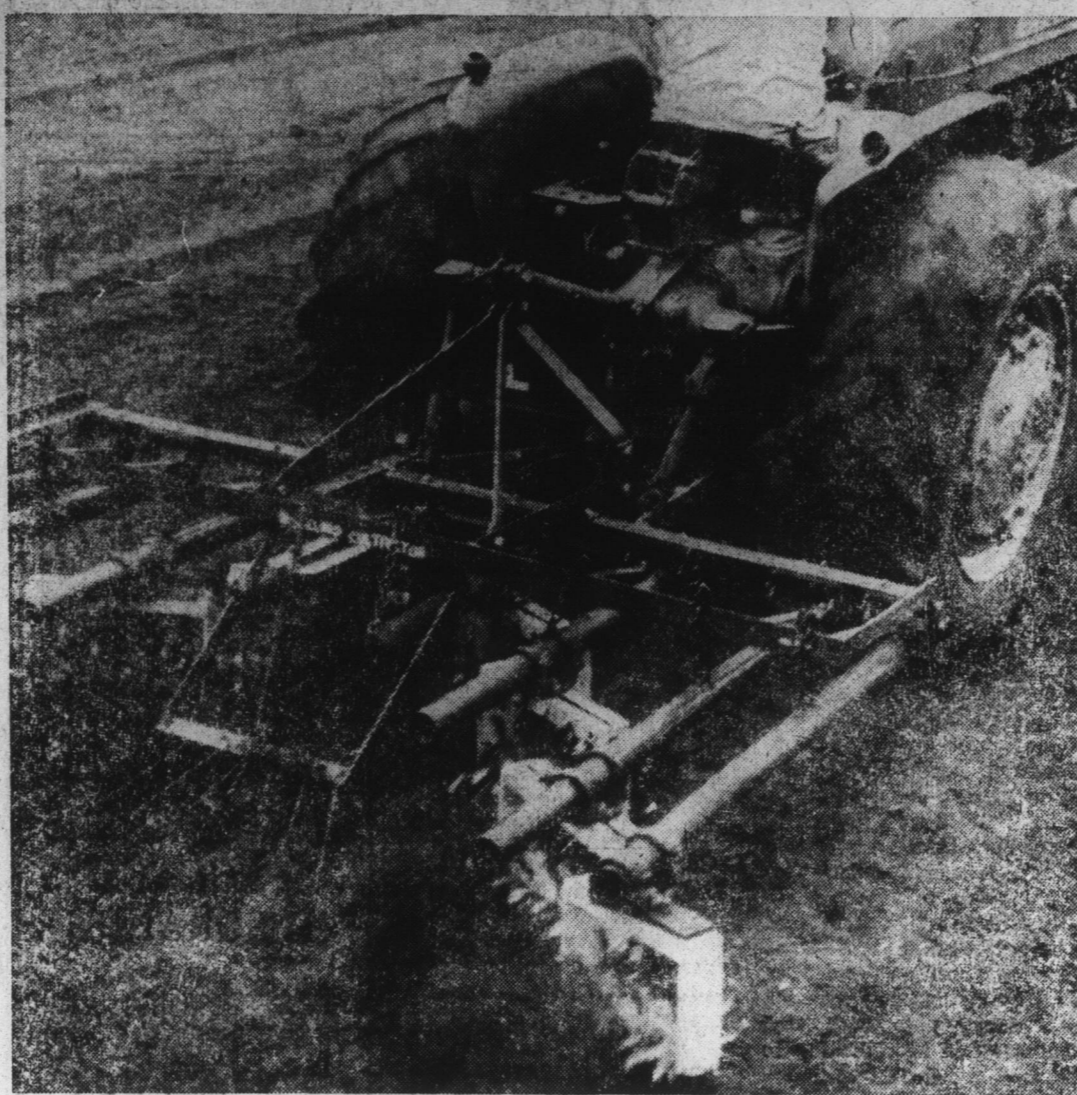
Caseworkers Hold Meeting In Edenton

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One desiring to learn a trade or to get technical training to receive such training. There are 20 such institutions in the State of North Carolina. The cost to individuals is \$20 per quarter, but no one is turned away because of insufficient finances. This problem is solved by sometimes helping the individual to find part time work or through some other method.

