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Frazier-Lemke Refinance Bill

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Low Interest Rates

The bill provides that farm indebt-edness shall be refinanced through

the use of existing governmental ma-

loan. Provision is made to issue

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Has Public Approval

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This bill has met with unprecedent-

bank

House Committee's Report On

TO WRITE NEW CHAPTER IN A CO-OP STORY

Monday, July 1, Opening Day of Parsons Branch House of Farmers Union Live Stock Commision Co., to be Gala Event

FARMER ADVANTAGE

Any Stockholder in the Farmers Union Firm to be Eligible for Patronage Benefits at Parsons, the Same as at Wichita or Kansas City

When the Farmers Union Live Stock Commission Company throws open its doors of its new branch office in the Parsons, Kansas, live stock market, and when the yardmen open the gates of the Farmers Union pens in the Parsons stock yards to drive in the cattle and hogs preparatory to selling them, on Monday morning, July 1, a new chapter will be written into the story of Farmers Union cooperative marketing of live stock.

This will indeed be a "red-letter day" for live stock producers in the southeast part of Kansas, in the territory tributary to the growing Parsons market. It will make availa-ble for them the opportunity to sel! at a market close to their homes, and at the same time will offer them the undisputed advantages of marketing their live stock cooperatively through

Brings Back Lost Advantages It has been said by a number of practical men, who watch the trend of marketing and marketing practices, that the opening of the Parsons of-fice of the Farmers Union firm will bring back to southeastern Kansas live stock men the advantages which virtually were lost when the cooperative shipping associations were broken up or discontinued. George Hobbs, general manager of the Farmers Union firm, reports that many shippers in southeast Kansas have requested that the Farmers Union open a branch there. These men undoubtedly are among those who were formerly served by one of the twentyformerly served by one of the twentyfive cooperative live stock shipping associations that flourished in that this young man that he wrote a bill of the truck. The trucks, it must be part of the state before the days of the truck. The trucks, it must be of the truck, the trucks, it must be dy method of getting live stock to the dy method of getting live stock to the terminal markets in small numbers, associations that flourished in that he wrote a bill the part in bust of platforms of all political parties. No of prosperity to the whole country of the state before the days of the truck. The trucks, it must be cause he was brought up and reared dorsement which has been given to it. The farmer needs lower rates and in the mortgages existency of platforms of all political parties. No of prosperity to the whole country of the trucks, it must be cause he was brought up and reared dorsement which has been given to it. The National Farmers' Union and have known that the whole concentration of wealth, and have known that the whole concentration of Mealth, and have known that the whole contry of the whole of part in bust of the whole country of the whole of the whole of the terminal markets in small numbers spelled the doom of many shipping associations. Cooperative shipping was more or less sacrificed on the altar of apparent convenience. The producer saw a chance to ship in small consignments by means of a service that came to his barn yard, picked up his shipment of live stock almost any day he wished, and took it direct to is perfectly natural that this young the terminal market-independent of when or what his neighbors might

Now, when the Farmers Union firm goes into business in the Parsons yards, the producer in that territory, although he does not have a cooperative shipping association handy, will have a cooperative marketing firm handy. He thus will have all the coopadvantages he enjoyed through his cooperative association. Same Patronage Benefits

In this connection, it is announced that a share of stock in the Farmers Union Live Stock Commission Company, which entitles the stockholder-customer to receive patronage dividends at either the Kansas City or Wichita, will entitle him to receive patronage dividends when he sells or Parsons market through the farmers sons market through the Farmers Union firm. A share of stock costs one dollar, and any one with membership in any state-wide farm organization is eligible to purchase pression would end, and we would stock in the firm.

Many Will Be There As final preparations go forward for the opening day of the Farmers Union branch live stock house at Parsons, on Monday, July 1, indications become more and more appar ent that a large number of shippers will be on the market that morning in order to be present at the launching fact it begins to look as though the after all, it is not moratoriums we opening will be something like a celebration, or gala event. However, it is going to be strictly business from the word "go"-cooperative business of the well-known Farmers Union brand, says Mr. Hobbs.

the firm wants a large number of shippers and farmers there on opening day-as well as on all days to follow-in order to "start off right." The suggestion is made that any one having live stock which he has expected to ship on or about July 1, should bring this live stock in on that day, to the Parsons house of the Farmers Union Live Stock Commis- protect their homes. Self-preserva-

sion Company. Acuff and Seager As previously announced, W. L. salesman for the Farmers Union at balance of the personnel.

the covered milk pail is also effective fail. If they do, the voters will and in reducing the bacterial count of ought to say goodbye and part company with them at the next election.

The covered milk pail is also effective fail. If they do, the voters will and farmer must buy have risen in greater the result that the income of the paying out money it will be receiving send old age pension.

Mrs. Chas.

Talmer. High rates are exacted with paying out money it will be receiving money. This is one of the few times of chattel mortgagees.

Mrs. Chas. getting into the milk. Since bacter-

Harvest is just about here, and many of our members the Kansas Farmers Union soon will be mighty busy. For a tew weeks, many will be too busy to attend Local Farmers Union meetings, perhaps. However, let us guard against forming a habited are which may bit of non-attendance which may be hard to break later on. Let us remember it is important to keep our organization going, in order that it shall be worth while to produce our crops. Keep up our cooperative marketing facilities, and help ourselves in that way.

CONGRESS MARKS TIME INSTEAD OF **WORKING AT JOB**

So Says Congressman Lemke in his Regular Release; Says Congress Will Not Let Real Legislation

Come up for Vote **NEED 28 SIGNATURES**

Petition to Bring Frazier-Lemke Bill to Vote Has 180 Names but Needs 218; Points Out Need for **Further Organization**

Lemke of North Dakota, co-author of the Frazier-Lemke refincing bill embodying some of the incoming bill embodying some of the incoming the sound of the bill is designed to go into debt. The bill odying some of the important principles of the Farmers Union program, sends out some prepared com-ment which he calls "Doings of Congress." Following is his comment:

This week, Congress has been marking time. Not that there is not plenty to do, but the leaders are determined not to permit any legislation that the people really want to come up on the floor. When they are not ready with their own pet mea-sures, most of which are written by the brainless trust, and are make-be-

tions. Of course, Boston will not proture, because its people all look back to the greatness of those who long since departed; and looking backward, they lack the vision of those who look forward. They see only the greatness of the past. So it man should have written a social security act that sees only backward, and not forward.

On the Senate side, Huey Long, almost single-handedly, carried on a fillibuster against the N. R. A. bill, which bill will assist the manufacturer, wholesale dealers, and big fellows to squeeze out the small businessmen. This is truly the day of big business. The small businessman and the farmer seem to be more neglected and forgotten than ever.

Need 28 More We are still trying desperately to get enough signers to bring up the Frazier-Lemke Refinance bill on floor for discussion and passage. now have 190 of the required 218 islatures have been compelled to resigners. If we ever get this bill up on the floor, it will pass with than a hundred votes out of 435 against it. If the administration could only be induced to carry out the Democratic platform on agriculture in place of the Republican, this de-

have prosperity over night. In case we cannot get the Frazier Lemke Refinance bill passed, we shall try to get the new bill that Senator Frazier and I have introduced, creating a three year moratorium for farmers, home owners and small businessmen. There is ever-increasing sentiment for this class of legislation, and we shall do our best; but, and conditions that will permit the become financially rehabilitated; a system of refinancing that will take into consideration the ability to pay, rather than exacting the last penny

In the meantime, the farmers, home owners and small businessmen must get together, and must organize. They must create an enlightened public opinion that will make foreclosures in this crisis unprofitable. They must tion is still the first law of nature.

Of course, remember that only sub-section (s) of section 75 of the bank-As previously announced, W. L. Acuff, for many years assistant hog ruptcy act has been held unconstitutional. All the other subsections, Kansas City, will be the manager of from (a) to (r), are still in force, ger, one of the best known cattle and in that way, prevent the creditors ing America and no American citizen Hobbs has not yet announced the will be some legislation passed be- tablish them in society on a basis of fore this Congress adjourns.

This Congress must say goodbye, and part company with the coupon prevents much dirt and sediment from clippers. It must protect agriculture, bacle of 1929 remain. small business, and the home owners. prices of many commodities have ris-

MEETINGS IMPORTANT

mended its passage.

The report of the House committee on agriculture is an interesting document, and is about as human a report as one could expect to come from a body of lawmakers. Because most farmers will welcome an oppor-tunity to study this report, the Kansas Union Farmer desires to publish liatives and are not permanent nor estate security. Futhermore, it is it at this time. It follows:

REPORT

(To accompany H. R. 1066) The Committee on Agriculture, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 2066) to liquidate and refinance agricultural indebtedness at a reduced vete of interest has a stablishing and a further payment of 1½. ricultural indebtedness at a reduced rate of interest by establishing an efficient credit system, through the use of the Farm Credit Administration, the Federal Reserve banking tion, the Federal Reserve banking and creating a Board of Agriculture to supervise the same, hav-ing considered the same, report thereon with a recommendation that it do pass. Statement

It must be understood at the outset that the bill is not intended to increase farm indebtedness. If a is designed to refinance existing farm mortgages at low rates of interest and extend them over a long amortization period so that the farmer can keep a home for himself and his wife and children and not suffer them and him to be cast out by the sheriff. The bill will not increase farm debts. It will however come to the relief of worthy farm people who, in the aggregate, number about one-

fourth of our entire population. Facilities for getting the farmer into debt are already quite adequate, but facilities for getting him out of lieve legislation to fool the public, debt are inadequate. It has now bethey refuse to let real legislation come up, and idle away the time. For instance, the so-called social security will get farmers out of debt. Then, will get farmers out of debt. Then, bill, which, we are reliably informed, and not until then, will they acquire was written by a grandson of a former college president, age 24.

