

PERQUIMANS FARM REVIEW

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Peanut Price Set At \$224 Per Ton

The U. S. Department of Agriculture has announced that the national average support price for 1963 crop peanuts will be \$224 per ton. Virginia type peanuts will be supported at \$238.88 per ton. A 45 cent premium will be paid for each 1 percent of extra large kernels. Dis-

count rates for damaged kernels will be essentially the same as those for the 1962 crop.

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The County ASCS Office is still receiving cost-share requests for needed conservation practices to be carried out this fall. If you have a conservation problem on your farm and have not filed a request for assistance this year, you are urged to visit this office as soon as possible to make your request.

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Home Demonstration County Council

By MRS. S. E. TAYLOR

The regular meeting of the Home Demonstration County Council was held Saturday, September 7, 1963, at 10:30 A. M. in the Pools' Grove Community Building with Mrs. L. B. Jordan presiding. The meeting opened with a short devotional period led by Mrs. M. Gregory, Bethel Home Demonstration Club member. The president called for the agenda. The agenda included completing the plans for county-wide Home Demonstration Conservation Show, Home Demonstration Recognition Day Program, and to formulate plans for the members to attend the Home Demonstration District Federation in November, 1963.

After a lengthy discussion on each item of business, the members decided on the following recommendations:

1. The Home Demonstration Conservation Show will be held Saturday, September 21, 1963, at 10:30 A. M. in the agents' office building. Each member is asked to bring one quart or one pint of each type of fruit and vegetable canned, pickled, preserves, jellies and jams.
2. The Home Demonstration Recognition Program will be held Sunday, November 10, 1963, at 2:00 P. M. A sing-spiration period will convene preceding the program. The community choirs are invited to participate in the musical hour.
3. The members of the council agreed unanimously to charter a bus to take the club women and non-club women to District Home Demonstration Federation in November, 1963.

Mrs. Minnie Gregory, member of the Family Life Council, recommended that a county-wide Christmas program be held this year. During the program, there will be recognition of the elder members of the different Home Demonstration Clubs in the county. The group also decided to exchange gifts.

The following leaders gave reports on community and county activities carried out during the month of August: Mrs. Thelma Overton, Mrs. Pennie Wood Malory, Mrs. Susie E. Taylor, Mrs. Minnie Gregory and Mrs. Lillian M. Jordan. After reports given by the leaders, the agent, Mrs. M. B. Taylor, discussed the Four Traits that makes a Good Community. The traits emphasized were as follows:

- A. Leaders that see the whole community
- B. A collective way of solving problems.
- C. A strong sense of community loyalty.
- D. A basically stable economy.

An interesting question and answer period followed the discussion. The meeting adjourned with the group repeating together the club motto, after which refreshments were served by Pools' Grove Home Demonstration Club.

Weevil Damage In Stored Grain

"Many farmers are now thinking about putting grain in storage to use as feed or to hold off the market until next spring," says R. M. Thompson, County Extension Chairman. "There are many little things that are necessary to try to prevent weevil damage in stored grain. First, the bins should be swept out and cleaned thoroughly. Then spray the walls, floors and ceilings with either Meth-

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