

Around Chowan County Farms

Peanut Reminders: When soil test reports show a low in potash, additional potash is needed for the field to produce the best crop in 1968. This may mean an additional 100 to 150 pounds of Muriate of Potash per acre. Most of the additional potash should be applied broadcast prior to land preparation so that plowing and other steps in preparing the land will work the potash down and thoroughly into the soil. Any needed lime should be applied immediately and worked in if not already done.

Reports from the soil testing laboratory indicate that our seed in 1968 planting is generally of much higher quality and germination than the seed used in 1967. Therefore, we can generally expect our seed to be very good for this year's planting.

On most peanut land in Chowan County nematodes is a problem. Generally our peanut soil should be row fumigated to control nematodes. If a soil assay has been made this year and states that fumigation is not needed then don't fumigate. However, on sandy soil sting nematodes is one of our problems. I am informed that sting nematodes cannot be properly assayed during the cold weather because they move too deeply into the soil. I would suggest that in sandy soil be fumigated for nematode control.

LETTERS Group Supporting Wildlife Program



National Wildlife Week will be observed March 17-23 this year. Theme of the year's annual observance, sponsored by the National Wildlife Federation,

is "Learn to Live With Nature." America has to learn to live with nature if we are going to preserve the things that have made this country so wonderful, according to Albemarle District Chairman Lloyd C. Bunch. Bunch said the Albemarle District is backing the National Wildlife Week fully.

Albemarle District will be held Thursday, March 21 in Chowan County. "We are also urging the public in as many ways as we can that it is essential to understand our resources and use them in a way that will protect and improve them—not destroy them." Pollution, litter and wasteful, destructive use are seriously threatening the very things that make our country strong and beautiful, Bunch said. "It is time we learned and our children learned about what is happening and what we can do to change attitudes and use," he added.

National Wildlife Federation, headquartered in Washington, D. C., represents two million people in state conservation organizations, as well as individual members and supporters.

Social Items

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stalls spent Sunday in Washington visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Cox and family spent the weekend in Richlands visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Johann of Richmond, Va., visited several days with Mrs. R. Elton Forehand, Jr., and family.

Mrs. Hector Lupton has returned home from San Diego, Calif., where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. John McColl and family.

Mr. and Mrs. David Bumgarner had as guests over the weekend her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grice of Greenville.

A major emphasis of Wildlife Week, 1968, is conservation education for adults and young people. "We have been working for and with conservation education in the schools for a long time," Bunch said. In fact the five counties (Chowan, Camden, Currituck, Pasquotank and Perquimans) in the Albemarle District have just completed their conservation poster contest in the fourth, fifth and sixth grades in the schools.

Also, the Albemarle FFA Federation land judging contest sponsored by the

Ballard's Bridge Cadet Harrell Plans Services Goes On Trip

The Ballard's Bridge Baptist Church, Route 1, Tyner, announces their spring revival for March 24-29. Services are to begin at 7:30 o'clock each evening.

Rev. Thomas A. Clark, pastor of the Hobbsville and Sandy Cross Baptist Churches in Gates County, will be the guest evangelist.

Rev. George H. Cook, pastor of Ballard's Bridge, cordially invites the public to attend.

GREENVILLE — Fifteen cadets in the Air Force ROTC program of East Carolina University took a recent educational trip to Hurlburt Field, near Panama City, Fla.

Among the cadets who made the trip was Joseph E. Harrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl G. Harrell, 18 Albania Acres.

They were flown by Air Force T-29 aircraft from Seymour Johnson Air Base at Goldsboro. At Hurlburt they observed various displays and aerial exercises performed under the direction of the commander of the Special Air Warfare Center there.

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Student Typists Chosen In Chowan

Two honors each came to John A. Holmes and Chowan High School as a result of the annual county typewriting contest last Tuesday, reports Mrs. Mar-

vis Hendrix, county typing coordinator.

Chowan High School won second.

The district contest will be held March 25 at East Carolina University. Each county is eligible to enter two district contestants for beginning competition and two district contestants for advanced competition.

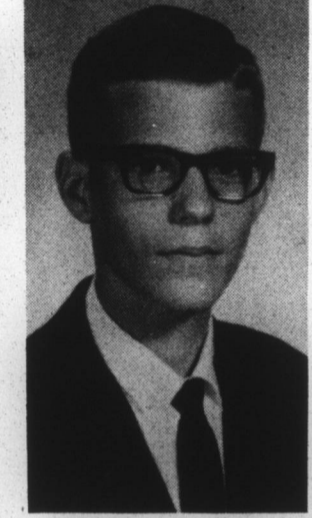
Typing to represent Chowan County in the district contest will be Ronnie Rogerson, Shirley Alexander and Linda Ganey and Wanda Morris placing first and second respectively.

John A. Holmes won the beginning division with Ronnie Rogerson placing first and Shirley Alexander

second.

Awards and certificates for the county and district contest are to be presented the evening of the district contest at an awards banquet to be held in the university cafeteria.

In addition to the winners, participants in the county contest included: Susan Hare, Jo Ella Copeland and Connie Boyce, junior division; Kay Bass and Harriett Barrow, senior division.



Menus at the Ernest A. Swain Elementary School lunch room for March 25-29 will be as follows:

Monday—Fish sticks, cole slaw, corn bread, macaroni and cheese, butter, peanut butter delight and milk.

Tuesday — Meat loaf, gravy, steamed rice, black eye peas, school baked rolls, butter, orange juice, apple sauce and milk.

Wednesday — Breaded steak, creamed potatoes, turnip greens, biscuits, butter, peach pie and milk.

Thursday—Beef vegetable soup, crackers, toasted cheese sandwiches, pineapple upside down cake and milk.

Friday — Chicken salad, garden peas, potato chips, school baked rolls, butter, grape juice, pineapple and milk.

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—Christopher Marlowe.

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