

## Farm Items

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The annual membership meeting of the Flue-Cured Tobacco Stabilization Cooperation will be held on June 26 at 10:00 a.m. in the Carolina Room of Memorial Auditorium in Raleigh, N.C.

The principal speaker will be Mr. J. Phil Campbell, Under Secretary of Agriculture. His speech should be of a great interest to tobacco farmers. There will also be reports from the management regarding present and future operations of the Cooperative. Tobacco growers are encouraged to attend so that you will show a united support of the flue-cured tobacco price support program.

Plans for Southern National Bank's 1970 Agricultural Tour are about complete. The dates are July 7-10. The tour will go into the Delmarra Peninsula and the Lancaster County, Pennsylvania Area. Not more than 80 people can go and names are being taken at the present time.

Poultry, swine, beef cattle and vegetable farms will be visited. Also a trip to the New Holland Farm Machinery Manufacturing Plant will be made. Anyone interested can contact the County Agent's Office or the Bank for complete details.

There are all types of insects that are working on plants around the home. Cottony scales are working on azaleas, camellias and many other plants. White flies are working maple trees.

If you want to control these insect, then you should get on some type of spray program and continue it during the summer months. Usually a mixture of malathion and Ferbam will control most of the insects and diseases that hit plants. Occasionally some insects are harder to kill and you might want to use some Cygon or De Fend for control. It is good to get the insects identified and you will know if you are using the right control material.

### Scouts Hold Awards Court

Cadette proficiency badges and challenge pins were awarded to Girl Scout members of Girl Scout Cadette Troop 169 at a Court of Awards held June 10 at the home of Mrs. Milo Postel.

Girls who received the proficiency badges were Sharon Wood, horsewoman and interior decoration; Donna Clifton, chef, childcare, games leader, sports and leadership; Linda Kay Harrell, child care, good grooming, creative writer, dressmaker, games leader, homemaker, hostess, sports and leadership; Lynn Gaddy, mammal, bird, child care, good grooming, handywoman, homemaker, tree and shrub, plant and sports; Betsy Postel, swimmer, child care and leadership; Pam Peoples, games, leader, leadership and child care; Becky Pope, child care and Kristi Frahm, swimmer and sports.

In addition to earning proficiency badges, cadettes also work on challenges. A challenge is a real-life situation that tests abilities in many ways. The four challenges are Social Dependability, Emergency Preparedness, Active Citizen, and, last, the Girl Scout Promise.

The awards court was planned and served by the "bridging" cadettes as part of their challenge of social dependability.

The decorations were all green and yellow with crepe paper, crepe paper flowers and yellow tablecloths. Punch, cakes, cookies and nuts were served. Gifts were presented to the troop leaders, Mrs. Linda Richards and Mrs. Carolyn Ashley.

Girls who received a challenge of social dependability pin were Betsy Postel, Pam Peoples, Donna Clifton and Linda Kay Harrell.



ALL ABOARD -- 58 campers and four adults left Monday for 4-H camp at Camp Swanonnoa in the Smokey Mountains, where they will be camping with 4-Hers from Lincoln County. During the week they will have classes in swimming, wildlife, recreation and handicrafts and will enjoy outdoor sports, talent shows and stunt nights. Accompanying the campers are Julia Augustoni, Joyce Willis, Talmadge Baker and Brenda Abrams. They will return about 2 p.m. Saturday.

### Ralph Huff Supervises 50 Teenagers In NYC Program

Summer jobs for 50 teenagers have been provided by the Neighborhood Youth Corp. NYC county supervisor Ralph Huff announced this week.

The program employs students to work at any federal, state or local non-profit organization. NYC workers are employed this summer at McCain Sanatorium, the schools, library, with Head Start, in the clerk of courts office and at Leonard Training School.

Each worker logs 260 hours during the ten week program, Huff said.

Huff, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D.R. Huff of Ashley Heights, will be a junior next fall at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. This is his first year to serve as NYC county supervisor.



RALPH HUFF

### Four Return After All Night In Woods; Rescue Mission Fails

Four men lost in a swamp near Lumber River Sunday night found their way out of the woods Monday morning after an all-night search had been conducted for them by members of the Rescue Squad, the sheriff's department and others.

