

# Farm Safety Experts Suggest Plan to Follow Next Week



News from  
**HARLOWE**

July 19 — Mrs. Gordon Beeton, who has been a patient in the Morehead City Hospital, returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. Joel Davis has returned from visiting relatives in Virginia and Mrs. Harry Davis at Asheville. Mrs. Emma Oglesby spent Friday night with Mrs. Primrose Gooding at North River.

Mrs. George W. Ball and Mrs. Charlie Bell were at Morehead City Friday morning.

Mrs. A. N. Bell, Mrs. E. R. Bowlin Jr., Mrs. W. Kuch Williams and daughter, Judy Kay, Mrs. Luke Turner and sons, Eddie and Tony, were in Beaufort Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scholfield of Hyattsville, Md., have returned home after a visit with Mrs. Carl H. Morton and family.

Mrs. Frank W. Taylor and children, Rickie, Barbara and Rudolph, who have been visiting in West Virginia, have returned home.

Mrs. Joe S. Morton and Mrs. Tommy Aldridge were at Wilmington Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Adams spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Clayton Everette at Atlantic Beach.

Mrs. B. L. Witherington and son, Terry, Mrs. Berkeley Butler and son, Billie, of near Vanceboro spent Wednesday night with Mrs. W. C. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Creech visited relatives near Smithfield during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Page of Washington, D. C., are visiting Willie Miller.

Mrs. Ivey Taylor, who has been at Neuse Forest with Mrs. John Hardison Jr., spent the weekend here. Mrs. Hardison and daughter, Cherrie, accompanied Mrs. Taylor.

Gary Williams is visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Witherington near Vanceboro.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bowlin Jr. attended church services Sunday near Newport.

Mrs. Carlton Taylor and Mrs. Edith Small and sons, Donald and Charles, were at Beaufort Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Temple and children of Reidsville have returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph G. Temple.

Mrs. W. C. Williams has returned from visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Witherington near Vanceboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton J. Taylor were at New Bern Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Greshman Mason and sons of Potomac Heights, Md., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mason and relatives at Beaufort.

Mrs. Claude Cummings, who has moved to Marshallberg, was in this community Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Ashby B. Morton was in Beaufort Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Ives Jr. were at Beaufort Thursday afternoon.

Miss Linda Scholfield of Hyattsville, Md., is visiting Mrs. Carl H. Morton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Adams of Beaufort attended church services here Sunday.

John W. Ives of Raleigh was here Saturday to see Mr. and Mrs. John W. Ives Jr.

The Rev. Ellis Bedworth, Duke Divinity student, held services here Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Edwards of Newport were here Friday to see Mr. and Mrs. Ralph G. Temple.

Mrs. Earl Dickinson of Core Creek and her guests, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dill of Portsmouth, Va., and Wayne Young of Raleigh attended church services here Sunday morning.

Willie Miller and Mrs. Carl H. Morton and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Page and Miss Linda Scholfield spent Sunday afternoon at Atlantic Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kelly and son, Bert, of Beaufort were here Sunday to see her mother, Mrs. Carl H. Morton, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph G. Temple were at Beaufort Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. W. L. Harris Sr., Mrs. Haywood Harris, Miss Sadie Lorraine Harris, Mrs. E. L. Beeton, Mrs. Claude Taylor, Mrs. Elmo Taylor, Mrs. Fred Smith, Misses Nellie and Brenda Smith, all of Beaufort, passed through Saturday afternoon enroute to Core Creek to attend the Rose-Merrill wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Earl Matthews, Mrs. Ashby B. Morton, Mrs. George W. Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ball, Mrs. Lionel N. Conner and Mrs. Charlie Bell attended the Rose-Merrill wedding at Core Creek Saturday.

