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PROGRAM
ANNUAL CONFERENCE

TEACHERS OF VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE

NORTH CAROLINA

June 27-July 1, 1960



THEME:

"Curriculum Adjustment for Meeting the
Changes in Agriculture"



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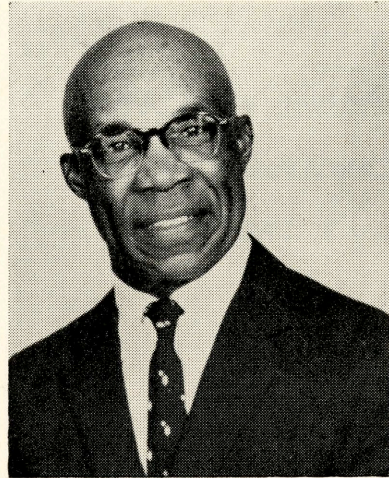
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Greensboro, North Carolina

**THE 1960 PROGRAM OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE
TEACHERS OF VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE**

is dedicated to these

**MEN WHO HAVE RENDERED FORTY CONSECUTIVE YEARS OF SERVICE TO VOCATIONAL
AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION IN NORTH CAROLINA**



SINGLETON CHICHESTER ANDERSON

came to Pender County, Rocky Point, N. C., on August 1, 1920, as a teacher of Vocational Agriculture. He is a graduate of Hampton Institute, Hampton, Virginia. He did further study at A. and T. College.

Upon reaching Pender County, he was faced with so many problems that he didn't know whether he should accept the position or not. It was finally decided that he would try it for one year. Some of the problems were: the homes near the school were too small, and he couldn't find a place to stay; there were seven teachers and only five classrooms, so he had to teach his classes on the outside; the farmers in the community did not want a teacher in the school to teach their boys how to farm.

Fortunately, he brought a full set of carpenter's tools with him. He took his boys and built a nice little cottage for himself and beautified it. This was the beginning of a great home improvement program in Rocky Point.

Many of his former students were influenced in the field of Agriculture. There are two State Supervisors, one in Extension Service, one in Agricultural Education, two County Agents, eight teachers of Agriculture and hundreds of successful farmers and allied occupations. There are also six high school principals and twenty-one public school teachers; thirty-six contractors and carpenters are listed among his former students, with another large number listed in many other leadership and professional occupations. All will give credit for their success to the training they received in Vocational Agriculture.

Mr. Anderson's program in Farm-Shop work, practical and improved methods in farming and leadership training, have been recognized



ROBERT EDWARD FITZGERALD

came to North Carolina in the summer of 1920 as a teacher of Agriculture. He is a graduate of Hampton Institute, Hampton, Virginia. He also attended A. and T. College.

He taught one year in Halifax County, three years in Cleveland County, one year in Northampton County, and 35 years at Nash County Training School—now Central High School, Nashville, N. C.

Mr. Fitzgerald has stressed improved farming, home beautification, and citizenship.

During his tenure as teacher of Agriculture he has taught hundreds of New Farmers of America, young and adult farmers. His former students can be found as successful individuals in many walks of American life. Some of the occupations in which they are engaged are: Principals of Elementary and High Schools; Vocational teachers; Officers in the Armed Forces; Railroad Clerks; Interior Decorators, and a large number of Tradesmen. Some are engaged in the Ministry, Government work, and hundreds are engaged in farming and allied occupations.

Mr. Fitzgerald has been most loyal to his profession.

He is still teacher of Vocational Agriculture at the Central High School.

throughout the state and nation. Many study groups have visited the school and community to observe the program in action. He has been called upon on many occasions to speak for Vocational Agriculture. He once appeared before the Educational Committee of the U. S. House of Representatives in the interest of Vocational Agricultural Education.

Mr. Anderson is still an active teacher at Rocky Point.

