

Sweet Potato Will Be Supported For Wilkes Growers

In an effort to assist growers in meeting the 1943 production goal, prices at which sweet potatoes will be supported for Wilkes county growers have been announced by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, according to H. C. Roberts, chairman of the County AAA Committee. The prices, applicable only to the 1943 crop, range from 1.15 to \$1.45 per bushel, depending on seasonal differences.

The 1943 national sweet potato goal recently was increased 32 per cent over the earlier goal.

Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE or TRADE—1935 Plymouth car, with good tires; will sell for cash or trade for good cow.—Blaine Sparks, Wilkesboro, N. C. 3-29-2tp

FOR SALE—Fine Young Fully, coming year old, at real bargain. Also 200 cords or more slabs—John A. Caudill route one, North Wilkesboro, N. C. 1tp

FOR SALE—1 6-pc. Solid Mahogany bed room suite, including springs and mattresses; 1 solid maple dining room suite, new; 1 console model Mantala radio and record player combined. Cheap for cash. Call 647. 4-1-8tp

BARGAINS In Good Used Pianos—All our pianos are thoroughly reconditioned and guaranteed for five years, against breakage of any parts. Prices as low as \$50.00. Twelve months to pay. Come in and examine our stock. Garwood Piano Co., Old Wilkesboro. 2-22-1tf

WANTED

WANTED—Girl for Housework for small family in home at Charlotte; \$7 per week and board, no outside work, will pay bus fare. Apply to Alma McNeill, 507 Fifth Street, North Wilkesboro. 4-1-2t

WANTED—A Good Used Sewing Machine. Can use electric. State model and price. Mrs. Roy Gilliam, Traphill, N. C. 4-1-2tp

WANTED—Four-Quarter No. 2 and 3 oak lumber. Call Model Upholstering Co., or write Box 588. 4-1-2t

WANTED—LOGS. Highest Prices paid now for birch, hickory, oak, pine, and other logs. Piedmont Wagon and Manufacturing Company, Hickory, N. C. 4-26-10t

RAWLEIGH ROUTE Available at once in West Yadkin and Surry counties. Good opportunity. Write at once Rawleigh's, Dept. NCD-164-105, Richmond, Va. 1tp

WANTED—We Will Pay 75c per 100 for good wire coat hangers, delivered to our Ninth street branch. Modern Cleaners. 3-18-1f

WANTED—To Do Your Watch, Clock and Jewelry Repairing. THE WATCH SHOP, Tenth St., operated by Merrill Wiles. 3-29-9t

Miscellaneous

LOST—Walker Fox Hound; white with yellow ears; grey spots. Carries high tail. Reward for information or return to Dock Church, North Wilkesboro. 1tp

LOST—Saturday, Brown Bill Fold—Containing driver's license and small amount of money. Please return to Mrs. Ernest Eller at Crest Stores. 1t

FREE—If Excess Acid Causes you pains of Stomach Ulcers, Indigestion, Heartburn, Belching, Bloating, Nausea, Gas Pains, get free sample, Udga, at Horton's Drug Store 5-3-40tp (t)

LOST—Liver and White Female Pointer. Reward if returned to Boyd E. Stout. 4-1-2t

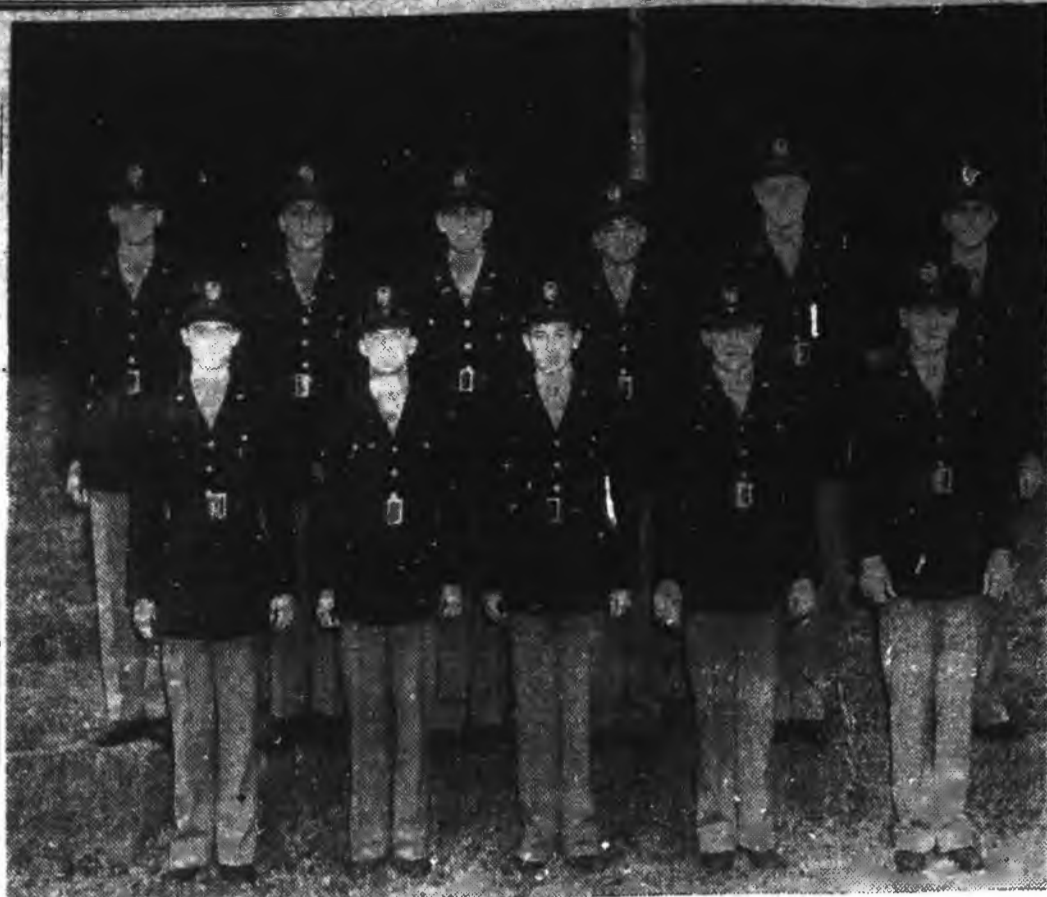
PERMANENTS AT HALF PRICE—Hinsaw School of Beauty Culture. Over City Barber Shop, Mrs. R. J. Hinsaw, owner and manager. Phone 56. 3-29-7t