duce any great men in the near fu- able sign, nevertheless the small decline in farm indebtedness, which has result of normal liquidation but of Twenty-nine State legislatures have The amount outstanding 1932 one-seventh of the mortgaged Oregon, Indiana, Arizona, Idaho, Colpercent of the value of all farm land kansas, New Mexico, New Jersey, and and buildings. Because of the drop Washington. In addition the

people depend upon agricultural solv- session. The realization of their hopes ency in order that human souls may should not be postponed. stay in human bodies. The system of the Federal land banks may have done some good but it has not been adequate to the situation. State legsort to moratoriums else the sheriff would now be selling more farm homes than he ever did and more of our farm people would be seeking shelter in charitable institutions and and use of the Farm Credit Adminismore of them would be dependent tration and the Federal Reserve

up bread lines for bare sustenance. The present desperate condition of the Federal land banks and national agriculture has been reflected in loan associations. serious outbreaks in some sections of our land. Men who have lived upon of farm mortgages and other farm their homesteads and who work in debts existing at this time by the their homesteads and who work in debts existing at this time by the the hardest kind of toil from 12 to 14 making of real-estate loans to the exhours a day during 8 months of sum- tent of the fair value of the farm and mertime and almost 10 hours a day of 75 percent of the value of the infor 7 days in every week during wintertime; men who are skilled and who work intelligently and who have no sense of wrongdoing and who are without blame but are overwhelmed by conditions for which they are not people to protect their homes, and responsible and who have exhausted their resources, are loath to permit their homes to be taken away and their loved ones sacrificed to a ruth- and that the farmer can meet its ment of the interest and principal less juggernaut of insolvency and foreclosures. The American farmer wife and his children the most sacred

of all of these? Is not his promise to his loved ones decent, bountiful, intelligent, and religious twentieth-centry citizenship. The conditions following the de-cacle of 1929 remain. While farm

Most Kansas farmers, especially in an economic race while carrying Expc. once has shown that many those who are affiliated with the such a handicap. On the basis of cases of foreclosures upon the land itthose who are affiliated with the Kansas Farmers Union, are familiar with the provisions of the Frazier—Lemke Farm Refinancing bill. It is well known that the committee on agriculture, both of the House and of the Senate at Washington, have considered the bill, and have recompany to the self have resulted from the insistence of local and exacting chattel mort-gages whereby farmers were dispossessed of their ability to carry on. Section 4 of the bill is designed to remedy such evils. In some cases it will not be compalled to furnish. we will not be compelled to furnish stock in addition to real estate, and relief to millions of nonfarmers who the loan on the real estate will be supare now dependent upon governmental bounty and governmental doles. Farm tel-mortgage provisions of this sec tenancy is growing apace. Foreclostion can be rapidly used to supple-ures have divested real farmers from ment the real-estate loan so that the ownership while morotoriums against foreclosures are mere temporary pal-the benefit of both personal and real

> of the farmer, both real and personal, should be held by the one agency. Section 5 authorizes a small appro oriation to carry out the provisions of he act; but all necessary and actual expenses so incurred must be apportioned and prorated and added to each individual mortgage. Such sums so added shall be paid to the Farm Credit Administration for administrative purposes. Through this means the expenses of the administration of loan. Provision is made to issue bonds which will be secured by first mortgages upon the farm lands of the country. These bonds will draw interest at 1½ percent and will be amortized at 1½ percent annually. In the event that there is not a ready the event that there is not a ready market for them the Farm Credit Ad-ministration will deliver them to the asking for much the same treatment that the Government has already afforded to other industries such as railroads and banks and insurance will cause currency (notes) to be issued and given to the Farm Credit Administration dollar for dollar. companies through the Reconstruction Finance Corporation and through oth-These Federal Reserve notes are not to exceed \$3,000,000,000, this being the amount of the revolving fund fixed in the bill. The Federal Reserve

er instrumentalities. Section 6 provides that the funds to refinance existing indebtedness shall be provided through the issuing of farm-loan bonds by the Farm Credit Administration through the land bank commissioner and Federal land banks, as now provided by law. These bonds shall bear interest at the rates provided in the mortgages extending to farmers and must be sold at par.

Section 6 provides that the funds to refinance existing indebtedness shall be provided through the issuing of farm-loan bonds by the Farm Credit Administration through the land book commissioners and Folder land bank commissioner and Federal ed public approval. It agrees with land banks, as now provided by law. These bonds shall bear interest at the platforms of all political parties. No other bill before this Congress compares with it in the backing and enactions of the party promises and the party platforms of all political parties. No other bill before this Congress compares with it in the backing and enactions are party promises and the party platforms of all political parties. No other bill before this Congress compares with it in the backing and enactions of the party platforms of all political parties. No other bill before this Congress compares with it in the backing and enactions of the party platforms of all political parties. No other bill before this Congress compares with it in the backing and enactions of the party platforms of all political parties.

been endorsed by leaders in the Vet- The provision is erans of Foreign Wars and in the Am- serve Board shall take these bonds erican Federation of Labor and by and issue Federal Reserve notes taken place since 1928, was not the the National Union for Social Justice. against them up to their par value. of these foreclosures, bankruptcies, and forced sales and of the inability of credit age, including those of Montana, Neagencies to give that support which vada, Wisconsin, Illinois, Minnesota, This legislation will be administered is absolutely requisite to recovery. In North Dakota, California, Nebraska, under the regulations of the Federal land bank system. This system has farms were encumbered for 75 percent of their value; the mortgage debt represented 40 percent of the value of all mortgaged farms and 25 tucky, Wyoming, North Carolina, Ar- 000,000,000. The fund named is a revolving fund and will surely be suffilower cient to cover loans that can safely be in farm-commodity prices, payment house in each of the following States made for some period of time and unbecame impossible for great numbers have endorsed the bill: New York, til repayments are made and recovof farmers. About 6¼ million of our people are actively engaged in and Missouri. Our people want to the plan. It is sufficient to take imagricultural pursuits and 30 million have it enacted into law during this mediate care of those farmers who are in imminent danger and in sore distress and who are about to be dispossessed. 'As time goes on and as Section 2 is a simple acknowledge-

amortization payments in excess of ment of the solemn promises and what is required for redemption of duties of the Government to place bonds are returned into the fund, new American agriculture on an equality and increasing numbers of mortgagwith other industries. This section ors will get advantage from the act. recites that farm mortgages now ex-There is a prospect also that priisting may be refinanced for 11/2 pervate money to some extent will cent interest and 11/2 percent principal per annum, all through the machinery augmented and increased. The amount of farm loans outstanding in the Board, and the employment locally of whole country approximates \$8,500,-

000,000. About 29 percent of them passed," said Ward. are held by individuals where there is Section 3 authorizes the liquidation more or less of a personal relationship existing between debtors and creditors. The holders of many of these private loans will not desire to have them rewritten right away, but will carry them indefinitely into the surable buildings. This section aufuture; and many of these private thorizes the Farm Credit Administration to make all necessary rules and mortgages will be refinanced upon terms which will not be wholly out regulations to carry out the purposes of line with the present proposal. In of the act. The sectic also provides that farm indebtedness may be scaled this respect also, debtors will gain down in accordance with the provis- substantial benefits. Valuable to Government ions of existing laws. It is believed Section 8 has to do with the paythat such a loan will be a safe one conditions. The low rate of interest which will accrue on the farm-loan

stipulated and the favorable terms bonds, and provides that payments is a manly man. He believes that he given the borrower enhances his abil- upon the bonds shall be turned over must always perform his contracts and keep his promises and be loyal to his country and keep and preserve its loan of this character is placed upon notes that have been issued and for laws and fulfill his duty to society in general. But is not his duty to his property will be increased because the as a sinking fund in new issues of advantageous conditions for payment farm-loan bonds. If we compare this surrounding the mortgage will make plan for the issuance of currency with those which have heretofore the property more desirable and of as consecrated as all others? If he is thrown out of house and home greater value.

There slould be no question about loaned its credit to the banks, and has without fault of his own he is likely to feel that sense of resentment which might even impel h to resist and that loans are made on real value. force with force. Despair may, at use as provided in the bill and not on est to them beside, we will be com-Kansas City, will be the manager of them deside, we will be complete the pelled to agree that the Frazier-Lember of the manager of them deside, we will be complete the manager of them deside, we will be complete the manager of them deside, we will be complete the manager of them deside, we will be complete the manager of them deside, we will be complete the manager of them deside, we will be complete the manager of them deside, we will be complete the manager of them deside, we will be complete the manager of them deside, we will be complete the manager of them deside, we will be complete the manager of them deside, we will be complete the manager of them deside, we will be complete the manager of them deside, we will be complete the manager of them deside, we will be complete the manager of them deside, we will be complete the manager of them deside, we will be complete the manager of them deside, we will be complete the manager of them deside, we will be complete the manager of them deside, we will be complete them desided them ke bill will prove to be of great value a governmental loan of 1½ percent to the Government itself. Instead of interest will in itself establish its paying 3 percent interest to these salesmen of the Kansas City yards, and for many years with the Farmers Union firm, will have charge of cattle sales at Parsons. Manager with the confident hope, that there nortgage loans which are limited to years) as computed on the amount of 65 percent of the fair market value the rovolving fund, the Government of the livestock. The present prac- will have made a profit of \$6,345,-000,000 above what it is now costing tices regarding chattel-mortgage indebtedness are very harmful to the us under plans now practiced and farmer. High rates are exacted with schemes now fashionable. Instead of very good explanation of the Town-

MEET GRANDPA GUS

A new member of the Kansas Union Farmer force introduces himself on the Junior Page of this issue. Turn to page 3 and meet Grandpa Gus. Grandpa will be on hand for some time keeping a line on the Farmers Union youngsters. He's getting up an interesting contest, and he hopes some of the older folks, as well as the kids, take an interest in

PRESIDENT WARD SPEAKS TO FOLKS IN NEIGHBOR STATE

Accompanied by Colorado Farmers Union State Officials, Kansas Union President Addresses Seven Colorado Meetings

ADDRESS OVER KOA

Traces History of Wheat Allotment Insurance Plan, and Says Cost of Production Program would be Sound and Workable

Last week the president of the Kansas Farmers Union, Cal Ward, accepted the invitation of the Colorado Farmers Union to make a speaking er arrangement would have worked so tour through part of their good state. well. On these Councils and Com-Mr. Ward had a series of seven meet- mittees are many of our best citiings, and was accompanied by Walter Ott, president of the Colorado Farmers Union; Jim Patton, secretary of the Colorado Union; D. C. Bascom of the Colorado Agricultural College, and L. G. McCubbin, manager of the Colorado Farmers Union Property Insurance Company. The territory covered extended to both slopes of the Rockies.

