

Redmar Is New Md. Sweet Potato Variety

Planted commercially for the first time in 1971, Redmar, the new sweet potato variety, was developed by the horticulture department of the University of

Maryland's Agricultural Experiment Station.

Redmar is a high-yielding sweet potato with red skin and orange flesh. It is moist, tasty

and nutritious. Ideal for baking, it can also be prepared in other appealing ways, both for holiday menus and throughout the year.

Heading up the sweet potato research program are Dr. Leland E. Scott, professor of horticulture in the College of Agriculture at the College Park campus, and Dr. John C. Bouwkamp, assistant professor.

They noted in a recent interview that the state's sweet potato industry has declined somewhat in the last decade; but Maryland still leads the nation in sweet potato yield per acre.

Development of a promising new variety like Redmar, together with building of storage and handling facilities and the advent of mechanical harvesting promise an upsurge in the state's sweet potato industry in the next few years, the Maryland research men predicted.

Ideal soil and climatic conditions for sweet potatoes on the Eastern Shore comprise the constant factor which put it all together.

Drs. Scott and Bouwkamp complimented the Maryland Sweet Potato Association for

Twin Valley FFA Report

A regular meeting of the Twin Valley FFA was held Monday night, December 6, in the vocational agriculture classroom with 22 members present.

The meeting was brought to order by Frank Stoltzfus, president. The secretary's report was given and approved as read. The treasurer's report was read and filed, subject to annual audit.

Nevin Mast, vice president, gave an officer's report on the County Grain Contest.

Fred Mast, junior advisor, received first place in corn yield, fifth in corn quality and first in grass hay.

Frank Stoltzfus received second in corn yield and first in corn quality.

John Yocum, director of the Southeast Pennsylvania Field Research lab, served as the judge for the corn quality contest.

Frank Stoltzfus reported that

leading the way in industry modernization. They noted that the association presently represents 75 per cent of the sweet potato growers in Maryland, with sweet potatoes adding more than \$1 million annually to the state's agricultural income.

the FFA would not be likely to participate in a mystery supper with the FFA girls due to lack of needed information.

The FFA oranges and grapefruits arrived on Monday. The Twin Valley Chapter sold 240 cases of oranges and 80 cases of grapefruit. Over 2,000 cases of citrus were sold by the eight FFA Chapters in Berks County.

Five cases of oranges were donated to Saint Mary of Providence by the Twin Valley FFA Chapter again this year.

Terry Murry, chaplain, gave a report on the fund raising committee. Murry also moved that a committee of five be appointed to look into the possibilities of having another pumpkin growing contest for the year of 1972. The committee will consist of Nevin Mast, Terry Murry, Jeff Gable, Robert Stoltzfus and Bill Ford.

Bill Ford, treasurer, moved that the Chapter have a photographer so the FFA could get more pictures of the FFA activities for the scrapbook. The motion was seconded and passed. The new chapter photographer is Paul Oldham, secretary, with Fred Stevenson, assistant.

The meeting was then adjourned. The meeting was followed by a short basketball practice, for the county playoffs, in the high school gym, followed by refreshments in the vo-ag shop.

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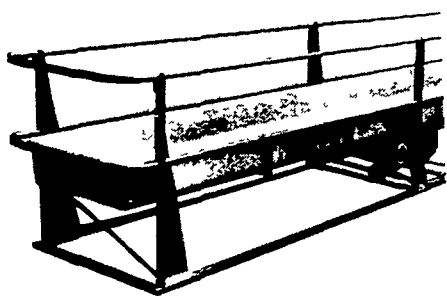
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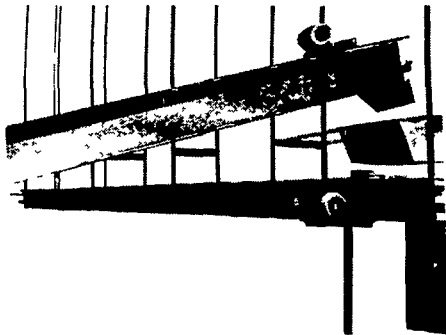
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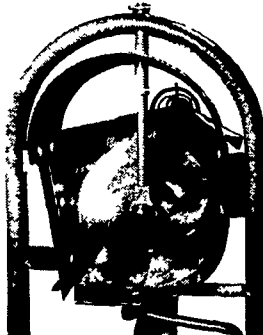
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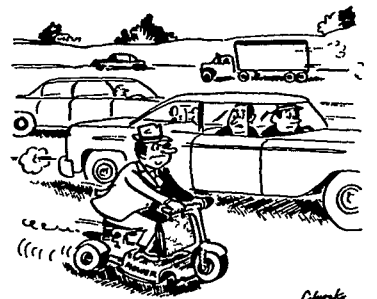
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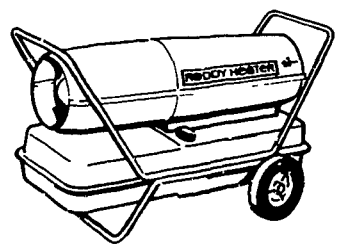
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