

SCC OPEN HOUSE-James Matthews and John Richards, Sandhills Community College landscape gardening students, arrange plants for the holiday open house 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday in the horticulture building on SCC campus. Each year the open house attracts hundreds of public visitors to view the colorful display of flowers and plants grown by students. About six hundred poinsettias in full bloom will be on display. A Christmas tree and seasonal greens will add to the holiday decor. (Alice Baxter Photo)



PROMOTIONS -- Five national guardsmen received promotions recently from Lt. Dennis A. Teasley, Headquarters Company executive officer, right, and M. Sgt. Millard Taylor, second from right. Promotion recipients are, from left, Spec. 5 Lonnie J. Blue, Spec. 5 Roy D. Pittman, Spec. 4 James Farmer, Pfc. Frances E.

Wildlife ** *Afield BY JIM DEAN

Three years ago, I wrote a column that I hoped would acquaint sportsmen with some of the better new books written about hunting and fishing. Since I've got some new ones I'd like to add to the list, and since the Christmas season is a good time to give books as gifts, I've decided to do it again.

My recommendations fall into two

categories. The first one concerns books that deal largely with "how-to" fish or hunt. The second category contains books which have hunting or fishing as one of the themes, but not necessarily the main theme. Such books are usually serious in nature, but have an outdoor

Let's start with the "how-to" category first. These books always make good presents, even for sportsmen who are not avid readers.

Deer hunters will find Norman Strung's "Deer Hunting" a most interesting and valuable book. I know of no other on deer hunting that is more complete and more accurate. It is published by the J. B. Lippincott Co., New York (1973) and sells for \$7.95. With the wild turkey making a

what better way to please an old chalk box scraper than to give him a copy of James F. Brady's "Modern Turkey Hunting." published by Crown Publishers, New York (1973) for \$6.95.

Brady's book has a strong North Carolina flavor, and that no accident. Wayne Bailey - who is the N.C. Wildlife Resources Commission's turkey biologist, and the best in the business-has written the introduction and contributed heavily to the book. and contributed heavily to the book.

If you are a scrious fisherman, you

are definitely living in the middle ages if you don't know how to tie the knots described in Lefty Kreh and Mark Sosin's "Practical Fishing Knots," published by Crown Publishers, New York (1973) for \$5.95. You may think -as I did-that you know all the knots you'll ever need. But do you know how to tie the Bimini Twist, the Albright Special, the Homer Rhode Loop? These and many other knots are demonstrated clearly in excellent photos. These knots,

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some with 100 percent holding strength, are essential in salt water, and also useful to the freshwater fisherman. The authors also cover such key points such as care of lines, tying monofilament to

wire, putting line on a spinning reel

without twist and other critical bits of

knowledge. The book that has provided me with the most idle pleasure this year is "Great Fishing Tackle Catalogs of the Golden Age," edited by Samuel Melner and Hermann Kessler with a commentary by Sprace Grey Hackle. This delightful romp through the heritage of fishing reprints actual pages from catalogs going back as much as a century. It's published by Crown Publishers, New York, and sells for

From the list of books on trout fishing available-some of them reprints of old classics-it would appear that everyone who ever hurled a fly or a worm into moving water must have intimations of immortality.

In my opinion, two books-both new-stand o.t. The first is Ernest Schwiebert's 'ong awaited "Nymphs." If erious fly fisherman, this book will .o more to improve the state of your craft than any other. It's published by Crown Publishers, New York, and sells for \$9.95. If you are just York, and sells for 39.95. If you are just beginning to enjoy the pleasures of trout fishing, the late Joe Brooks' last book "Trout Fishing" will give you the basic knowledge. Also published by Crown Publishers, New York, it sells for each

S8.95.

If you merely want some pleasurable reading, get Robert Ruark's "The Old Man and The Boy," and the sequel "The Old Man's Boy Grows Older." Both are widely available in paperback.

My all-time favorite is William Humphrey's "The Spawning Run," published in hardback by Alfred Knopf. It's about salmon fishing in the British

it's about salmon fishing in the British Isles, but that ain't all.

Finally, if everybody thinks you're weird and you like to fish for trout, read Richard Brautigan's "Trout Fishing in America," available in paperback. But I won't promise you'll like it. You may not be weird enough.



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CARD OF THANKS I wish to thank everyone for their visits, cards, flowers, and many kind deeds during my recent illness. Your thoughtfulness will always be remembered. Mrs. Clarence Willis.

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out that we had a fuel crisis, and "in a real sense, it involves the lives, fortunes, and destiny of the country." Since that time many in the Congress, and I must say with only nominal encouragement the Administration until very recently, have sought to head off this

Not only must the Administration now give the American people the facts about our energy requirements, production, and resources, but we need to furnish reliable information so that individuals and industry can make plans and not have to grope in the dark. The new Federal Energy Administration must immediately staff offices and work with state and local governments and industry to fairly allocate fuel supplies. I am advised that a few days ago the Atlanta office had more than 5000 applications for fuel allocations with available staff to process only 400 of those applications. Full staffing for regional offices is only now underway.

Time and again during the Senate overnment Operations Committee Government hearings on this legislation, the point was made that no energy program will work unless the American people understand the problem and are assured that they will be fairly treated in sharing shortages.

Simon, the new energy czar, comes into his post with a reputation for his ability to make tough and decisive decisions. He will also need the wisdom of a Solomon to promote the national good as we feel the impact of the energy

Accent On Agriculture

The problem of adequate supplies of energy now and in the future is obviously of great concern to farmers. American agriculture uses more

petroleum products than any other single industry. Farmers consume approximately 3 percent of America's consumption of gasoline and diesel fuel in producing food to feed and fiber to clothe consumers.

Agricultural production requires about 3 percent of the total electricity produced. Nearly 25 percent of the nation's production of liquified petroleum gas is used on United States farms - about half for production purposes and half for farm home

heating and cooking.
Since 1939, United States agricultural fuel consumption has increased nearly fourfold to 8 billion gallons a year. By 1980, we expect our fuel demand to increase 45 percent.

Agriculture can, and will, make internal adjustments to save fuel, but the margin of adjustment is narrow. The solution to the fuel crisis in agriculture is going to have to come mainly from outside agriculture where the overwhelming bulk of the fuel is used much of it productively, but all too

much of it wastefully
Agriculture is a basic and vital industry; we cannot afford to permit the wastage and conspicuous consumption of fuel throughout our economy to interfere with farm output of food and fiber.

> O come, let us adore Him! May the newborn King bless each and everyone at Christmas.

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