At the close of the speaking tour, Mr. Ward was invited to speak over KOA, the Denver radio station. In this radio address he pointed out the fact that for the past 15 years agriculture had been slipping, and that farmers' incomes had dwindled until tending to farmers and must be sold they would not take care of operating question. It is easy to foresee what will happen when agriculture's purchasing power, which is about forty per cent of the nation's buying power, is gone.

We have made some progress toward recovery, but we are not yet has reasonable expectation of meetout of the woods, Ward said. Farm | ing all these obligations with a reorganizations have seen the handwriting on the wall and have sounded the note of warning, but the powerful to give early and personal attention interests in the east have turned a to such cases." deaf ear to that warning.

Speaking of the cost of production program as sponsored by the Farmers Union, Mr. Ward mentioned the fight made for it by John A. Simpson, who died "in the harness" ing the Farmers Union fight. said he had testified for the cost of production amendment before a congressional hearing, but that it had be- 1935 corn-hog contract? come apparent that there was no

man of the committee of farm repre- of your contract. The ruling does sentatives which developed the volun- not permit the planting of cirn on tary domestic allotment plan with the insurance feature, he related. This whether or not it has a corn base. plan has brought "multiplied millions" of dollars to farmers in Kan- to farm all of the land speccified in sas, Colorado and surrounding states. my application for a corn-hog con-for that reason, Ward believes the tract. Is there any way in which I great majority of farmers are for can drop some of this land? the plan.

the part of vested interests, to the the land covered by his application, idea of the farmers receiving parity he can accomplish prices, and these same interests op- lating his contract if he fulfills the pose the processors' tax, which acts as the farmers' tariff.

sentiment in favor of revamping the are undertaking the operation of the monetary system of the United land and whether or not they are monetary system of the States. He said, "It is my honest op-inion that if we had a fair and inequal to the details of the emergency which made the dropping equitable medium of exchange, and necessary, and a description of the monetary system, it would then possible to start the wheels of busicould pay their debts, and the armies of unemployed would gradually but surely be dissolved."

SPRING HILL LOCAL MEETS

The Spring Hill Local No. 1570 met June 12, President Allen, presidmeetings until the 27th of September. Miss Maelzer was with us and of the contract. she had made arrangements with Dr. Goodwin to talk to us. He gave us a of the contract. Mrs. Chas. E. Blades, Corr. Sec.

COUNCILS LESSEN FARMERS' WORRIES

President Hugh L. Harrell of Federal Land Bank at Wichita Says Supreme Court Decision Does Not Affect Bank

CREDITORS ARE FAIR

Frazier-Lemke Moratorium Law, while in Effect, Seldom Came to Attention of Wichita Set-up, Says its President

"The answer is 'No'."

This is the reply of President Hugh L. Harrell, to the question; "Has the supreme court's decision on the Frazier Lemke Law disturbed the operations of the Federal Land Bank of Wichita?"

"The thing we should bear in mind when such questions come up," Mr. Harrell continued, "is that in this district of Kansas, Oklahoma, Colorado and New Mexico, (and no doubt in all other districts) borrowers and lenders are generally fair and honest people. While the Frazier-Lemke Law was in force its provisions very seldom were brought to our attention. One reason for this was, I think, that, in this district at least, the state Advisory Credit Councils and County Debt Adjustment Committees, have been a wonderful help in getting farm financing on a basis from which it can pay out through normal production. Probably no othzens-men the creditors are bound to respect, and in whom the debtors have confidence.

"They are home men who know best the circumstances to be considered in cases where only through debt reduction can the farmer be enabled to carry on. I think all should appreciate what these men are giving, not only of time and effort, but of their high standing.

"The general attitude of the creditor, I believe is fairly represented by this expression, quoted to me, from an executive of a large private lending agency:

'It is our desire to cooperate with the farmer. He is doing as well as possible under the circumstances. We shall be patient with him while he is struggling to work out his problems.'

"Just the kind of a farmer this executive meant, we will agree, I think, is one who is doing his honest best; se delinquency is due to years of fault of his own; who has a record of paying obligations to the limit of his capacity; who keeps up his farm properly as well as debt paying and duty to his family permits and who turn of normal conditions. The Land Bank is in the best position for years,

TRIPLE "A" FACTS

By H. Umberger, Director Kansas State College Extension Service

Q: Can I rent additional land not pecified in my application for a A: Yes, if you fulfill the provisichance for it to pass or become a law. cns of a new ruling which permits "Farm leaders then and now believe that. According to this new ruling, the cost of production program is you can farm additional land withsound and workable," he said. But out violating your contract provided since it is impossible to get the cost you plant no corn on the additional be of production just now, we must work land; that you count the hogs farinvested in the bonds, and when this happens the revolving fund will be augmented and increased. The amount "I was present in Washington when file a signed statement with the the Agricultural Adjustment Act was county allotment committee within passed," said Ward. "Those of us 10 days after you begin operating the who favored it set about to develop land, or by June 28, whichever is the plans to make effective parity or later, naming the parties involved and American prices for our major farm describing the acreage acquired; and commodities." Ward was made chair-that you comply with all other terms

the additional

A: Yes. If a real emergency makes it necescsary for a contract signer to Ward spoke of the opposition, on drop the operation of part of the of

Q: Because of illness, I am unable

land, regardless

following provisions: county allotment committee setting Ward also said there i a growing forth the names of the parties who acreage dropped. This statement must be filed within 10 days after the acreage ness and industry revolving, farmers applicant or contract signer ceases to operate the land or by June 28, whichever is the later.

2. Farrows no hogs in 1935 on the dropped land after he ceases to operate it

3. Plants no corn in 1935 on the dropped land. If the signer of anoth. er corn-hog contract undertakes the operation of the land, the total 1935 ing. The local planned for a picnic to corn acreage on the original farming be held at Lake Goodwin, July 21. The Local also voted to discontinue the contract must not exceed the acreunit specified in the application for age entered on item 4, section 14-A 4. Complies with all other terms

Q: One of my neighbors is unable to farm all the land listed in his application for a corn-hog contract. I (continued on page 2).

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T. C. Belden

SALINA, KANSAS, THURSDAY, JUNE 20, 1935

dustry.

We Can Tell 'em, Then

their own policies as a class.

are together in being willing to pay

who will sell to us on our terms, and

if you want to deal with us, you can

meet our terms." And he can make

Then, too, when we are thoroughly

that stick, too.

ADVICE ON BACK-SCRATCHING organization, to any other class or in-

We have all heard and read a great deal about General Hugh S. Johnson, Farmers Union back; the only reason former NRA chief. We know him to it is not as influential as it should be, be a colorful character and a man is the fact that too many farmers are with courage to spare. He speaks his content to scratch their backs against mind, regardless of what might be a fence post, as General Johnson puts the popular or unpopular thing to it.

aims and interests do not ordinarily talley with those of the farmers. The motto of these other fellows or in- membership embraces as much as scratch my back and I'll scratch farmers in the state of Kansas, then yours." "That leaves the farmer to Kansas farmers will be getting opportunity to vote as to whether or scratch his back against a fence themselves into a position to dictate not they desired a continuation of the post," concludes the General.

Johnson points out that farmers will be able to say, along with the Following up these remarks, Mr. should engage in a back-scratching business man, "My commodity cost campaign of their own: He says, "If me so much, therefore the cost to you, I were a farmer, I would call my buddies together."

Thanks to General Johnson's can- and you cannot fill your order anydid and honest statement, we can where else at any cheaper price." And now see how it all looks to an outsid- he will be able to make it stick. er. No doubt his statement just people have in their minds, with ref- also can say, "Mr. Dealer, we repreabout sums up the picture a lot of erence to the farm situation. And the amazing thing about it is, that there er in this state. We have our own is nothing wrong with that picture as cooperative purchasing set-ups. We far as facts are concerned. Translating Hugh Johnson's pic- you a fair price for your articles

turesque lingo into the kind of lan- which you want to sell us, and we are guage that most of the rest of us use, here is what he means: The enemies of agriculture are strongly organized. price. There are plenty of dealers They work together as a group and get things done. The farmers are not organized nearly so strongly as the other classes, and each farmer is trying to get things done by individual effort-scratching his back against a organized, we can say, "Mr. Lawmak-Don't Cooperate Enough

General Johnson says if he were a asking for justice, but we sure mean

farmer, he would call his buddies to- business when we ask for it. We do gether. In other words, he would call not object to paying our equitable them into an organization of their share of the expenses of government, own, and of their own making, so local, township, county, state or nalems and their own salvation. And more than our share while you allow you can bet that if General Johnson others, with incomes and with intanhad anything to do with choosing an gible wealth as great as ours, to slip organization for farmers, he would by without paying their share." That, choose a fighting organization-which too, will stick-if the farmers stick puts the Farmers Union in line for together. Mr. Johnson's choice.

should engage in a back-scratching able through all these years to manicampaign of their own. He is exact- pulate our money system and therethe Farmers Union, which is the one other kinds of real wealth, come from problems confronting us. general farm organization entirely of, our land. We control the source of by and for farmers. The Farmers wealth, and you control the medium of I believe in the age-old philosophy in old Philadelphia and drove home. only militant farm organization enterms, which are just and equitable, other words a "Government of the going somewhere this week were the tirely free from being indebted, as an we will deal with you." And, believe people, by the people, and for the Shriners, and they had their bells on.

it or not, that could be made to stick, people." These principles must have

Farmers' Responsibility Now, every farmer knows all this could be done. Every farmer, no doubt, wants this condition to exist. Where, then, lies the responsibility? Naturally, there is only one answer: The responsibility lies with the farmer himself. Mr. Farmer, are you going to continue to scratch your own back against a fence post? Or are you going to cooperate with your neighbor and say, "You scratch my oack and I'll scratch yours?"