During the past nine months, 40,000 persons have taken advantage of industrial education and technical training. Mr. Valentine brought out the fact that jobs are available for skilled workers, but the skilled workers are not available. Motivation is an important factor, and ways of motivating youth and adults to take advantage of industrial education centers must be found. Training is available five days a week from 7 A. M. until 10:30 P. M., thereby making it possible for one to receive training day or night at the individual's convenience. It is hoped that more individuals will become better acquainted with this phase of training and education. Anyone desiring more information relative to industrial education, technical training, or community colleges, might contact Mr. Valentine at the State Education Building in Raleigh.

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CIVIC CALENDAR

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Court House Saturday morning, April 11, beginning at 10 o'clock.
Week of April 6-11 is designated as Clean-Up, Paint-Up, Fix-Up Week in Edenton.

Edenton Jaycees will hold a big hootenanny in the Edenton armory Saturday night, April 11 at 8 o'clock.

New officers for William H. Coffield, Jr. Post No. 9280 will be installed Tuesday night, April 14, at 8 o'clock.

John A. Holmes Band Parents Association will sponsor a hot country ham supper in the school cafeteria Friday, April 10 from 5:30 to 7:30 P. M.

A rabies clinic will be held at the office of Dr. L. A. Deese Wednesdays, April 15, 22 and 29 from 1 to 5 P. M.

A program will be presented in the panel room of the Court House Sunday afternoon, April 12 at 4 o'clock as a highlight of National Library Week.

The Chamber of Commerce sixth annual spring fishing contest will be in progress through Saturday, May 30.

Edenton Woman's Club is sponsoring another baby contest which will be in progress until Wednesday, April 15.

Edenton Rotary Club will meet this (Thursday) afternoon at 1 o'clock in the Parish House.

A stated communication of Unanimity Lodge No. 7, A. F. & A. M. will be held tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock.

Chowan Tribe of Red Men will

meet Monday night at 8 o'clock.

Miss Ruth A. Burroughs, Norfolk soloist, will present a program at Pleasant Grove A.M.E. Zion Church Sunday afternoon, April 12, at 1:30 o'clock.

A revival meeting will be held in the Edenton Methodist Church Monday, April 13 through Friday, April 17.

Dr. Elizabeth Beale, a returned missionary from Asia, will speak at the Edenton Methodist Church Tuesday night, April 14, at 8 o'clock.

Edenton Jayceettes will conduct a door-to-door candy sale Friday night, April 10, beginning at 7 o'clock.

Chowan County Democrats will hold precinct meetings on Saturday, April 25.

William H. Coffield, Jr. Post No. 9280, Veterans of Foreign Wars and the VFW Auxiliary will hold a joint dinner meeting at the post home Tuesday night, April 14 at 7:30 o'clock.

Chowanoke Council No. 54, Degree of Pocahontas, will meet tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock.

April term of Chowan Superior Court will convene Monday morning, April 27, at 10 o'clock.

A replica of Harold's Casino Club of Las Vegas will be repeated at the Chowan Golf and Country Club Saturday night, April 11 at 8 o'clock.

Hardin Speaker On Eye Bank

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lative donor to have good eyesight. However, eyes willed to the Eye Bank must be obtained within six hours after death and transported and used within 96 hours.

Plans were announced for two important club events. Mrs. John Raines announced the dates for the annual flower show will be April 23 and 24 at the Barker House. The theme she said will be North Carolina the Beautiful. Mrs. Chester Stevens said the art show will be held out doors at St. Paul's Episcopal Church May 15.

Mrs. Alton Elmore reported that the Woman's Club sponsored baby contest was under way and would end April 15. The winner will be announced at the Taylor Theater Wednesday afternoon, April 15.

The club voted to again sponsor the Birthday Calendar in cooperation with the Jaycees and the Business and Professional Woman's Club to raise money for the Barker House.

Every tomorrow has two handles. We can take hold of it with the handle of anxiety or the handle of faith.
—Henry Ward Beecher.

New Books At Local Library

New books received at Shepard-Pruden Memorial Library this week are:

Garibaldi, a biography by Peter de Polnay.

Aaron Copland, a biography about the American composer whom many consider the greatest in this country, by Arthur Berger.

The Lost Shore, the 1962 Prix Goncourt novel by Anna Langfus.

Once Upon a Droschky by Jerome Charyn.

Seven Gothic Tales by Isak Dinesen.

American Murder Ballads and their Stories by Olive Woolley Burt.

