

Distaff DEEDS

by Maidred Morris

Items this week from Davie, Bertie, Curbe-land, Onslow, Iredell and Buncombe Counties.

WINNS LOCAL SEWING CONTEST

Mrs. Armand Smith, a Home Demonstration Club member from Davie County, has been busy at her sewing machine. Mrs. Smith made a child's ensemble for the local Grange sewing contest. She won first place at the local and state contests and the ensemble will now be sent to the national contest.

Mrs. Ostine West, home economics agent, says Mrs. Smith not only excels in sewing but also works part time on the county bookmobile and is active in civic and church activities.

HOME TOUR

Some 70 women in Bertie County recently went on a tour of homes. Mrs. Lenore Walston, home economics agent, says the women observed the window treatments, room arrangements and other construction features that had been discussed at monthly demonstrations this year.

Mrs. Walston reports they included several different types of homes on the tour such as the small compact one story home, the split level and the two story.

USE OF SURPLUS FOODS
The Wade Home Demonstration Club began the educational program for recipients of surplus foods in Curbe-land County. They reached 59 families the first day.

According to Mrs. Era Robinson, home economics agent, the club members prepare new dishes and show different ways of preparing the foods so the families can learn to serve well balanced meals. The foods leaders in freshly prepared samples of the foods each day.

4-H LEADERS

The antipiper, 4-H Club in Onslow County now has a sponsor. Miss Sara Asbell, home economics agent, says the Morris Landing Home Demonstration Club has assumed the sponsorship of the club.

Linda Martia, a junior leader and Pam Thomas, president of the club continued to meet with

the young 4-H'ers until they got a sponsor. Miss Asbell says members of the sponsoring club take turns meeting with the 4-H members and heading them with their project work.

HOUSE FURNISHINGS SEMINAR

Carpets and resilient floor coverings received major attention at a house furnishing seminar in Iredell County. Mrs. Nancy Myers, home economics agent, had someone to discuss the various carpet fibers and give information on choosing design and color in carpets.

Next on the program was a discussion of various types of floor coverings. By observing and studying a large display of samples, the women were able to find out the advantages and disadvantages of the different types.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Home Demonstration Club members are most generous with their time and talent, as shown in their many community service projects.

Mrs. Mary Ray, home economics agent, reports the Buncombe County club members have made laundry bags to be used at the USVA Hospital at Oteen. Some 500 bags have recently been made by the group.

Plums, Beef Top Plentiful Food Lists

Beef and plums are featured on the U. S. Department of Agriculture's plentiful foods list for July. But there are also watermelons, turkeys, early summer vegetables, canned pink salmon and vegetable fats and oils.

Miss Gavneie Hogan, consumer marketing specialist for the Agricultural Extension Service at N. C. State, says that from this list the homemaker can whip up a variety of summertime menus. There are three entree items on the list, and these can be prepared in a number of ways. Turkey and beef can go in the oven, over the barbecue or be served cold. Salmon, too, has possibilities — either cold or hot, in a casserole or a salad. Or, of course, it can be used in sandwiches.

As for salads, there's a choice of vegetables, oils, and dressings and for dessert, try plums or watermelon. Beef supplies this summer will continue at record levels, according to Miss Hogan. Turkeys will be increasing seasonally and the supply will be heavy in compari-



MODEL DEMONSTRATED — William Hixon of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration demonstrates a model of a communications satellite to participate in the Space Science Audiovisual Media Workshop at Chapel Hill this week. In the first row left to right are Mrs. Wilhelmina Garrison, Salisbury; Mrs. Peggy Muse, Charlotte; Mrs. Genevieve Boucher, Rutherford; William Hixon, NASA demonstrator; Mrs. Jerolene Hall, Graham; and Kenneth McIntyre, director of the workshop. In the second row are Richard Berne, coordinator of NASA Spacemobile demonstration teams; Harold Mehrens, NASA demonstrator; John Lutz, Kings Mountain; Coleman A. Gentry Jr., Greensboro; and Mrs. Sarah Blake, Jacksonville.

Lutz Attends Space Science Workshops

CHAPEL HILL — "Space science", the study of astronomy, meteorology, and space exploration at the junior high school level, is being launched at UNC's Morehead Planetarium this week.

Eight junior high school teachers from North Carolina are attending a workshop with University of North Carolina staff members and National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) demonstrators to select, evaluate, and produce audiovisual media for use this fall in a new eighth grade space science curriculum for North Carolina schools.

According to Kenneth H. McIntyre, director of the UNC Bureau of Audiovisual Education and coordinator of the Space Science Audiovisual Media Workshop, the eight teachers were selected by son to a year ago—as much as 10 per cent larger.

Stocks of canned pink salmon will remain particularly high, with favorable prices expected at retail.

