COUNTY AND FARM PAGE

COUNTY AGENT W. D. SMITH'S column

Up to December 28, $2,272,700 had been paid in 1,261 counties covered $73,078,068 in part payment for agreeing to reduce their wheat production 15 per cent. Within the next few weeks approximately one-half million farmers who signed reduction agreements will receive a total of $70,000,000 as their first payment for agreeing to reduce production. Total payments to these growers in 1,450 counties will approximate $102,600,000.

Within a few weeks Haywood farmers will begin to receive tobacco rental checks.

Tune in on one or more of these farm programs. These radio talks are made by outstanding farm leaders.

January 18, Farm and Home Hour.
January 24, Farm and Home Hour.
January 25, Farm and Home Hour.
January 23 at night.
January 30 at night.

The farmers of Haywood county who grow tobacco are freely signing the Burley contracts. Many tobacco growers have made the follow-ing a matter about the contracts. Just we should have the cooperation without the government having a hand in it. The wish Agricultural Adjustment Act is the most far reaching piece of farm legislation ever enacted by any government in any time or any age. Most of our people believe in cooperation and are going to sign the contracts. Some of our townships are now signed 100%. Our supply of contract blanks is now exhausted, but a new supply will be here at once. Marketing contracts or has already signed should call by the office and get these cards. It will be necessary to have these signed at the warehouse. Watch for other announcements about the contracts.

Every farmer who has certified potatoes for sale should get in touch with me at an early date. Farmers who want to grow certified seed should get in touch with me also.

How many farmers want to lime some land this year. Let me know what you want.

Lord's Acre Meeting To Be Held At Clyde Methodist Church

Rev. Dumont Clarke Will Make Principal Address Of Evening Beginning At 7:00

The Clyde Methodist church at Clyde will have a meeting at 7:00 this (Thursday) evening to enable church members to hear an illustrated lecture on the Lord's Acre Plan by Rev. Dumont Clarke director of the Lord's Acre Movement of the Farmers Federation, Inc.

Rev. B. [illegible], pastor, and Rev. L. E. Hayes presiding elder of the Waynesville district have arranged the meeting and invited Mr. Clarke to lecture.

The Lord's Acre Plan—from the Bible, Exodus 34:26—is that each person connected with the church shall dedicate some farm crop or animal to the Lord; raise the crop or animal sell the produce and give the cash proceeds to the church. Its projected to equal a tithe if possible will vary according to acreage and opportunity of each person.

Approximately 150 churches in Western North Carolina used the Lord's Acre Plan during 1933. A general meeting when various church members reported on the work was held on December 2nd. The meeting marked the beginning of the new year in the work and church members will soon be making individual and class pledges on Lord's Acre projects for the coming planting season.

The lecture on Thursday is the first to be made by Rev. Mr. Clarke this season in Haywood county. Others will probably be arranged. The Lord's Acre Movement is carried on by churches of any denomination. The slogan adopted by workers for the movement this year is "The Lord's Acre, a church and character maker."

Clyde News

Meeting of the Clyde Parent-Teachers' Association will be held at the school auditorium Thursday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock. A program on "Citizenship" will be given under the supervision of Miss Margaret Terrell, Miss Hasselle Stall, and Mrs. Gerald Fish, who comprise the program committee.

Mrs. J. M. Wells and two children of Canton were in Clyde Saturday afternoon, visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Minett of Waynesville spent Sunday in Clyde as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Anderson.

Mrs. Sam Queen, of Waynesville, spent Monday in Clyde as the guest of Mrs. S. E. Comatser.

The Ladies Bible class of the Clyde M. E. Church, South, will hold their regular monthly business and social meeting Friday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. M. Anderson. The Men's Bible class will be guests at the meeting. Mrs. John Stamey, Mrs. R. C. Cannon, and Miss Jennie Ensley will be associate hostesses for the meeting.

Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Freeman, Miss Lura Wright, and Mr. John Pless were among those from the Clyde charge to attend the District Missionary meeting in Waynesville Monday.

Rev. Clark, of Asheville, will speak at the Clyde M. E. Church, South, Thursday evening at 7 o'clock on "The Lord's Movement." The public is invited.

Mrs. Frank Haynes, Mrs. T. C. Norris, and three children, William, Thomas, and Hilliard Norris, Kathern Penland and Jennett Chambers spent Sunday at Candler as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Crisp.

Roy J. Wilde, Charles Scott, Jr., and Paul Benton, of Canton, were visitors in Clyde Sunday afternoon.

Miss Cora Harden has returned to her home in Hayesville, after a two weeks visit with relatives in Clyde.

Farmers Federation, Inc., Has Paid About Two Million For Farm Produce

This Amount Was Paid To Farmers For Wide Variety Of Farm Products Grown In W. N. C.

