

Truck Growers To Get Free Service

A free truck crop news service, based on current information "helpful to growers in marketing their crops," will be furnished farmers by the State Department of Agriculture beginning in March and continuing through the season.

Russell P. Handy, junior statistician of the Department, said today that the "truck crop news bulletin will be furnished any grower upon request." Information used in the bulletin—a four-page mimeographed sheet—will be gathered in cooperation with the Federal-State Crop Reporting Service, and will be released semi-monthly.

The truck crop news sheet will contain information on: Time and progress of planting operations; significant shifts in acreage and introduction of new varieties; progress of crops, including weather, insect and disease damage; probable rate of shipments to central markets; harvesting dates and the relation to other areas offering the same crops for market; volume of shipments and probable closing dates of markets.

Truck information, compared with conditions and shipments in other states, will be a feature of the service.

Handy explained that "the truck crop news will be a supplement to the regular truck crop current stories and summaries compiled and released periodically by the Crop Reporting Service."

The "truck crop news" service was inaugurated last year "and has found increasing favor among farmers," he added.

To receive the truck crop reports, growers, merchants, wholesalers, shippers and others have been requested to write the Crop Reporting Service, N. C. Department of Agriculture, Raleigh.

Funeral Services For Simon F. Stallings

Funeral services for Simon F. Stallings, whose death occurred on Tuesday, February 25, were held at the home Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Rev. J. T. Cranford, pastor of Cedar Grove Methodist Church of which the deceased was a member, officiated, assisted by the Rev. J. L. Smith, of Conway, a former pastor, and the Rev. J. T. Byrum, pastor of Mt. Sinai Baptist Church.

There was a large attendance and many beautiful floral offerings, the casket being covered with a pall of white carnations and white lilies.

During the services, the choir consisting of Mrs. W. G. Wright, Mrs. B. G. Koon, Mrs. T. B. Sumner, L. W. Anderson and J. P. Perry sang "Thy Will Be Done" and Mrs. Anderson sang "The Old Rugged Cross," with Mrs. J. E. White as pianist.

At the grave in Cedar Grove churchyard, the choir sang "Christian's Good Night."

The active pallbearers were: Cecil W. White, R. B. Jordan, Edgar Lane, V. N. Darden, J. W. Ward and Henry Clay Stokes. Honorary pallbearers were: W. F. C. Edwards, E. U. Morgan, Dr. T. P. Brinn, J. P. Jessup, S. P. Jessup, D. S. Darden, J. H. Miller, W. H. Pitt, W. H. Hardcastle, E. L. Laughinghouse, J. E. Winslow, F. S. Winslow, Durwood Reed, Vivian Mathews, W. G. Hollowell, W. M. Morgan, R. T. Brinn, F. M. Wilson and J. R. Stokes.

ANNIE W. ARMSTRONG PROGRAM AT WOODVILLE

The Woman's Missionary Union, the Y. W. A., the G. A. and the Sunbeams held their Annie W. Armstrong program together at Woodville Baptist Church after Sunday School on Sunday morning. The main part of the program was an interesting and inspiring talk by Mrs. Philip White, recently returned from the mission fields of China.

Mrs. A. R. Cooke prepared the program and introduced the speaker. The devotional was led by Miss Beulah Bogue, leader of the G. A., and eight of the G. A. members, Marguerite, Peggy and Frances Anne Cooke, Ani Scott, Velma Frances Godfrey, Billy Barcliff, Kadar Franklin White and Mary Frances Fowler. Mrs. A. R. Cooke also gave an interesting talk. Ann Bray and Sally White took up the collection which was divided among the four organizations. Mrs. J. A. Bray dismissed the meeting with prayer.

WHITESTON NEWS

Mrs. Herman Wiggins, of Sunbury, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. U. Winslow, on Sunday.
 Mrs. Elwood White and Elihu Winslow, of Bagleys Swamp, visited William T. Winslow, who has been quite ill, Saturday afternoon.
 Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gregory and son, of Corapeake, visited Miss Edith White Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Winslow and daughter, of Petersburg, Va., spent the week-end with their parents here.
 Visitors in the home of Mrs. Mary J. White on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. R. L. White and family, of Sunbury, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph White and family, of Belvidere.



THE PERQUIMASS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL BAND shows here arrayed in their new uniforms of blue and gold made a striking picture when it appeared down town last week to give the public a glimpse at the new outfits. (Reading from right to left are: Bandmaster Jimmie McCallum, Cleo Trueblood, Jane Griffin, Eva Harris, Marjorie Mathews, James S. McNider, George Wood, Olive Layden, Elizabeth Darden, Marie Stanton, Lloyd Bagley, Reginald Pucker, Howard Broughton, Charles Skinner, Roy Hoffer, James Sawyer, Jimmie Felton, Tom Perry, Bill Murray, Broughton Dail, Emma Landing, Koert Morgan, Robert Stevens, Billy Elliott, Howard Winslow, Morris Griffin and Bobbie Keaton. —Photo through courtesy of The Daily Advance.