Calling Farmers Together General Johnson says it looks to im as though the farmer should call has buddies together. You certainly have the opportunity to do that through your Farmers Union Locals. Much more actual progress is made among farmers when they meet in their district school houses and talk over their own common problems, than when they are called together more pretentious meeting place, to be told what they ought to do.

The first step in answer to all this is for you, Mr. Farmer, to join your The cost is small. You who are members, your responsibility is to get your neighbors interested, thus build ing up the membership of your organization.

PRESIDENT'S COLUMN CAL A. WARD

DOES COURT DECISION AFFECT AAA PROGRAM?

President Kansas Farmers Union

Since the United States Supreme inconstitutional, many farmers and

others are asking what effect the decision will have on the AAA program. At this time I don't think any one through. There is one thing reason- The Farmers Union has gone through The only thing that is holding the

sociation, with headquarters in Wash- the nation to study the principles of 000,000,000 of bank money or ington, D. C., the differences among the Farmers Union, and when once checks. Some authorities make this The press quotes General Johnson

The pr selves, and when the Farmers Union Since it was announced several terests, says the General, is: "You fifty or seventy-five percent of the months ago that the wheat farmers

citizens have spoken out boldly. Dan When such a time comes, farmers D. Casement, a prominent and vigorous farmer from the state of Kansas; has been a bitter critic of this program. M. L. Wilson, Assistant Mr. Buyer or Mr. Dealer, is so much. Secretary of Agriculture has, of That is a just price. We have our course, been a staunch supporter of own cooperative marketing set-ups the program and it is my understanding that this controversial subject and Mr. Casement in the near future and that this discussion will be published in Atlantic City, and before sunand that this discussion will be pub- down had driven the different corners lars of unused silver. We could issue make the principal address. However, The farmer, under such a condition, lished in the forthcoming issue of of Manhattan Island and viewed the an enormous sum of currency based County President Hansen asked me to

magazine. to polite language. He asks, "How also together in being opposed to paying you any more than a fair

It is not my intention to justify in their contention. I have only in the beautiful Berkshires in lation as will assist in giving prices Mass., we drove to the Green Mts. at to the American farmer for his commodities that will permit him and his er, we represent the great majority family to enjoy a standard of living in old Williamstown, we drove of voters in this state. We are only equal to any other class of American around Williams College, recalling it

agricultural legislation should be flexible enough to meet emergencies which come to us, some times, almost they could work out their own prob- tional; but we do object to paying over night. I have felt that we were the native state if Calvin Coolidge. going through a transition and an involve many things and, as Secre-When we are thoroughly organized, The General says the farmers we can say to those who have been hould engage in a back-scratching able through all these years to mani-

If our nation goes nationalistic, we ly right. In other words, they should fore to manipulate the resulting have to approach our problems from cooperate more fully with each other; and the only way this is possible is through their organizations. Their most sensibly militant organization is food alathing and a lathing and a l most sensibly militant organization is food, clothing and shelter and various nations, then too, we have grave

Union is not the only good farm or- exchange which people must have in of the "law of self preservation." ganization, but it is the only militant order to purchase the necessities Our forefathers, from the time of ings, the well-kept lawns and the gender of other like farm. Like benefits are which we produce. This bushel of the Revolutionary War, fought, bled eral serenity of the people of old other like farm. Like benefits are washington and Marshall, we'd have tirely upon actual farmers for its wheat, that bushel of corn, this hog and died for the fundamental prinmembership support; and since it and this steer-and all you see here ciples of liberty and freedom. Since does not get any part of its support of on our farms—are worth so many of from any one but farmers, it is the only militant farm organization enterms, which are just and equitable, other words a "Government of the other words a "Government of all taxes."

our citizens' strict adherence.

There is a vast difference in opin ion when it comes to interpreting freedom and liberty, and the method by which these principles must be anybody has seriously proposed to preserved. Millions of our citizens pay the Government a profit for the feel that the old law "of the survival use of its own credit. Heretofore the of the fitest" has broken down. They feel that the strong should not oppress the weak. If we are to have a currency at a cost to them of only social and economic system which is about 27 cents per thousand dollars, fair to all classes of our society, then being the amount that is paid for prewe must have cooperative action on paring and printing the bills notes. the part of a large majority of our people. We must recognize that the day of individualism has passed and fairer representation on the part of the people themselves.

Need Cooperative Action It is my opinion that a large majority of the farmers feel that liberby some outside influence in some Davis, Admiristrator of the AAA, Local Farmers Union and help to continuation of adjustment measures. build up your own class organization. In the referenda 2,400,000 producers

In the recent wheat referendum, all ing the total favorable referenda up to nearly three million of our farm-

As I stated elsewhere in this article, the farmers themselves are vote does not indicate that the farmers are satisfied with every detail of indicate that the farmers are for national agricultural legislation that will put the industry of agriculture on an economic basis with other class-Court decision declared the NRA as es of society, and certainly farmers are justly entitled to this.

Union Plays a Big Part The Farmers Union plays a large part in this program. Most all our can foretell with certainty whether members are agreed on principle. or not the Agricultural Adjustment We may have differences as to meth-Act, as it now stands, will puil od of making the principle effective. ably certain, and that is that in the more than thirty years of experiences long run public sentiment will speak and the foundation is firmly placed. out. If certain principles of the Ag- The reputation of the organization even sounder fundamental principles. than it is receiving today. The urge militant organization; namely, Farmers Union.

> The Cloak Room W. P. Lambertson

> > June 15, 1935

With our immediate objective as West Point, Tuesday morning, with 000,000 of gold left untouched in the pire State.

The two boys whom I had desig-Wednesday. I was proud to see them finish. The exercises were held in the

either Mr. Casement or Mr. Wilson Vassar, we wended our way through mind such sound agricultural legis- ticut. After supper at Stockbridge, Bennington Vt., the home of Ethan Allan, before dark.

Just before leaving Massachusetts, as the place where John J. Ingalls had had his Greek and Latin, the I have always contended that our basis for his marvelous vocabulary Thursday morning, before eating our cakes and Vermont maple syrup, in Brattleboro, on the Connecticut River, we had driven clear across

After a short stop at Keene, N. H. evolutionary period. The new order we proceeded to Concord, Lexington, the board nor the executive commit-Cambridge and Faneuil Hall, then to of things, in my judgment, is forced upon us, whether we want it or not, because of tremendously changing graduate work and hadn't seen it delinquencies to the executive divisworld conditions. These conditions since, and on through the Connection of the Government or to the cut towns celebrating their tercantenary, we pulled up at night in old above the dome of the state capital.

Then yesterday we visited Yale, on our way back through the Bronx.

the pride displayed in paint on build- farms since 1921 and to those who for the Farmers Union. If all Kansas

New England, impressed us most. We touched every state in the of their families. northeast except Maine, and this was

HOUSE COMMITTEES REPORT ON FRAZIER-LEMKE REFINANCE

(continued from page 1)

in the history of this Republic that This profit would keep our schools

open; it would build a network of

broad highways throughout the land: that power which is often brought it would establish and maintain hosabout by wealth must give way to pitals and colleges and libraries. It would reduce taxes. It would help to restore buying power to common people and prosperity to the country. It is not necessary at this time to examine into the propriety of the privilege of issue extended by Fedjority of the farmers feel that liber-ty and independence come about by are in full support of the Fraziercooperative action. According to the bill believe that such privilege is report just given out by Chester C. proper and necessary. It must be remembered, however, that the Federal Reserve banks are private more than 85 percent of the farmers corporations, that they and their who voted for the referendum of the stock are privately owned, and that Government's program for cotton, to-bacco, corn hog voted in favor of their profits go to the Gov-ernment. Why should the credit of the Nation be given away absolutely free? Why should a bonus (interest) be paid to those who receive such largess? Those who believe in this privilege, as well as those who do not, ought to be able to unite in refusing over the United States the program to monopolize it. Those who get it carried by a margin of 7 to 1, bring- are not in a position to claim exissuance of currency based on Government bonds ought not to be a specspeaking out. This large favorable ial one to be exercised alone by those who are affluent. Security regarding such issuances must be guaranteed always; but when this is done the various plans. It does, however, and when safety is assured, why cannot some of the benefits of this privilege be extended to farmers and home

No Dangerous Inflation

Section 9 prevents any undue dangerous or uncontrolled expansion of the currency. Whenever the amount issued under the act shall exceed \$25 per capita, the Treasurer is authoried to retire the notes from further circulation and thus always keep within safe and controlled bounds. And the same section protects against any undue or harmful deflation in providing that the Treasurer shall not be allowed to retire more than 2 percent of the notes in any one year.

On February 28, 1935, there were out. If certain principles of the Ag-ricultural Adjustment Act are de-for getting things done is outstand-466,702,738, being about \$43.07 per clared unconstitutional, these gaps ing. The Farmers Union has never capita. On October 31, 1920, we had will, in all probability, be bridged by received more favorable recognition \$53.21 per capita circulation. Since then it has decreased \$10.14 per capita. Furthermore, in 1929, before the According to the U. S. Press As- is for every farmer in Kansas and crash, we were using at least \$62, (checks, drafts, etc.) than we have

> tion and remedy. has gone from the Treasury is really in Cuba, where it is used as money almost exclusively, and some of it is in other countries which use it in one way or another. A lot of our money has been lost or destroyed in fires and still more of it is hiding in safety deposit boxes and in old socks and mattresses. We can take the \$8,580,-000,000 of gold that is now idling in have a balance of more than \$3,000,-

Let it be remembered that this bill Hobbs, I enjoyed your ice cream and Mr. Casement indicates that it is nated four years ago, were graduat- does not propose to create any new hard to discuss the situation and keep ed from the Military Academy on or additional interest-bearing taxintelligent and regulated expansion. can you use polite language in deal-ing with a subject so cock-eyed and Commander in Chief of the Army.

There are specific limits provided and Commander in Chief of the Army.

Commander in Chief of the Army. While that far up the Hudson we trolled issues of currency. The con- sage. This local is to be congratulated decided to see New England, driving templated issues do not so far exceed on their fine showing. Washington from Poughkeepsie, after visiting our previous desire in real good faith county official Farmers Union Coop as well as to commercial interests.