Marketing aid for farm products sold through the Farmers Federation, Inc., was stated by James G. K. McClure Jr. president of the cooperative to be approximately $2,000,000.00 during the five year period 1928-1932. On February 1st the organization will combine with the Haywood County Farmers Federation according to an announcement last week.

The two million dollars was paid farmers in the marketing of a variety of farm products. Figures [illegible] available information shows that Irish potatoes [illegible] the Federation, Inc., farmers approximately $37,000.00. The crop was short because of drought. A substantial part of this potato money went to Haywood county farmers who sold through the Farmers Federation, Inc. The five year total (1928-1932) of potatoes marketed for farmers was given as $79,000,000.

"Rye has been bought from farmers for several years and successfully marketed in other parts of the country by the Federation" said Mr. McClure. "The abruzzi rye grows in the mountains has shown itself better able to stand cold weather as a cover crop in those regions, and distant seed dealers are learning to look to the Federation for seed rye. Where no individual farmer would hardly be able to get this business the Federation can buy hi-rye, pool it into carloads have a tramed seed man tag it according to regulations of the various states, and see to proper credit or collect on arrangements on the shipment.

"During 1933 the Federation paid farmers approximately $12,000.00 for rye while for the five previous years the total was $35,950.000."

Figures covering the five year period on other items were given by Mr. McClure as follows:

Poultry and eggs bot with $1,587,520.11. The figure includes money paid to farmers for poultry and eggs at the Farmers Federation warehouses at the market department at Asheville, and through the special poultry car operated on the Murphy branch in order to give the farmer an assured market and encourage production. At the request of a state-wide poultry marketing agency, the operation of this car was turned over to the agency in the fall of 1930. The Federation has continued its own poultry marketing facilities through the warehouses and the central marketing department at Asheville.

Another class of eggs to be used at the hatcheries, brought farmers $41[illegible],000 during the five year period. Special standards are set in hatchery eggs in order to supply pure bred blood-tested chick which the Federation has for sale each spring.

Forest products providing a new source of income for many farms, brought $110,778.00 through Federation marketing facilities. Products handled were shrubbery for earlier shipment to northern nurseries, pulp wood, and other wood products according to market demands.

Marketing of corn by the Federation brought farmers $5,500.00 during the five year period, while sweet potatoes brought $93,280.00. A substantial part of the sweet potato figure was made possible by the Federation storage warehouses for curing the potatoes. The price for cured potatoes in the spring was much higher than for freshly dug potatoes in the fall.

Tomatoes and vegetables brought $68,000.00, while apples marketed were valued at $12,000.00. Cannery purchases of supplies amounted to $27,772.54, chiefly for green beans and for tomatoes, while money paid to cannery workers totaled $12,382.34. Cream route payments were $7,750 during the five year period.

Special products have been developed and marketed by the Farmers Federation, Inc., at various times, such as wild strawberry jam from mountain berries, sold in the large northern cities.

According to announcement made last week the Haywood County Farmers Federation will merge with the Farmers Federation on February 1st, giving much wider marketing connections for the farmers doing business with the Haywood organization. H. A. Osborne, president of the Haywood Federation, is to become a director representing Haywood county on the board of the Farmers Federation, Inc., while C.F. Rhinehart will continue as sales manager fo rthe farm supply warehouses at Waynesville and Canton. The Haywood Federation directors and others will form a Haywood county committee for the combined cooperative.

Question: How much should be prepared for planting a home garden?

Answer: The size of the family should govern the size of the garden. A tenth of an acre will produce an abundance of vegetables for one person and this amount should be allowed for each member of the family except for children under five years of age. If such crops as watermelons, cantaloupes, Irish and sweet potatoes are to be grown, a larger acreage is needed. If these are grown outside the garden half an acre will be sufficient to furnish a family of five.

Beef Cattle Prices Reach The Bottom

Beef cattle prices for the past month have reached the lowest level for the past thirty years and beef cattle feeders are suffering. In a time of depression there always seems to be an overproduction of everything and conditions look very hopeless. As far as we can judge however from all the reports we have seen, the supply of beef cattle in the United States is [illegible] will be a burden [illegible] so are inclined [illegible] the beef cattle [illegible]. There are [illegible] artificial conditions [illegible] situation today that is [illegible] predict what is going to happen. But one thing is sure and that is that quality in beef cattle will always pay better than common run and scrub stock. This has been so all through the low markets and the proportion of premium paid for quality cattle has been higher than ever before. When a scrub will bring 2c a pound and a Hereford will bring 5c a pound, the Hereford will bring 50 per cent more than the scrub. Lots of quality beef cattle have been sold this fall that brought 50 per cent more than the scrub fed on the same pasture and wintered in the same barn. Pure bred beef cattle can be bought mighty cheap and it will certainly pay every beef cattle farmer to change from common cattle to Herds right now while pure [illegible] are cheap. Farmers Federation News.

