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N. C. Needs More Pasture Lands

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State Extension Service and Department of Agriculture. There will be no meat shortage in 1944, declared Dr. A. B. Shaw, head of the Department of Animal Industry at State College. Dr. Shaw predicted that meat production in the nation this year will rise by 20 million pounds as against 1943. He pointed out, however, that it now appears that feed supplies are short of the required amount. This was attributed to a shortage of feed grains, which are being used for other purposes. Dr. Coltrane said that the State needs more pasture lands to produce feed grains. He pointed out that the State needs more pasture lands to produce feed grains.

farmers' profits for poultry and eggs are not favorable," said W. Sheffield, poultry and egg marketing specialist with the State Department of Agriculture on talking on the poultry outlook for 1944.

Despite the fact that the Extension Service has shown that a new class of eggs is now being produced a dozen eggs, the support price of the War Food Administration is only 50 cents per dozen, said Sheffield.

"The Government is now asking for a three per cent increase in eggs. But the prospect is for a large increase for the egg. Government offered to the farmer a floor of 50 cents per dozen for spring eggs and an average of 44 cents per dozen for the year."

The meeting was concluded at the Carolina Hotel with a luncheon and round table discussion of the various problems confronting feed manufacturers.

New Draft Plans Will Work Hardship On N. C. Farmers

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"The State has 1,200,000 farms, which average 30.4 acres of crop land, said Coltrane. These farms as reported by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics are divided into 1,200,000 tracts of land, each of which averages 27.5 acres of cropland," said Coltrane.

It is Coltrane's opinion that "the relatively small acreage of cropland and the relatively small number of livestock in the State result in the large percentage of the farms having less than 10 hay units."

He pointed out that a recent study made by the Statistics Division of the State Department of Agriculture, which was based on the manpower survey carried out by the AAA in 1943, indicates that 41 per cent of the farms in the State have 10 or more units per farm and 54.5 per cent of the farms have more than 15 units per farm.

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from a two-day conference with Secretary of Agriculture and Congressmen in Washington and the facts regarding the situation. That situation is that the State needs more pasture lands to produce feed grains. He pointed out that the State needs more pasture lands to produce feed grains.

Meeting, Commissioner of Agriculture W. Kenyon reported that the farmers of the State last year produced 10 per cent of the Nation's total poultry, 20 per cent of the eggs, and 10 per cent of the broilers, and 10 per cent of the turkeys, and 10 per cent of the chickens.

Secretary said that of some 500,000 of the eggs, only 100,000 were sold in 1944. He pointed out that the State needs more pasture lands to produce feed grains. He pointed out that the State needs more pasture lands to produce feed grains.

Remembering that North Carolina is the South in the number of chickens in the low-land area, that this was pointed out in the summer of 1943, when the draft law was passed.

Baucom Arranges Pulpwood Measure

Raleigh, N. C., March 14th—An eight-man committee composed of pulp manufacturers, forestry experts and Department of Agriculture representatives will meet here on March 17 to study a plan for the measurement of pulpwood in the State according to C. D. Baucom, State Forester and measure agreement.

Baucom's proposed plan for measuring pulpwood is to use a scale of pulpwood which is measured in cords, and is to be used by all dealers attending the next proposed conference will be held.

In urging pulpwood producers to request the measurement sheet, Baucom said, "It is not possible for any farmer to estimate the value of his pulpwood or to sell it at a profit unless he has a scale of measurement and the number of cords of wood he has for sale."

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