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two Three-room apartments on Hinsaw St.; two three-room apartments furnished, close in. Phone 205-M 1tp

FOR RENT—Five-Room Apartment; unfurnished; bath. To couple without children. Phone 48. 1-31-4t

PAT WILLIAMS, JR., IN HONORED GROUP



Twelve Juniors have been tapped by Seaboard & Blade, National Military fraternity, at Davidson College, Davidson, N. C. Reading from left to right in the picture are, first row: Billy Lay of Richmond, Va.; Shep Booth of Lawrenceville, Va.; Leigh Scott of Goldsboro, Bob Amos of High Point, N. C.; Tommy Bumgarner of Hickory. Second row: Dick Port of Winston-Salem, Pat Williams of North Wilkesboro, Buddy Carson of Charlotte, Jeffries of Thomasville, Ga., D. D. Phillips of Charlotte, and Rhea Dabney of Jackson, Tenn. Not present in the photograph is Howell Morrow of West Point, Ga.

"MARGIN FOR ERROR" AT ALLEN



There's no rationing of entertainment in Clare Boothe Luce's "Margin for Error", 20th Century-Fox's hilarious comedy coming to Allen Theatre Thursday and Friday. Milton Berle and Joan Bennett, who are featured with Otto Preminger, find three delightful ways to cook a goose-stepper's goose which makes for one of the funniest films in many a moon. Preminger directed the picture, which was produced by Ralph Dietrich.

which called for the same acreage as purchased in 1942. North Carolina's present goal is 72,000 acres, and the goal for Wilkes county is 1,000 acres.

Prices will be supported through purchases by the Food Production Administration at \$1.15 per bushel during the harvesting season from August through November; at \$1.30 per bushel in December and January; and at \$1.45 per bushel during February, March, April. Chairman Roberts said. These prices apply to sweet potatoes grading U. S. No. 1 and packed in either bushel crates, baskets, or hampers. U. S. No. 2 potatoes containing 75 per cent or more of U. S. No. 1 quality will be supported at 15 cents per bushel below the prices for U. S. No. 1's.

When a purchase program is started in any area, Mr. Roberts said, arrangements will be made by the Food Distribution Administration to purchase the sweet potatoes from growers at the scheduled support prices. Potatoes offered must be in standard containers, either new or secondhand, but must be durable and clean. Purchases will be made only in carload lots, but any number of growers may pool their potatoes to make up a car. All carlots offered must be inspected by Federal State inspectors at the expense of the sellers. Loading places and time of loading will be designated by County USDA War Boards and purchase agents of the FDA.

Chairman Roberts said potatoes also will be purchased in 50-pound sacks, but at a discount of 10c below the designated bushel prices—this differential taking into consideration the lighter weight of the packed sacks and the lower packing costs.

The seasonal price spreads should assure orderly marketing of sweet potatoes throughout the marketing season, officials say, and the announced prices will apply to any variety in any State which has an established goal for sweet potatoes.

Iran shipped nearly 14,000,000 pounds of raisins to Russia last year.

ler, Wilkesboro; Mrs. Frank Edminston, Boomer; Mrs. Villas Walsh, Boomer; Mrs. Julia Wright, North Wilkesboro route three; Mrs. S. C. Stewart, North Wilkesboro route three; Mrs. J. Quincy Adams, North Wilkesboro; Mrs. Walter E. Jones, North Wilkesboro; Mrs. A. B. Johnston, North Wilkesboro; Mrs. E. A. Shook, North Wilkesboro.

