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# **Benefit Plan Is Applied To Hogs**

Government Starts Wednesday of this Week Paying Premiums on Light Hogs, Pigs and Sows; Program on Until

### PRICES TO FARMERS ARE UP

October 1

Sows up about \$4 per Head Under New Schedule; Pigs up from \$3 to \$4 per Hundredweight; Forerunner of Permanent Plan

By the time this issue of the Kansas Union Farmer reaches its readers, the federal govern
Therefore austeward of the Farmer which had been discovered as the federal with a feeling of relief by Kansas farmers.

It has formerly been hinted that the government, because of an old law which had been discovered as the federal with the government, because of an old law which had been discovered as the federal which had been discovered as the federal government. ment will have entered the hog ers Union Live Stock Commission Co. which had been discovered on the statute books, would be forced to markets of the nation, with sub- should continue to market their hogs withhold from wheat farmers, out of stantial premiums to be paid on through this firm. If in doubt as to their benefit checks, any amounts pigs and on sows about to far- any particulars, appeal by letter to they might owe because of feed and row. Wednesday of this week, your own Farmers Union marketing seed loans previously made, and now August 23, has been announced kets involved. as the day when this emergency hog plan goes into effect. This stockyards under supervision of a program will last until October government inspector, who will see that the stockyards under supervision of the northern states, entered a program will last until October government inspector, who will see

emergency plan, meant to be effective with a more permanent plan to be announced later, involving both corn and hogs and control of production of

The government's program of buying these certain classes of live pork will begin in the six Midwest stockyards; those at Chicago, Kansas City, Omaha, South St. Joseph, St City, Omaha, South St. Joseph, St Paul and Sioux City. Other markets will be entered about next Monday according to the announced plans. The Chicago market is made the basing in weight it is avalaged. point, with prices at other markets in weight, it is explained.

tural Adjustment Administration, na announced some of the particulars of slaughter them. the campaign, which is designed to take up 5,00,000 pigs and 1,000,000 weighing from 25 to 100 pounds and sows due to farrow soon and weigh-

nounced and will be in effects The following prices have been an- whereby enough pigs, light hogs and nounced and will be in effect as soon

as the program starts: Pigs weighing 25 to 30 pounds \$9.- fall and winter markets between 600,-50 per 100 pounds; 31 to 35 pounds, 000,00 \$9.25; 36 to 40 pounds, \$9.00; 41 to pork. 45 pounds, \$8.75; 46 to 50 pounds, "Th 000,000 and 700,000,000 pounds of live \$8.50; 51 to 55 lbs. \$8.25; 56 to 60 lbs, \$8.00; 61 to 65 pounds, \$7.75; with result of this emergency program, may amount to as much as 1,800,000a decrease of 25 cents for each successive five pounds of weight, so that pigs in the final class—weighing 96 to 100 pounds—will be bought for

Prices at the five other markets will be 40 cents a hundred pounds lower the usual manner, but the edible porthan those at Chicago because of car- tion will be kept out of the norma rying charges, with price differentials channels of trade. That will be availfor the rest of the livestock centers able to relief agencies for consumpto be announced later.

The market price, plus a \$4 premium, will be paid for sows. The usual market. The inedible portion will be "dockage"—a deduction of 40 pounds made for sows which are due to far-row soon—will not be made when the The secretary stated that to segovernment buys, Thorn said. To a funds for this part of the hog program market price of \$3.25 a hundred, this it will be necessary to levy a proces-

ould add \$1.30.

One important announcement which "At present market prices, the tax will be well received by the farmers would have to be sufficient to bring in who produce the hogs specifies that about 55 million dollars," he stated the hogs will be sold through the reg-ular channels. They will be sold through the stockyards at the points purpose, but it is impossible at this time to state the figure with any exmentioned, by the regular commission firms, it is understood. Farmers are to avoid selling to speculators who come to their farms expecting to buy the pigs and sows at such a price that make a late planting of the early they can make big profits on them by spring vegetables such as spinach, selling them, in turn, through the reg-ular channels. These special benefits ually mature before frost.

