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FRIDAY, JANUARY 29, 1954.

The World Agricultural Problem

The United States Department of Agriculture recently reported that world supplies of food and fiber were at record heights. The past agricultural season was described as the sixth consecutive one in which farm production exceeded the pre-war average.

The Department's report also estimated demand in 1954 would remain high. One can easily see that if world demand should drop, for economic or other reasons, a world food surplus could accumulate.

The Agriculture Department report shows partially why the U. S. food and fiber surplus is not as easily disposed of in world markets, as it would be if world food and fiber production was not at record levels. The report seems to add justification to the desire of the Department of Agriculture to limit U. S. crops to amounts which can be disposed of.

An interesting part of the latest Department report is the estimate that production has increased in all parts of the world, although the rate of increase in Eastern Europe and the Soviet Union is estimated to be a lesser one than in other areas of the world.

This is a clear indication that the collective farm systems of the Communists are not working and explains the action in Hungary and other Balkans recently, where Communist leaders have told farmers they could pull out of collectives if they desired. This is an admission, by the Communists themselves, that collective farms are not what they have been cracked up to be in the Communist ideology.

Those 186 Ships

The government of the Soviet Union has apparently moved closer to agreeing to return 186 naval craft sent them by this country under the Lend-Lease program during World War II. After many years of fruitless note exchanges, the Soviet Ambassador in Washington informed the State Department several weeks ago that representatives of the U.S.S.R. would agree to meet representatives of the United States for "discussion of technical questions connected with the transfer of 186 naval craft."

By the time you read this new developments might have occurred, or negotiations might have broken down once again. We do not believe the latest Soviet note should be taken as a guarantee that the Russians are ready to settle this Lend-Lease debt. However, their notes of late have been more encouraging than any since 1945 and may indicate a willingness on their part to settle their World War II Lend-Lease debt.

In one of the Soviet notes in the current exchange, the Russians pointed out that they had returned to the United States three ice-breakers, 27 frigates, 7 tankers and one dry cargo vessel, and that Russia agreed to return 186 naval vessels. This admission was at least putting the Russians on record as obligated to return these vessels to the United States.

The Russians have been attempting to tie in other settlements with the Lend-Lease settlement in an effort to use the return of the 186 vessels as a lever to pry the U. S. Government into an agreement on other matters. This the United States has consistently refused to do, and the latest indications may be at last convinced the United States will settle the Lend-Lease account only as a single issue, and on its merits alone.

If this indication proves an accurate appraisal, the Russians are preparing to remove one of the irritating obstacles in the way of better relations between the two countries. All Americans who know the facts have bitterly resented the Russian refusal to return these ships. It has been nine years since World War II and the refusal to return vessels rightly owned by the United States throughout this long period is one of that government's most flagrant and open violations of law and treaty.

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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Having qualified as Administrator C.T.A. of the estate of Ralph D. Harrell, deceased, late of Perquimans County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Route 3, Hertford, N. C., on or before the 20th day of January, 1955, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 20th day of January, 1954.
MOODY HARRELL,
Administrator, C.T.A. of
Ralph D. Harrell.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Having qualified as Administrator, C.T.A., of the estate of Mrs. Ellen B. White, deceased, late of Perquimans County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at 216 W. Market Street, Greensboro, N. C., on or before the 18th day of January, 1955 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 18th day of January, 1954.
DAVID J. WHITE,
Administrator, C.T.A., of
Mrs. Ellen B. White.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Having qualified as Administrators of the estate of J. H. Winslow, deceased, late of Perquimans County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Route 2, Hertford, N. C., on or before the 18th day of January, 1955 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 18th day of January, 1954.
**FAYE W. LASSITER AND
J. ALTON WINSLOW,**
Administrators of J. H. Winslow

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Having qualified as Executrix of the estate of James Riddick, deceased, late of Perquimans County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Belvidere, N. C., on or before the 14th day of January, 1955, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 14th day of January, 1954.
LAURA RIDDICK,
Executrix of James Riddick.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Having qualified as Administrators of the estate of Mrs. Alma W. Winslow, deceased, late of Perquimans County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Route 2, Hertford, N. C., on or before the 28th day of December, 1954, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 28th day of December, 1953.
**FAYE W. LASSITER AND
J. ALTON WINSLOW,**
Administrators of
Mrs. Alma W. Winslow.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Having qualified as Administrator, C.T.A., of the estate of William Alfred Humphries, deceased, late of Perquimans County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Hertford, N. C., on or before the 22nd day of December, 1954, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 22nd day of December, 1953.
J. W. WARD,
Administrator, C.T.A. of
William Alfred Humphries

NOTICE OF SERVICE OF PROCESS
BY PUBLICATION
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
PERQUIMANS COUNTY
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT
Catherine W. Thatch
vs.
James Henry Thatch

To James Henry Thatch:
Takes notice that a pleading seeking relief against you has been filed in the above entitled action.

The nature of the relief being sought is as follows: To obtain an absolute divorce on the ground of two years separation.

You are required to make defense to such pleading not later than February 27, 1954, and upon your failure to do so the party seeking service against you will apply to the court for the relief sought.

This, the 5th day of January, 1954.
W. H. PITT,
Clerk Superior Court.
Walter G. Edwards,
Attorney for Plaintiff
Jan 8, 15, 22, 29

North Carolina In The Superior Court In the matter of adoption of Jacqueline Carole Amato By Louis Amato

NOTICE OF SERVICE OF PROCESS
BY PUBLICATION
To Calvin Sawyer:
Take notice that a Petition seeking relief against you has been filed in the above entitled proceeding. The nature of the relief being sought is as follows:

That the Petitioner, Louis Amato, is seeking to adopt Jacqueline Carole Amato (formerly Jacqueline Carole Sawyer) and said Petitioner has asked the Court to issue an Order declaring that said child has been abandoned by her father, Calvin Sawyer.

You are required to make defense to such pleading not later than March 12, 1954, and upon your failure to do so, the Petitioner seeking service against you will apply to the Court for the relief sought.

This 12th day of January, 1954.
W. H. PITT,
Clerk Superior Court.
Jan 15, 22, 29, Feb 5

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