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Parking hasn't always been a problem in Warrenton as this old picture, copied by the State Department of Archives and History, indicates. Looking north along Main Street, the

photographer saw almost an equal number of horses and automobiles. The Green-Polk House can barely be seen at the far end of the street.

Secretary Outlines 77 Target Prices

Secretary of Agriculture Bob Bergland has announced the 1977 target prices for wheat, feed grains and upland cotton.

Current legislation requires that target prices be adjusted from 1976 levels to reflect the increase in the index of prices paid by farmers for production items, interest, taxes, and wage rates during 1976 as well as changes in the three-year moving average of yields for each crop. The

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CROP	1977	
Upland Cotton (cents/lb.) 47.80	
Wheat (\$/bu)	2.47	
Corn (\$/bu)	1.70	
Sorghum (\$/bu)	1.62	
Barley (\$/bu)	1.39	

Target prices represent a floor price that eligible producers may receive for their crops. If the national average market price for the particular crop falls below the target price, a deficiency payment is made equal to the difference between the target price and the market price. Deficiency payments have never been made on wheat, feed grains or upland cotton in the four years of the program.

Target prices are also used as a base to determine disaster payments should a natural disaster strike an eligible producer's crop. Under such circumstances, disaster payments are paid if the producer is prevented from planting a crop or if yields are substantially reduced. The disastér payment rate is generally one-third of the target price for each commodity.

The Department also said that the 1977 loan rates it announced Oct. 13, 1976, for wheat, feed grainings, and soybeans are being reviewed and decision on final loan levels for these commodities will be announced at a later date. Per bushel loan levels announced Oct. 13 were: Wheat-\$2.25, Corn-\$1.50, Sorghum-\$1.43, Barley-\$1.22, Oats-\$0.72, Rye-\$1.20 and Soybeans-\$2.50.



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A 42-foot long oil on masonry by Robert Singletary adorns the cafetoria wall at the ultramodern Philip Morris Manufacturing Center in Richmond, Virginia. Art is considered an important and integral part of the surroundings at Philip Morris, where a basic corporate philosophy directed toward the enrichment of the working environment is carried out:



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U. S. Army Sergeant First Class Jessie E. Raines [right] receives the Outstanding Instructor of the Month Award at Sheppard AFB, Texas, from Colonel Robert R. Reid, Jr., School of Applied Aerospace Sciences commander. Sergeant Raines is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse E. Raines of 526 Ridgeway St., Warrenton. Sergeant Raines was honored for effective teaching techniques and exemplary devotion to duty. The sergeant graduated from high school in 1957 and entered the Army that vear.

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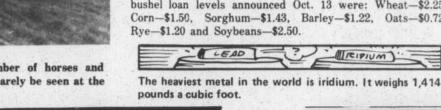
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Park, Mich., Grosse Point,

Mich., Philadelphia, Pa.,

Cherry Hill, N. J., Hartford,



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