Grain purchased by the cooperative,

# WHEAT ALLOTMENT CHECKS ARE NOT TO HAVE OFFSET

Definite Announcement from Secre tary Wallace's Office that Wheat Producers Who Qualify for Benefits Will Get All of Check

### HEED F. U. PROTEST

Farmers Simply to be Urged to Apply as Much as Possible on Past Due Government Obligations, Says Washington Statement

Definite announcement from the office of Secretary Wallace of the department of agriculture, to the effect that wheat producers who qualify for benefit payments under the wheat acreage adjustment program will receive their checks without any off-set for government indebtedness, will be received with a feeling of relief by be received with a feeling of relief by

the government, because of an old law firm at Kansas City or the other mar- due. However, as was pointed out in these columns last week, the Kansas

that no runts are included, and that test. Other organizations also joined Government officials, in announcing this plan, make it plan that it is an emergency plan, meant to be affect come greatly inflated in value. Roughly, the farmer who has 15 pigs within the specified weight limits.

port that the matter has been straight- approximately six and one-half times gazination among farmers has been Precautions will be taken to see that the U. S. Department of Agriculture, amounted to \$313.59, according to C.

issued directly to wheat farmers.

A government processor's tax will concerning governmental indebtedness per cent higher commission schedule." derstood. Further details will be given later. The proceeds of the tax are to the two cases. be used in carrying out the program

> security of seed, feed and other loans month period of the two years figures from the Farm Credit Administration 4.61 per cent, whereas the decrease (continued on page 2)

sows due to farrow, will be purchas-

ed from farmers to remove from the

"The total reduction in tonnage for

the 1933-1934 marketing season, as a

000 pounds of hogs, live weight," Sec-

Pork To Relief Agencies

tion by families in need, possibly to

so handled as not to interfere with the

The secretary stated that to secure

"A tax of considerably less than a

cent a pound would accomplish this

Late August is a good time to

Inland waterway facilities of the

He believes the system will have a

Farmers National Shows Loss

An operating loss approximating son the leases on about 23,500,000 half a million dollars, after deprecibushels of that space were not reation and reserves, was reported to newed, in view of the short crop, the

stockholders of Farmers National general manager said. No important Grain Corparation in Chicago on purchases of facilities were made Tuesday, August 22, by George B. during the year, he observed, although

Milnor, vice-president and general new leases were made at Chicago and manager, covering the fiscal year end-

ed May 31 last. It was the fourth its marketing service in Iowa terriannual meeting of the corporation.

and that handled on a commission corporation will be used increasingly basis, totaled 160,754,732 bushels. The

volume of grain originated by stock- since the opening in June this year of

holders of the corporation exceeded that of the previous year, Mr. Milnor channel, between Peoria and Chicago.

Among factors adversely affecting wholesome effect on the whole grain earnings, Mr. Milnor mentioned the price structure.

small profit-margin in grain during the major part of the year, due to low prices; unusual business hazards, fices have been eliminated, requiring

such as the banking holiday; and the a smaller personnel than heretofore;

in suspending the Updike Grain Company, a subsidiary of Farmers National, from clearing house privileges after having denied such privileges to define the company and the current such after having denied such privileges to describe the current such as the content of the chicago Board of Farmers and other adjustments have been made which should enable the corporation to conduct its business profitable and other adjustments have been made which should enable the corporation to conduct its business profitable and the conduc

to the cooperative in its own name.

Country and terminal elevator space controlled by the cooperative passes late in 1929, to and including the close of the last fiscal year, net earnings have reached 72,000,000 bushels during the

action of the Chicago Board of Trade and other adjustments

fiscal year, but for the current sea- liberal reserves, Mr. Milnor of

"The animals will be processed in

retary Wallace has announced.

### NO "PRESIDENT'S COLUMN THIS WEEK

Due to the fact that C. A. Ward, President of the Kansas Farmers Union, was called to Chicago this week to attend to duties in connection with his position as Special Regional Assistant for the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, wheat section, there is no "President's Column" in this week's issue of the Kansas Union Farmer. Mr. Ward expects to be able to continue writing this column most of the time he is employed in this special work, but it is not surprising that there should be a week or two when his many duties may make it impossible. We shall look forward to a report from him next week under the familiar heading, "The President's Column."—The Ed-

# FIRM AT ST. JOE MAKES BIG SAVING

Saved Approximately Six and One-Half Times as Much This July as in July, 1932, Although Slight Loss for Seven-Month Period

### COMMISSION RATE CUT

Manager Schwab Expects to Better Last Year's Patronage Refund Payment, and Could Now Pay

Last week we were able to report that M. L. Wilson, chief of the wheat section of the production division, and where between \$10 to \$45 for the bunch. Sows about to farrow will jump in value from around \$4 to \$5 per head.

