

Farm Problems Are Important in World Affairs

If Farmers Prosper All Will Prosper Student Leaders Told

Asheville, N. C.—Vital importance of the farm problem in world affairs was pointed out to youthful delegates of International Student Conference here by M. G. Mann, general manager of Farmers' Co-operative Exchange of Raleigh.

Sketching the history of civilization, Mr. Mann showed how injustice to agriculture, while farm prosperity brought general well-being. "Make the farmer prosperous and all will be prosperous" was quoted as an eternal truth. "But even today," said Mr. Mann, "there are those who are willing for industry to make its huge profits, and for labor to demand higher and higher wages, and yet they are fighting at every turn of the road to keep farm prices down, even though farmers work longer hours, produce more efficiently, and are paid the lowest wages of any group."

"The cost of food to urban consumers in April, 1942, represented the smallest percentage of their total income of any period during the past thirty years" said Mr. Mann, supporting his contention that higher prices for farm products, and higher income for farmers were not selfishness, but justice to a part of the population long denied its rightful rewards.

"There are just two ways to make farming a profitable business and a happy way of life," Mr. Mann went on. "First, produce better crops at less cost. Second, market them so as to give the farmer his rightful share of the consumer's dollar." Improvement in both ways Mr. Mann declared could best be attained cooperatively. Increased production through such co-operative practices as group purchasing and fair prices based on open formulas and real values of seed, fertilizer, and equipment was given as the best hope of producing better crops at lower cost. In the field of distribution, Mr. Mann called co-operation "the only instrument which will remove the toll gates between producer and consumer."

Mr. Mann's answer to the question: "If that is true, why don't all farmers join co-operatives?" was: "Not all our people go to church, and yet the church offers the greatest invest-

ment that man has ever received." Concluding, Mr. Mann declared: "We can never have permanent peace in America," with 90 percent of all our savings in the hands of 10 percent of our people. It must come through co-operation of labor, industry, and agriculture. Co-operation is a way of living as well as a way of buying and selling. It is economic democracy at work, helping to preserve the democratic way of life. The thirty odd millions of Americans living on farms need sympathetic understanding and cooperation in bringing about a better day, not only for America, but for the world."

America To Be Food Basket Of The World

Richmond, Va., Aug. 19.—(ANS)—America is now, and will be more than ever, when this conflict is over, the Food Basket of Humanity, according to Dr. T. K. Wolfe, of Southern States Cooperative.

"Farmers have heavy responsibilities in this total, all-out war effort," Dr. Wolfe declared. "They must produce food and more food. And they will produce it in spite of handicaps and shortages over which they have no control."

No. 1 shortage Dr. Wolfe named as transportation, pointing out that "many supplies are limited not because they are scarce but because they cannot be moved where they are needed. In the interest of better service, and in order to have supplies, it is important to look ahead and take delivery early."

Labor shortage like that in transportation, "will become worse before it becomes better," Dr. Wolfe predicted, quoting estimates that, by the summer of 1943, one half the nation's man power will be in the fighting forces or war industries.

"To produce more and more food in the face of steadily mounting handicaps requires wiser and sounder planning than ever before, better use of available labor and the use of better seed and more fertilizer to make each acre produce more heavily," Dr. Wolfe concluded.

Experiments just concluded at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology show that old-fashioned molasses is about the best food known for treating nutritional anemia.

The Smithsonian Institution in Washington has just acquired the first steel plow forged by John Deere at Grand Detour, Illinois, in 1837 to add to its collection of early American plows.

STATE COLLEGE ANSWERS TIMELY FARM QUESTIONS

QUESTION: How do wheat and barley compare with corn as a feed for hogs?

ANSWER: Pound for pound, barley is almost as good as corn, says E. V. Vestal, Extension swine specialist, if it is ground to a medium fineness. Also ground wheat is equally as good as corn. Ground barley or ground wheat can be fed with corn or fed as a substitute for corn. The corn shortage in many counties may require the substitution of wheat and barley.