PROGRAM

**ANNUAL CONFERENCE
TEACHERS OF VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE
NORTH CAROLINA**

MONDAY, JUNE 27

- 7:15- 7:45 A.M. Breakfast
Presiding—W. T. Johnson, District Supervisor
Vocational Agriculture, and Executive
Secretary, New Farmers of America
Secretary—J. J. Lanier (Pleasant Grove, Burlington)
Official Secretary of the Conference —
C. R. Downing (Hyde County Training, Swan Quarter)
- 8:30- 8:45 A.M. Music
Scripture and Prayer—Rev. Cleo M. McCoy, Director
Religious Activities, A. and T. College
- 8:45- 9:00 Welcome—Dr. W. T. Gibbs, President A. and T. College
- 9:00- 9:15 Recognition of Guests, and Statement of Conference Plans
- 9:15- 9:30 "How Teachers of Agriculture May Enhance the Science
Background and Creative Ability of Students" —
Dr. W. E. Reed, Dean, The School of
Agriculture, A. and T. College
- 9:30- 9:45 "Some Public Relations Aspects of Vocational Agriculture"
— E. F. Corbett, Director of Public Relations,
A. and T. College
- 9:45-10:00 Recess
- 10:00-10:30 Keynote Address: Major L. P. McLendon, Chairman
State Board of Higher Education, Greensboro
- 10:30-11:00 "Challenges for the Sixties" — A. G. Bullard,
State Supervisor, Vocational Agriculture,
Raleigh
(Committee Workshop Assignments)
- 11:05-12:00 N. C. Agricultural Teachers' Association —
Presiding — J. L. Faulcon, President
(Robert L. Vann, Ahoskie)
- 12:15 P.M. Lunch
- 1:15- 3:00 P.M. Committee Workshops (see last page)
- 5:00 Dinner

TUESDAY, JUNE 28

7:15- 7:45 A.M. Breakfast
Presiding—J. W. Warren, Jr., District Supervisor,
Vocational Agriculture
Secretary—Thurston Spaulding (Hargrove, Faison)

8:00- 8:10 A.M. Music
Scripture and Prayer — Rev. Lorenzo A. Lynch, Minister,
Providence Baptist Church, Greensboro

8:10- 8:30 Check progress of Committee Workshops

8:30- 9:00 "The Role of Education in a Changing Agricultural
Economy"—R. E. Jones, Director, Extension Service,
A. and T. College

9:00- 9:30 "The Red Suit"—H. M. Wilkinson, Associate Extension
Editor, Agricultural Extension Service, Raleigh

9:30-10:00 Recess

10:00-10:30 "Upgrading Instruction in Vocational Agriculture" —
Dr. M. C. Gaar, U. S. Office of Education Specialist in
Teacher Training and Service Studies,
Washington, D. C.

10:30-11:15 "New Horizons in Agri-Business"—L. J. Washington,
Agriculturist, U. S. Department of Agriculture
Farmers Home Administration,
Washington, D. C.

12:15 P.M. Lunch

1:15- 3:00 P.M. Committee Workshops

5:00 Dinner

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29

7:15- 7:45 A.M. Breakfast
Presiding—*S. C. Anderson, Agricultural Teacher
(Pender County Training, Rocky Point)
Secretary—H. F. Mebane (St. Paul's High, St. Paul's)

8:00- 8:15 A.M. Music
Scripture and Prayer—Dr. G. Haven Caldwell, Minister
St. Paul Methodist Church, Reidsville

8:15- 8:30 Greetings—Rev. T. H. Brooks, Superintendent
The Colored Orphanage of North Carolina, Oxford

8:30- 9:15 "The Farmer—Food—Public Relations" — Horace Godfrey,
State Administration Officer, Agricultural
Stabilization and Conservation Committee,
Raleigh, N. C.

9:15- 9:30 Address—Dr. H. L. Trigg, Member, State Board of
Education, Raleigh

9:30- 9:45 Recess

9:45-10:30 "Curriculum Study and its Implications for Changes in
Agricultural Education" — Dr. Gerald James,
Assistant Director, Curriculum Study,
State Board of Education, Raleigh

10:30-11:45 Meeting with New Teachers — Room Assignment,
C. E. Dean and A. P. Bell

12:15 P.M. Lunch

1:30- 3:00 Complete Committee Reports

3:00 Group Meetings

5:00 Dinner

THURSDAY, JUNE 30

7:15- 7:45 A.M. Breakfast
Presiding—Dr. G. F. Rankin, Assistant to the President,
A. and T. College
Secretary—W. T. Ellis, Sr. (Conefoe High, Conetoe)