Last week we were able to report that M. L. Wilson, chief of the wheat section of the production division, and Secretary Henry Wallace, were doing all they could to straighten this matter out. This week we are able to report that the matter has been straight.

Around 35 Percent

With net savings in July, 1933, of \$2.090.51, the Farmers Uniin Live Stock Commission of South St. Joseph, Mo., showed an increase of port that the matter has been straight.

Chicago market is made the basing point, with prices at other markets in proportion.

C. B. Thorne, field representative of the hog-corn section of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, has advised the Secretary that government in weight, it is explained.

After the hogs are weighed under require benefit payment checks to figures a comparative net savings depayment check to figure a comparative net savings of the various farm organizations not require benefit payment check to figure a comparative net savings of the various farm organizations not require benefit payment check to figure a comparative net savings of the various farm organizations not require benefit payment check to figure a comparative net savings of the various farm organization and the secretary that government in weight, it is explained.

In this seven mont the seven mont of units of unit periods," says Manager Schwab, "con-"The difference in methods of sideration must be taken of the fact with sock other to the fullest extent of the fact with sock other to the fullest extent of the fact with sock other to the fullest extent of the full of th handling wheat and cotton checks that we operated the first five "piggy" sows. These include pigs the benefit payment program, it is unin reference to benefit payments in In this connection, it is interesting to note that the decrease in the per-"In the case of cotton, part of the centage of savings for the first six-

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### RESPONSIBILITY **MUST ACCOMPANY**

Farmers Union is Here for Farmers to Use in Bettering Their Condition, and Responsibility is

### WHY JOIN THE UNION

of Appreciation for Accomplishments Already Attained

In a radio talk over WIBW, Topeka radio station on Thursday evening, August 17, Floyd Lynn, secretary of the Kansas Farmers Union pointed out several reasons why affiliating with the Kansas Farmers Union is the logical thing for Kansas farmers to do. He predicted that the time will come when people generally who do business with farmers will insist that the farmers they deal with shall be members of a farm organization such as the Farmers Union. He based that prediction on the fact that people will learn that organized farmers make for a better agricultral class and that a better agricultural class insures a better Kansas. The text of his talk

For a few minutes this evening, I want to plead the cause of cooperation and organization among my own culture in Kansas means a better kind of people—the farmers of Kansas. It means better business, betsas—with special emphasis on the work and influence of the Kansas I hope, and believe, the day will

The first organization among farmers known in Kansas existed before Kansas was a state. That was when those pioneers, who came out here to conquer a raw land, banded themselves together to protect themselves from hostile tribes. From that, time on down to the present, the need for orever present. However, we do not need to band together now to protect ourselves against Indians. Those we must now are much more savage than the facility with the lack of it will seem

### gether, we have accomplished some great objectives for farmers in this state. We have been able, as a class, to unite our voices into one common demand for the things we deserve and must have. Our success with legislation at the 1933 session of the Kansas Legislature is a shining example and needs no further comment.

Here to Stay

as they should in every instance, but there is every reason to believe that this condition will be corrected in a

very short time. Officials and leaders

in the Kansas Farmers Union are go-

ing to make it possible, by means of a membership drive, for every farmer to have an opportunity to join this,

the emphasis we know how to use, on

sas should use his or her influence to

way with this fighting farm organization. No one but farmers are eligi-

ble for membership, with a very few

mers Union. That fact, however,

Farmers Union. A better organized

agriculture means a more prosperous

agriculture. A more prosperous agri-

culture in Kansas means a better

farmer be identified with organized

Membership in the Farmers Union is

This may sound like a wild predic-

When our public becomes educated

along these lines sufficiently, the need

for farm organization will be so ap-

of us have learned a lot about differ-

prother, the National Recovery Act

are both component parts of a great

cooperative move which is almost as ig right now as the nation itself.

do business with, the shops we patron

when we are demanding that others

cooperate, whether they are in our own line of business or not. Then is

it such a long step to that time, or

that condition, when people are going

to demand that all farmers be in step

with their own cooperative organiza-

Campaign Approaching

joy a larger membership than any other such organizeation. They are not

going to join just to be joiners. They

are not going to join simply to have

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is sufficient unto himself.

agriculture.

the minds of all Kansas farmers.