There's a record crop of California plums this year, nearly 110,000 tons. That's 35 per cent above average. Although the official production estimate for watermelons is not yet available, USDA economists point to a planting of nearly 210,000 acres—3 per cent more than last year.

And look for lots of locally produced summer vegetables, especially tomatoes, sweet corn, green beans and lettuce.

The State Department of Public Instruction at Raleigh as "outstanding instructors." They are being paid to review all visual aid materials currently made available for space science instruction by NASA. In addition, they are developing their own materials and producing a videotape recording for use on educational television in September. The recording will demonstrate the uses of audiovisual materials in the science classroom.

Among the materials being selected, evaluated, and produced for use in public junior high schools are 16mm educational films, slides, transparencies, and a variety of graphic media.

Eventually, asserts Director McIntyre the National Aeronautics and Space Administration will publish and make available for national distribution an annotated bibliography of all space science materials available for instruction. Based on those media compiled at the UNC summer workshop, this bibliography may say McIntyre "serve as a national model for junior high school space science programs throughout the United States."

The workshop, which runs from June 8-26, is financed by a \$25,000 NASA grant awarded the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill last September.

North Carolina junior high school teachers participating in the program are Mrs. Sarah Blake, Jacksonville; Mrs. Genevieve Boucher, Rutherford; Mrs. Wilhelmina Garrison, Salisbury; Mr. Coleman A. Gentry, Jr., Greensboro; Mr. John Lutz, Kings Mountain; Mrs. Peggy Muse, Charlotte; Mrs. Jerolene Hall, Graham; and Mr. David E. Sitton, Hendersonville.

Colored News

On July 4th there will be a cook-out at the home of Warren Bell, Jr. from 10 a.m. until 10 p.m. at their home on route 1, Grover. The interested public is invited.

Edgerton Rites

Funeral rites for Mrs. Mary Willie Edgerton, who died following a short illness, were held Wednesday at 4 p.m. from Bynum Chapel A.M.E. Zion church.

Mrs. Edgerton was a life-long resident of Kings Mountain, daughter of the late Noah and Maggie McGill Edgerton. She was born November 25, 1899.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Hazeline Pressley, of the home; two sisters, Miss Margaret Edgerton and Mrs. Beatrice Hill, both of Kings Mountain; three brothers, Clyde and George Edgerton of Gastonia and Hunter Edgerton of Howard Shipp of Kings Mountain; and five great-grandchildren.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Mrs. Mary W. Edgerton wish to thank their many friends for their kindnesses during the illness and death of their loved one. We can never repay in word or deed but may the Ruler of Heaven shine upon each of them; in God's own way who is able and will reward each of them.

Mrs. Hazeline Pressley
The Edgerton Family

The Yardener

Distress Signal

A "flag" in your elm tree could be a distress signal. In the yard book of plant disease men, a "flag" is a branch with brown leaves among green branches.

If you see such a flag in your elm, you can be fairly certain that Dutch elm disease is creeping in. Strip the bark from the dying branch. Large brown streaks just beneath tell you the tree has the disease. Dutch elm disease is caused by the elm bark beetle, which carries the disease from a sick tree to a well tree in the late spring.

A number of chemicals are on the market, but science has not come up with a chemical or treatment that can guarantee absolute success in beating the disease.

If you see the flag distress signal in your elm, contact a tree expert in your area to determine whether it's worth a try to rid the disease, or to remove the tree before it becomes an incubator for future elm bark beetles.

To The People Of, Cleveland County

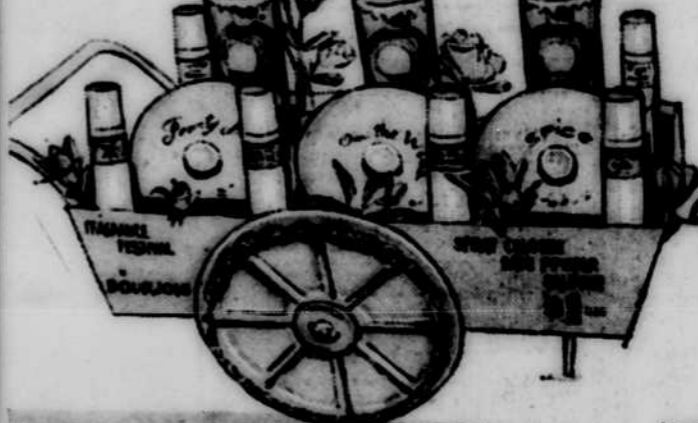
On behalf of Bob Scott, I want to express deep appreciation to all Clevelanders who worked and voted for him for Lieutenant Governor last Saturday. I solicit your continued support for the November general election.



Sincerely,

Bill Plonk, chairman, Cleveland County Committee for Robert Scott

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