Joe Oldham, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Oldham and Roger, Jerry and Fletcher Oldham, the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Oldham, left about 1:30 p.m. Sunday afternoon to cut a path

into the woods to the river, James Oldham said.

They fished until it was nearly dark and then became lost as they started to return home.

The Hoke County Rescue Squad, ABC officer Kermit Riley, family members and sheriff's deputies Charlie Proctor and Robert Locklear searched the woods for the four men Sunday night. Oldham said.

A dog was brought from the prison camp in Scotland County to help find the men.

They could hear the seachers but couldn't tell from which direction they were calling, Oldham said.

When morning came, they were able to find their way out of the swamp. The four had had no food or water since they left home on Sunday and they were scratched and bruised but unhurt.

### Richard Neeley Graduates At Davidson

Richard Lewis Neeley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Neeley of Rt. 1, Raeford, received a Bachelor of Science degree from Davidson College at graduation ceremonies last Sunday.

A total of 220 seniors received diplomas from college president, Samuel R. Spencer, Jr.

## Bloodmobile Here June 25

The Bloodmobile will visit Raeford next Thursday at a new time and place.

An in-plant visit from 1-7 p.m. at the new teaching center at Burlington Industries will be tried for the first time, Bloodmobile director Clyde Upchurch said.

The new hours are being tried in an attempt to make it more convenient for workers on the second shift to participate in the collection, he said.

The new teaching center, which will begin operation at Burlington July 1, offered excellent facilities to hold the operation, Upchurch said.

Red cross arrows directing donors to the center will be placed at the entrances to the plant, he said.

The county needs a normal donation of 100 pints to have sufficient blood supplies for county residents, Upchurch said.

In the last month, blood has been sent to Duke, Chapel Hill, McCain Sanatorium, Scotland Memorial, Southeastern General and Cape Fear Valley Hospital.

Bloodmobile officials are co-ordinating with the industries to schedule donations from employees which will result in no lost time for workers.

Mrs. Neill A. McDonald and Mrs. Ralph Barnhart are in charge of volunteers.

There will be two more Bloodmobile visits this year, on Sept. 2 and Dec. 18.

### Miss Ferguson At Bank Meet

Miss Jessie B. Ferguson, cashier for The Bank of Raeford, attended a meeting of the North Carolina Group of National Association of Bank Women in Wilmington June 13 and 14.

Speakers featured at the two-day meeting were Bland W. Worley, president of the North Carolina Bankers Association; William H. Wagoner, chancellor of the University of North Carolina at Wilmington and Douglas Curley, manager of the employee and community relations department at the General Electric plant at Wilmington.

### First Cotton Blooms Found

The first cotton blossoms of the year were brought in by Henry Maxwell, manager of the Johnson Company farms.

They were found Monday at the Oakdale and Upchurch Farm.

Cotton is looking good, Maxwell said and he predicted the best crop in the past five years.

### State Wants 100-Year-Olds

The Governor's Coordinating Council on Aging is trying to locate all persons living in North Carolina who are 100 years or older.

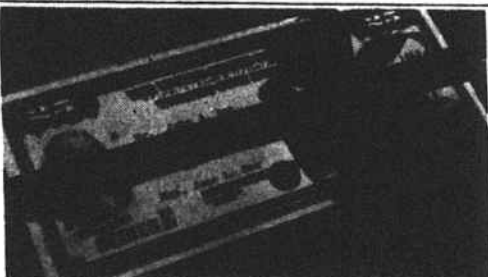
Anyone who knows of a North Carolina citizen that old is asked to send the name, address, sex and date of birth to: George N. Adams, Director Senior Citizens Coordinators 535 Morganton Road Southern Pines, N.C. 28387

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to my friends, neighbors and members of my church for the many cards, flowers and most of all, the prayers and especially my family for their love and care shown me during my long illness. Mrs. Nancy French.

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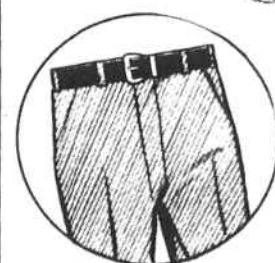
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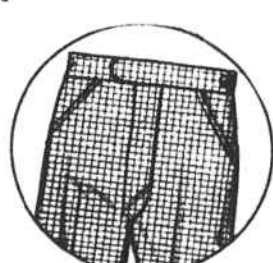
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