Cooperation and farmer organization are here to stay. After farmers have found out what the Farmers Union means to them, they are not going to do without it. It is true that they do not support it as vigorously Theirs to Accept

n Radio Talk, Secretary Says Many Farmers Will Join Out of Sense

their own militant organization. In fact, the necessity of having every farmer lined up with the Farmers Unspecial exceptions, in the Kansas Farshould not keep other people, in other walks of life, from doing all in their power to further the interests of the

Farmers Union.

only foster cooperation within their ing in grom wihout the state of Kan- others. We have learned that no man sas from time to time and try to disrupt the harmony between Kansas farm organizations.

Because of the willingness of Kansas farm organizations to work to-

## **JOBBING ASSN.** HANDLING BIG LINE OF GOODS

Monthly Bulletin, First Number Which Appeared in August, Acquaints Managers and Patrons with Wide Variety of Lines

### LIST OF COMMODITIES

Patronage of Farmers Union Jobbing Association Aids in Matter of Increasing Volume, Resulting in Better Contracts

In order to acquaint Farmers Union managers and dealers in Kansas better with the Farmers Union Jobbing Association and its line of merion is going to be impressed, with all chandise, the Jobbing Association has started publication of a monthly bulletin, the first number of which ap-In this connection, I want to say peared in August. The bulletin calls that every business man and every attention to the fact that he Jobbing professional man or woman in Kan-Association, through its Merchandise Association, through its Merchandise Department, is able to fill the wants get farmers to line up in a definite of all cooperative dealers along many and varied lines, and at cooperative

> Harry Witham, manager of the Farners Union Jobbing Association, has the following to say in the August bulletin:

"Our merchandising department was created several years ago to furnish managers of elevators and stores with carlot merchandise comparable in quality and price to any legitimate competition. We have from time to time been adding different items, and just in case you have not had time to I hope, and believe, the day will read our ads in the Kansas Union come when any good Kansan dealing with a farmer will insist that that you would take a few minutes of your time now and read what we have to say about some of our products. We have tried to tell you a little about our not only advantageous, but it is to be insisted upon—not only by farmers, but by others.

This may sound like a wild predicThis may sound like a wild predic-

Some of the information carried in tion, yet I believe it will come to pass. It is but a matter of eduction. the August Bulletin shows to Farmers Union members and patrons of Farmers Union stores, elevators and business associations a list of products handled, together with the manufacturers of the various items. The list

foolish. You must remember that all lers, etc. Manufactured by the Co-

Tires, Tubes, Gas, Oil and Grease.

Union Oil Co.
Field Seeds. Furnished by J. G.
Peppard Seed Co.
Stock Salt. American Salt Co. We have a great example of this Coal. Furnished by Southern Kan-sas Deep Shaft Mines. Oklahoma, Cotruth, or these truths, in a nation-wide movement now on foot. The Agicultural Adjustment Act and its twin

lorado and Pennsylvania coals also handled. Commercial and Mixed Feeds. Nu-

Cod Liver Oil. National Oil Products Poultry and Stock Preparations. hnson Laboratories.

Nearly every one of my listeners to-night is insisting that the stores we Binder Twine bearing Farmers Unize, the newspapers we read, the pub-lic transportation facilities we use, in on brand. Furnished by the Kansas fact, that all enterprises with which we do business, shall be in step with State Penitentiary.
Tankage, Meat Scraps, Bone Meal, or Blood Meal. Manufactured by and this great national cooperative move-ment. The time is already here, then

(continued on page 4) WIBW RADIO SCHEDULE

The schedule for the regular Farmers Union broadcasts over WIBW Capper Publication Radio Station at Topeka, includes the following:

August 24, Rex Lear. August 31, Union Oil Co. September 7, F. U. Stock Commis-I spoke earlier of an approaching September 14, F. U. Cooperative campaign in which all Kansas farm-

ers are going to be asked to join the Farmers Union of Kansas. Farmers Creamery. These programs begin at 7:30 o'clock each Thursday evening. are not going to be asked into this organization simply that we may en-

HEAR LEAR ON WIBW Readers will be glad to know that Rex Lear, prominent Farmers Union insurance man in Kansas, will Kansas farmers are going to join the Kansas farmers are going to join the Kansas farmers Union because there is a real necessity for it. They are going to join because farmers Mr. Lear will deliver an interesting simply must get together and stick and enlightening talk on the above and act together in order to hold their mentioned radio station during the own with other classes of people who do organize. They have to get to-

# How You Can Help

The foundation is always built first.

