

Soil Conservation News

Tobacco Land Should Receive Best Treatment

By NAT WHITE, Soil Conservation Service Tobacco farmers need to remember that about 80% of their income is derived from about 5% of their land...

In the fall of 1960 about 160 Warren County farmers seeded fescue for rotation with tobacco...

The fescue rotation is very easy to establish; you simply mix 20 pounds of Ky. 31 fescue per acre in with small grain before it is seeded...



Albert Lynch of Norlina poses between two tobacco fields in March. In the foreground, oats and fescue were seeded behind tobacco. In the background fescue sod has been prepared for tobacco. Lynch is showing the root system that makes fescue an excellent plant to use in tobacco rotations.

RIDGEWAY NEWS

Miss Jean Holtzman of Raleigh spent the Labor Day weekend at her home here. Mrs. J. G. Kilian and Mrs. J. M. Bender visited Miss Sara Petar, Mrs. J. W. Wilson and Mrs. Corner at Pocomo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lemon of Richmond, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Davenport of Lanham, Md., visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Walker over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hecht and family of Portsmouth, Va., visited Mrs. Carl Hecht on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hecht spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hecht in New Bern. SP/4 James Tucker, Mrs. Tucker and children left Wednesday for the Army Base in Fort Eustis, Va., where he will be stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Holtzman visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Peoples in Afton on Sunday. Mrs. J. G. Kilian and Mrs. J. M. Bender visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pierce and Mrs. Bertha Meeder in South Hill, Va., recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Mitchell, Miss Nancy Mitchell and Mr. Wayne Mitchell of Manson returned to their home on Thursday after spending four weeks visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Kilian and Mrs. J. M. Bender in Kingsport, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Aycock and children visited Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Edwards in Middleburg on Sunday. Mrs. Burgess of Henderson is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Burgess.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kinton spent the weekend at Wrightsville Beach. Mrs. L. A. Ayscue visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ayscue in Warrenton over the weekend.

"What lovely earrings!" "They should be. They once belonged to a millionaire." "A millionaire? Who?" "Woolworth."

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AGRICULTURE CONSERVATION PROGRAM

All farmers—big farmers, little farmers, owners, tenants or sharecroppers, are eligible to participate in the Agriculture Conservation Program.

The cost-sharing under the Agriculture Conservation Program is an important and effective phase of the program which farmers are aided in doing conservation work.

Out of the total of 2,525 farms in the county, only 835 participated in the Agriculture Conservation Program in 1961.

In the cost-sharing program, farmers participating received \$69,197.00 in the year 1961. The major practices in the cost-sharing conservation program consist of winter cover crops, permanent pasture and fescue rotation, improving permanent pasture, liming material, farm ponds for irrigation, forest tree planting, etc.

Lime is one of the cost-sharing practices that should be engaged in by nearly all of the farms in the county. This practice is designed to correct soil acidity and to permit better growth of legumes and grasses.

How Does Lime Benefit The Soil?

Lime is the material used to regulate the pH level. It can do many good things for the soil and do them cheaply: 1. It supplies calcium and magnesium.

2. It improves the physical condition of the soil by increasing crop residues. 3. It stimulates soil microbes.

4. It makes soil minerals available. 5. It reduces the amount and solubility of some harmful chemicals.

6. It helps provide a soil environment favorable for the growth of legumes.

One of the least known benefits of lime is its ability to release other soil nutrients so crops can use them. Acid soils usually contain large amounts of soluble aluminum and iron. When phosphorus is added to such soils, these two chemicals immediately step in and tie up the phosphorus so that it is not available to the plant.

Lime decreases the acidity of the soil which decreases the solubility of aluminum and iron; hence by applying lime to the soil, the aluminum and iron is decreased thus permitting the added phosphorus to remain available for plants.

Go in and talk with your A. S. C. Service officials and representatives. Take advantage of the cost-sharing practices—they will mean more money in your pocket.

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Mrs. Robert Fleming in South Dakota, friends in Portland, Oregon, and Kelso, Washington, and the World's Fair at Seattle, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Matthews of Henderson and Miss Jean Holtzman of Raleigh and Miss Matilda Holtzman were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bender on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Brauer of Norlina, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Bender and son, Robert, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Seaman and son, Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Mitchell and family and Mrs. Henry Daeke of Henderson, Mrs. W. H. Daeke, Mrs. Joe Brown, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Holtzman, Mr. Paul Lovell, Mr. Johnnie Lovell, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kimball, Mr. Henry Holtzman, Mrs. Annie Champion, and Mrs. George Bender visited the Carl Holtzman family and Misses Margaret and Matilda Holtzman on Sunday.

Mrs. Harris Honored Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hecht entertained at a dinner Sunday in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Dell Harris, mother of Mrs. Hecht. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Manning, Sr., and Mr. Sammie Manning of Williamston, Mr. Robert Manning, Jr., of Richmond, Va., and Mr. Plummer Harris of Littleton.

Cook-Out Held Mrs. Carl Holtzman and Miss Matilda Holtzman were honored at a surprise birthday cook-out supper in their yard on Sunday evening by members of the family. Cake and soft drinks were served later in the evening to the 30 attending.

YLC Meets The Young Lutheran Club of St. Paul's Lutheran Church held its regular monthly meeting at Kerr Lake on Sunday afternoon and enjoyed an ice cream social. A short business meeting was presided over by Richard Bender, president.