Machinery Used

agriculture is created consisting of one member from each State. Members will receive \$15 per day and necessary traveling expenses while on official business. They will elect an executive committee of three, each of whom will receive \$7,500 per annum. This executive committee is to advise with the Farm Credit Administration and supervise the work of refinancing farm mortgages. Neither delinquencies to the executive divisin performing the very work that this board and this executive committee

Section 17 extends the benefits of the act to those who have lost their

Provision is made in section 18 for

Neighborhood Notes

June 19th, 1935. Dear Bro. Lynn: I read your editor-Belleville, Kan. who claims to be a "Union Farmer." If he or she is, it is a poor one. Also he or she didn't seem to have nerve enough to sign his or her name. I also heard you broadcast over KFBI the day in mention and I was well pleased with it.
and still more, I'm pretty proud of
our Senators and Congressmen at
Washington who all stood pat on the "Patman Bonus Bill" and the "Frazier-Lemke" refinance bill. We should be proud that Kansas is one of the 14 States that has a 100 per cent sign-up on the Frazier-Lemke petition. And all Congressmen of Iowa (home state of Farmer Henry) are 100 per cent on the petition also.

Now, wise one from Belleville, if you read this be sure and write your Congressman or one of the U. S. Senators and ask for a copy of the hearing on the Frazier-Lemke refinancing bill and you'll find that the Frazier-Lemke and the Patman bills, instead our own stomachs and glory in our of being a raid on the treasury, will be a relief on both the U. S. Treasand lend a hand to our stricken ury and tax payer.

his testimony on the hearing of the price for your products, Frazier-Lemke bill that you can talk to most farmers now-a-days and find out that they are becoming posted on this money question. As for the votes, you'll notice that the three clusive rights in it. Nobody owns a charter right to it. Safety and security being conceded then it must duction Amendment" to the A. A. A. follow that the right involved in the were all sent back to Washington last were all sent back to Washington last November. 47 U.S. Senators must be wrong then. Now Floyd Lynn, don't become shocked at the "propagandist" which means who gives out information."

Here is what mystifies me; I just can't understand how 4,000 farmers would all take a notion at the same time to take a "Pullman" trip to Washington to demand enactment of Amendments to the A. A. A. Is there anything in these amendments that say we farmers will get "cost of pro-duction"? I wonder if "Farmer Heny" told the 4,000 to demand the Frazier-Lemke bill" or the "Thomas-Massingale Cost of Production bill" which the enlightened farmers are demanding through their loyal spokesmen, E. H. Everson and E. E. Kennedy. It is strange we farmers that are not on committees didn't know anything about the march of the 4,000 until they arrived at Washington. Wonder if Farmer Henry was surprised?

Well Bro. Lynn, I have nerve enough to sign my name and want the world to know I am a Union Farmer. provisions: W. H. Pierson, Route No. 2.

SHIPPS' LETTER

Belleville, Kans., 6-11-35

complete organization among them- asked, "Can farmers never agree on choose to align themselves with a times the amount of bank money some most pleasant experiences in on this land this year. both Kansas and Nebraska. On May now. These facts call for explana- 31st we held our stockholders' meeting here in Fairbury. Manager P. D. A goodly part of the money that Peterson gave a wonderful report. We are now exceeding all previous recnot in circulation at all. Some of it ords, in amount of butter churned. is in foreign countries. Some of it is This is especially gratifying when we know the loss of cows and feed created a subnormal flow of cream to other creameries.

I also spoke at a few local meetings in Nebraska, well attended. Then on Monday night, June 3, I had the pleasure of teaming up with Brother Anton Peterson, Block Hansen and Clay Ingman of Greenleaf in a meetthe Treasury and redeem every dollar ing at Brantford. Tuesday, the 4th, at of our outstanding currency and then Greenleaf quarterly meeting, where we had a mighty fine meeting and finer ice cream on the Kansas City the "Country Home," a national farm great city from the top of the Em- upon those \$4,000,000,000 worth of speak until George came. I spoke an

> time. That night Clay Ingman had me go exempt securties. It provides for an over to a point east of Hanover. A crowded house greeted us and Mrs. to restore prosperity to agricultural erator, Anton, was there and gave us some things to think about, too. But best of all, three adult and 28 Juniors were initiated into the good old Farm ers Union. Who can duplicate that? 16 describe machinery and procedure.
>
> The gist of this is that a board of agriculture is constant a board of agriculture is constant.

vant spoke until baout 1:30 a. m., so my good friend John Pecenka advis-Thursday night I again was per suaded by Clay Ingman and Mr. Stet tnisch to attend a fine meeting at Graham Local north of Barnes. In the

meantime I made quite a flying trip

over Washington County, calling on

many other good cooperators. Friday I went to Waterville, Blue Rapids, Randolph and back to a real meeting in the west edge of Marshal Washington county has so County. many Farmers Union members in east half of county that they crowd over into Marshall to have President and act as a go-between. Block Hansen, County President, of Washington County gave us a report on his trip to Washington D. .C. where he was a part of the 5,000 who went to our National Capital to see FDR and some more of our men in AAA. Anyway his report was Brought entirely up to date. interesting. Mrs. Hanson gave us with all the some real things to think about oun changes in. iors and how to teach them to coopwhere the students were participated in given the students were participated in class reunions. We saw the old ent set-up of the Farm Credit Adequate the students were participated in the act because the bill uses the present erate. Her cooperative lessons are taught in the home, the proper place to start.

John Tommer, Marshall County president also attended and pleaded real pleasure to be able to make these meetings. I do not recall the Loca! President's name at Graham, Miles Swoboda presided at the las meeting.

I am afraid to go back near Bremen for a while as all those good people

PIERSON PROUD TO SIGN
NAME AS UNION MEMBER | just had a Buffalo feast. Might be

In conclusion will say for a short time at least my services will be available, if you good Farmers Union ial in the June 13 issue and also the letter from the "wise one" from P. D. Peterson of Fairbury, for such services as I may be able to renier.

The educational feature of our program is much needed and acts as a service station to our activities. dare say, however, most Washington County folks got their fill last week when I was there.

> We need more Coop Institutions. We need more Coop Education. We need more Coop Religion. We need more Cooperators running our institutions.

We need more Cooperators educating our farmers.

Altogether, we greatly need a heap

We only got out of the dust into the mire; much of the country looks beautiful. But let's feel and pull for those who were visited by floods, lost their lives, their homes-and too, several hailed out. Let's not just fill Brothers. Here is wishing each of you The Hon. Wright Patman said in a bounteous harvest, and a decent

> Cooperation is our only safeguard for our future wellbeing. Be a cooperator.

Cooperatively, JUDD E. SHIPPS,

"NUMBER 8" MEETING

A meeting of "Number 8" Farmers Union Local, No. 671, near Marquette, Kansas, was held on May 28. One feature of the meeting was a play given by local talent. A short business meeting was then held, after which Carl Larson, in charge of Workers Education at this Local, introduced Harry Caplan, a representa-tive of the Globe Refining Company

at McPherson. Mr. Caplan gave an interesting talk on crude oil and petroleum prod-

The evening program was concluded with a lunch Albert M. Cedarholm, Secretary-treasurer.

TRIPLE "A" FACTS

(continued from page 1) want more land for corn. Can I operate the land which he must drop without violating my contract?
A: Yes, subject to the following

1. You must not plant corn on this except the acreage available under the contract of the man who was forced to drop it. Corn acreage available under your own contract cannot be planted on this additional

2. You must not farrow any hogs

3. You must join in filing the statement required of a contract signer who wishes to drop part of his 4. You must comply with all other

terms of your own contract.

Q: How soon will the wheat checks

A: Compliancec forms for the majority of Kansas counties will be ready for state checking the week of June 17. After they are checked, they must be sent to Washington. D. C. The transmittal sheets needed to accompany the forms to Washington are expected at the Kansas State College shortly. The time required for checks to be issued after pliance forms are sent in will, of course, depend upon the accuracy of the forms and the amount of facing the aduiting office in Washington. Every effort is being made, both here and in Washington, to speed the issuance of checks to producers in drought areas.

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Juniors from 16 to 21

Juvenile's from 16 to 6

about conditions brought about by the

increasing use of machinery, and, in short, more about the vexing prob-

lems that are coming before the peo-ple on our farms; and when we told

hem that the Kansas Farmers Union was ready to sponsor a definite edu-cational program of this sort, the

KERC folks were ready to "talk tur-

To make a long story short, the

KERC organization went into the thing whole-heartedly, and to much

gatherings later on, and who would

be the right kind of people to help

The result was that a mighty fine

Union Folks In the Institute

The Institute lasted for a month

State Junior Leader nearly all the

Based on Junior Program

As a natural result, when these

Now, as we said in the beginning of

least. Each teacher in this set-up, which the KERC chose to call "Work-

set up to last only until June 15.

again next fall or late summer.

Junior Work Going Ahead

from the classes in Workers Educa-

tion can go right ahead. The Junior

work has been given a great boost by

the program. It can go right ahead. It is started now, and started in fine

shape. We have all been reading

brought their parents into the Union.

folks in the Locals have been coop-

New interest has been kindled in

-old and young. Definite plans are

going ahead to give the young folks

the recognition they deserve in Farm-

ers Union work. Essay contests and speaking contests are being arranged,

which will take some young folks, we

hope, to the state convention, and pos-

sibly to the National Farmers Union

On this, the Junior Page of the

program helps which will give the

its rightful place right at the top.

erating in an excellent way.

convention next fall.

is wonderful, and shows that the

Anyhow, the good that has come

Kansas Junior Leader

WORKERS EDUCATION CLASSES STOP; WORK OF JUNIORS GOES ON

Program Started in Institute and Continued in Community Classes Has
Been of Wonderful Value to
Union

The classes in Workers Education, conducted by those men and women who attended the Workers' Institute some months ago at Topeka, Manhattan and Lawrence, have come to an end. This does not mean that they will never start up again, but means that for the time being, at least, these classes have ceased to meet as classes in Workers Education.