Study your own community and its needs with respect to carrying on a successful membership drive. Figure up a list of those men and women who should be members. Write their names on a slip of paper, and keep for your own use later on. Compare your list with other members' lists.

Plan a local campaign. Then when the campaign actually starts, you'll have something to go on.

Any suggestions you have will be gladly received by your state sas Farmers Union, Salina, Kansas.

Remember, you have as much responsibility in the coming campaign as any one.

Remember, Secretaries, that you should be sending in any dues you have already collected, since there will be no advantage in holding memberships until after the drive is actually started.

THERE'S A REAL NEED FOR THIS MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN—HELP MAKE IT A GOOD ONE

THERE'S A REAL NEED FOR A BIGGER AND BETTER **FARMERS UNION IN KANSAS** 

The one we have has done much good; but our job is so big and important to farmers that we need thousands more members.

WILLINGLY DO YOUR PART

# -Now

Not all the work of a membership campaign is done after the start of the campaign has been announced. Much of the work necessary consists of getting things ready.

officials. Send them in to Floyd H. Lynn, State Secretary, Kan-

## Plant 80 Percent Of Average

Growers who plan to sign wheat the amount of wheat the contract almay go ahead and plant at least 80 lows farmers to plant, Mr. Davis ex-

tration, announced this week.

Mr. Davis made it plain that although allotments are determined at 54 percent of adjusted five-year averages for the period 1928-1932, acreage reduction for 1934 is limited to 20 reduction to be asked by Secretary of Agriculture Wallace, August 24.

If the cut in acreage is as much as 20 percent, Mr. Davis explains how this would operate for each 100 acres of average past production. Under

tion under the contract.

The Administration has received many inquiries from farmers who in-terpreted the contract provision to or any other crop he chooses. If less

percent of their average acreage from 1930 to 1932 without conflicting with percent of their average acreage for the wheat allotment contract, Chester the wheat allotment contract, Chester the base period. The total planted acreage is limited only by the percent. the Agricultural Adjustment Adminis- age of reduction to be asked by Sec-

percent of the average acreage plant- the contract, a farmer would be reed in the base period. The percent-age of reduction asked for may be less than 20 percent, however. The Administration has set up a replace-ment-crops section to deal with the percent of the wheat contract against planting the contract, a farmer would be re-quired to plant at least 54 acres. Twenty acres would be taken out of cultivation. This 20 acres is the only land upon which the restrictions of the wheat contract against planting problem of land taken out of cultiva- other surplus or nationally sold crops would apply.
On the remaining 26 acres, the

mean that restrictions on planting than 20 percent reduction is anland retired from basic commodities nounced by Secretary Wallace, that applied to all land above the 54 per-would leave even more acres to planted at the farmer's discretion.

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membership drive throughout the ing to be given the opportunity to do the farmers of this state and of this state. The preliminary response has his or her bit. been generous and encouraging. Mem- This should be, and will be, good bers have written in and have ex- news to every good Farmers Union pressed their pleasure over the pros- member. Every one who is a good pect of a good membership drive. member wants as many other farmers

In a very short time, your officials in the organization as possible. Every expect to be able to announce the de- good member is thoroughly convinced tails of the drive. Thorough organi- of the great good to be accomplished zation of working forces, which most by membership in the Farmers Unlikely will have connections with var- ion, Every good Farmers Union memious Farmers Union activities and en- ber knows full well what a blessing terprises, will be perfected before the organization among farmers amounts

cals which are best organized before opportunities for good will come in the drive will be in a good position to greater numbers. present circumstances, just as a rain getner for mutual protection and mutual progress, just as our forefathwait until the drive is announced to paign has a great purpose prompting dry spell. send in any memberships. An added it. It will not be put on just because member is much to be desired at any Farmers Union officials are ambitious Kansas community as it should demember is much to be desired at any to be able to say: "See how WE inpends on those communities themganization right now as just before creased the Farmers Union member- selves, and on each farmer in those the close of the membership cam- ship." In the first place, it will not many communities. paign. There should be no letting up be the officials who are responsible. Be ready to do all you can in your paign. There should be no letting up be the officials who are responsible.

of effort on the part of any local or either for the success or failure of your community. What is better, joining a militant farm organization any member, as far as membership such a campaign; but the present start right now in your own way, to work is concerned, at this time. Sec- members and friends of the organi- build your membership. Send in all work is concerned, at this time. See- members and friends of the organic the dues you can, for they are sorely retaries are urged to send in reports zation shall have that responsibility. the dues you can, for they are sorely es when they attempt to act or live regularly, along with any dues collected. Again, let it be known that is to improve the effectiveness of the there will be no advantage in holding most valuable asset the Kansas farmmemberships back until the drive is er has. By that, of course, we mean announced.

