

# Apply Now For Work-Study Program

The Raleigh Area Office of the U.S. Civil Service Commission announces that they are accepting applications from high school seniors or graduates from an accredited high school for participation in work-study programs leading to professional careers. Career opportunities for student trainees at the GS-2 level are in the positions of Agriculture Management, Soil Conservationists,

and Soil Scientist. The salary for these positions is \$177.60 biweekly. Applicants must have the intention of enrolling and beginning their college study in the appropriate discipline within 4 months of the date of entrance on duty in the student trainee positions.

The list of eligibles will be used for filling trainee positions with the Department of Agriculture in the states of

Alabama, Florida, Georgia, N. Carolina, S. Carolina, Tenn., Crittenden County, Arkansas, and Christian County, Ky.

For further information and/or application forms contact the Federal Job Information Center, Raleigh Area Office, U. S. Civil Service Commission, P. O. Box 25069, Raleigh, North Carolina 27611.

## WAMY Needs Manpower Aide

Employment Aide for local Community Action Agency Manpower Program in Yancey County is needed. Applicant would recruit for training classes held in communities arranged in conjunction with Technical Institutes.

In addition, applicant must locate unemployed persons, arrange or bring them to Employment Security Commission Office or County Manpower Office. Understanding and experience working with rural persons mandatory. Applicants must provide own transportation.

High School Education or equivalent in experience is required. Application forms can be obtained from W. A. M. Y. Community Action, Inc. office in Burnsville, N.C. Deadline for applying is February 5, 1971.

## Burnsville School Lunch Menu

Thursday, Jan. 28	Spaghetti with meat sauce, tossed green salad, toasted cheese sandwiches, chipped apple cobbler and milk.
Friday, Jan. 29	Oven fried chicken, candied yams, buttered rice, green peas, pear halves, hot rolls, brown gravy, milk.
Monday, Feb. 1	Dried beans, mustard greens, onion rings, pickled beets, peach pie, cornbread, butter, milk.
Tuesday, Feb. 2	Meat loaf, creamed potatoes, buttered limas, cole slaw, pineapple pudding, biscuits, milk.
Wednesday, Feb. 3	Boiled ham, green beans, sweet potatoes, baked apples, gravy, hot rolls, butter, milk.

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## Nixon Praises Farmers

President Nixon recently praised American farmers for providing this country's people the best food in the world at a lower percentage of family income than is provided for any other country in the world. For this, he said, the Nation owes American agriculture a very great debt.

He cited the fact that the area of the American economy that has had the greatest growth in productivity is American Agriculture, and said this has not been adequately reflected in agricultural income.

This report on the President singling out American agriculture for high praise was supplied by Alvin Pate, Chairman of the County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation (ASC) Committee. Pate said, "I believe not only farmers but others as well will be particularly interested in these comments by the President. We who help administer farm programs for the U.S. Department of Agriculture have often reminded our urban friends that Americans are the best fed people in the world at the lowest real cost because of the efficiency of American agriculture. It is heartening to have the President state this and other basic facts about agriculture."

In his remarks, President Nixon referred to the new Commission on Productivity, with a membership of top leaders representing American industry, labor, the academic community, and agriculture, saying that "a very significant point was made not only in the first meeting, but in the second and third. On every occasion, it was this: That that area of the American economy that has had the greatest growth in productivity and that has the highest productivity per man hour, any way you want to rate it, is American agriculture."

Upon hearing this fact, the President said he checked further and found that "we are the best fed people, but at the lowest cost, the lowest percentage of our income, of any country in the world. And for that, we are most grateful."

This fact, he said, "means that the Nation owes Ameri-

can agriculture a very great debt, which perhaps had not been adequately reflected in agricultural income."

Mr. Nixon continued, "I am not happy about the fact that agricultural income has not been at the rates that it should have been over the past few years. I think the farmer deserves a fair share of the Nation's increasing wealth and its increasing productivity, due to the fact that American agriculture is so productive."

At the same time, Mr. Nixon said, "We have problems of hunger in this country, and there are problems of hunger in all countries, rich and poor, around the world.

"But the problems of hunger in this country are, in terms of magnitude, nothing compared to what the problems are in countries that simply do not have the enormous productivity that we have.

"And so, as we look around the world and as we think of the future of the world and what is going to happen, we realize how much American agriculture can contribute." The President said he referred not only to export markets, but to "The knowledge that we are able to share with other people which may make a difference in these next 10, 15, 25 years, a difference as to whether millions of people all over the world will grow up without enough to eat at all, or whether they may have a better chance than they would otherwise have to survive."

In the course of his remarks President Nixon had high praise for Secretary of Agriculture Clifford M. Hardin, saying that "when I appointed him, I wanted a man who would speak for the farmers and for American agriculture to the White House rather than the other way around. He has done that. Beneath that very pleasant and disarming exterior of his is a very strong and persuasive and determined mind. And in these matters that come before us and the high decisions which must be made at the White House with the legislative leaders, in the Cabinet, on the budget and other matters, I can assure you that agriculture has a very strong advocate."