Question: [illegible] healthy vigorous [illegible] from late hatches perfect?

Answer: [illegible] pullets have been [illegible] from 60 to 100 days [illegible] eggs are selected for [illegible] and [illegible] were mated with [illegible] cock should be [illegible] The factors [illegible] for pullets between [illegible] A balanced ration should [illegible] with a liberal [illegible] cod liver oil where green feed [illegible] is not available. The house should be well ventilated with plenty of room, care of the trouble should be located, allowed for the laying pullet. and removed.

Timely Questions And Answers On Farm Problems

Question: How is [illegible] disinfect a poultry [illegible]?

Answer: A formula which [illegible] is best for this work. For every 100 cubic feet of inside space use a teaspoonful of formaldehyde and a heaping teaspoonful of potassium permanganate. Place the permanganate in a deep enamel pan on the floor in the central compartment or at the air intake and pour the formalin over the permanganate. After ten minutes, air out the machine and incubator rooms. This is the best method of disinfection and will destroy diseases and parasite germs.

Question: What ingredients are used to make [illegible] known as the "dry cure" of pork.

Answer: Salt, sugar, and salt peter are used in this method of curing. For each 100 pounds of meat use 8 pounds of salt, 3 ounces of salt peter, and 3 pounds of sugar. Brown sugar is preferred. Mix the ingredients thoroughly and rub half of the mixture on the meat. Pack in a clean vessel with skin side down except top layer. This should have the skin side up. Repack the meat after seven days and rub on the other half of the mixture. Allow three days curing for each pound of meat in one piece and then put in smokehouse.

Question: What causes scours in dairy calves and how can the disease be cured?

Answer: This is usually caused by improper feeding and it is much easier to prevent than to cure. When the first symptoms appear isolate the calf and reduce the milk feed by half. Feed substitution of grass hay for legume hay will also aid in the relief. One to three tablespoons [illegible] depending upon the age of the calf should be given [illegible] in a teaspoon full of a mixture consisting one part of subol to two parts each of subcarbonate of bismuth and subcarbonate of soda. Repeat dose at intervals of about six hours until diarrhea is stopped. Prevention is [illegible] The best cure and the [illegible] of the trouble should be located and removed.

OFFICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

NORTH CAROLINA,
HAYWOOD COUNTY

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE [illegible] authority [illegible] that certain deed of trust executed Samuel Lee Howell and wife Mrs. Rose Howell and Mrs. C. E. Rhinehart widow to the Raleigh Savings Bank and Trust Company, Trustee, which said deed of trust is dated May 1, 1927, and recorded in Book N, page 22 of the Haywood County Registry default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and in the conditions thereby secured the undersigned Successor Trustee, by instrument recorded in Book No. 90, page [illegible] Haywood County Registry, will on the 31st day of January, 1934, at the Court House door in the town of Waynesville at 12 o'clock noon, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described property:

BEGINNING on a rock in the proposed new Highway, a corner of the Methodist Parsonage lot and runs with the center of the proposed new Highway South 19 degs. 50' West 41.84 poles to a stake in the center of the proposed Highway; thence West 25.50 poles to a stake corner of house lot; thence S. 8 poles to a stake; thence West 8 poles to a stake in the present road; thence S. 3 degs. E. 14 poles to a stake in the road; thence West 36 poles to Jonathan's Creek; thence down the creek as follows: N. 6 degs. 30' E. 8. poles; N. 21 degs. 30' E. 4 poles; N. 85 degs. 15' E. 10 2-5 poles; N. 35 degs. E. 6 1-5 poles; N. 25 degs. 30' E. 11 poles; N. 20 degs. E. 10 poles; thence E. 9 poles to the center of the present road; thence N. 4 degs. E. 39 2-5 poles with the center of the road to a stake; thence East 42 poles to a stake a corner of the Methodist Parsonage lot; thence South 10½ degs. E. 14½ poles to the BEGINNING containing 19.3 acres more or less, and being a part of the Samuel Lee Howell home place, and also being a portion of the lands described in a deed of trust executed by Samuel Lee Howell and wife dated and recorded as above set out.

Terms of sale cash and trustee's report; deposit of 10 per cent of the amount of the bid as evidence of good faith. This tract of land will be sold subject to the 1933 taxes.

This January 2, 1934.

JOSEPH L. COCHERHAM
Substituted Trustee
No. 147—Jan. 4-11-18-25.

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