In Rooting Section, or on the Team? As has been said, the initial response to the proposed membership campaign has been generous. We are all assured of a good rooting section.

In all contests in sports, such as base ball, football, or other such games, a good bunch of rooters who will cheer on the team to victory, is much to be desired. A group of people bunched together and cheering lustily for one certain team is referred to as the

contest is the group which has the however, they have gained through ficiently well organized class of peoresponsibility and work of winning organization, and that thought must ple. the game.

Farmers Union member is going to ganization is the type sponsored by have an important place on the Farm- the Kansas Farmers Union. ers Union team that plays this forthcoming game to be known as a "membership drive."

The local member is going to have memberships—either new or renewed considerable help in this campaign, memberships. but the idea to be expressed is that if Proceeding on that basis—which the member doesn't do his or her part, certainly is a fair basis—the Farmers just that much of the campaign for Union urges any farmer who upholds

which seek only to exploit him.

dorsement must come through added

the principle of cooperative marketing to come to the active support of the militant farmers' organization which has done more than any other organization to develop cooperative farm marketing. Farmers Union cooperative institutions have taken the lead in bringing to Kansas farmers the advantages of cooperative marketing along many lines. These Farmers Union institutions have grown because they were-and areright. They have forced other institutions to narrow their margins, and give more to farmers than they otherwise would have done.

Have Taken the Lead

The Farmers Union has taken the lead in demanding just and equitable laws which have a tendency to improve the lot of the average farmer. This is true in a national scope as well as in state-wide extent. The Farmers Union has had influence of such magnitude that it cannot be Akron, Colorado measured. For instance, take the policies long advocated by the Farmers. Union with respect to agriculture's rights, and compare them with laws that have been finally adopted. These laws did not merely happen; they came about because of long exerted influence from some source. The Farmers Union has been the leader in that influence.

> The Farmers Union has not reached its goal. It has merely started. It has a long way to go, and the traveling may be rough. It still has the Frazier Bill to enact into law. This will be done only by intensively and nancing measures are enacted and put into effect. The frame work is aready built, but it is going to require concerted effort, which can be supplied only by a thoroughly organized Farmers Union, to fill in the frame work so it will work to the real benefit of the farmer who needs it. The approaching membership

drive-or, perhaps, we should say the membership drive now on-is being conducted for no other purpose than to build this great fighting unit of members will fall flat. No one is go- farmers up to the effective strength ing to be asked to do anything un- which will get all these things ac-The announcement has gone out to reasonable. No one person is going complished. Keep in mind the fact the effect that the Kansas Farmers to be required to give unreasonably of Union is soon to conduct an intensive his or her time. But every one is gono other purpose than its benefit to

Time to Do Your Part

The necessity for a great fighting, unified group of farmers under one common heading, is greater now than ever before. Likewise, the opportunities for real good to be accomplished by such a union are greater now than ever before.

Therefore, this drive or campaign, which should reach into every Kansas community, is the natural result of to. Every good member also knows It is well to remember that the lotain sense; rather it has come upon us as something greatly needed under present circumstances, just as a rain gether for mutual protection and mu-

Whether it shall reach into every

F. W. Peck, Cooperative Bank his own militant class organization, the organization which gives him a Commissioner, who will be the genvoice with which to demand his neces- eral supervisor of the twelve regional sary legislation, the organization cooperative banks to be established which gives him some power over the in the twelve Land Bank districts, apmarketing of his own products, the parently needs some pointed insafeguard his own collective interests. his recent statement printed below organization which he must have to structions along cooperative lines, Other classes have such organizations, is a criterion of his innermost feel- and vigorous cooperation of other and the farmer, it has been learned, ings.

