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Farmers Receive More For Eggs

Raleigh, N. C., March 31.—North Carolina farmers will receive a half million dollars more for their eggs this year as the result of a change in pricing which will be put into effect within a few days, C. W. Sheffert, marketing specialist with the state Department of Agriculture, declared recently.

Aircraft Recognition Classes To Be Held At Littleton

Miss J. N. Maxwell, Recognition Officer of the Lincoln Convention Post has returned from Virginia Beach where she attended a school for the study of Aircraft Recognition. The school was conducted by the army under the leadership of Lt. W. E. Maxwell and the air cadets.

Pleasure Riding On Water Not Decreased

Although North Carolina has had a reduction in the number of pleasure boats on the water, the number of pleasure boats on the water has not decreased, according to the state Department of Transportation, which reported that the number of pleasure boats on the water in 1942 was 1,200, compared with 1,100 in 1941.

Greater Caution Against Forest Fires Much Urged

Greater caution against forest fires was urged by W. E. Beasley, chief of Forests, The Central Department of Conservation and Development, at a meeting of the state forest guard on Tuesday.

WELDON.—The Weldon News was published today by E. H. Smith, Tax Collector of Halifax County.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

Under the authority of an act of the State Legislature to create a special election to fill the vacancy in the office of Tax Collector of Halifax County, North Carolina, the Board of County Commissioners of the Town of Weldon hereby call a special election to be held on the second Tuesday of April 1943, (April 14th, 1943).

For the convenience of the voters, the election will be held at the office of the Tax Collector, Weldon, North Carolina, on the second Tuesday of April 1943, (April 14th, 1943).

THE 1943 DAY OF MARCH, 1943. MYRTLE W. SMITH, Town Clerk.

S. B. No. 96. AN ACT TO CREATE A SPECIAL ELECTION TO FILL THE VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF TAX COLLECTOR OF HALIFAX COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA, BY THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF THE TOWN OF WELDON, IN HALIFAX COUNTY.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact: Section 1. That the tax levying authorities of the Town of Weldon, in Halifax County, are hereby authorized and empowered to levy a tax of ten cents on the one hundred dollars (\$100.00) worth of property for the purpose of purchasing, operating, and maintaining lots or parcels of

land as cemeteries for the interment of white and colored bodies. Sec. 2. That Section one of this act shall be substituted as a special election to be held on the second Tuesday of April, one thousand nine hundred and forty-three, and shall be substituted in the same way and manner and under the same rules and regulations as provided in the laws governing general municipal elections in this State. Sec. 3. That the ballot to be used in voting on whether the tax levied by this Act shall be levied shall contain the following questions: Shall a tax of ten cents on the one hundred dollars (\$100.00) worth of property be levied for the purchase and maintenance of cemetery lots for whites and negroes with appropriate space for marking the latter "open" lots? Sec. 4. That the election upon the question of whether the tax levied by this Act shall be levied shall be conducted in the same manner and under the same rules and regulations as provided in the laws governing general municipal elections, and if a majority of the qualified voters of

the Town of Weldon, in Halifax County, shall vote in favor of the tax, it shall be the duty of the tax levying authorities of the Town of Weldon to levy and collect the same. Sec. 5. That if the qualified voters of the Town of Weldon vote to levy the tax authorized by this Act, the governing board of the Town of Weldon shall by July first, one thousand nine hundred and forty-three, appoint a board of five members whose term of office shall be one, two, three, four and five years respectively. Each warding appointment shall be for five years. Sec. 6. That the commission appointed pursuant to this Act shall, with the approval of the governing body of the Town of Weldon, have authority to: First, investigate and find suitable lots or parcels of property, either within or without the town limits of the Town of Weldon, and shall contract and make provisions for the purchase of said lots. The lots to be purchased shall be in the name of the Town of Weldon. Second, purchase rules and regulations governing interments, including the placing of markers, ceilings