8:00- 8:15 A.M. Music
Scripture and Prayer—Rev. G. M. Phelps, Minister,
Union Memorial Methodist Church,
Greensboro

8:15- 8:45 "Changes Taking Place in Agriculture"
Hervy Evans, Jr., Manager, McNair Farms,
Laurinburg

8:45- 9:15 "Is Agriculture Still Important? How are we going to
keep the importance before the people?"—E. Y. Floyd,
Director, Plant Food Institute, Raleigh

9:15- 9:35 "A Salute to Vocational Agriculture"—
Dr. J. Warren Smith, State Director,
Vocational Education, Raleigh

9:35- 9:45 Recess

9:45-10:45 Committee Workshop Reports:
1. Horticulture and Landscape
2. Use of Visual Aids
3. Public Relations
4. NFA and The Award Program

10:45-11:00 "Educational Implications Relative to Areas of Population
Change"—Dr. F. A. Toliver, Supervisor,
Negro High Schools, Department of Public
Instruction, Raleigh

11:00-12:00 District Meetings
 12:15 P.M. Lunch
 1:15 P.M. N. C. Agricultural Teachers' Association
 5:00 Dinner

FRIDAY, JULY 1

7:15- 7:45 A.M. Breakfast
 Presiding—*R. E. Fitzgerald, Agricultural Teacher
 (Central High, Nashville)
 Secretary—G. C. Wilson (Western Union, Waxhaw)

8:00- 8:15 A.M. Music
 Scripture and Prayer—Rev. O. L. Hairston, Minister,
 Shiloh Baptist Church, Greensboro

8:15- 8:45 "Building Attributes that Cannot be Bought"—C. E. Dean,
 Teacher-Trainer, A. and T. College

8:45- 9:30 Committee Workshop Reports:
 5. Current Farm Management
 6. Securing Desirable Credit for Farmers
 7. Improved Marketing of Farm Products

9:30- 9:40 Recess

9:40-10:00 "Vital Changes Affecting Education Today" —
 Joseph M. Hunt, Member of the Board of
 Trustees, A. and T. College; Member of the
 House of Representatives from Guilford
 County, Greensboro

10:00-10:25 "How to Use Visual Aids"—G. A. Scott, Manager,
 Scott Visual Aids Service, Washington, D. C.

10:25-11:15 Summary of Conference—Dr. M. C. Gaar, Specialist in
 Teacher Training and Service Studies,
 Washington, D. C.

*Forty Years of continuous service in the field of Vocational Agriculture

NOTES

- I THE WORKSHOP COMMITTEES will be held Monday and Tuesday after-
 noons. Each teacher is expected to attend the workshop assigned, both
 days.
- II WORKSHOP COMMITTEES, DIRECTORS, and PLACES OF MEETING
1. Horticulture and LandscapingRoom 209
 Dr. C. A. Fountain, Professor of Horticulture
 J. W. Grandy, Instructor in Horticulture
 2. Use of Visual Aids in TeachingRoom 262
 Dr. R. L. Wooden, Professor, Audio Visual Aids
 Glenn A. Scott, Visual Aids Service, Washington, D. C.
 A. P. Bell, Assistant Teacher-Trainer
 3. Public RelationsRoom 268
 E. F. Corbett, Director, Public Relations
 H. M. Wilkinson, Associate Extension Editor, Raleigh
 C. E. Dean, Teacher-Trainer
 4. N.F.A. and The Award ProgramRoom 205
 J. W. Warren, Jr.
 5. Current Farm Management ProblemsRoom 201
 Dr. S. J. Dunn, Professor of Agronomy
 Sidney H. Evans, Assistant Professor, Agricultural Marketing
 6. Securing Desirable Credit for FarmersRoom 213
 B. W. Harris, Director of Short Courses
 L. J. Washington, Farm Credit Administration, Washington, D. C.
 7. Improved Marketing of Farm ProductsRoom 207
 Consultants: Dr. W. E. Reed, Dean, School of Agriculture
 Dr. H. F. Robinson, Professor, Agricultural Economics
- III Outline for Workshop Committees:
1. List some of the critical problems
 2. Set up procedures that may be followed by teachers in solving the
 problems

NOTE: Unless otherwise indicated, all Workshop Directors are members of the Faculty of A. and T.
 College.

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