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HOW TO KILL THE RED SPIDER

Mr. Gaither, the County Demonstrator, after consulting experts, tells how to kill the cotton destroyer.

Winton N. C. July 17 1918.
Many instances of more or serious damage to cotton in Hertford County have come under the observation of the County Agent this season.

Lice.
The cotton leaf louse is a sucking insect that attacks the leaves and does considerable damage to the foliage under such weather conditions as we have experienced this season.

This pest is usually so wide spread that it will be too expensive to spray for its control. Shortly after the lice form there will appear a larva of a striped bug attached to the stem of the stalk, destroy the lice. In cold weather it will mature slowly and this allows the lice more time to do their work.

Usually the damage done by the lice is only slight. Observation made this week show that practically all of the lice have been destroyed and the cotton is rapidly recovering.

Red Spider.
This is a very small insect working mainly on the outside of the cotton leaf and when it begins as early as June does very serious damage.

The following from the N. C. Division of Entomology will be of help to the farmers who have this pest to contend with.

The County has a spray pump that can be used for demonstrating the spraying of cotton for this pest and the lime sulphur used can be had at Winton if the materials are not available to making the spray at home.

DESCRIPTION: A very small spider or mite infesting many plants including beans and tomatoes in gardens, Clover, Vetch, Jerusalem Oak and Pokeweed in fields, spreads to cotton in June, July and later, works mainly on under side of leaves. On cotton causes red spot which enlarges, leaf turns yellow and sheds, whole plant may shed its leaves and die.

PROGRESS AND SERIOUSNESS OF ATTACK: Usually starts at one spot, in corner, edge, or side of cotton field, (usually starting from weeds, especially pokeweed). Spreads by crawling, wind, storms, and cultivation. If it gets started in cotton in June or July many plants cannot mature bolls, but if it starts in mid-August or later the bolls, may open in spite of shedding, hence on cotton early attacks are much more destructive than later attacks.

RELATION TO WEATHER: Hot dry weather encourages Red Spiders, while cool damp weather checks it, A rainy spell will often stop a serious attack.

Control Measures
Preventive measures are most important, as treatment of infested plants is expensive and tedious.

PREVENTIVE: Destroy pokeweed, Jerusalem oak and jimson weed near cotton in spring, ESPECIALLY THE POKEWEEED so it will not spread from it to cotton. Clover allowed to mature clover to cotton also is often a source of red spider. The destruction of these starting points is THE MOST IMPORTANT STEP to prevent damage.

REMEDIES: (1) Pull, pile, and burn the first badly infested stalks. This may well be done several times while it is yet in small areas.

PAUL WESSON MAJETTE

Como, N. C. July 15, 1918.

Many hearts were saddened when news came to this community last Wednesday, that Mr. Paul Weston Majette had died that morning at his home, in Pensacola, Fla., about 5 o'clock. Arrangements were made to have funeral services at his former home here, now the residence of his sister-in-law Mrs. B. P. Majette, on Friday, 12th inst., at 3:30 o'clock, P. M. Many friends and acquaintances of other years gave expression to the esteem in which they held the deceased, by their presence at the house of mourning.

Though born and reared here, Mr. Majette had made home in Florida, during the past 20 years. He is survived by a widow, one daughter one married sister Mrs. Charles J. Parker, of Raleigh, N. C., three brothers, a widowed mother and a large number of other near kins-folks.

The costly and beautiful casket was born from the house to the old family burying ground near the residence by the following named active pall-bearers, viz: Mark Majette, J. B. Majette, J. M. Truitt, C. J. Parker Jr., James Hart, J. D. Hart, and T. H. Barrett; all of whom are relatives and close connections of the deceased. The honorary pall-bearers were T. E. Vann G. C. Picot, A. I. Parker, J. D. Riddick, D. C. Barnes, U. Vaughan, S. P. Wioborne, T. B. Wynn, J. B. Worrell, W. T. Taylor, E. T. Darden, H. McD Spiers, H. J. Vann and Robert Riddick. There was a profusion of rich rare and beautiful flowers. The services were conducted by the pastor of Backhorn Baptist church.

(2) Pluck reddened leaves on slightly infested plants around the worst area, gathered into sack SATURATED WITH KEROSENE, carry out of field and burn.

(3) Spray with one potassium sulphur dissolved in 2 gallons water, or,

(4) Spray with lime sulphur solution prepared as follows: 5 pounds of stone lime, 5 pounds sulphur, pun put in tub or keg, add hot water to start slacking, more hot water to keep liquid, (no fire) when completed, strain, and add water to make 50 gallons. Spray on.

As the Red Spider is chiefly on under sides of leaves, is very small, and must be actually wetted to kill it, extreme thoroughness, and care to wet the under sides of leaves is necessary. Hence spraying is recommended only for small areas before mid-August when its application will prevent spread to whole field.

County Club Encampment.

Prospect now is, that Winton will be the point for the young club people's encampment during the first part of August.