"SECOND CHORUS"



Paulette Goddard and Fred Astaire (above) are the screen's newest dancing partners. The charming couple is to be seen in "Second Chorus" at State Theatre, Hertford, Monday and Tuesday. Featured prominently in the merry, melodic film are Artie Shaw and his band, Burgess Meredith and Charles Butterworth. Astaire and Miss Goddard, in the picture, introduce the "Dig It" to the nation's dance enthusiasts.

Baptist Training Union Will Meet In Edenton Next Week

Addresses by Dr. P. Rowland Wagner, popular Baptist minister and lecturer of Norfolk, Va., and Archibald M. McMillan, editor of "The Commission," missionary magazine, of Richmond, Va., will feature the eastern Regional Baptist Training Union annual convention to be held at Edenton Baptist Church on Friday and Saturday, March 14-15.

John M. Elliott, of Edenton, president of the region, announces that Dr. Wagner will speak at the Saturday morning session, and Mr. McMillan will speak on Friday evening. Dr. Wagner has spoken in this section on numerous occasions and is widely known for his wit and sound philosophy. Mr. McMillan, who edits "The Commission" for the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board, is the son of a missionary and has spent a number of years in China, which gives him an excellent background for bringing a missionary message.

The theme of the convention will be "Following the Living Christ." The first session will open at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon, following registration. Blackwell Memorial Church, Elizabeth City, will have charge of the directed worship period, after which a series of four talks will be made. The Aulander Church will furnish a trumpet solo, and the Chowan College B. T. U. will present "A Model Program."

The Edenton Sunday School orchestra led by Jim Daniels, will render a program of music before the directed worship on Friday evening at 7 o'clock. The Elizabeth City First Church will have charge of the worship period, which will be followed by vocal selections by the Kennedy home sextette, Kinston. A series of five short talks will be given, and the Ahsokie glee club will sing. Mr. McMillan's address will be followed by an informal reception.

ducting the directed worship period. The Columbia glee club and octette will render music. A series of three talks will be made, followed by a playlet and a xylophone solo by Miss Pauline Moore of Edenton. The installation of officers will be conducted by the Rev. M. R. Brown, pastor advisor, of Windsor.

The public is cordially invited to enjoy this unusual, interesting and informative convention.

Unemployed Warned To Avoid Racket Of Unlicensed Schools

Federal Security Administrator McNutt warned persons interested in vocational training for defense jobs to beware of unlicensed commercial schools "guaranteeing" jobs to persons who pay "stiff fees" to take their courses.

McNutt said that although Congress "has voted money for this type of training and tens of thousands of young people are being trained without expense to them through public schools and the NYA, complaints in increasing numbers are reaching his office that unlicensed schools are springing up in many parts of the country to exploit the unemployed, particularly youth, by offering to train them for important jobs in defense industries.

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Local Youth Accepts Commission In Army

Fenton Butler, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Butler, has accepted a second lieutenant's commission in the Officers' Reserve Corps, according to announcement made this week by the War Department.

Young Butler recently completed his course and graduated from an Army Air course at Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Alabama.

Butler is also the brother of Corporal George Butler, Perquimans County's first volunteer inducted into service under the Selective Service Act, now stationed at Fort Bragg.

Contest Offers Purebred Calves

John A. Arey, extension dairyman of N. C. State College, has announced an essay contest for farm boys and girls, the winners of which will receive purebred dairy animals and a possible trip to the National Dairy Show.

The contest is being sponsored by the five purebred dairy cattle associations and the Southern Planter's magazine of Richmond, Va. The competition is being announced formally in the March issue of the magazine.

Boys and girls between the ages of 13 and 20, inclusive, are eligible to compete. The contest began on March 1 and will close May 31.

The dairy breed associations co-operating are: The Ayrshire Breeders' Association of Brandon, Vermont; the Brown Swiss Breeders' Association of Beloit, Wisconsin; the American Guernsey Cattle Club of

Peterborough, New Hampshire; the Holstein-Friesian Association of Brattleboro, Vermont; and the American Jersey Cattle Club of New York City.

Contestants may choose any one of the five breeds to write about on the following subject: "Why Dad Should Keep Purebreds, and Why He Should Keep—!" The last word of the title may be either Ayrshire, Brown, Swiss, Guernseys, Jerseys, or Holstein-Friesians.

Winning essays in the circulation area of the Southern Planter will be entered in a national contest, and the national winner receive, in addition to his or her registered bull calf, an all-expense trip to the National Dairy Show to be held at Memphis this fall.

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