Use Flowers of Sulfur For Chigger Bites

RALEIGH.-Chiso your chiggers before they sit down to eat! This, in substance is the advice given by the United States Public Health Ser vice and passed on the the public by by the North-Coselina State Board. of Health.

Fortunately, the press release points out, the chigger (red bug) in the United States has not shown to transmit any disease.

The release goes on to say: "In the summer and early fall

fields of tall grass or , weeds, wherever there is heavy undergrow th, the United States Public Health Service suggests the use of flowers of sulfur, applied liberally to the stockings and underclothing as a partial protection against 'chiggers'. "As soon as possible after being

exposed to chigger mites, it is advantageous to apply a thick lather of soap all over the body surface, and to allow the lather to remain on for ten minutes or longer before washing it off. Lather the body well a second time, then rinse thoroughly with clean water.

"The mites are promptly killed by kerosene or 95 percent alcohol, but as these liquids may be irritating to some skins they should be used with caution, according to the Public Health Service.

"Contrary to popular belief, the chigger does not burrow into skin and inbed its entire body. The mite apparently feeds on the upper layer of the skin after this tissue has been dissolved by a substance which the chigger injects into the skin, It is the effect of this . sub stance which causes the intense itching associated with the attack of this annoying mite,

"After the chigger has becom? engorged with food it loosens its its hold and falls off."

Farm Questions

Q .- Will a good crop rotation com pletely control Granville wilt?

A .- While crop cotations wil not control Granville wilt completely, they are the best known methods of combatting the disease now known. The degree of control is dependent upon the crops used, the length of the rotation, anl seasonal conditions during the year the field is returned to tobacco. In the rotations, corn has given the best control, followed closely by soybeans, heards grass, and cotton. Best results will be secured if weeds are kept out of he

rotations. Q.-When may I plant alfalfa? A .- Alfalfa which produces one

of the best of all hays, should be planted between Aug. 15 and Sept 15. It is particularly adapted to the heavy red clays or other soils in a high state of fertility or well-drained. In the Coastal Plain it loes well for two or three years on the better soils but is usually choked cut by weeds after that period. In the Pied mont and Mountain sections, it should persist at least five to eight years. Alfalfa should be seeded at the rate of 25 pounds to the acre.

Q.-How much variety should there be in the dairy cow's ration? A ration composed of a succulent feed, legume hay, and at least three different concentrate feeds usually

contains sufficient variety for the cow producing a medium flow milk. At least two more concentrate feeds would be needed for the heavy-producing cow. Variety in the ration adds to its palatability and insures against a shortage in supply of mineral matter and the different forms of proteins.

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OAK GROVE NEWS

(By Mrs. William Wright)

***** The revival services which were it progress at the local church last week closed Thursday night with eight additions to the church. Five for baptism and three by letter. The aptismal service was held Sunday afternoon.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Ware were Dr. J. O. Ware, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Ware of Washington, D C., Mr. and Mrs. William Ware and children, Billy and Wanda Ruth, of Mooresville and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ware and chil-

Miss Annie Randall of Kings Creek, S. C., was a recent visitor of Mrs. Z. A. Ellis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Everette Ford and family spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. Lyman Champion.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Champion and daughter, Sarah, Mrs. C. N. Porter and little son, and Mr. P. F. Mc-Swain spent several days last week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ware and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Champion of near Ocala, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Bell of Gaswere Tuesday night guests of the former's father, D. A. Bell.

Rev. Luther Hawkins of Gastonia and Thaniel Bell attended the B. T. U. Conference at Ridgecrest Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Patterson announce the birth of a son, Gilbert

Dell., July 17. Mrs. Patterson is the former Miss Kathleen Lovelace.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Ware left Wednesday for Waynesville where they will spend several days with the latter's mother, Mrs. Briggs, before returning to their home in Washington, D. C.

Mr. Clyde McSwain of Hickory spent Sunday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elam McSwain.

Grass breeding, estimated to be 25 years behind that of other crops, is now beginning to receive more attention from farmers and



With a decrease in the pig crop and increased lard buying by the British, the hog situation is looking brghter for American growers as prices have already started advancing slightly. . . .) 61 A 415

Property damage in 1939 motor vehile accidents titaled \$750,000,

WIFE'S FAULT

Husband said married life was rosy until wife laundered his shirts. Then fireworks began. Now all hunky dory, again. Sends his shirts with family washing to Gastonia New Way Laundry. Said wants mate not -washwoman.

Durham County 4-17 Club bers are keeping their project record books up-to-date much better this year than they did a year ago, says J. A. Sutton, assistant farm agent of the Extension Service.

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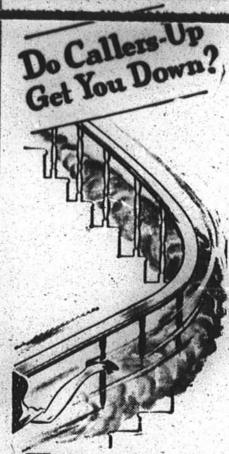
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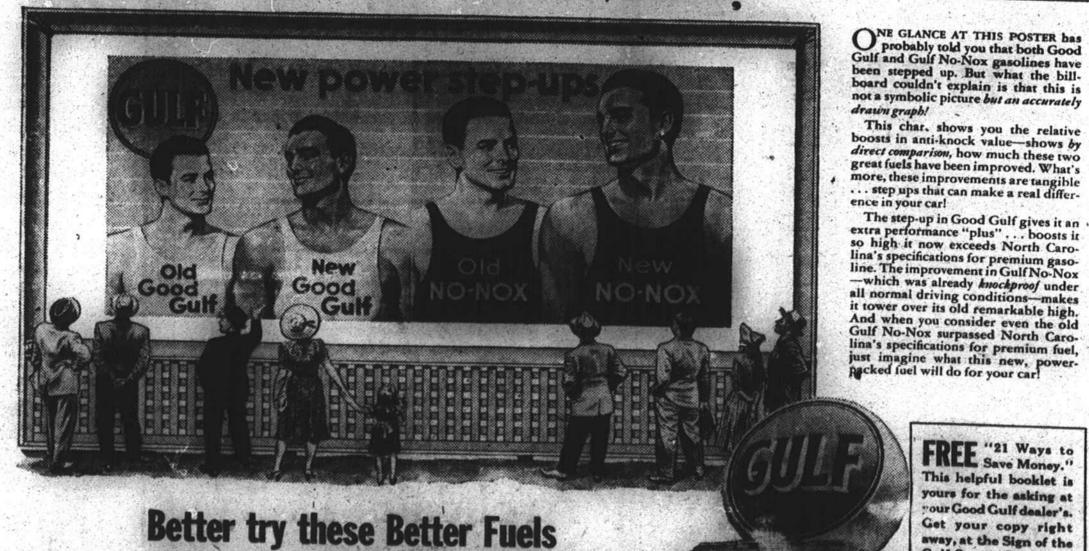
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