

MATTERS of INTEREST to FARMERS

Grain Feed Shortage May Cause Milk Price To Rise Sharply

What will happen when the full impact of the shortest U. S. corn crop since 1936 hits North Carolina's 20,000 commercial dairymen is a matter of conjecture.

But J. A. Arey, in charge of Dairying for the State College Extension Service said this week that this scarcity of corn and its influence on feed prices, coupled with extremely high labor costs, will cut the flow of milk to major outlets at a time of year when local production is "already too low to meet the demand." He said that many dairymen may be forced to stand by while decreases in milk production sharply affect the price of milk to the consumer.

"Corn should be the backbone of any dairy ration," the specialist said, adding that the price of this ingredient largely determines the price of mixed dairy feeds. "With the price of dairy feed already at an all-time high, and getting higher, because of prospects for a short corn crop, this state's dairymen who are already

Insurance On Wheat Cancelled In State

Julian E. Mann, State director for the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, announced that Federal crop insurance contracts on wheat for 1948 and subsequent years have been cancelled in North Carolina.

Though wheat insurance will not be in effect in North Carolina, Mr. Mann emphasized that obligations of the corporation insured wheat farmers are not affected for the 1947 crop year.

Under Congressional amendment made recently to the Federal Crop Insurance Act, insurance on wheat during 1948 can be in effect in only 26 counties across the country. Congress also provided that the counties selected must be representative of the areas where wheat is normally produced, and that the value of the crop must constitute a major part of the agricultural income in the county, he said.

Twelve states now having wheat contracts with the corporation will be out of the 1948 program, he said. These include North Carolina, Georgia, Kentucky, Tennessee, Virginia, West Virginia, Delaware, New Jersey, Wisconsin, Arizona, Iowa and Nevada. Though these states have been eliminated from the Federal wheat insurance program, most of them will have Federal insurance programs on other crops. North Carolina will have certain experimental counties with Federal crop insurance on tobacco and cotton in 1948.

Twenty-four states will continue to

Farmers Pass Resolutions And Elect Officers

A request that the administration of North Carolina State College summarize the things that should be provided the college by the 1947 General Assembly was among the 20 resolutions passed Wednesday evening by delegates to the annual Farm and Home Week.

Pointing out that a pre-war study of State College facilities and personnel found them insufficient, delegates further requested that "every individual and organization exert toward the efficient use of appropriations" voted by the 1947 General Assembly.

Another resolution bore down heavily on the current grain and feed shortage. It read: "Resolved, that the farmers of North Carolina put forth every effort to increase both acreage and yields per acre of small grains and pastures in accordance with recommendations of the North Carolina Agricultural Experiment Station."

Other resolutions included: Farm commodity groups were encouraged to take advantage of the recently-passed enabling act to promote more satisfactory marketing facilities. All agricultural agencies were urged to give every consideration to the conservation of the soil and the forest in planning their programs.

The expansion of Federal Crop Insurance was urged so as to include additional experimental counties on tobacco, wheat, cotton and

State College Hints To Farm Homemakers

By Verna Stanton, N. C. State College

Patching will prove only a temporary remedy for many cracks in plastered walls, architectural engineers of the U. S. Department of Agriculture advise. Sooner or later cracks may appear again if the underlying cause has not been remedied. Cracks are often a sign that foundations are settling, supporting posts are rotting, or timbers are shrinking. Much future trouble can be avoided if repairs are made to framework or foundation as soon as definite cracks show up.

To discover where repairs are needed, go over the house and notice where floors are no longer level, or doors sag, or windows do not fit tightly. It may be that some part of the house needs jacking up for repairs in the foundation underneath.

If ceilings are badly cracked, the joists that support them may be too light to prevent sagging. New plaster will not help unless the joists are strengthened first.