The Loved One by Evelyn Waugh.

The Ragman's Daughter and other stories by Alan Sillitoe.

For Children

The Dragons of Blueland by Ruth Stiles Gannett.

What Time Is It? Jeanne-Marie by Francoise.

And to Think that I Saw It on Mulberry Street by Dr. Seuss. State Birds and Flowers by Olive L. Earle.

Chowan PTA Meets At School Monday

Chowan High School Parent-Teacher Association met Monday night at the school with Mrs. Melvin Byrum presiding in the absence of the president. The meeting was opened with prayer by the Rev. George Cooke, pastor of Ballard's Bridge Baptist Church.

The program was presented by FFA members and had to do with parliamentary procedure terms.

The first grade, taught by Miss Sadie Britt, won the attendance prize.

E. S. White referred to the Junior Livestock Show and Sale held Wednesday of this week and urged all adults to support the boys and girls who participated.

Mrs. Jack Leary announced the formation of an art club in Edenton and urged any who are interested to join.

Mrs. Melvin Byrum dismissed the meeting with prayer.

Elementary School Lunch Room Menu

Menus at the Edenton Elementary School lunch room for the week of April 13-17 will be as follows:

Monday: Lunch meat, grits, toss salad, school baked rolls, cheese slices, apple pie, milk, butter.

Tuesday: Corned beef, sliced beets, steamed cabbage, milk, butter, potatoes, cornbread, chocolate pudding.

Wednesday: Beef vegetable soup, milk, crackers, pineapple upside down cake, meat salad sandwiches.

Thursday: Spaghetti with meat balls, school baked rolls, apple sauce, milk, butter.

Friday: Salmon croquettes, cornbread, cole-slaw, milk, butter, navy beans, peach pie.

He who gains self-knowledge, self-control and the kingdom of heaven within himself, within his own consciousness, is saved through Christ, Truth.
—Mary Baker Eddy.

MONEY EARMARKED FOR MENTAL HEALTH CLINIC

Due to the inability to secure a psychiatrist and a place to operate the district mental health clinic will not be able to use the \$4,950 appropriation made by Chowan County for 1963-64.

However, the County Commissioners have been requested to carry over this appropriation and earmark it for use by the mental health clinic when it is put in operation.

The Commissioners agreed to comply with the request.

EXECUTRIX NOTICE

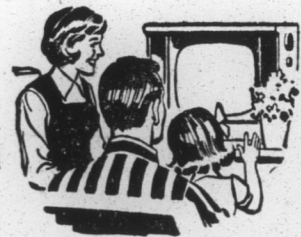
Having this day qualified as executrix of the estate of Willie L. Hardison, Sr., late of Chowan County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons holding claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to the undersigned on or before October 9, 1964, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery thereon. All persons indebted to the estate will please make immediate settlement.

This the 9th day of April, 1964.

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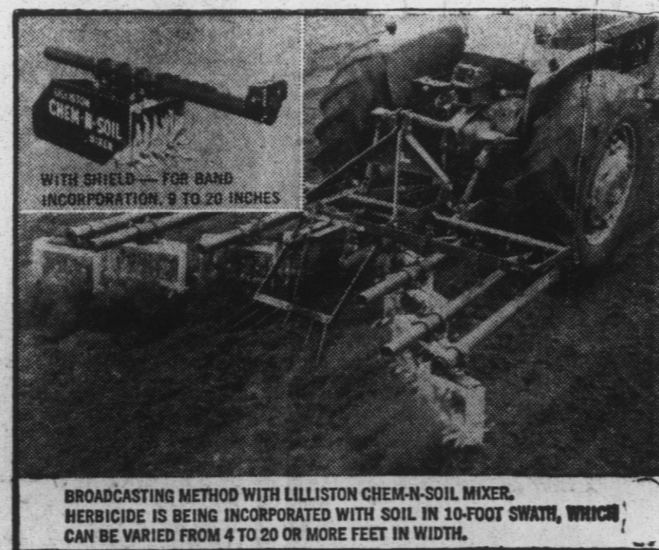
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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

By order of the Town Council, on Monday, May 11, I will advertise for sale for taxes all property on which 1963 taxes and assessments have not been paid, the date of sale being Monday, June 8, 1964.

Please pay your taxes before May 11, and thus avoid having your property advertised for sale.

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