The encampment will last three days and if brought to Winton, the Jordan-Parker hill will be offered to them for pitching their tents. Then Booster Club will help in inter-taining them also with automobile rides, a watermelon feast or some other such attraction besides numerous other social affairs will be offered them.

If the boys and girls havnt their tents that they can use, the Booster Club will be glad to arrange buildings in which they can use their cots or bunk it in the style they desired.

Grove's Tasteless chili Tonic
Destroys the malarial germs which are transmitted to the blood by the Malaria Mosquito. Price 6c.

SAVING OF FRUIT URGED BY GOVERNMENT

Raleigh July 17 Because of the scarcity of sugar some people with an abundance of fruit have felt that they should curtail their canning and preserving operations, according to report which reached the Food Administration here. Such people have assumed the wrong attitude, according to officials of the Food Administration. The position of the Food Administration may be stated as follows:

Every possible pound of fruit that is not needed for immediate consumption should be saved by canning, preserving or drying.

The use of drying method in saving fruit and vegetables is encouraged to the greatest extent possible because no sugar is necessary for this purpose and no cans or jars are necessary.

Next to drying, canning is urged. The motto of the Food Administration is, "Maximum canning with maximum sugar". Sugar will no doubt be more plentiful during the fall and winter and it can be added to the fruit when they are eaten.

All sugar that is necessary for canning and preserving can be secured upon certificates or pledge that are approved and signed by county Food Administrators.

Canning School Held at Winton By Miss Swindell

Miss Myrtle Swindell with the help of an expert from Go sboro, is conducting a canning school in Winton today and tomorrow, Thursday and Friday. Special instruction are being given in the art of canning, drying and preserving and the invitation has extended to the ladies of the County.

Miss Swindell is proving to be of great help to the ladies of our county. She also asks that they call on her for any information that they might need in her line of work. Samples of her work, rather some of her works, are now being displayed in the lobby of the Bank of Winton.

Methodist District Meeting Held at Winton.

Wednesday Delegates from a number of the methodist churches in Bertie, Northampton and Hertford counties, met at Winton to attend the District Missionary meeting. The meeting began at 10:30 in the morning and lasted throughout the day, dinner being served at the church. The day was taken up mostly with business.

During the afternoon there was a song service by the Winton Sunday school. The District Sect'y, Miss Anna Graham of Warrenton and Miss Mae Edla of Gatesville were present at the meeting.

Card of Thanks

The committee of citizens, who were in charge of the patriotic celebration on the fourth of July, desire to thank those white and colored citizens, who so generously contributed to the success of the day. The committee is deeply grateful for all of the co-operation from all the citizens.

C. L. Blount, Chairman
Winton N. C.

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WINTON NEWS

Miss Margrette Blount of Suffolk is visiting Miss Mary Bridger.

Mr. Overton of Middlesex was a Winton visitor this week.

Mr. Eddie Knox of Bush Bluff is spending a few days of this week at home.

Mr. Chesley Lee of Norfolk spent the week end here with his parents Mrs. A. L. Pierce is visiting in Plymouth.

Mr. Charlie Parker of Georgia is visiting relatives in Winton.

Mrs. Charlie Ellis of Georgia is visiting relatives in Winton.

Mrs. Robt Lowe is spending some time now with her parents in another part of the country.

Mrs. Wilson, nee Miss Gladys Brown, has returned after spending some time in Norfolk.

Messrs. Jack Brown, J. H. Lee and C. L. Blount spent Friday in Suffolk, returning on the 2x6.

Mr. Troy Jenkins of the Norfolk Naval Base spent the week-end here with his parents.

Mr. Robert Bridger is visiting in Lumberton.

Miss Thelma Mitchell is now spending some time with friends in Norfolk.

Mr. E. L. Banks spent Thursday and Friday in Suffolk and Norfolk returned Friday on the Camp Bell.

Mrs. Judith Harrell of Wilmington left the later part of last week to visit friends in Cofield.

Miss Emily Chark has returned after visiting friends in Oxford.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co. doing business in the city of Toledo, County and State aforesaid and that said firm will pay ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON (Seal) Notary Public
Halls Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonial FREE.
F. J. CHENEY & Co. Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists, 75c.
Halls Family Pills for constipation.

NOTICE!

I hereby forbid any one from hiring Tince Lassiter of Hertford County, N. C. I hired him for the year 1918, and he has left me without a cause.

This July-3-P 9 1 8.
Robt R. Reid,
Murfreesboro,
N. C.

NOTICE.

The advertisement of the North Carolina State College of agriculture and Engineering appears in this issue of the Hertford County Herald. Technical education has proved its worth not merely to those who possess it, but to communities and to the public good. It is that from of education which while training the mind to think teaches the hand to do. The college offers four year course in Agriculture, Agricultural Chemistry, Chemical Engineering, Civil Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Electrical Engineering, and Textile Industry.