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People, Spots In The News

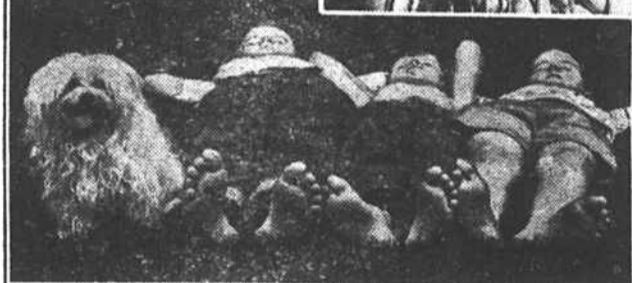
COSMIC OPERA—Russia's four cosmonauts pose with Khrushchev on Lenin's tomb: Titov, Gagarin, Nikolayev, Popovich.



POULTRYMEN'S aim of producing better-eating eggs is exemplified by Fred Thomson of Lake Waccamaw, N. C. who reports 96 pct. of output from his Nutrena Hi-Density layer system rates Grade A.



COUPLE OF gorgeous hunks of art from nature's storehouse at Cypress Gardens, Fla.: driftwood and Gail Gore.



DOG DAYS IN DENVER—Little Muffy (left) is the only one of the gang left standing, oppressive heat having made all her playmates literally turn up their toes and sweat it out.

POISON

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Testimony revealed that Mrs. Alston had said the three went to Timberlake's Store in Franklin County and obtained a bottle of poison costing fifty cents. The poison was then turned over to Mrs. Perry and she and Harris left Mrs. Alston's home.

Sheriff Hundley said that investigation had revealed Mrs. Perry put a dose of the poison in her husband's ice tea on the night of July 1 and that about an hour later he became sick and was taken to Warren General Hospital where he was confined for 11 days.

During this period, the sheriff said, Harris admittedly approached Mrs. Perry several times, telling her that her husband would be paralyzed and that they "had better finish killing him."

On July 13, the sheriff related, Harris went back to Mrs. Alston's home and procured another bottle of poison and this was given to Mrs. Perry who gave it to her husband.

ing to an SBI report Mrs. Alston had had 12 children by her first husband Kinchen Williams with whom she had been living for 35 years.

Kinchen Williams, the report revealed, had died about October 1, 1961 from rat poison. Mrs. Alston and two Negro men were arrested in connection with this alleged murder and now await trial in Franklin County.

The report entered Tuesday revealed that one of the Negro men indicted in the death of Kinchen Williams had allegedly obtained the poison in order that Mrs. Williams might kill her husband, collect a life insurance policy and a title to a new house to be built by her husband and "a new husband."

One of the alleged conspirators in this case, Willie Austin, Jr., 34, reportedly told officers this would have worked "but that Maggie gave him (Williams) too much poison too quickly and he died before the house could be built."

Austin reportedly said that Maggie Williams Alston's present husband, Lenwood Alston, 33, knew "all about what he and Maggie had been planning to do, as all three of them had talked about it" before the rat poison was obtained.

During the trial here Tuesday, it was revealed that Mrs. Alston had allegedly killed a Negro man by the name of John Davis in the Liberia section of Warren County, 24 years ago.

According to testimony, Davis had shot Kinchen Williams through the jaw with a pistol and Mrs. Alston had hit Davis in the back of the head with an axe.

"He started begging her not to hit him again," the report of SBI Agent Harton revealed, "but she (Mrs. Alston) picked up the axe again and hit him on top of the head just above the eyes ... and both eyes popped out."

Records in the Clerk of Court's office here revealed

that Kinchen Williams was sentenced to 18 months in prison after admitting he killed the man. Mrs. Alston reportedly told officers her husband "took the rap" since she had given birth to a baby only three days prior to the slaying.

Wise Cracks

Selling is something like hog-calling; it is not the noise you make, it's the appeal in your voice.

Middle age is when your memory is shorter, your experience longer, your stamina lower, and your forehead higher.

We aren't certain who thought up that \$600 tax deduction for a wife, but he must have been a bachelor.

A government bureau is where the taxpayer's shirt is kept.

America's motorists take good care of their cars—and they keep pedestrians in good running condition, too.

Why can't life's problems hit us when we are 18 and know everything?

The best way to enjoy a beautiful, productive garden is to live next door to one, and cultivate your neighbor.

Success is relatives—the more success, the more relatives.

Arab women are known for wearing veils in public as a sign of modesty. Among the Tuaregs of northern Africa, however, it's the men who veil their faces, says World Book Encyclopedia.

For Your . . .

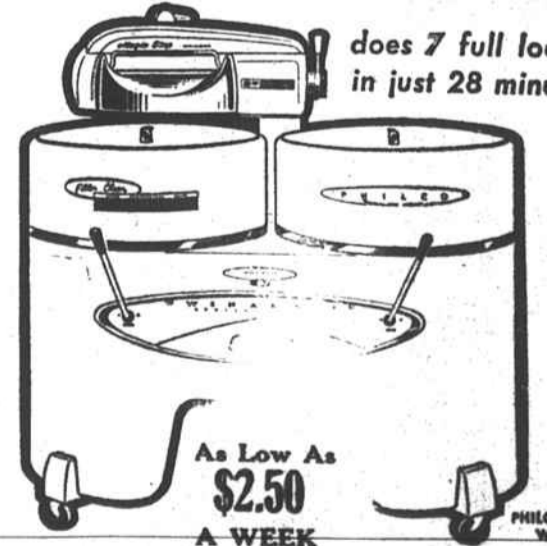
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