FARM FOOD SURVEY

1 July 78 -- Walk Through

FOOD AVAILABLE FOR NEXT 4-6 weeks...

EDDOES
1) back of apartments
2) Field ll has 6 acres of volunteers, young and can supply greens
3) Banana and eddoes field -- 2 acres
4) ½ acre in West Garden
5) R-1 and L-1 -- 1 acre
6) New Garden Area -- 6 acres
7) Some in windrows
8) Some in front of nursery bldg--mostly volunteers

SWEET POTATOES
1) 5-8 acres -- needs weeding
2) 5 acres starleaf

MUNG BEANS ON HILL (1 acre)
1) At least one meal
2) West Garden ½ acre -- should be dried and saved

BLACK BEANS ON HILL -- acresage unknown
1) Some fungus on uphill side
2) Field X in good shape
3) Both in green bean stage
4) Should we use for green beans or dry (later decided dry)

OKRA
1) 22 rows all producing 20-25# every other day
2) Will produce for 2 more months
3) Need more room for planting

BORA BEANS
1) 4 rows -- 2 producing now; 2 coming in Aug 23, Sept 23
2) Pick is 20# every other day for 3 more weeks
3) Total picking time 6-8 weeks

RADISHES
1) Growing very well
2) 2 rows produce in 2 weeks; 1 now produce in 4 weeks;
3) 5 rows being planted
4) Good steady crop able to handle rainy weather well.
5) Used both as vegetable and greens -- use entire radish.

CUCUMBERS COTTAGE AREA
1) Will produce end of August
2) 32 rows
3) Needs calcium

LONG GREEN SQUASH
1) East Garden on July 1 picked 100#; some will be ready
next Friday, on June 23 picked 280#.

PUMPKINS
1) Due in 4 months; have 2 rows planted

FEN CHOK Stunted --will pick soon if it does not grow
SWEET CASSAVA
  1) 1 acre ready next month

WHIPPER-WILL
  1) 150# left in field

EGGPLANT
  1) Picked 117# on June 23; picked 110# today

Good crops for rainy season: edibles, numbs, bananas, okra, plantain, sweet potato, and eggplant.

CUTLASS BEANS
  Should be stripped so a new crop can grow. Need a crew to pick cutlass beans EVERY DAY.

Simpson claims has been ordering seeds since March but none arrived. Tish says this is not so. Can confirm with Kerla in town. Carol says some are coming out on the next boat.