

**Agriculturally Speaking**

# Horsemanship Is On Rise In This Area; Agent Visits Dude Ranch

By FRANK W. REAMS, County Agricultural Agent COMING EVENTS

July-Sept. 30: Complete and mail refund forms for state and federal gasoline tax. Have extra forms in office.

July 13: Inez Community Club meets at clubhouse at 8:00 p. m.

July 22: Watermelon Show and Sale-Farmers market, Raleigh, 9:00 a. m. till ---.

July - Keep a sharp eye for diseases and insects and have no mercy on applying treatments.

**DUDE RANCH:**

When attending the recent horse show at the Warren County Fairgrounds it was very evident that horsemanship was on the rise in this area. Not only do adults enjoy this sport, but young people including the very young tots are climbing into the saddle for a trot around the countryside.

Just recently, I dropped by Judy's Dude Ranch located on U. S. 1 between Manson and Middleburg and observed several young people receiving instructions on how to do the job. This was a great improvement to my bareback riding of years ago and after one of these escapades I could not sit down for days. Just kind of have an idea some of you older "birds" have an idea of the acute and painful situation that existed.

In one picture you see Carol Currin on her pony standing beside the ranch road sign. Carol is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Currin, owners of the business. In the background are the students riding under the instructions of Miss Patricia Parham. Looking further on, you will see Currin's irrigation system sprinkling water on a beautiful but thirsty field of tobacco.

In the other picture you see a line-up of the students, instructors, helpers, etc; (left to right) C. W. Currin, Middleburg; Ed Hall, Henderson; Timmy Chappel, Henderson; Jane Chandler, Henderson; Patricia Parham, Henderson, Jimmy White, Norlina; Clement Robertson, Middleburg; Carol Currin, Middleburg, Charles Gas Currin, Middleburg; and Mrs. C. W. Currin, Middleburg. Looking in the background of this photo you see a furnished house trailer beside a nice farm pond just waiting to be occupied by guests.

The Currins have arranged riding trails all over the farm for their advanced students. Having toured the entire farm with the late Mr. D. G. Currin, I can say that these students will see some excellent scenery including numerous well kept



farm ponds.

**STABILIZATION:**

W. S. Smiley, Rt. 1, Macon, and Gid W. King, Rt. 1, Warrenton, represented Warren County at the recent annual meeting of the Tobacco Flue-Cured Cooperative Stabilization Corporation held in Raleigh. Names of any others attending have not reached this office.

Tobacco marketing and consumption surely are having all kinds of pitfalls, roadblocks and most every conceivable hazard one can imagine.

**Early Cotton Bloom Is Found In Garden**

It's hard to get the country out of a man, or once a farmer always a farmer.

C. B. Bottoms, once a well known farmer in the Oakville section of Warren County but now living in North Warrenton, planted a few cotton seed in his garden here and reported a cotton bloom on July 3.

Bottoms was the third Warren man to report a cotton bloom this year. The first was found on June 20 in a cotton field of Charlie Cater near Arcola. C. E. Thompson of Macon reported the second bloom, also found on July 3.

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## HOME DEMONSTRATION CORNER

EMILY BALLINGER, County Home Economics Agent

The home economics extension agents announce the following schedule:

Monday, July 13: Vaughan Home Demonstration Club will meet at 3:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Roy Pierce.

Tuesday, July 14: Shaw Springs Home Demonstration Club will meet at 1:00 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Roy Salmon.

Wednesday, July 15: Inez Home Demonstration Club will meet at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Harry Williams, Jr.

Thursday, July 16: Afton Home Demonstration Club will meet at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Margaret Barnes.

Friday, July 17: Arcola Home Demonstration Club will meet at 2:30 p. m. at the Arcola Community Building. Mrs. Robert Gupton will be hostess.

**GET TOMATOES OFF THE WINDOW SILL**

Many homemakers put green tomatoes on a sunny window sill to ripen. They shouldn't. Too much sunlight prevents development of normal, even color. Immature green tomatoes won't ripen in the sun and

are likely to rot if kept there too long. According to the U. S. D. A., the best way to ripen picked tomatoes is in the cellar or garage - some place where the temperature is from 60 to 70 deg. F. Light, says USDA food specialists, is not needed to produce good red coloring in underripe tomatoes.

You may also be interested in knowing that tomatoes that ripen on the vine out-of-doors in the sunlight are twice as rich in vitamin C as those grown in greenhouse in the winter. Let's make full use of vine-ripened tomatoes when they are plentiful and inexpensive.

**SPRAY POISON IVY NOW**

June and July are the best months to spray poison ivy, say plant scientists of the USDA. Do not delay treatment any later than August 15, because after this the plants begin to go dormant and sprays are less effective. Use any commercial formulation of 3, 4, 5-T, 2, 4-D, amitrole or ammonium sulfamate herbicide. Apply as directed on a day when there is little or no air movement. Early morning or late afternoon-when the air is cool and moist is usually best.

Plants take several weeks to die and normally two or more applications are necessary to control sprouting poison ivy. Even then, keep a careful watch over the area. Plants believed dead sometimes revive after

## Boy Scouts And Explorers To Attend Camporee July 17-23

Henderson - Thirty-seven Boy Scouts and Explorers from the Vanwarco District have been approved to attend the Sixth National Jamboree of the Boy Scouts of America at Valley Forge, Pennsylvania, from July 17 to 23. These thirty-seven boys are from Henderson, Pittsboro, Warrenton and other neighboring towns.

These Boy Scouts compose Jamboree troop 52 which is led by Leonard F. Daniel of Warrenton and Roscoe Orr of Henderson. They will leave from Norlina at 9:00 a. m. on July 10 for a tour that will take them to Washington, D. C., Gettysburg, New York, the World's Fair, and finally to Valley Forge where they will camp for six days.

The Sixth National Jamboree will be "a showcase of scouting" - a great demonstration of camping skills with an emphasis on fellowship. The site, Valley Forge, Pennsylvania, about twenty-two miles from Philadelphia, is where the ragged troops of General George Washington camped in the bitter winter of 1777 and struggled to rebuild their strength. Over 30,000 Boy Scouts, Explorers, and their leaders will participate in the week long campment. The 1,200 jamboree troops will camp in 30 sections of 40 troops each and will in-

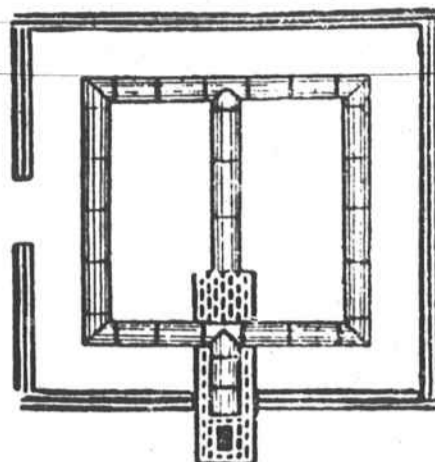
clude ten troops from Canada as well as a patrol of Scouts and a leader from forty of the national Scout associations which comprise the world Scouting movement.

## Children Winners In Swimming Contest

Mr. and Mrs. John Edward Rooker and John, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Robertson and children, Angela and Bill, and Miss Beth Pittman of Arcola spent several days last week at Virginia Beach.

While there Bill Robertson, John Rooker and Mrs. Rooker entered a swimming contest at the Martha Washington Hotel Pool. Bill was first place winner in free star swimming, John was first place winner in the treasure hunt and Mrs. Rooker was first place trophy winner for being the best sport of the day.

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