

Damage By Weevils Varies In Sections

The marked variation in yearly cotton production in North Carolina, seems closely correlated with variations in yearly boll weevil infestations. This year, weevil infestations were low compared to those in 1950; likewise, this year's average per acre yield of lint (approximately 390 pounds) is much higher than last year's (163 pounds).

This variation in year to year infestations calls for an insect control program which can be altered to fit each season.

An outstanding feature of the 1951 weevil situation in North Carolina was the delayed weevil emergence in many areas, which is thought to have been due to exceptionally dry spring and early summer conditions. It is, also, quite likely that low winter temperatures followed by a cool spring may have reduced the numbers of overwintering weevils, which appeared in large numbers only in a few fields.

Weevil infestations varied from county to county and from field to field, thereby increasing the difficulties of directing the control program on the state and county level. In general, infestations were higher in the southeastern, eastern, and northeastern cotton belt areas than in the central and western Piedmont. Some high and some low infestations, however, were reported from all of these areas.

CHAPANOKE NEWS

Miss Mildred Byrum and Mrs. O. L. Byrum spent Thanksgiving Day with relatives in Portsmouth.

Norwood Elliott, student at E. C. College, Greenville, and Leon Elliott, USN, Norfolk, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Elliott.

Chief Petty Officer Cary Quincy, USN, at Bermuda, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Quincy, on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Erker and daughters of Landover, Md., spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Lt. and Mrs. W. H. Keel.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Stallings and son Ronnie were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Branche at Virginia Beach, Va., Sunday.

Miss Louise Wilson, member of the Chowan High School faculty, and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wilson of Chapel Hill spent the Thanksgiving holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilson.

TWO MASSES NEXT SUNDAY IN EDENTON CATHOLIC CHURCH

The Most Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered Sunday at 9 and 11 A. M., in St. Ann's Catholic Church, Edenton, each including sermon on "Boycot All Bad Shows and Literature," Holy Communion, followed by Rosary for Peace, Sunday School, with confessions for half hour before services, stated Father F. J. McCourt pastor, who invites everybody to all services.

Saturday, December 8, Feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary, masses at 7 and 11 A. M., sermon "The Immaculate Conception." Other week-mornings, Mass at 7. Study Club meets Thursdays 7:30 to 8:30 P. M., in rectory library. Choir practice Saturday 7:30 to 8:30 P. M.

MUSIC CLUB MEETS

Misses Lois Hope Howell, Deborah Nixon and Patsy Elliott were hostesses on Tuesday evening to the Hertford Music Club. Charley Johnson presided over the short business session, at which plans were made for the December Club party. Patsy Elliott reported 285 rating points, entitling the club to National Honor Roll membership.

After a short musical program, delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses. Those present were: Franklin McGoogan, Diane Hollowell, Margaret Williams, Glennie Myers, Becky White, Nancy Lane, Deborah Nixon, Charley Johnson, Lois Hope Howell, Patsy Elliott, Jane Keel, Lura Leete, Mrs. W. F. Elliott, Mrs. W. E. Howell, Mrs. Preston Nixon, Mrs. Ernest Guthrie, Mrs. W. E. Drake, Mrs. R. M. Riddick, Counselor, Pat Drake, Anne Lane, Betsy Drake, Vicki Johnson, Letitia McGoogan, Julia Lapeine, Maude Lee Corprew, Kay Guthrie, Linda Bass, Warner Madra, Jean Keel.

BELVIDERE H. D. C. MEETING

The Belvidere H. D. C. met at the Community House Wednesday P. M., with the new officers, Mrs. Claude Winslow, president, and Mrs. Oliver Winslow, secretary, presiding.

Mrs. MacElery Chappell gave the scripture lesson.

During the business session plans were discussed to make additions and improvements on the building as a goal for the new year. Also a Christmas social and fellowship supper were planned.

Mrs. L. J. Winslow and Mrs. J. M. Copeland led a panel discussion on the subject "What a Woman Should Know About Her Family's Finances," in which the members participated making the whole an interesting and helpful occasion.

At the close of the program Mrs. Oliver Winslow, as recreational leader, conducted a Thanksgiving menu contest in which Mrs. Willard Copeland won the prize.

Fruit and homemade candies were served by the sister hostesses, Mrs. F. M. and Mrs. R. H. Copeland.

BURGESS CLUB MEETS

The Burgess Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Howard Matthews.

The meeting opened by singing "Come Ye Thankful People." The new president, Mrs. Howard Matthews, gave the devotional from I Thessalonians, fifth chapter, 6-18 verses, followed by the Lord's Prayer repeated in unison.

The new secretary, Mrs. Walton Lane, read the minutes of the last meeting and called the roll. Dues for 1952 were collected. A report of 19 new kitchen gadgets or utensils purchased by club members in the past month.

Mrs. Tommie Mathews gave two very interesting reports on health

and home management. Mrs. J. B. Beamight, craft leader, gave a small exhibit on needlecraft in Christmas gift suggestions.

The hostess conducted a memory contest with Mrs. Winston Lane winning the prize.

The meeting was closed with the collect. The hostess served sunshine salad with candy and cookies.

BERRY - MADRE

Mr. and Mrs. William Francis Madra request the honour of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Willie Ann

to Mr. Daniel Leland Berry on Wednesday, the nineteenth of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-one at four o'clock in the afternoon Hertford Baptist Church Hertford, North Carolina

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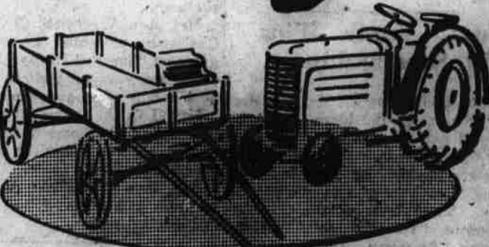
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