Cracks often appear in plaster around chimneys that pass through the house. They occur at the joining between masonry and wood framing, because wood shrinks and swells with weather but masonry does not. Once the cause of cracks has been cured, cracks may be filled in permanently and successfully. When doing the job, first remove all loose material and dirt and open the crack

wide enough so that plastering material can be forced into the full depth of the crack. Spackling compound, which comes as a powder to mix with water, is easy to use and satisfactory for small cracks. For wide cracks and larger broken places, fibred plaster or patching plaster is recommended.

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This August 4, 1947.
SPICEY POLLARD,
Administrator C. T. A. of Lloyd Pollard. 4-6p

NORTH CAROLINA, HARNETT COUNTY, IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.
NANNIE M. NILES vs. EAUVE M. NILES
ORDER OF SUMMONS OF PUBLICATION
Take Notice, that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Harnett County, North Carolina, wherein the plaintiff therein is seeking an absolute divorce upon the grounds of two years separation, and that you are required to appear before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Harnett County, North Carolina, at his office in Lillington, N. C., on or before seven days after the last publication of this notice, which said last publication will be September 15, 1947, and answer or demur to the complaint which has been filed in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded therein.
This the 25th day of August, A. D., 1947.
HOWARD GODWIN,
Clerk Superior Court.
Nellie McK. Salmon
Lillington, N. C.
Attorney for the Plaintiff. 28-4c

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Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of J. B. McLeod, deceased, late of Harnett County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to file same, duly verified, with the undersigned on or before the 23rd day of July, 1948 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate settlement with the undersigned.
This 22nd day of July, 1947.
DWIGHT A. McLEOD,
Administrator of the Estate of J. B. McLeod, Deceased, Angler, N. C. 7-6c

COMMISSIONER'S LAND SALE
By virtue of the judgment and order of sale for division and allotment of dower in a Special Proceeding pending in Harnett Superior Court entitled "Lillie V. Douglas, et al., Petitioners vs. Charlie Lowdermilk, et al., Respondents," I will, at the Courthouse Door of Harnett County, at Lillington, North Carolina, at the hour of 2:30 P. M. on
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 8th, AD 1947
offer and sell to the highest bidder at public auction for cash the lands described in (a) Deed of Wallace Douglas to R. F. Douglas for 48 acres, recorded in Book Deeds 189, page 49, records of Harnett County, and (b) Deed of S. P. Hatch, et al. to R. F. Douglas for 150 acres, recorded in Book Deeds 194, page 149, records of Harnett County, North Carolina.
This August 4th, AD 1947.
J. G. EDWARDS,
Commissioner.
14-4c

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Ois May Champion, deceased, late of Harnett County, North Carolina this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to file same, duly verified, with the undersigned on or before the 14th day of August, 1949, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate settlement with the undersigned.
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ANNIE LEE CHAMPION,
Administrator of the Estate of Ois May Champion, Deceased, Fuquay Springs, N. C., RFD 1. 21-6p

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have the wheat program in one of more counties. In general, most of the 200 counties selected by the corporation for next year's wheat program are in the Great Plains States which produce most of the Nation's wheat.

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This 8th day of August, 1947.
FRANCIS L. YOUNG, Tax Collector, Town of Angier, North Carolina.

Name	White	Amount
Adams, Halford G.		11.34
Cobb, A. A. Est.		11.41
Gardner, N. H. Est.		1.68
Gardner, T. H.		2.17
Owens, Willie W.		11.22
McLeod, N. H.		1.68
Parker, L. C.		117.83
Smith, Mrs. Q. J.		5.95
Spivey, J. B.		18.27
Stephenson, D. G. Est.		10.15
Stephens, Mrs. Mabel H.		22.54
Stephenson, Ois B.		8.40
Wester, Mrs. Viola		3.43
Williams, L. D. Est.		.84
Woodley, George D.		21.90
Young, Floyd L.		2.59
Name	Colored	Amount
Clark, Harvey		2.85
Coffield, Exodus		4.76
Fuller, Robert		2.10
McLean, George & Lena		5.60
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Ragland, Mack		13.37
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