LET POTATOES FIGHT
They Save Wheat
When you eat potatoes don't eat bread
U. S. FOOD ADMINISTRATION

HARRELLSVILLE LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Chitty John C. Chetty and Misses Jessie Doris and Veldnce Chitty of Murfreesboro spent Sunday with Mrs. W. O. Copeland.

Mrs. Charles Smith of Rocky Mt. spent a few days here last week with Mrs. J. A. Parker.

Miss Gladys Ballance of Williamston is spending a few days with Miss Panay Smith.

Mr. & Mrs. M. R. Taylor and children & Mrs. R. B. Hester spent a few days last week in Henderson N. C.

Mrs. Florence Harris of Norfolk Va. is visiting her sister Mrs. B. Scull.

Miss Helen Sharp leaves this week for Winton N. C. to visit her friend Miss Hattie Taylor.

Mrs. L. T. Holloman and Miss Alle Sharp visited friends in Union Saturday.

H. C. Holloman of Cofield was in town today (Monday).

Mr. & Mrs. J. A. Eley of Ahoskie spent a few hours in the home of Mrs. Eley's brother Dr. J. A. Powell Monday.

Messrs Bill Wynes and Loyd Evans and Misses Hattie Taylor and Mary Overton of Powellsville spent a few hours in town one night last week.

Mr. L. H. Winborne of Bethel N. C. was in town a short while Sunday.

REGULAR ARMY OFFERS AN ADVANTAGE

The United States Regular Army is now seeking men between the ages of 18 and 41, who are not registered under the selective service law, to enlist in the various arms of the Service and select the kind of work they like so that they can better serve their country.

At the present time, the following departments are open: Coast and Field Artillery, Cavalry, Medical Department, Infantry, Quartermaster-Signal, Remount, Veterinary United States Guards and Engineers.

If you are a chauffeur, electrician, photographer, cook, clerk, stenographer, typist, wireman, telephone, telegraph and wireless operator, mechanic, pharmacist, saddler, carpenter, pipe fitter, Surveyor, mason, steamfitter, as well as hundred of other trades, you should not delay enlisting while you have the opportunity. As an enlisted man, you should soon be promoted to one of the higher non-commissioned grades, and under a recent ruling, you are eligible to attend the officers' Training School which starts each month and secure a commission.

All young men accept are sent to Fort Thomas, Ky., for enlistment; however, all expence are paid right from your home town. A young man who does not have a trade should, by all means, enlist and attend one of the Army Trade Schools, which will prepare him for a higher position when he returns to civil life. The period of enlistment is for the duration of the war.

Further information will be cheerfully furnished by addressing or calling at the U. S. Army Recruiting Station, P. O. Building, Elizabeth City, N. C.

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MENOLA NEWS

Mr. Albert Brown of George and Mr. Will Outland of Woodland attended services here on Sunday Morning and spent the remainder of the day with Mrs. Maggie Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Griffith spent Sunday with Mrs. Dora Vinson.

Mr. R. S. Proctor of Washington City visited in the home of Mrs. Mary Brown on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Griffin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Chitty.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Snipes, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Otwell, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Eley, Mrs. H. N. Griffith, Mrs. Mary Brown, Mrs. T. E. Vaughan and Misses Mary Snipes, Elizabeth and Thelma Brown, and Lillie Mary Baggett attended the canning school at Winton on Thursday of last week.

Messrs. Joe Brown of George Henry Peele of Philadelphia and Misses Sibyl and Beulah Jessup of George and Grace Frazier of High Point were visitors in Menola on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Joe Clark and family of Portsmouth spent several days last week with relatives here.

Miss Pauline Eley returned from Warsaw on Tuesday, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Spencer Boyette

Mrs. Mollie Harrell of Poteca spent several days last week with her daughter, Mrs. E. C. Parker.

Mr. John A. Parker of Mt. Tabor spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Eley.

WOMEN WANTED TO ENLIST IN NAVAL RESERVE

Norfolk Va. July 11, 1918.

The opportunity so greatly desired by patriotic women throughout the country of doing practical, effective war work is now open to those who possess the necessary qualifications and who wish to enroll in the Naval Reserve Force for duty as storekeepers.

In all the Allied countries, women for a long time have been performing work formerly done by men, and they have done this work so capable as to compel the admiration of the work. The motion of the various Governments in turning over such work to women, and this loyal purpose has inspired thousand of women from all walks of life to enter munition factories, do farm labor, and embark on scores of other enterprises which go to make up the industrial life of a nation at war.

In the country, the part to be taken by women has not yet assumed the proportions it has reached aboard. The tendency in this direction, however, is illustrated in the call recently issued by the Naval Reserves for women to act as storekeepers. Such women will, in a very real and substantial fashion, speed the war progress of their country, and hasten the coming of Peace.

Women between the ages of 21 and 35, desirous of serving in the capacity mentioned, are asked to communicate with the District Enrolling Officer, Fifth Naval District, 101 West Main Street, Norfolk, Virginia.

W. Maitne,
District Enrolling Officer

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