or other ornaments and to supervise and pay all maintenance of said lots and graveyards within the area used as held for cemetery purposes. Third, To fix the price to be assessed for the sale of said lots and to assess debts in the name of the Town of Weldon to purchasers thereof. Sec. 7. This Act shall apply only to the Town of Weldon. Sec. 8. All laws and clauses of laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed. Sec. 9. This Act shall be in full force and effect from and after its ratification. In the General Assembly read three times and ratified, this 4th day of March, 1943. R. L. HARRIS, President of the Senate. John Kerr, Jr., Speaker of the House of Representatives. Examined and found correct. C. E. Quinn, For Committee. April 8 - 43. Study gone are being made in milk production in Ashe County. In 1942 there were 1,849 growers who marketed \$394,000 worth

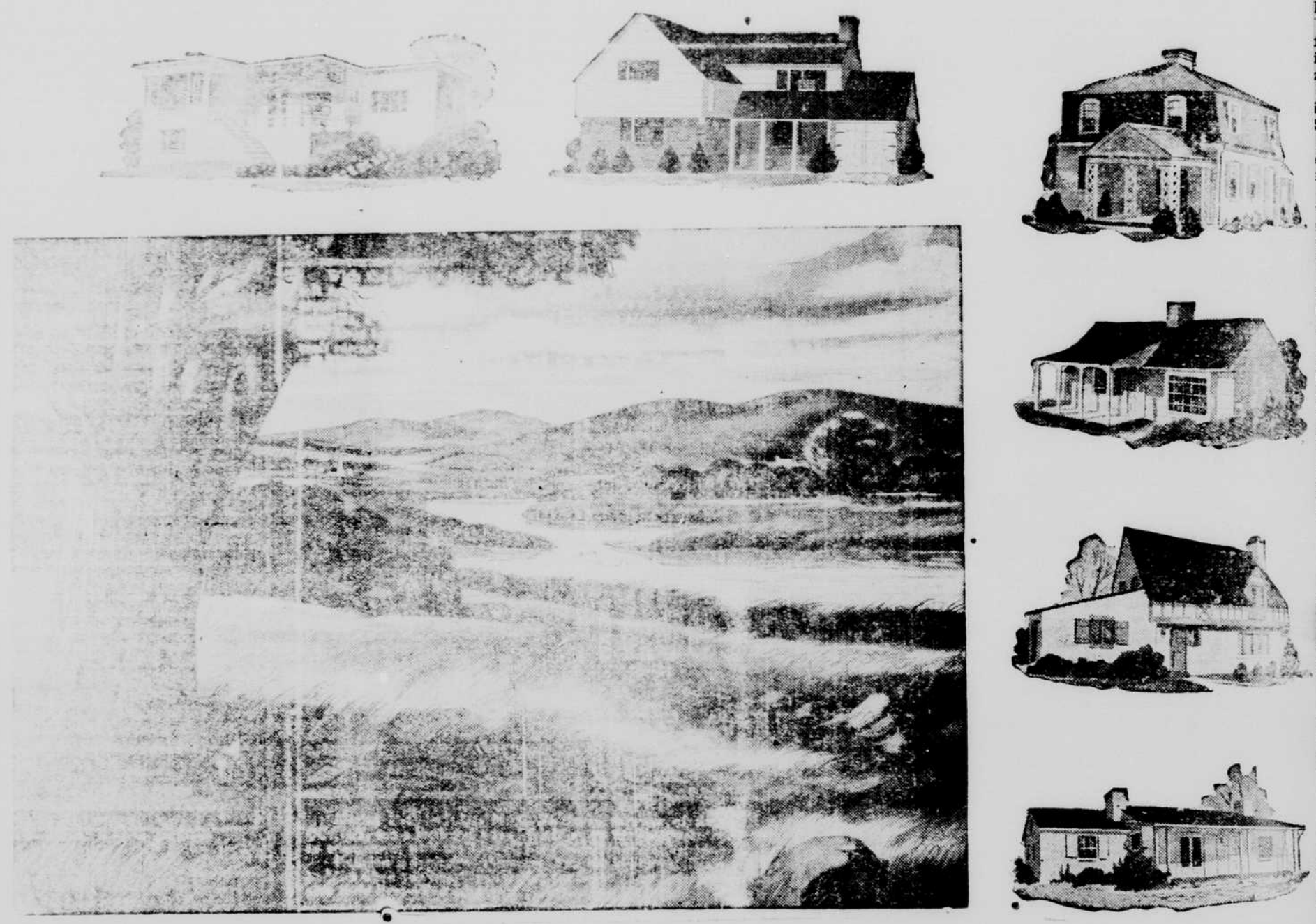
Farmers Must Continue Drive To Reach Goals