Workers Education was set up in Kansas by the Kansas Emergency Relief Committee. The whole thing has been rather experimental in nature, The classes in Workers Education,

been rather experimental in nature, and was fully intended to be just that.

As a whole, the experiment has been select those who should attend the As a whole, the experiment has been a great success, and the results have Institute, the State Farmers Union been such as to make Kansas a better state than it was. After all, that Unions to name the prospective stuis a pretty good measure of success. dents, and asked the organizations to It was set up to operate until June keep in mind the fact that we wanted 15. with the understanding that it is men and women who would do a good likely to be resumed in late summer job of leading community classes or or early autumn. Farmers Union Responsible

While the project was under the advance the Junior Farmers Union supervision of the Kansas Emergency program, as well as the general pro-Relief Committee, and was financed by funds appropriated by Congress and national. and set aside for just such a purpose, yet the Kansas Farmers Union has bunch of men and women—mostly figured largely in conducting the young folks—attended the Institute. classes or community meetings. It It might be said right here that all was in conjunction with the Kansas who attended were young folks in Farmers Union that the KERC made spirit, although a few of them have plans which set the Workers Educa- had quite a few birthdays. tion in operation. These classes would not have been conducted as they were had it not been for the in-fluence of the Kansas Farmers Un-pretty well known to the readers of ion, and the teachers or leaders who this page. It closed Friday evening, were employed to conduct these class- April 19. Mrs. Art Riley, known for es probably would never have been years to young Farmers Urion folks chosen had it not been for the Union as "Aun't Patience," was on hand as here in Kansas.

How It All Came About Let us go back for a moment and teachers informed as to Farmers Unbriefly review just how it all came ion junior work. A. C. Davis, former about. To begin with, when the Kan-secretary of the National Farmers briefly review just how it all came about. To begin with, when the Kansas Farmers Union delegation went throughout the Institute period, for the Sioux Falls, South Dakota, last fall to attend the National Farmers Union-minded." He also Union convention, these folks from Kansas were amazed to see the progress that had been made by the Juniors of the Unions in other states. In our Local that I think a part of our school, the ladies served delicious pie and purchasing and on many other subjects having to do with the Farminors of the Unions. Cal Ward, president of the Stettnisch tells of the stead of Aunt Patience. She is away to see the program for each meeting shout. Workers' Educational meetings, she all was in every way cooperated to make throughout the Institute days operated to make every phase of it a success. At the close of the business part of our school, the ladies served delicious pie and purchasing and on many other subjects having to do with the Farminors of the Unions in other states.

I was mighty glad to hear from you, and I hope you won't be too disappointed when you see the answer to you, and I hope you won't be too disappointed when you see the answer to your letter is from Grandpa Gus in stead of Aunt Patience. She is away this will be planned soon. We are to They could get up before a crowd of thousands of farmers and could distuss present-day problems just as well as, or better than, the older Lynn, state secretary, also were on

armers Union leaders.

Kansas folks were determined to Farmers Union marketing and pur-Farmers Union leaders. gram. In Kansas, we were among to come before the Institute at varthe first to start work among our jous times. young folks, by devoting a part of The whole set-up was arranged in our official paper to them; but we such a way that a person could not had not gone as far in this develop- go through that Institute without mighty strong factor back of it all, ment as some other states had gone. Naturally, to put over such a pro-

gram requires a lot of work and a wanted to. They all came out of the does not have a lot of money. But old folks, too—in the home communifunds from the Federal Emergency which other states had included in great deal of credit. Mr. Tom Relief Administration had been made their Junior programs. available, to a limited extent, for such educational work. The KERC is the Kansas sub-division, it might be said, of the FERA (Federal Emer- their home Locals or communities, gency Relief Administration). So we and when they started holding regu-went to Topeka and got in touch with lar classes or meetings, they stepped the men in charge of KERC funds right into the matter of teaching the and activities.

Now the Very Stepped are supposed to lay a linger on I think. I am supposed the credit, but it is a fine example of Farmers Union Junior program Some

Now, the Kansas Emergency Relief of the "KERC teachers" became Lo-Committee has some mighty good cal Junior Leaders. Some became men at its head. John Stutz is at County Junior leaders. Others worked the head of the organization. Jay hand in hand with Local and County Besore is in charge of Emergency leaders who had already been apeducation. Mr. Marvin is another of pointed or who were appointed later. the officers. Hans Hoiberg was put on the job to help Mr. Besore. And this statement (which is getting too there are more. We, as representathere are more. We, as representatives of the Kansas Farmers Union, to a close-for the time being, at told of our situation, and asked if we could expect any help from the KERC.

When we pointed out the fact that ers Education," was paid a rather have Locals organized over most small amount for their trouble and we have Locals organized over most of the state and that these Locals work by the KERC. Now this has are, in fact, community organizations stopped, not because it was unsatisof Kansas farmers; and when we factory, but because it was originally told them that we wanted our young folks to learn more about cooperative marketing, cooperative purchasing, more about the monetary system. more about banking and credit, more



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KIMEO JUNIORS WONDERFUL HELP IN REORGANIZING

Mrs. Ruth Stettnisch, Workers' Edu cation Leader, together with Washington County Union Leaders, Getting Things Done

GOOD BANNER SCHOOL

If the Workers' Education program had done nothing more time and expense it has cost. The value of this new leadership cannot begin to be measured in dollars and Now, cents. In many different counties in Kansas, new leaders have come to the front, and old leaders have taken a new lease on Farmers Union life.

In this connection, let the letter of Mrs. Ruth J. Stettnisch of Barnes, Kansas, speak for itself. It is dated June 15, and addressed to the editor of the Kansas Union Farmer. It follows, in part:

a most successful meeting at Kimeo present and the enthusiasm was equal to that of our last meeting at Herynk. As usual the children had a fine prothey are planning to make excellent use of it, because after the lesson, under the direction of Mr. Dan Combow, ahead with the F. U. work. As you know, at one time Kimeo had a muc'i alive local, but of late they have been inactive. I am going to expect a great deal from these people in the future, for as I said, they have excellent talent and are ideal workers. Their new president is Dan McQuillen, a leader, a pusher, and an all around good fellow. I am sure these people could not have made a better fine. We have had a plenty of rain choice. They elected as vice-presi- out here. dent, Mr. Wilbur Martin, and as secretary, Mr. Martin Harr. What I have said of their president, I say of time in order to keep the studentthese young men too. Then as Jun- kid. He doesn't belong to the Club,

good work of Dan Combow, county Farmers Union secretary for Washington county, who did much to push the reorganization work, the election start anew on their own Junior pro- chasing institutions also were invited of officers, etc. She says the same facts apply at Kimeo as at the Herynk Local. Then she goes ahead with: "I believe Workers' Education is

learning a lot about Farmers Union but the organization of these classes principles, even if he or she had alone would be a fruitless attempt, if it were not for such able leaders as good deal of money. The Kansas or- Institute prepared to do a lot toward the McQuillens, the Hogans, and others. And again our County Officers we had heard that in some states, ties a lot about the very subjects son and Mr. Dan Combow deserve a Hogan, of Greenleaf, helped, or rather, is responsible for getting people out at the first meeting, and at one teachers or leaders went back into of the later school he furnished refreshments for the entire school. You see it is impossible to lay a finger on

> "You have given us a great deal of space in the paper already, but if it is at all possible, I hope you will print at least a part of this letter or in some other way print a report of the fact that Kimeo has reorganized and are taking up F. U. work seriously. These good people deserve a great deal of credit for what they have started and I think it our duty to encourage them in every way that we

> > Other Schools

"Our last school at Banner was held Thursday evening of this week. We had, I believe, thirty eight pres-Incidentally, we all hope, and be-lieve, the program will be started The clear weather has made it possible for farmers to get in the fields and they are certainly working late. This is the reason that our attendance was not quite up to normal. We did have a good meeting, how-ever, and Mr. Brooks from Washingon, Kansas, told us something of the Rehabilitation program. Mr. C. G. Steele made some excellent remarks concerning our farm problems and Workers' Education. These people about the wonderful work done in some Locals—how lots of Juniors are looking forward to a continuation (ranging in age from 16 to 21) and of the work in the fall and are planhow lots of Juveniles (from 6 to 16 ning ways of getting people out who need lessons in cooperation. years of age) have joined the Local Unions, and how some of them have

"The ladies of Banner Local thought we should have something special in way of closing this, our made ice cream and the best cake I the hearts and minds of many folks have ever eaten.

"Due to a death in the neighbor hood, we had a poor attendance at our last meeting at South Dane on Friday night. However, we thought it best not to dispense with the meeting altogether. Thirteen were there and made plans for a meeting to be held in two weeks. At this time, they hope to have Juniors and Juveniles Kansas Union Farmer, we expect to continue publishing Junior lessons Junior members have a program Junior members have a program and Juvenile lessons. Publishing of ready, too.

young folks a good opportunity to help in Local meetings and in other ways, will go right ahead. We also want the younger folks to keep right on writing to "Aunt Patience." The letters will be published.

In other words, Kansas Farmers Union folks, both old and young, are used to the meeting these good folk gave them and they are letters as a real Junior program sons I had given them and they are good Farmers Union pame, and use good farmers used to hear from Grandpa Gus instanced to hear from Gr "After our lesson on "A Fight for

"Yours truly,
"Ruth J. Stettnisch."

Juvenile Department

GRANDPA GUS WRITES
TO THE KID MEMBERS

Hello, Farmers Union Juveniles! Hello, Farmers Union Juveniles! This is Grandpa Gus writing to you, and I hope a lot of you will write to me. You have been good about writing to Aunt Patience, and I know she appreciated it a lot. Just now, Aunt Patience is away visiting, and she has her litte girl with her. While she is gone. I am going to try to keep she has her litte girl with her. While she is gone, I am going to try to keep in touch with you. I cannot do nearthan ly so well as Aunt Patience, but I know there is no one who enjoys develop the wonderful new leadership in the Farmers Union which has come to light in the past month or so, it would have been worth all the effort, daddy Gus, and there is no one who enjoys hearing from you more than

Now, you do not know what I look like or anything about me. You did not know how Aunt Patience looked

A Guessing Contest But let's have a little fun. Let's have a guessing contest. You write me and tell me what you think I might look like, and what I might be like "Tuesday night, June 11th, we had headed? Am I fat or thin? Am I an t successful meeting at Kimeo old cross-patch, or am I good na-There were over one hundred tured? Do I wear "specs?" Now, if you would rather, you can draw me a

your pictures, that you draw of me, in the paper—but that's not a promThe young f

picture.—Grandpa Gus.

