

CREAMERIES IN THE SOUTH

With the coming of the boll weevil to the Carolinas one of the sources of income which has hardly been tapped in the past—the milk cow—is becoming of interest. Every farmer cannot sell whole milk, but every farmer can sell cream to established creameries, to ice-cream factories and to the large distributors in the cities. Please note the word established, and do not let some over-enthusiastic promoter induce you to start a creamery until there is an actual need. Sink community pride and sectional jealousies, if such exist, and join in making a success of these creameries now struggling for existence; they cannot succeed unless they can increase their output, and this cannot be accomplished without an additional supply of raw material.

In this connection I earnestly commend to your attention the following interesting article published in the July issue of the Southern Farm and Dairy Journal. Georgia is not the only State suffering from the condition described.

Dublin, Ga. — The Dublin, Ga. Creamery and other creameries through Georgia who owe their existence to a form of temporary insanity which drives people to create things and either leave them to run alone or without raw material, faces the same situation that other creameries through the state are facing, or have faced—that is a shortage of raw dairy products. Appeal after appeal has been made for more sweet milk and cream, but little response has been noticed.

The bankers of Dublin, realizing the great asset of an institution which means cash money for dairy products twelve months each year, arrived at a means whereby farmers might be assisted in the purchase of proper dairy cattle. The plan, briefly outlined, was that wherever farmers showed an interest in dairying and were equipped to feed and care for a blooded animal, the banks honored his draft for the price of a cow, or cows as the case happened, and several months credit was given the purchaser. Only a relative small number have availed themselves of such an opportunity to equip their farms.

With the present supply of raw dairy products the local creamery will continue to operate, but manufacturing only about one-third of its full capacity. Last week 900 pounds of butter were shipped, and officials of the creamery state that material for

3,000 pounds could have been handled with as little expense and trouble.

Persons having a formula for creating interest in dairying, will confer a favor on middle Georgia by advising the Dublin Chamber of Commerce of the methods.

We clip the above from the Macon News. No use in now giving Dublin advice, it is too late, but to other towns in Georgia, having enthusiastic Kiwanis, Rotary, Lions and other innumerable civic bodies, who are doing much for their respective cities and towns, but whose zeal, in some instances, is greater than their knowledge, we would say, be sure dairying is sufficiently developed in your territory before you install a creamery. Otherwise, you are not alone throwing away your own money, but probably killing some other creamery by drawing from its territory. Such inconsiderate action in this and other industries has been a bane to Georgia and a reflection on the intelligence of the state.

The following clipped from the Progress-Argus published at Jackson, Ga., is a tribute to the good sense of the farmers of that section who probably produce more milk than those of any other section not having a creamery.

"Georgia, the latest figures show has thirteen creameries, the most of them being built during the past few months. The fear is expressed that the creamery business is likely to be overdone. Better to support a few good creameries than have so many struggling for an existence. There is no danger of overdoing the sour cream business. There is always demand for sour cream and sour cream dairying is the kind that pays the average farmer best in the long run."

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ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE

Having this day qualified as administrator of the estate of J. R. Odom, late of Hertford County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 14th day of July, 1923, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 14th day of July, 1922.
W. D. ODOM, Administrator of
J. R. ODOM, Deceased
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GOVERNOR TO OPEN FARM CONVENTION

Governor Morrison will open the Farmers and Farm Womans Convention with an address at noon on Thursday August 1, according to the completed program which is now in press. On the program for the first day in addition to governor Morrison are some of the most noted leaders in agriculture including G.K. McClure of the Farmers Federation which has been so successful in handling the marketing of farm products in Buncombe county, N. C.; and John R. Hutcheso, Director of the Virginia Agricultural Extension Service.

The American Farm Bureau Federation is sending one of its best speakers in L. R. Pollock who will give tar heel farmers information about the farm bureau federation is solving marketing and legislative problems in other states.

At the close of the first days program comes the big community sign after which there will be a social hour with music and free punch on the State College grounds.

Railroads have announced special reduced rates for the three day convention and since the State College is to furnish free lodgings and meals at fifty cents in the college dining hall it is expected that the attendance this year will break all records. W. W. Shay, secretary of the convention, says that it offers a profitable and economical vacation for farmers and their family since there will be something on the program of interest to all.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Hertford county, made in the special proceedings entitled Eula Carter Jones vs. Luke Eley, the undersigned commissioner will, on the 7th day of August, 1922, between the hours of 12 o'clock M. and 2 o'clock P. M., at the Court House door in Winton, N. C., offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, that certain tract of land lying and being in Winton township, Hertford county, lying on the public road leading from Amos Holloman's to California, N. C., adjoining the lands of John Eley, Hannah Jordan, J. R. Weaver and others. Containing thirty five acres, more or less.

This the 3rd day of July, 1922.
C. W. JONES, Commissioner.

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