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Duckwall explained, however, that other marketable farm commodities and cash will be accepted also.

These, he continued, will be converted into corn to help fill the freight-car load, which will be this county's contribution.

December 12 was set as the date for making collections under the program.

Commodities which are acceptable for contributions and conversion into corn, he added, include: potatoes, black walnuts, poultry, and eggs.

The chairman of each of the Community Development Program organizations and the pastors of every community in the county are members of the county CROP organization. Mr. Duckwall explained, "and will accept any contribution toward attaining the county's goal."

The representatives of the 12 communities with the pastors and CROP officials completed the plans at the meeting for making the county-wide canvass in the drive toward Haywood's goal.

The Rev. D. D. Gross, district director for CROP in five Western North Carolina counties, discussed the organization, activities, and objectives of the program and showed a movie—"Operation Mercy."

The film portrayed vividly the organization's efforts to relieve the desperately-needy people overseas.

He explained that CROP is an interdenominational project sponsored cooperatively by Catholic, Rural Life, Church World Service, and Lutheran World Relief.

Its program of relief officials describe as another step in the fight against the threat of communism.

Mr. Duckwall urged every Haywood County citizen to decide now what he has to share with the starving people of Europe and Asia, then contact his Community Development Program chairman or his pastor and make his contribution.

"Remember," he added, "what we do for the hungry in the world today will determine to a great extent what we have to do in Europe and Asia tomorrow."

"Give to CROP in your local community today."

Other officers of the county CROP organization are: The Rev. M. L. Lewis of Hazelwood and the Rev. Ralph McCloskey of Canton, vice-chairman; the Rev. Paul Throver of Hazelwood, treasurer; the Rev. M. B. Lee of Hazelwood, secretary; the Rev. W. T. Medlin of Clyde, publicity director; and the Rev. C. O. Newell of Clyde, commodity chairman.

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Canton Road

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the property of Mrs. Mary Morgan, Ed Green, John Smathers, John Stamey, W. L. Messer, Fred Taylor, Mrs. J. T. Jones, Claude Brown, M. O. Galloway, Thomas Tate, Fred Thompson, Mrs. R. C. Long, and Mrs. Elizabeth Reeves, and then entering on a straight-away, the new Dellwood road.

A letter to the Board of Commissioners from the highway department pointed out that any complaints as to the proposed route would have to be made within 30 days from the date the maps were posted, which was November 26.

Maine Hunters' Bag

Maine hunters bagged 120,000 rabbits and more than 100,000 partridge in 1947. Actual returns from checking stations showed a deer take of 30,349. About 12,000 pheasants were bagged, while only 500 geese fell to hunters' guns in Maine last year. Figures were compiled from a sampling of 10,000 license holders, which proved even more accurate than anticipated, as the wildlife census questionnaire totaled 31,000 deer taken, as against the checking station deer take of 30,349.

Electricity in Iowa

Iowa now has 150,687 farms—72 per cent of the total in the state—served by electric lines. The total in 1940 was about half this number or 86,000 farms having electricity.

Glorifying The Yule Fruit Cake



CHRISTMAS FRUIT CAKE — With varied sauces...

By CECILY BROWNSTONE Associated Press Food Editor

This year's Yule holiday dessert is the Christmas fruit cake with a delightful array of sauces. You can make both the cake and the sauces well in advance—they'll keep beautifully for several weeks.

Both the cake and the sauces are perfect for gifts. The cake may be baked in aluminum foil containers and then simply wrapped with cellophane. The sauces can be packed in covered containers—the better to double for refrigerator use later on.

CHRISTMAS FRUIT CAKE

Ingredients: 1 cup mince-meat, 3 medium apples, peeled and cored, 1 cup raisins, 1 cup candied cherries, 2 oranges, 1 cup orange juice, 2 cups sifted all-purpose flour, 1 teaspoon baking powder, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg, 1/2 teaspoon ginger, 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg, 1 cup sugar, 2 eggs, well beaten, 1/2 cup molasses, 1/2 cup butter or vitaminized margarine, melted, 2 teaspoons brandy, 2 teaspoons vanilla flavoring.

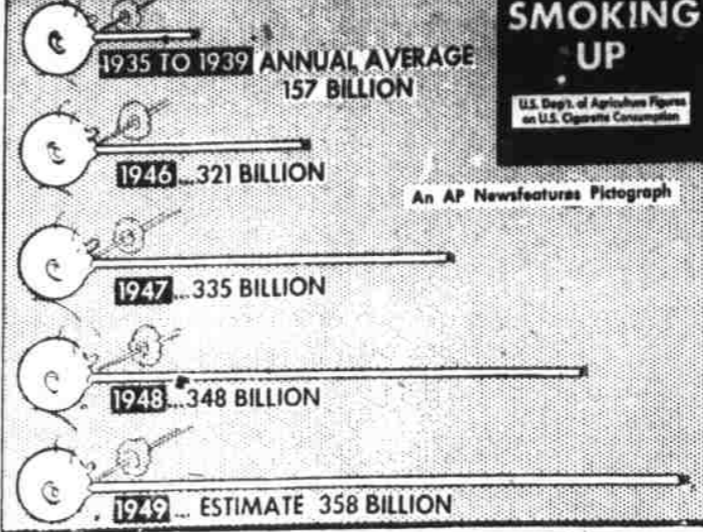
Method: Put mince-meat, apples, raisins, cherries, and citron through a coarse grinder and stir in 1/2 cup of the orange juice. Mix and sift the flour, baking powder, salt, cinnamon, ginger, nutmeg and sugar. Mix the molasses together, heat the remaining 1/2