President Eisenhower has proclaimed July 25-31 National Farm Safety Week. Farm to live and live to farm is the slogan again this year. Here is a week's schedule for July 25-31:

**Sunday —** Have reverence for life. Take time to care. Banish fatigue and tension of routine living. Realize that haste makes waste. Plan to avoid an overcrowded schedule.

**Monday —** Home Safety. Keep your farm in order: Have a place for everything and keep everything in its place. Eliminate hazards as you find them. Be a good housekeeper in your home and on your farm.

**Tuesday —** Livestock. Be open-minded to safety suggestions — a wise farmer listens to safety lessons his children bring home from school and group meetings. Keep small children away from animals, repair livestock equipment.

**Wednesday —** Falls. Plan ahead. Good planning reduces the temptation to hurry, means better production and fewer accidents. Repair or discard broken or unsafe ladders.

**Thursday —** Highway Traffic. Be courteous on the highway — a courteous driver believes in living and letting live. Know and obey all traffic laws — follow safe driving practices. Remove trees and shrubs near driveway entrance.

**Friday —** Machinery. Don't depend on luck — make sure your equipment is in safe operating condition — make sure all guards and safety devices are in place.

**Saturday —** Review Day. Take safety seriously — check up on any farm and farm home hazards that may have been overlooked. Find and eliminate at least two additional unsafe conditions.



News from  
**BAY VIEW**

July 21 — The Rev. and Mrs. Harry Garris spent a while recently at Danville, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Pesto and daughter have returned to their home in Detroit after visiting her mother, Mrs. E. W. Hardesty.

Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson and children of Harlowe spent a while Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Wilkison.

Mrs. Fanny Fodrie of Russells Creek is visiting relatives in the community.

The Rev. W. E. Anderson of Morehead City spent a while Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Skinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dowdy of Florida spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mason and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Haskett.

Mr. and Mrs. George Norris of Newport spent a while Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Williams.

Mrs. Mona Johnson of Richmond returned home after visiting relatives in this community last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Calpepper of Newport spent a while Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cannon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Skinner, the Rev. and Mrs. Harry Garris and Mrs. Lester Haskett and daughter attended services at Russells Creek Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilford Cannon and family spent Monday in Maysville.

Mrs. Nannie Fodrie and Miss Dorothy Faye Fodrie spent Sunday with Mrs. Owen Cottle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chaplain spent a while Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Pernel Hardesty and Mrs. J. T. Graham.

Mrs. Grover Cuthrell spent a while Wednesday with Mrs. Preston Graham.

Miss Betty Witherington and Bootle Witherington of Maysville are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gilford Cannon.

Mrs. Cyrus Lilly is a patient at the Morehead City Hospital. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

Ray McCain and Richard Snider of Fort Jackson, S. C., attended Sunday School at Graham's Chapel Sunday.

Joseph Williams spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. George Norris of Newport.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Small and Mr. Hardy Moore of Norfolk spent a while Thursday with Mrs. J. F. Small.

Mrs. Journey Conner of Harlowe spent a while Thursday in the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Thad Lilly and boys of Vanceboro spent Monday with relatives.

North Carolina's 1954 spring pig crop was the second largest on record. Pigs saved from the spring farrowings totaled 1,018,000, only 5 per cent below the record 1952 crop of 1,071,000.

# Topsoil Aids Tree Growth

Trees grow better in "upside-down" soil, it was concluded from experiments at the Connecticut Agricultural Experiment station, New Haven, Conn.

Hybrid poplar cuttings and white pines were rooted in large steel cylinders, with topsoil at the bottom and subsoil on the surface. Similar trees were grown in cylinders with normally arranged soil horizons for purposes of comparison.

In the case of poplars, the growth was twice as great on the "upside-down" soil. White pine showed a smaller increase. Under usual conditions, the most fertile portion of the soil is at the surface, where it dries out.

With the upside-down soil, fertile topsoil is at the bottom where it remains moist, the roots reaching down into it and easily extracting the necessary nutrients for tree growth.

