

Secretary Benson Urged To Take 'New Look' At '55 Burley Quotas

McCrary Meeting Kentucky

State Burley Tobacco... including C. B. McCrary... decided at a... Lexington, Ky. last... Secretary of Agriculture... to "take a new look... supply situation and... quotas for 1955 in... of current overproduc-

commendation was among... sweeping chang-... laws govern-... and control of... by the 16-mem-... during a six-hour... session.

Berry, New Castle, of the committee, said... would be asked to call... at Washington at which... committee's recommen-... would be heard.

er to a question, Berry... committee had voted in... existing statutes... Benson the nec-... to make a "deep cut"...

ing quotas "if such is... to help the tobacco in-

the principal topics dis-... the committee since it... last month was an... discouragement of... of marketing-

Recommendations... committee recommended... to be enacted to:... that production of... shall not give



HEALTH POSTER CONTEST WINNERS at Waynesville Township High School this week. In competition sponsored by the Business and Professional Women's Club, were Lucy Gaddy, first place; Eugene Brackett, second, and Ernestine

Elwards, third. Cash prizes of \$5, \$3, and \$2 were awarded to the three contestants, who are art students of Mrs. Wanda Padgett at WTHS. The posters were judged by Health Department personnel. (Mountaineer Photo).

market price. Referring to measurements of an entitlement to a quota.

2. Provide that excess production by an allotment producer shall result in a penalty of allotment reduction in an amount, equal to the excess production in the prior year.

3. Provide for a civil penalty that will constitute a more effective deterrent to excess production.

4. Increase the penalty on marketing excess tobacco to 75 per cent of the previous year's average

Jaycees' DSA Banquet Set Here Friday Night

Haywood County's "Outstanding Young Man of 1954" will be named by the Waynesville Jaycees at the organization's fourth annual Distinguished Service Award banquet at 7:30 p.m. Friday at Spaldon's Restaurant.

The Junior Chamber members also will select their "Key Man" for 1954 and will honor two local business firms for their cooperation with the Jaycees last year.

Principal speaker for the meet-

ing will be Joel G. Barham of Asheville, district manager of the Life of Virginia Insurance Company and president of the Asheville chapter of the National Association of Life Underwriters.

Theme of the meeting will be "Service to Humanity — the Best Work of Life."

The county's outstanding young man is selected by a secret panel of three disinterested men—none of whom are Jaycees and without any one of the three knowing who the other two are.

The judges make their selections of individuals based on their service as a civic leader and in their own business or professional field.

The winner last year was Glenn W. Brown, young Waynesville attorney. The winner in 1951 was Charles F. Isley, director of music at Waynesville Township High School, and in 1952, the Rev. James H. Coleman, former pastor of the Shady Grove Methodist Church.

In charge of arrangements for the DSA banquet is a committee composed of Andy Blanton, chairman; Raymond Caldwell, and Doug Worsham.

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tobacco—another prime topic of the committee's discussions from the outset—the group agreed:

1. to require aerial surveys annually.
2. To eliminate tolerance in calculation of acreage.
3. To provide for criminal punishment as a misdemeanor or not more than one year or not more than \$10,000 or for willfully inaccurate measurement of a grower's tobacco plot, making the penalty cover the Government employee only.

The committee voted to recommend a change in the statutes to provide for establishment of a minimum allotment of 10 per cent of the cropland rather than the existing 25 per cent.

Seeks to Correct Inequities

This move was taken, Berry said, to correct inequities that have cropped up as the result of the present minimum-acreage-allotment phases of the regulations. When a cut is ordered by the Secretary of Agriculture (as was done two months ago by Secretary Benson when he ordered a 10 per cent over-all cut in acreage allotments) the grower have an allotment of seven tenths of an acre or less does not take the cut. In other words, the big producer suffers more from the cut in acreage allotment than does the small producer.

At present, 207,100 farms in the eight-state burley belt have allot-

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Concert At WCC To Be Broadcast

A special musical program, recorded at the recent band clinic at Western Carolina College at Cullowhee, will be broadcast over WHCC from 3:05 to 3:30 p.m. on Sunday.

Seventeen Haywood County students, mainly from Waynesville and Canton, participated in the band clinic, and will be heard on the broadcast. Sixty-four students were chosen from more than 1,000 who auditioned for the western division of the all-state band clinic.

Waynesville students who will be heard in the band clinic concert are Eddie DaMoure, Buster Green, Peggy Reeves, Pauline Inman, Marguerite Russ, Mary Reeves, Patsy Holder, Suzanne Curry, Gary Evans, Joe McEvoy, Barbara Jones, Wanda Hipps, Salinda Dicus, Andy Owens, Phyllis Davis. Those from Canton are Dreyton Shull and Diane Thompson.

Bethel High Senior Play Set March 1

The senior class of Bethel High School will present a three-act comedy, "Susie the Siren" in the Bethel auditorium Tuesday, March 1 at 7 p.m. The play is given by special arrangement with the Dramatic Publishing Company of Chicago. The cast includes:

Susie—Jo Anne Neal; Mr. Reynolds—Tody Capps; Mrs. Reynolds—Spe Kelley; Petey—Andrew Gibbs; Midge—Barbara Burnette; Gussie—Oleen Massie; Jim—Charles Stamey; Blimp—Tommy Singleton; Agnes—Jo Ann Cook; Beverly—Peggy Edwards; Nona—Margaret Mease; Jumbo—Gerald Owen; Mr. Foley—Billy Terrell; Mrs. Comstak—Wanda Inman;

State Revenue Agent Announces Office Schedule

A representative of the North Carolina Department of Revenue will be in the state tax office in the basement of the courthouse each Friday and on March 14 and 15 to assist with the filing of income and intangible tax returns.

The deadline for state taxes this year is April 15. Women and single men—with incomes of \$1,000 or more and married men with an income of \$2,000 or more must file returns and

Miss Oakey—Gail Revis; Dugan—Jackie Shook. Admission will be 30 and 60 cents.

The directors are senior sponsors Miss Bernice McElhannon and Mrs. Alice R. Cathey.

Legion, Auxiliary To Attend Church In Body Sunday

Members of the Waynesville American Legion post and the Auxiliary will meet at 7 p.m. Sunday at the Legion Hall and then attend services at the First Methodist Church in a body, it has been announced.

The Legion's attendance at the Sunday night services will be in observance of a nation-wide "Go-To-Church" program conducted by the veterans organization.

The Rev. Earl H. Bréndall, the host pastor, and the Rev. James Y. Perry, pastor of Grace Episcopal Church, will be in charge of the services.

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