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The Farmer's Problems Should Interest Kiwanians

No phase of Kiwanis attracts more interest just now than the problem of the farmer. It is a problem of no particular section of either of the two countries represented in Kiwanis International.

The best thought of men who have given consideration to this problem is that in some form of cooperative marketing lies the solution of the problem to make life on the farm profitable.

So believe Leon Rice and many others who have given deep thought to it. "The only hope of the farmers of the country lies in cooperative marketing," he says.

"No business can prosper buying at the seller's price and selling at the buyer's price, because it is the rule of the buyer to buy as cheaply as he can and the seller to sell on a basis of reasonable profit. Individualism has kept the farmer disorganized; while his friends of the store and factory have caught the vision of the power of organization, and have learned the lesson of co-operation, the farmer has followed the even tenor of his way and is suffering the consequences. Industry and big business long ago realized that in unity there was strength and it required governmental restraint in the form of anti-trust laws to curb them. And strange to say, in these anti-trust laws, the exception of their operation was in favor of agriculture. And yet agriculture has never used it, much less abused it.

"What of the McNary-Haugen bill in the United States? There seems to be nothing in it that is any more unsound than the tariff. And if industry has the tariff to protect it, why begrudge the poverty stricken farmers, if the same government that artificially inflates prices of their products, uses the same tactics to inflate prices of farm products to a cost plus profit basis? That is all the farmer asks, and surely the government is not going to extend it to industry and deny it to agriculture.

"Few like the idea of paternalism, or of the protective tariff, but whether we like it or not the government has undertaken it, and the proposition is one of equality for all. If the tariff is to remain, give us the surplus control legislation to keep our controllable surplus from breaking our prices below production costs. The farmer is unlike the manufacturer. He can't shut down; many elements enter into his production, most of which he has absolutely no control over, such as, seasons, moisture, insect pests, etc.

"During the war the slogan was 'Food Will Win the War,' and the farmers were urged to plant more. They did, and we won the war, but the poor farmer was lost in the back wash, and all the consolation he got was a bawling out for planting more. Acreage reduction is the advice he gets now, and while one farmer reduces the other increases, and the

KIWANIANS MEET FRIDAY NIGHT

Place of Meeting To Be Decided Upon Thursday

Plans are going forward for entertaining a large number of guests from points in Virginia. Leading citizens have been invited to the meeting from Galax, Hillsville, Pulaski, Wythville and Dublin. The condition of the Fancy Gap road is holding up final plans of the visitors as the roads is yet blocked by the road force except for the time they are not at work.

If the visitors are able to reach here it is planned to hold the meeting at the offices of the North Carolina Granite Corporation where Jack Sargent will show them over the largest quarry in the South.

Members will be given full details of the meeting in the notice that will be mailed them Friday morning. Every member should make it a point to attend this meeting and show our visitors every courtesy at our command.

smallest surplus runs the pail over and the surplus fixes the price of the whole. So the farmer cannot control the surplus without assistance, either in organized marketing, or by some form of surplus control legislation. The former seems a long way off for reasons too numerous to mention, and meanwhile the farm problem looms larger and larger, until it now figures as the chief factor in the presidential election in the United States."

In just what form the remedy will come is difficult to forecast but as Kiwanians in every community is composed of thoughtful men and its meetings are of a thought provoking character, no Kiwanis club can devote too much time or too much discussion to this problem so vital to the progress of the continent.

"Do people know you are a Kiwanian by your activity in public affairs or just by seeing your name on the club roster?"

NOTICE

By virtue of the power contained in a certain Deed of Trust executed on the 9th day of May, 1924, by T. J. Nunn and wife to the undersigned Trustee for R. K. Simmons, default having been made in the indebtedness thereby secured, and, on application of the said R. K. Simmons, I will offer for sale in front of the Bank of Mount Airy, on

Saturday, September 19, 1927, at 2 o'clock P. M.

the following described land in Mount Airy Township, Surry County, N. C. Beginning at a stake and pointers on the west side of Parker branch and runs N. 24 1/2 deg. E. to Rothrock's corner; thence E. on the North Carolina-Virginia line 42 chs. to a stake and pointers; thence S. crossing branch 25 chs. to a rock Stewart's corner; thence W. with Stewart's line crossing White

Oak corner 4 1/2 chs. to a bench; thence N. 27 deg. W. 1 ch. to the beginning, containing 106.46 acres, more or less. See deed from G. L. Simmons to J. K. Reynolds, dated July 5th, 1926.

Second Tract. Beginning in the center of the creek runs N. 4 1/2 deg. W. 2.25 chs. to a weeping willow; thence S. 75 1/2 deg. W. 9.20 chs. to a stake in line of Harrison Nunn's old place or home tract; thence S. 21 deg. E. 3.78 chs. to the center of said creek; thence N. 72 deg. E. and with said creek 7.94 chs. to the beginning, containing 2.58 acres.

Sale made to satisfy said note, principal, interest and costs. This Aug. 9, 1927.

E. C. Bivens, Trustee.

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NOTICE

Under order of Superior Court of Surry County in proceeding entitled Jane Thompson, Admrx. of Scott Thompson v. H. A. Thompson and others the undersigned commissioner will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder at the Court-house Door in Dobson, N. C., for cash on the

17th day of September, 1927 at One O'clock, P. M.,

the following lands: in Bryan Township, adjoining lands of Vance Ross and others:

Beginning on a persimmon bush on S. fork of Mitchell's River, Tyrie Harris Corner, 13.75 chs. to an old road, with same N. 43 deg. W. 5 chs. N. 30 deg. W. 2.5 chs. N. 1.25 chs. to a pine stump, Bud Woodruff Corner, N. 3 chs. to a stake in said line, N. 69 deg. W. 12.5 chs. to a stake in said Woodruff line, N. 1.25 chs. to a sourwood pointer, Bud Woodruff Corner, W. 3.75 chs. to stake in road, N. 61 deg. W. 3.75 chs. to new road, N. 65 deg. W. 4.24 chs. N. 1 ch. to a black gum, Woodruff Corner, West 1 ch. to road, N. 65 deg. W. 3.75 chs. N. 47 deg. W. 7.5 chs. N. 59 deg. W. 6.5 chs. N. 50 deg. W. 7.5 chs. N. 83 deg. 2.5 chs. N. 68 deg. W. 3.5 chs. S. 85 deg. W. 5 chs. S. 63 deg. W. 2.5 N. 79 deg. W. 1 ch. N. 7.5 chs. North 79 deg. East 34 chs. N. 50 deg. 5.5 chs. down the road and creek S. 80 deg. East 5 chs. N. 42 deg. E. 3.25 chs. N. 77 deg. E. 2.75 chs. S. 52 deg. E. 11 chs. E. 3 chs. N. 40 deg. E. 3.5 chs. to a pine old corner, North 6 chs. to a stake, S. 20 chs. to a stake, Tom Harris Corner down the creek to the beginning. Containing 150 acres more or less.

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