Much time was devoted on both days to working out ways and means of putting over this food program. Further plans are being worked out to reach every home in the county. Food production program for 1943 aims to break all previous records. Production alone, however, is not enough; much of this food which otherwise might be wasted, must be conserved for future use. With the serious food shortage that we're now facing we all must be made to realize that each and every family must produce and conserve sufficient food for their own use and a surplus wherever possible. Never has the opportunity for service been greater nor the challenge more far reaching for every Wilkes county person to make a full hearted contribution to this most important of all present day programs.

Mrs. J. L. Webster Suffers A Stroke

Mrs. J. L. Webster is critically ill at her home in Wilkesboro following a severe stroke of paralysis early Thursday morning. Her condition was reported as serious late today with little chance for her recovery.

Mrs. Zeb Deaton, of Mooresville, and Mrs. Ernestine Bowen, of Fairfield, Ala., daughters, and Mr. Wiley Webster, of Wyco, W. Va., have arrived to be at her bedside.

Houses Re-Covered

Wilkesboro citizens who have just had their residences recovered are Messrs. J. R. Henderson, W. A. Groce and George P. Johnson. The new roofs add much to the appearance of these homes.

Argentina produced 523,000 tons of table grapes in the last year.

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Champion News Items Reported

Miss Hazel Dunn was a week-end guest of Miss Margie Marley. Miss Carolyn Foster spent Saturday night with Miss Laura Jean Blackburn.

Mr. Harold Foster spent the week-end with Mr. Lester Ellis. Misses Billie Eller and Melvina Huffman were in North Wilkesboro Saturday shopping.

Mr. B. N. Benton had the misfortune of breaking his arm a few days ago, we regret to state. Miss Evelyn McGee, of Pulecki, Va., is visiting relatives at Purlear and Champion communities.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Taft Eller at the Wilkes Hospital, a daughter. Both mother and baby are doing fine.

Mr. Hal Church, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Church was inducted into the army this week.

Miss Lucille McGee visited Miss Coletta Elledge the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Taylor announce the arrival of a fine daughter, Edith Ann.

Mrs. P. O. Church and daughters, Misses Mariness and Helen Church, Miss Grace Hamby and Mr. Hal Church visited Mr. A. L. Barnette of Hendrix, Sunday.

Y.M.C.A. GROUP IS NAMED HERE

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pressed since the suggestion for a Y. M. C. A. here was offered has been very favorable, according to discussions among Kiwanians and other interested citizens.

John Prevette was program chairman at the Kiwanis meeting Friday. He presented John S. Bovles, head of the Farm Security Administration office here, who made an excellent discussion on "Farm Life, Past and Present".

He stated that farming in many parts of our country had been overcrowded, due in part to the rapid increase of rural population, second to loss of soil by erosion, and third to the Machine Age, which has in recent years come to us.

This condition has hurt the small farmer most. A study of their circumstances reveals that they still use the old methods and simple tools, they stick to a one cash crop, many are share croppers, their business methods are poor, and they are most often terribly in debt. A poor tenure system often adds to their plight; about three million tenant families moving yearly which cost them more than \$50,000,000 each year. In 1936 nearly two million farm people were trying to live on \$500.00 per year.

The Farm Security Administration has since 1937 been trying to aid these people to get on a more positive plan of living. It has undertaken to aid them in securing first a plan of producing at home the food and feed for home use; second to produce a number of cash crops, and third to rebuild their eroded soils. It has loaned to 870 thousand families 516 million dollars to do this. Two hundred Wilkes families are participating in the program.

BLAME PRINTER
The printer's proof of a bulletin of a well known church in North Carolina read: "The ushers will kindly not eat anyone during the prayer, Scripture reading or special music."

Musical Program Thursday Night

A musical program which promises to be very entertaining will be given Thursday night, April 1, in North Wilkesboro school auditorium. The program will open at eight o'clock and everybody is invited.

The following girls of Mrs. A. F. Kirby's music classes will take part: Dolores Jackson, Pauline Billings, Doris Casey, Pat McNeil, Elizabeth McNeill, Mary Lee Gardner, Lucille Casey and Marie Eller.

Pupils of Mrs. R. G. Finley's dramatic classes will assist in the program.

Baptists Planning Services In Homes

The First Baptist church here is having a series of home prayer services in preparation for the revival to begin April 5, during which Dr. R. Paul Caudill, of Augusta, Ga., will be the guest minister.

A service scheduled to be held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. A. Buchanan on D street has been changed to Wednesday afternoon, 3:30, and another will be held at the home of Miss Mae Foster on Kensington Drive Thursday at 7:30. No mid-week service will be held at the church in order to allow the members to attend the associational Sunday school convention at Wilkesboro Baptist church Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

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Oddities

A WORKMAN WHO FELL FROM THE TOP OF A 50-FOOT WATER TOWER WAS CAUGHT BY THE COAT IN MID-AIR BY ANOTHER WORKMAN ON A SCAFFOLD BELOW

SENT TO THE PENITENTIARY FOR EMBEZZLEMENT; A BOOKKEEPER STOLE FROM THE PRISONER'S SAVINGS FUNDS AFTER BEING MADE BOOKKEEPER THERE

A DRUG STORE WAS ENTERED AND ROBBED BY BURGLARS 14 TIMES IN 19 YEARS

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