Dear Aunt Patience: How are you getting along? I am

I have my lesson with this letter. I do not know much to write. know my twin-it is Dr. Brinkley's ior Leader, Mrs. Dan McQuillen will though. He is six and I am eleven. more than fill the bill. At all of the Will you help me find my twin in

stead of Aunt Patience. She is away visiting just now, so I will try to take her place for a while. I will have to look on the records, which I will get before long, to find out when your birthday is—and the birthday of Dr. Brinkley's kid. Then I can look out

for your twin in the Club. Write again, for I want to keep mighty fine people around Allen. I was through there not so long ago. I hope I get to meet you some time. Grandpa Gus.

Dear Aunt Patience:

had the measles yet? There are sure a lot of people that had them, aren't ed towards the good of the Farmers there? My brother Charles has them. and my sister Agnes is getting them, I am sending my lessons for this

month. I hope they are all right. I am sorry I haven't been writing, but I have just kept putting it off. Our school is out. I passed, and my average was 93. Our next year's Have you found my twin yet? I am 9 years old and my birthday is January the 10th.

As news is scarce, I will close. Yours truly, Rosella Konzem.

Dear Rosella. Aunt Patience is not here just now, so if you will not care too much, I start. will answer your letter for her. You the measles in your home. I hope Charles and Agnes got along all right, and that if you did get them, they didn't make you very ill.

We are all sorry you haven't written oftener, but you are not the only one who just keeps putting things around too long. This extra w off. We all do that too much. Even bably keeps you plenty busy.

old Grandpa Gus does that. I was glad you sent your lesson. It am, looks good. That's no wonder, though, when you stop to think that the girl who wrote it ot an average grade of 93. That's a lot better than Cal Ward, president of the Kansas Farmers Union, used to get. But you won't tell Uncle Cal I wrote this will

I do not have the list of members and their birthdays with me at this time but we will be on the look-out for your twin. We'll try to get you last meeting under the present set-up, a good one. Any of them will be so they served two kinds of home-good, because they all belong to our

-Grandpa Gus.

Stafford, Kans., June 4, 1935 Dear Aunt Patience: I would like to join your club. I am twelve years old. My birthday is April 25.

Will you send me a pin?
My brother is 20 months old. His birthday is September 17. Will he be on the cradle roll?

Yours truly, Byron Slade. P. S .- I am enclosing the June les-

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now getting a real Junior program sons I had given them and they are also looking forward to similar schools in the fall.

good Farmers Union name, and we see it quite often in Farmers Union news from Stafford county. I sure hope you will be a good Farmers Un-ion member too, when you grow up.

Thanks for the lesson. Tell me your brother's name so we can place him on the Cradle Roll. And when you write, don't forget to tell me what you think I might look like—or draw me a picture of myself.—Grandpa Gus.

Belle Plaine, Kans., June 6, 1935. Dear Aunt. Patience:

I thought it was about time for me I had better close now. As ever

Winifred Avers.

Dear Winifred: You'll be surprised to read this answer from Grandpa Gus instead of until they finally put her picture in take her place. You are getting well along in school. I take it you are atthough, and that is that I am not nearly so good looking as she is.

Here right now and I'm trying to take her place. You are getting well along in school. I take it you are attending one of the schools in Workness' Education, too. I read about the tending one of the schools in Work- Dear Mr. Secretary: ers' Education, too. I read about the South Haven cyclone. It must have been terrible. Keep on writing to old -Grandpa Gus.

WORK PROGRESSES IN MCPHERSON COUNTY

The following report is from Erland Larson, leader in Workers Education at Marquette, Kansas: picture showing just how you think I might look. Don't be afraid to time and tell you how the Junior pro-At last I shall attempt to take the gram prepared—these people out there have some splendid talent in their community and I am sure that long life, I've learned to appreciate time and tell you how the Junio, promake it homely if you think it might gram is progressing. I should have written sooner but I have been too busy; is that a good enough excuse? busy; is that a good enough excuse? (I hope so.) Recently I attended the honesty rather than flattery.

Maybe, after you all have had a good guess, I'll put my picture in the led at Scandia. The program was exthey elected officers and are going paper. I might even put some of cellent, and lest I forget the ice cream

in the paper—but that's not a promise.

Now, let's see who will be the first to write me a letter, or draw me a was made up of the following: Two Grandpa Gus.

one-act plays; vocal solo, and an imitation of the four Mills Brothers.

Then the Juniors assembled in the basement. After explaining the Junior program and its purpose, we elected the following officers: Floya Rawson, president; Nyla Henderssot. vice president; and Lawrence Schafer, sec

retary and treasurer.
We plan to meet every Tue-day evening as the older ones meet that evening also. At the meeting tonight I am going to try to find out now many are eligible for Junior member-

study "Living with Power and Ma-chines" once a month. We have a program committee and plan to put on a program once a month if possible. If I can get more material I speeches.

At our first meeting there were around 30 present but only about half that number were old enough to be is followed by the general discus classed as Juniors. Our intention is to extend or rather include those who are old enough to attend high school Glen Elder, Kans., June 12, 1935 and the dead line is to be very lenient. We think it very favorable to How are you? I am fine. Have have as many come as possible even you had the measles yet? I haven't.

How is your little girl? Has she bers. That will probably create more bers. That will probably create more

> GOTTSCHALK RECOVERING FROM HIS SEVERE ILLNESS

LaCrose, Kans., Mon. June 17, 1935. Dear Mr. Lynn: Congratulations, Mr. Lynn. You are doing a good job with the Junteacher is the same one, Elva Spears. ior department of your paper. Perhaps you are somewhat amazed to hear from me.

Well, after six weeks of illness with pneumonia, I am very weak and will not be able to do my regular work for at least two months. I regret indeed, that I could not have, or rather conduct. classes as I had a good

I had my schedule arranged ahead seem to be having quite a siege with of time and had it published in the paper, when this came on and tore me down to a mere nothing. The people seemed to take interest in classes and naturally I liked it.

I am able to be up long enough to write a short letter, if I don't fool around too long. This extra work pro-Once again expressing my regret,

Yourc very truly, Marcus A. Gottschalk. REPORT FROM TURKEY CREEK

I am sending a list of the Juniors from Turkey Creek Local No. 1858 I have not collected the 25 cents apiece as yet, because they will not be taken into the Union until June 12. Harold Hoobler,

Loyd Hoobler Dorothy Bernritter Irene Bernritter Mildred Hoobler Raymond Marstall Mary Frances Ronnan We have had one lesson in "I'ower

and Machines," and have started a scrap book. Mr. Brennan from Maple Hill has been appointed county leader from our county (Wabaunsee) and I am very glad to say he is taking a great interest in his work and helping the Local Leader a lot.

Yours truly John Bernritter, Jr.

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RILEY COUNTY IS **MAKING PROGRESS**

Fine Report Comes from Mrs. Dobson Who Tells of Work Done in Cooperation with Vincent Larson and Other County Leaders

PLAN BIG MEETING

program has given her and Vincent Larson (nephew of Gust Larson, Ri-ley County Farmers Union secretary)

I know the Juni from Aunt Patience; but she's not here right now and I'm trying to take her place. You are getting wel! fine job of it. Mrs. Dobson's report

> I remember that at Topeka about the work, but I know we have been remiss about keeping the promise. The work kept us so busy we had no time for letters. But I am getting quite enthusiastic ers, Junior leaders—all of you. about the Junior work and the inter

est the Juniors are taking in the dis-cussion work and in fact in our whole plan. I am writing about our work here in Riley county, hoping others will report on other counties for our mutual good.

The description of good ideas. Please send them either to Vincent Larson, Leonardville or to myself. We will gather all the ideas we can and hope to meet a lot

ized the following: Ashland Juniors, Leader, Aubrey President

Vice President LeRoy Williams Vern Sandell nedy will speak. Secretary Ashland Juveniles. Leader, Sadie Williams. Alvin Williams President Vice President Islavene Stewart

Secretary Reporter . Louilla Bergin Ealinor Williams Walsburg Junior Leaders; Lloyd Pet erson, Pearl Goethe. Esther Ekbald President Vice President Raymond Goethe Lloyd Peterson

....Pearl Goethe Reporter Grandview Local-Leaders, Winston Buss and Marie Nanninga. (I have mislaid my list of class officers.)

Crooked Creek Local-Leader, Alexis Johnson. Alexis Johnson President Vice PresidentViola Roselle

Sccretary-TreasViola Olson Reporter Mildred Yocum Reporter Mildred Yocum Rock Island—Leader, John Benninga (Officers to be elected Tuesday ev-

Here in our county we are hand ling thework something like this: The local president calls the business meeting to order and if there is business for the local to transact that inches thick. Place in a closely covis taken care of, and the meeting ered baking pan. Cover with milk, turned over to the Junior President place lid on securely, and bake 2 (the local leaders working with the hours in moderate oven, 350 degrees. Local Junior officers are planning During the last hour of cooking place think probably we can have debate teams and essay and four minute dent announces the program. Then whole carrots on top of the hand covery the meeting is turned over to Vin- er tightly again. cent Larson or myself for the talk on the subject of the evening which

We have had some outside speakers who were very helpful and intersting. Have had some splendid debates al-

We find the young people, as wel as the older ones, taking an intelligent interest in such subjects as Taxation, Tariffs. Money and the ccurrent top-

ics of the day. I was out in the Arbor community about forty-five minutes longer.

recently and when one of the young men brought up the subject of tariff, I was very glad I had recently devot-ed considerable time to study of that AKING PROGRESS

IN JUNIOR WORK

Composition of Tells of Work Done in Coperation with Vincent Larson and Other County Leaders

ed considerable time to study of that subject or I should have been stumped. Arbor has not yet organized but I hope they will soon do so. Then Vincent and I are planning for a joint meeting at Center Hill, July 2, and we hope they will organize, too. I maintain that where groups of people begin studying and discussing such subjects as our work takes up, and other County Leaders. it is a good thing for the whole peo-

At our county meeting, Vincent Larson and myself, as county leaders, The following letter from Mrs. Dobson, Manhattan, is further proof of the good that is being done within the Farmers Union because of Workers' Education. Mrs. Dobson has been a mighty good Farmers Union worker in Riley county for a number of years. It is fortunate that this new program has given her and Vincent for a joint affair.

