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Growers Control Majority of Tobacco Warehouses

By S. D. FRISSELL

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ITHIN a week's time, the direc-tors of the Tobacco Growers'. Cooperative Association, elected to lead the 70,000 organized tobacco farmers of the Carolinas and Virginia, successfully completed the first phase of the most far-reaching economic revolution of our time and section.

More than 150 warehouse properties, giving ample facilities for handling the majority of the tobacco crop, are now signed over to the Tobacco Growers' Cooperative Association. These were secured in four days' time at the meeting of warehousemen and directors held in Virginia, North Carolina, and South Carolina from April 5 through April &

The first conference was with the warehousemen of Virginia, at South Boston. This resulted in the sign-up of more than 40 warehousemen and the gaining of 28 out of 35 marketing points in Virginia by the marketing association.

Offering all warehousemen in the state an opportunity to sell or lease their properties, Aaron Sapiro, attor-ney for the Tobacco Growers' Cooperative Association and also counsel for 14 successful cooperative exchanges of California, stated: "The warehousemen are among the most essential friends of the farmer, and as such we have drawn this contract as among friends and not as though these prop- August 1, and the fourth time about erties were being thrown on the mar- the middle of September. I leave the ket by forced sale.

North Carolina Warehousemen Tender Properties

DRACTICING cooperation to win cooperation, the directors gained the the confidence of the great majority of Carolina warehousemen in a conference in Greensboro, and at a meeting in Raleigh, which completely filled the chamber of the House of Representatives in the capitol building. More than 80 warehousemen of North Carolina have signed contracts, tendering pro-perties, which assure the marketing association a majority of desirable points in North Carolina.

Mr. Sapiro came directly from the uccessius Kentucky Association of burley tobacco growers and prophesied. that the organized Kentucky growers would receive 5 cents a pound more for their tobacco than growers selling on the open market. He congratulated the warehousemen of North Carolina on their desire to aid the farmers in gaining similar economic freedom for the growers of their state.

The directors let it be known that although they had offered in all fairness to meet with the warehousemen from every market in the state, relative to the sale or lease of their properties, they were pleased that it would not be necessary to consider some of the highpriced properties in the congested centers which they could do well without.

Fair Play and Cooperation Shown at Florence

N NO meeting of the Belt was the spirit of fair play and constructive cooperation between tobacco growers and warehousemen more strikingly exemplified than at Florence, S. C., on April 8. Like business men eager to share in the performance of a big constructive piece of business and like pioneers in a high adventure in uplift, 40 warehousemen of South Carolina supported the movement with enthusi-asm and signed marketing contracts which assure the cooperative associa-tion all but two markets in the state which were of importance under the old system.

Thus, under the skilful guidance of Thus, under the skilful guidance of their leaders, the ownership of the majority of warehouses passes into the possession of a majority of the growers—the men who produce the vast wealth of the tobacco crop of the Carolinas and Virginia. This marks the beginning of a new era of prosperity if the growers will do their duty as well as their leaders.

The sampaign for a 75 per cent sign—

up throughout the old tobacco belt has begun in all three states. The directors have done their duty. They now urge the growers to do theirs.

If every signer who can win a signer will make the earnest effort to add an other member to the Association now, the success of the Virginia-Carolina growers should equal that of those Kentuckians who have sold 75,000,000 pounds of their tobacco and are on the road to permanent prosperity.

## That Young Alfalfa Patch-How to Treat It

THE success or failure of a field of alfalfa can be largely determined by its first year's treatment.

Be just as indulgent with it as you can. Do not cut it until blooms begin to appear. If weeds come up let them grow. Do not become discouraged. They may hide the alfalfa. That will be all right. Do not cut it until it begins to bloom. Then cut it leaving a three-inch stubble. Do not cut it closer than that. That will kill the weeds and will let the alfalfa grow.

At no time cut your alfalfa too close. Three-inch stubble will be a safe rule. Do not try to cut it too often. After the first year, I cut four times. The first time about May 10, and second, about June 20, the third, about aftergrowth for winter protection. Since I adopted this plan, my alfalfa lasts longer than it did when I tried to get five cuttings a season.

Do not pasture alfalfa under any circumstances. Pasturing may be all right out West but it will not do with me.

Do not put in a large acreage until you have learned how to handle the crop. One or two acres will do to experiment with. Do not become discouraged if you fail the first time you try alfalfa. The crop is too valuable to give it up with one or two failures. T. B. PARKER.

Time to Cut Alfalfa Nearly Here

ONE eye on the alfalfa should be the order of the day now. This is the season when alfalfa grows by jumps and bounds and is ready for the first cutting almost before you know it. And if you don't keep a sharp lookout it will be ready before you know it.

The stage of blooming isn't altogether a safe guide for the first cutting. Early in the year, and especially following the seasons of general and plenteous rains, the alfalfa plant is exceedingly growthy. The secondary shoots, those that are to make the second crop of hay, usually start a little bit ahead of time under such circumstances. And if you don't look out, they'll be stretching up above the height of your cutter bar before you know it. Then you can't save your first know it. Then you can't save your first cutting without seriously damaging the

The alfalfa plant is usually so sappy and rapid growing early in the spring that the secondary shoots tend to get ahead of the blooming. Later in the season when soil water is not so plentiful the plant is not growthy, the secondary shoots do not grow so rapidly, and there is a tendency for the blooming to be a little more forward. little more forward.

This is the reason experienced alfalfa growers are being guided primarily by the stage of the secondary shoots in deciding when to cut alfalfa. Of course, weather frequently interferes. In that case, every man knows that all he can do is to do the best he can under the circumstances.

What are secondary shoots? you ask. They are the little buds close to the ground on the stem of the plant. If you watch you can easily see them. They grow out to make the new stems.

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