# Bees Make Good Clover Pollinators, Expert Says

Farmers who are growing crimson clover should use honeybees as pollinators, a Clemson Agricultural College Extension Service agricultural expert, said.

Research shows that using the bees greatly increases seed yields. They are the most practical of the insect pollinators for this purpose because they can be moved from place to place as needed.

The honeybees should be placed at the edge of the field to be pollinated at the first sign of bloom on the clover. One or more colonies per acre should be used for the best results.

# Rolla's Famous Buggy Whip Tree is Cut Down

Rolla, Mo. (AP) — They cut down this Ozark city's famous "buggy whip" tree the other day. It was 90 years old and not so handy anymore.

The sprout was planted by Robert Love, early day Phelps county sheriff. Hurling home from Jefferson City, he was caught in a flash flood at the Gasconade River ford but managed to save his team and himself.

He cut a silver maple branch for a buggy whip and just stuck the branch in the mud when he got home. The sprout outlived him by many years.

More than 500,000 Tar Heel farmers belong to cooperative associations doing a total net business of more than \$128 million annually.

# Swansboro

July 20 — Mr. and Mrs. Howard Vandergriff of Philadelphia are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mont Hill. Gerald Pridgen, Jack Provost, Reginald Rhue and Charles Furlong went to Manteo over the weekend to see The Lost Colony.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moore of Texas are visiting Mrs. Kate Glancy of Swansboro.

Paul Sewell of Texas is visiting relatives here.

Seth Jones was a visitor in New Bern Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Keagy were at Atlantic Beach Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Wilson Pittman and children were at Ridgecrest and Manteo during their week's vacation.

Mrs. George Merritt Jr., Mrs. Oscar Schneider and Mrs. Martha Schneider were visitors in Morehead City Friday.

Mrs. Martha Schneider from Houston, Texas, is visiting her son, Oscar Schneider.

Mrs. Marjorie Conder and daughter and Mrs. Daisy Moore spent a week at Williamsburg and Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Moore announce the recent birth of a daughter, Billie Jean.

Mrs. Kenneth Pittman of Norfolk is visiting her husband in Swansboro.

# Non-Irish Dublin

Dublin, Mich. (AP) — There hasn't been an Irishman living in Dublin for 12 years. And there's only one girl among the town's 13 adults and 13 children who can even come close to passing for Irish.

She's of English extraction. Everyone else is either Swede, German or Bohemian.

The first U. S. government entomologist was appointed June 14, 1854.

# Delaware Study Develops Spot Resistant Peaches

A bacterial spot-resistant peach, "Ranger," has been developed at the Delaware Agricultural Extension Service, Newark, Del., after eight years of research.

The Ranger is a yellow freestone, almost round, with medium-firm flesh of good flavor. It is as resistant as many white fleshed varieties, and more resistant to bacterial spot than other yellow-fleshed ones.

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**Will Yours be One Out of 5?**

It's a known fact that one out of five farm families had an accident of some kind last year. Try to keep yours one of the four out of 5 who will not have an accident this year.

- Our nation is only as strong as the combined productive efforts of all our people. Manpower is the basic resource by which all other productive resources are made useful and available. Agricultural manpower supplies are limited.
- The chances of an agricultural worker being killed on the job are over three times as great as for a worker in manufacturing. In 1951, there were 14,500 accidental deaths and 1,250,000 injuries among farm people.
- Loss due to accidents affecting farmers, including property and equipment, is estimated at one billion dollars — more than the total of all farm real estate and personal property taxes in 1949.
- During recent years agriculture has made rapid strides in technology. Farm output per man-hour in 1952 was 73 per cent higher than the average during 1935-39. Effective conservation and utilization of manpower require that similar progress be made in accident prevention.
- A study in one Midwestern county revealed that accidents occurred in one year in more than 3 out of 4 of the families studied.
- Take Precautions — Be Sure You're Well Covered With Insurance.

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