With the campaign to enlist every farmer in the State in the 1943 agricultural production program virtually completed, farmers were warned that efforts to meet goals must be continued thru out the growing and harvesting seasons. This warning came from G. T. Scott, chairman of the State U. S. War Board, who declared that "no pledge to grow war food crops will do any American fighter any good until that food is harvested, processed and delivered to him wherever he may be." The sign up campaign is being conducted throughout the State by county and community committees of the AAA who are visiting each individual farm to explain production needs to the operator and assist him in mapping a 1943 farm plan for maximum war production. "The fact that the sign up is nearly completed is more reason why we must continue our efforts," Scott declared. "This is no time to quit. The farmer's most important work begins where the

sign up leaves off. If every farmer in the nation carries out pledges to produce, the possibility of leading this nation's our allies will have a certain farm production almost a year in advance." In addition to visiting farms the sign up, he said, AAA committees have been directed to find unused land in their communities and on their own to see that these "idle acres" brought into active production this year.

LOCAL SCHOOL BUYS 10 JEEPS

The elementary department of the Weldon school said the "buy-a-jeep" campaign carried on in the school last year bought eight jeeps. The number of these grades is 70 and a quota was set at \$934.24. The good work and leadership went over the top raising \$1,100. The high school students completed sales of enough War Bonds and Stamps to purchase ten jeeps, making a total of ten for the Weldon school.



What kind of a house would you put here?

AFTER THE WAR, somebody's going to put up a new house on that pretty rise of ground that overlooks the river bend just outside of the town line. Nothing elaborate. Just a pretty little house snuggled into the trees as though it belonged

somebody else may buy the old Ward farm. There should be many a good day's hunting in those rolling fields and back through the woods over to the State road. Fixed up a little bit—and it shouldn't take much money—it would be a noble place for a man and his family.

Yes, somebody's going to buy it. Somebody's ways coming along, with a dream and a little

money, and doing the things we'd promised ourselves we'd do someday.

But this time, why can't that "somebody" be you?

Look... Suppose you put 10 percent of your pay into War Bonds. At least 10 percent—more if you possibly can. And keep putting it away—putting it away—putting it away. Week after week—payday after payday. Here's what happens:

Before you know it, you get so you hardly miss that money. And if you do miss it, you've got something better to replace it—the knowledge that you, personally, are helping to insure a steady flow of planes and tanks and guns to the men who

fight. The knowledge that you, personally, have toed the mark and are helping to win the war.

Then, one of these days, when peace has come again, the money you've put away starts coming back to you. And bringing more money with it—you get four dollars for every three that you put in!

When that day comes, you can get out your pencil and start figuring just what kind of a house you'll put on the river bend.

But to be sure that day does come, you'd better do this: You'd better get out your pencil right now and start figuring how you can save at least 10 percent of every single pay check with U. S. War Bonds!

Notice to-- Property Owners. I have been ordered by the Board of County Commissioners to advertise all property on which taxes have not been paid on May 1 and to sell on the first Monday in June, in order to comply with the law. Pay Your Taxes Now and Save Advertising and Selling Costs. E. H. SMITH Tax Collector of Halifax County.

SAVE WITH U.S. WAR BONDS EVERYBODY...EVERY PAYDAY... AT LEAST 10%. This space is a contribution to America's all-out war effort by Mitchell Lumber Company Weldon, North Carolina. Includes illustration of a soldier with a rifle.