

Compromise Sought For Peanut Program

Balked in their efforts to initiate a farm program whereby peanut acreage would be allocated by types according to demand, congressmen representing Virginia-type peanut producing areas are working on a compromise measure.

The proposed compromise would give the secretary of Agriculture authority to increase peanut acreage in states producing types of peanuts which, according to their historical averages, will be in short supply.

The original bill, backed by Congressman Watt M. Abbott and Porter Hardy, of Virginia, and Congressman Herbert C. Bonner of North Carolina, hit a snag in the House Agriculture Committee.

It would have set up a peanut program similar to the tobacco program, basing acreage allotments on types according to demand. It met with opposition from congressmen representing the runner-type peanut areas which may have suffered acreage cuts under the proposal.

Congressman Bonner has mailed copies of the compromise measure to various farm leaders in peanut producing North Carolina. He said he wanted the opinions of the farm leaders before action was taken on the compromise.

WHITESTON NEWS

The Woman's Missionary Society of Up-River Friends Church held its annual meeting at the home of Mrs. Robert Winslow with Mrs. Robert Winslow and Mrs. Elisha Winslow as joint hostesses.

"Draw Me Nearer" was used as the opening song. Mrs. Verna Winslow conducted the devotional.

The lesson from the Study Book was presented by Mrs. Aleck Stallings. Edith White gave the lesson from the "Blue Prints."

Four hundred and twenty-eight chapters of the Bible were reported as read by members of the society during the past month and one hundred and ten visits to sick and shut-ins were made.

A "thanks" offering was taken which amounted to seven dollars and sixty cents, in addition to ten dollars which was donated to help buy equipment for the Friends Camp at Quaker Lake.

The nominating committee's report was as follows:

President, Mrs. Aleck Stallings; re-elected vice-president, Mrs. Linford Winslow; Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Merrill Winslow; assistant secretary-treasurer, Mrs. R. R. White; program chairman, Miss Pearl White; membership, Mrs. Elisha Winslow; Finance, Mrs. Dempsey Winslow; Literature, Mrs. Robert Winslow; Missionary Editor, Mrs. John T. Lane; Stewardship, Mrs. Linford Winslow; Peace, Mrs. Roy Winslow; Christian Service, Mrs. Arba Winslow.

Mrs. Elizabeth White closed the meeting with prayer.

At the social hour delicious homemade cake and freezer ice cream was served to the following members: Mrs. Arba Winslow, Mrs. D. A. Winslow, Mrs. Charlie T. Winslow, Mrs. DeWitt Winslow, Mrs. J. C. Winslow, Mrs. Elisha Winslow, Mrs. Luther Winslow, Mrs. Elmer Ray Winslow.

Mrs. Edith White, Mrs. Verna Winslow, Mrs. Roy Winslow, Mrs. Elisha White, Mrs. Gelette Winslow, Miss Pearl White, Mrs. Mary Williams, Mrs. Ernest White, Mrs. Linford Winslow, Mrs. John T. Lane, Mrs. R. R. White, Mrs. Aleck Stallings, Mrs. Robert Winslow and two visitors, Misses Esther Winslow, a graduate nurse of Duke Hospital who is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Winslow, and Norma Joyce Winslow.

BETHEL W. M. S. MEETS

On Wednesday, June 7, at 3:00 P. M., the Woman's Missionary Society of the Bethel Baptist Church met at the Church. The meeting was opened with the hymn, "Christ For the World We Sing", followed by an interesting devotion service given by Mrs. Selma Proctor. Prayer by Mrs. Beulah Williams. The president, Mrs. L. A. Proctor gave a few devotion thoughts from the Royal Service on "Arise, Lift Up the Land." Minutes of last meeting were read and approved, the roll was called with 14 members present and 3 visitors. "Standing On the Promises" was sung. The program "On the Rock, Or On the Rocks" was given by the program chairman, Mrs. Kramer Williams, who rendered a very interesting program with several members taking part. The meeting was dismissed with the song "Home Sweet Home" and prayer by Mrs. Kramer Williams.

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