Nerves Affect Vision

Americans in large numbers, especially the younger generation, are getting "nerves" which, say some observers, are having an adverse effect upon sight. Worry and fretfulness are believed by some investigators to be a contributing factor in the increasing prevalence of glaucoma, a serious eye condition in which the pressure in the eyeball rises above normal. Glaucoma often causes impaired vision and not infrequently results in blindness.

Trends Govern Value

In buying a house, or building one, the prospective owner should decide whether it is "too good" for the community as a whole and not restrict observations to the immediate neighborhood. If the price is high in relation to trends, the maintenance of its value will be questionable because of constant adjustment to the character of the neighborhood to a lower community level. Depreciation may be quite rapid where an attractive neighborhood is small in ratio to a large community of lower standards.



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After he and Womack accepted the trophy, he declared the officiating was excellent, there were no complaints.

Rarely do officials receive anything more than the fire and brimstone of the wrath of the fans whose team has lost.

Monroe Coach Jim Gudger complimented the Mountaineers and his own boys.

"Waynesville," he said, "is the finest, cleanest club we've played this season."

Coach Tom Young, who led his Western Carolina Catamounts to a North State Conference championship this season, praised the winners and expressed sympathy for the losers, advising them not to feel bad about their mistakes.

"There will be days like that," he said, in effect.

Coach Weatherby declared "The Y's Men's Club did a fine job in making the Bowl a success."

He complimented the winners, and gently told his boys he knew they could play better.

Mr. Faysoux, who has been coaching the Christ School Greenties for 30 years, also paid his respects, along with Larry Westmoreland, the major league ball player from Canton, whose letter two years ago first suggested the idea of a Paper Bowl.

Goforth complimented the players of both teams, saying it takes two good teams to make the Bowl the success that it is.

Praising the efforts of all the members of the Y's Men's Club, he also singled out for particular compliments C. C. Poindexter, Canton High School athletic director.

Poindexter, he declared, was the hardest working man he'd seen.

Thus another brilliant football season in Haywood County closed.

Highway Construction

Postwar highway program is steadily gaining momentum. Construction expenditures for federal, state and local highways are expected to reach \$1,500,000,000 this year. Highway expenditures will represent some 40 per cent of all public construction.

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a photograph of you and a young lady. Your wife would like to have this picture, but I promise not to deliver it to her if you will give me a new hat."

Mr. Jennings listened attentively, but did not ask who was calling, as he was studying the voice. When he was positive he knew the voice, he readily agreed to the bargain.

Cathey felt he had pulled a prank that would cause a fellow-townsmen no end of worry.

Early Wednesday morning a new hat was delivered to Cathey at the county agents office. It was a good hat, too. Had just been unpacked—that is unpacked from a box of summer straw hats left over from last year.

If you see Cathey wearing a great big sun hat out in the snow, or cold winds these days, you will know it is the hat he received for an attempt at "blackmail."

Purely for Sport

Cats go after rodents purely for the sport of it. The approach has a lot in common with the big game hunter. The cats proceed in their own individualistic way and in their own good time. It is quite untrue that hungry cats are good mousers. The best are the well-fed cats, but well-fed on a more appealing diet than rodents would provide.

Speeding, Main Accident Cause

Exceeding safe speeds was given as the reason for one out of every three fatal motor vehicle accidents last year, according to the accident prevention department, Association of Casualty and Surety companies. The department added that a majority of these deaths occurred on straight and wide-open highways where drivers were inclined to step on the gas.

Left-Hand Driving

Last year, 2,600 persons were killed in traffic accidents as a result of driving on the wrong side of the road. Over 260,000 were injured, many of them permanently disabled.

Advertisement for Whitehouse Coffee featuring a woman with a shopping cart and a list of items: TOMATOES 29c, GRAPEFRUIT 25c, ONIONS 19c, ORANGES 39c, WESSON OIL, FLOUR, BEANS, PRUNES, BUTTER, CORN, SARDINES, TURKEY, WHIP CREAM.

Advertisement for JFG Special Coffee with a can of coffee and the slogan 'For rich... smooth... flavor...'

Advertisement for PET Ice Cream featuring a cartoon character and the slogan 'thru the Holidays... BUY PET Ice Cream'.

Advertisement for RAY'S SUPER MARKET listing various food items and prices.

Advertisement for THE Food Store SUPER MARKET.