I know the Junior work is not yet organized in some of these counties. We are asking that the County Presidents get busy and appoint Junior leaders. We hope to make the rally an all-day affair with perhaps athletic contests in the morning and promised to deluge you with letters speaking contests in the afternoon and a basket dinner at noon. The plans are indefinite as yet and we want suggestions from county officers, Institute members, County lead-

Mr. Walter Brennan, Maple Hill, some one remarked during the meeting yesterday that you would have Vincent Larson and I have organ- of you district members at the Tricounty picnic (Clay-Riley and Pottawatomie) which will be held at Manhattan a little later. The date will be Harold Williams announced through these columns soon, and National Secretary Ken-

> You Clay County folks who did not get to the meeting yesterday—we'd like to have your ideas, too, please. Send them along, all of you folks, for we will need a lot of help.

Sincerely yours for the good of the organization.

Leona S. Dobson. Manhattan, Kansas.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

CREAMED ONION TOPS

3 bunches of young onions

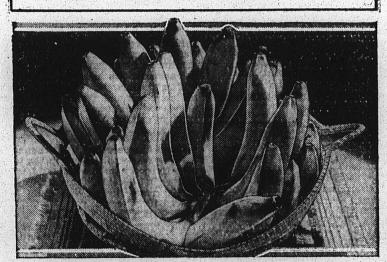
2 cups white sauce Cut the onion tops into 1-inch ieces. Cook the onions in plenty of boiling water (salted) about ten minutes until tender. Add to the white sauce and serve on toast.

Rub 1 teaspoonful dry mustard and 1 tablespoonful brown sugar into both sides of a center cut of ham 2 or 21/2

and makes a whole meal in one dish PEELED BAKED POTATOES

Peel potatoes, cut small hole in each, sprinkle with salt, roll in flour and dust with pepper. Fill holes with onion, place in well buttered baking dish and bake in a hot oven until they begin to brown. Baste with a cup of hot water in which three tablespoons of butter have been melted. Cook for

A New "Interior Decoration" Note!



Learn How to Buy, Store, And Eat Bananas!

GOLDEN bananas in a basket or bowl for your dining or living and each banana may be broken or room table are now suggested by cut as wanted for use. the fashion experts as a gay decoration for modern room interiors. But bananas for our own "interiors"— young or old—have been recom-mended by the nutritionists for

Bananas, they say, look good, taste good, and "do" good, for they contain four valuable vitamins inside their germ-proof peeling, and are rich in fruit sugar and minerals. Do you know how to eat bananas? Choose them according to the stage Choose them according to the stage of ripeness for the purpose you desire, and let the "color signals" guide you. When the banana is yellow with a green tip it is partially ripe. At this stage it is best for cooking as a vegetable; cooking makes it thoroughly digestible and brings out a brand new flavor. When the green has entirely disappeared from the tip, the banana is at the

from the tip, the banana is at the "yellow-ripe" stage and may be eaten as a fruit, may be cooked, or used in pies, cakes, puddings and salads. When the yellow peel starts to turn brown or becomes flecked with brown spots, bananas are fully-ripe and at their best for immediate eating as a sweet fruit. Ripe bananas are thoroughly digestible, are even recommended by doctors for infant feeding.

Buy Them By the "Hand" Know how to buy bananas? Clever shoppers buy them by the cluster or "hand." Bought in this way, the inexpensive banana is thriftier still.

If you buy your "hand" when the bananas are in the green-tipped stage, use some right away for cooking, and then allow the rest to ripen. Never store bananas in the refrigerator; just allow them to ripen at room temperature. When the green tip disappears, you have yellow-ripe fruit ready to eat or serve in your "made" dishes, and when bananas reach their final or fully-ripe stage, they are best for eating out of the skin and for fruit

cups, cereals and the like. There are scores of ways to serve bananas—all the way from the first course at breakfast to the last course at dinner. Here is one new and delicious way:

Bananas Au Gratin 1 cup grated
American cheese 2 theps. lemon juice 6 bananas, cut in 6 or cracker crumbs 6 bananas cut in halves crosswise

Mix grated cheese, crumbs and salt together. Roll bananas in lemon juice and then in mixture of cheese, crumbs and salt. Place in well-greased baking dish and bake for 15 to 20 minutes in a hot oven (400°

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W E Gragg—Henry Co Mo—8 71
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BUTTER AND EGG

MARKET LETTER

By P. L. Betts
Dairy and Poultry Cooperatives

Inc.

The Chicago market continues on the downward trend. The market op-ened 1-2 cent higher than last week's

close but the advance developed to be

Score 21 3-4 cents all down 3-4 cents. NEW YORK BUTTER MARKET

The advance early in the week came as a result of announcement that the Government would again buy substantial quantities of Butter

for relief purposes. However, in the absence of definite information as to

when the Government would enter

the market and what quantities would be purchased, heavy supplies and indifference on the part of buy-

ers forced markets to new lows for

The production trend in all im-

portant areas is steadily upward with outlook for continued good production, in fact the best it has been in

several years. Conditions which only

a few months ago all but threatened

comparatively speaking, is termed a

flood of butter. Movement into con-sumption continues to be disappoint-

ing in spite of lower prices, while the heavy movement of butter substitutes

continues. As a result of these conditions, storage input has been heavy as

shown by the June 1 U. S. Department Agriculture Cold Storage report which follows. While this report

shows less butter in storage June 1st

than the five year average, the difference has been more than offset by the

the season.

The New York market showed

CHICAGO BUTTER MARKET

s at present.

only a flash, lasting but one day. Extras closed at 23½ cents, down 1 cent from the opening; Standards 23 cents, 89 Score 22 1-2 cents, 88 The New York Egg Market which

strength early, the week opening 1-2 ands closing at 25 to 25 1-4 cents, cent higher than last week's close, Firsts 244 1-4 cents. While receipts of

but declined as the week progressed. fresh eggs are showing some increasextras finishing the week at 24 1-4 cents, down 1 1-4 cent.

The advance of the week progressed fresh eggs are showing some increases in the increase in the statistic fresh eggs are showing some increase in the statistic fresh eggs are showing some increase.

a butter famine, have suddenly chnged into favorable producing conditions that have resulted in what, June 1, Five Years Average 43,654,-

movement into storage since June 1st.

Although total imports are less, foreign butter still continues to come into this country with quite liberal Harvest time is a happy time on ali

CHICAGO EGG MARKET

There has been but little change in the Egg market here during the week with Extra Firsts closing at 23 cents,

Firsts 23 1-4 cents. Current Receipts

has for sometime been relatively higher, shows declines of 1 cent and 1 1-4 cents for the week with Stand-

Firsts 244 1-4 cents. While receipts of

cal position continues favorably as shown by the June 1st Cold Storage

report.
U. S. COLD STORAGE HOLDING
FROM DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE

Butter, Creamery June 1, 1935—lbs 33,086,000; June 1, 1934, 27,161,000; June 1, Five Years' Average 35,403,-

Cheese, American, Lbs., June 1, 1935, 48,273,000; June 1, 1934, 58,073-000; June 1, Five Years Average, 48,-

Eggs Shell cs. June 1, 1935—6,366,-000; June 1, 1934, 7,819,000; June 1,

Five Years Average, 7,655,000.

Eggs, Frozen, lbs—June 1, 1935,
June 1 Five Years Average 97,552,000

Poultry Frozen lbs—June 1, 1935,
—48, 311,000; June 1, 1934, 39,790,600

Cream Frozen 40 per cent June 1, 1935, 126,000; June 1, 1934, 120,000.

On 10 Gal cans 20 per cent, June 1, 1935 3,000; June 1, 1935 3,000; June 1, 1934, 3,060.

Dairy and Poultry Cooperatives, Inc.
A. W. Seamans, Asst. Manager.

THE FLUSHING BAR IS
HELP TO NESTING BIRDS

hay will soon again fill the country side. Mowing time is at hand. And so

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	C B Schiersch—St Clair Co Mo—9 78	8.25
	Mike Zungs—Chariton Co Mo—10 67	8.25
	John Cunningham—Franklin Co Ks—13 80	8.25
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quantities received at New York last farms, but to many of our unfortunate week. Announcement that the Governground nesting feathered friends, it is ment would buy butter again for re-lief purposes has had a stabilizing ef a season of grim tragedy. Meadow that your own Local gets on this list fect on the market, and without this. larks, bobwhite quail, ringneck pheasthe market would (we feel very con- ants, and even wild ducks, suffer sefident) be considerably lower than it verely from the destruction of themselves and their nests and babies

tors respansible are entirely beyond our control. But we can control to a substantial degree the destruction caused directly by mowing.

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The American Game Association, of

BANG'S DISEASE CONTROL DISCUSSED IN BULLETIN

partment of Agriculture has prepared a mimeographed circular.

Dr. W. E. Cotton, superintendent of the Bureau's Experiment Station at Bethesda, Md., author of the pamphlet has included such information as the channels of infection, the effect of the germ on the animal and fect of the germ on the animal and the unborn calf and methods of dealing with infected herds.

ing with infected herds.

The pamphelt was prepared particularly for the information of veterinarians, county agents, and livestock breeders who desire the latest sccientific facts concerning the disease and its eradication. Copies of the pamphlet, which contains 5 pages, may be obtained on request from the Bureau of Animal Industry, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Wash-

100 Locals

Below are listed, by counties, the Farmers Union Locals of Kansas vhich have, to date, reported and paid the dues of all members who were paid up for 1934. Watch the List Grow—and HELP IT GROW. See as soon as possible.
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patch of protective vegitation.

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