QUESTION: Where should a trench silo be located?

ANSWER: The silo should be dug as close to the feeding barn as possible and preferably on a slope so as to give ground-level entrance at one end and at the same time provide drainage. In clay soils the sides and one end should be left vertical. In softer soils vertical walls will not stand unless boarded up or plastered with concrete over a wire reinforcing, so they may be sloped. The bottom should slope slightly toward the open end to provide drainage.

QUESTION: Should canned foods be stored in any special way?

ANSWER: A well-planned storage space for canned foods, whether in a closet, a cellar or an outside building, is a good investment of time and money. Any home can have adequate storage space for food with a little work and initiative. Extension Folder No. 47, "Storage for Canned Foods," contains suggestions and ideas that will be helpful to the home canner. A free copy may be secured from the Agricultural Editor, State College, Raleigh.

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SUBS AND SOYS

Submarines off the Atlantic and Pacific Coast have driven fishing fleets back to port. Less fishing means less fish and less fish means less fish meal. The same submarines have cut down imports from Argentina, which means that meat scraps are growing scarce.

J. A. McConnell, general manager of GLF, pointed out these facts and also pointed out the remedy—soybean oil meal. The need for fats and oils has led the government to increase the acreage of soybeans, so soybean meal is plentiful. Poultrymen have used it for many years as a source of protein and now they'll use it even more to offset the dwindling supply of meat scraps and fish meal.

Agricultural colleges have agreed that the move toward the use of more soybean oil meal is sound, both nutritionally and economically. They say that at least one-half of the protein, other than that supplied by cereal grains and their by-products, can come from plant sources. If more than one-half the protein is from plant sources, additional calcium and phosphorus should be included in the ration.

Without a doubt, hens in the future will eat more soybean oil meal. Test pens of 175 to 200-egg hens showed no appreciable difference in production where birds were given their protein requirements from soybeans alone.

ROY H. PARK.

Range Feeding Cuts Feed Bill For Poultrymen

Farmers Of Northeast Save Up To 20 Percent On Grain Bills

Springfield, Mass., Aug. 19.—Farmers of the Northeast are saving up to twenty per cent on grain bills by range feeding of pullets, according to Walter Ellis of the information division of the Eastern States Farmers' Exchange.

Cling E. B. Parmenter of Franklin, Mass., as one of the poultrymen who is doing exceptional work in establishing and maintaining ranges which provide pullets with abundant green feed through the entire ranging period, Mr. Ellis said, "His Rhode Island Red pens are well known in the country's leading egg laying contests. Mr. Parmenter has adopted the unique practice of scattering mash pellets and scratch grains over the range night and morning instead of putting the feed into range hoppers. It is a distinct saving on labor."

he reports. By gradually cutting down on the grain and mash fed, he is able to increase their range grass intake to the point where the grain-to-range ratio is most profitably balanced.

Mr. Ellis recommended the use of Ladino clover as part of the seeding mixture for the range aiding that "Poultry manure provides ample nitrogen for the range and by supplementing this with purchases of phosphorus, potash and lime, complete and economical feeding of the sod is accomplished."

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF PITT IN THE SUPERIOR COURT County of Pitt, Plaintiff, vs. Mattie Porter Dupree and husband, J. R. Dupree, Town of Farmville, Daniel Dupree and wife of Daniel Dupree, and Sallie Hopkins, Defendants.

Under and by virtue of the judgment made and entered in the above entitled cause in the Superior Court of Pitt County, dated July 27, 1942, the undersigned commissioner will, on the 31st day of August, 1942, at 12 o'clock noon, at the door of the Court House of Pitt County, in Greenville, North Carolina, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, subject to the confirmation of the court, the property hereinafter described, located in the County of Pitt, State of North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows: Being the Sallie Hopkins property located in the Town of Farmville and described in those deeds recorded in Book U 20 at page 444, and Book D 22 at page 578 of the Pitt County Public Registry. This the 30th day of July, 1942. ROBERT BOOTH, Commissioner.

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