In this connection, this paper must have such an organization or be eternally under the thumb of forces wishes to say again that the matter of effective and equitable farm fi- wise not have been brought here. The nancing measures have not yet been wheat program, it must be remem-Even with an organization not a obtained, and should stand as one of bered, third as large as it should be, Kansas our Farmers Union objectives until really wins the game. It helps, but farmers have given a good account of obtained. Such measures can be obreally wins the game. It neips, but larmers have given a good account of the team out there in the field of themselves. What they have gained,

All of this brings up the question: ple organization is splendid—but not forms the subject of this comment, enough. Passive organization is good has to do with his unsympathetic at--but not as good as active, militant titude toward cooperatives which em-Farmers Union custom—the good organization. Active, militant or- ploy what is commonly known as the The Farmers Union has proved its with a bit of comment by A. W. Rickworth many times. Now it is asking er, editor of the Farmers Union Her-

for endorsement of its actions. En- ald, published in St. Paul, Minn.: isting, no loans will be made to cooperatives that employ the check-off system or specifically require their individual members to pay dues to any general farm organization. This policy essentially says that business coop-

GET IN THE PROGRAM

Kansas farmers have, or soon will have, the opportunity to sign applications for wheat allotment contracts. The Kansas Farmers Union carnestly urges all its members and friends, who are qualified, to enter this great plan. It is to be the means of bringing many millions of dollars into Kansas. Do not hold back if you do not happen to understand thoroughly every little detail, but be assured that the administration of this great movement is in the hands of friends, and that the ultimate benefits will make your participation in this program one of the things you may be proud of for the rest of your lives.

eratives should stand on their own feet and general farm organizations should likewise maintain relations with their members wholly independent of operating cooperatives. Where members of cooperatives voluntarily support general farm organizations, this policy does not apply."

Mr. Ricker's comment follows: Many Farmers Union cooperative enterprises and in all states, have written into their by-laws dues-check-off requirements in connection with patronage dividends. The same is true of the Farm Bureau. With the practices of the Grange we are not so familiar. Cooperative enterprises which owe their existence to the Farmers Union or Farm Bureau educational organizations, should by every rule of good business and of cooperative education, support the parent which

gave them being. Why should, therefore, a governmental department set up to assist and promote cooperation, refuse loans to cooperative enterprises which pay dues by means of the check-off to the parent or educational organiza-

Many sound reasons may given for the dues check-off and it seems to the writer, at least, that not a single good reason may be given to the contrary. Cooperation is something more than mere temporary dollars and cents as Wallace points out in his address to the same convention.

The educational values and the social values of cooperation exceed the temporary return to the farmer in savings. There are times when a cooperative enterprise may not be able to make savings for patronage dividends but educated cooperators stick to cooperation regardless of dividends. When no dividends are available, there is no check-off but when available, the parent organization, on whose shoulders rests the burden of education, is entitled by every right to the check-off. Both the cooperative and the parent organization are benefit-

ted by the check-off. And we repeat, if a cooperative chooses to use the check-off why should a government agency discriminate and say, "No, you may not have a loan if you check off dues to the Union or the Bureau.'

RESPONSIBILITY MUST ACCOMPANY ORGANIZATION

(continued from page 1) ers did when they banded together to protect themselves from the Indians. Kansas farmers are going to join this most militant of farm organizations because they are daily learning the lesson of cooperation and organization. It is going to be more and more, the popular thing to do. More and more, people are learning that the mercy of adverse and vicious forc-Thousands of farmers should join

the Farmers Union if for no other rea-

son than a sense of justice and gratitude. It is well known to every one in the state that the adjusted benefit payments in cash his fall and next spring, to come as a result of cooperation in the wheat allotment program as provided under the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, will if come as a direct result of the efforts operatives. This one thing alone will bring millions upon millions of dollars into Kansas, that would otheris only one of several which will bring wealth to the farmers of this state. A program looking to bringing hogs, corn, dairy products,

riculture, in the final analysis, will be responsible. Countless farmers should join the Farmers Union because they want their children to grow up in the propdifferent from other people. They are lify for benefits will be made out to statutes. This committee is studying ther today than at any time in Americal and the control of are, and should be, considering the welfare and the future of their chilwelfare and the future of their childron They are accessed and not be made jointly payable to the actions that are necessary to some of the actions that are necessary to some of the actions that are necessary and the farmers and the Farm Credit Adthe statement in question, together all proud of their children. Farmers when they grow up. We can not very will insist, or even recommend, that our children engage in farming or producing of food products as their life work if we cannot very governmental indebtedness of farmers eral has advised that a law calling for down in our own Farmers Union or ganization. I'll do my part. Let that two tail lights and a reflector on the proceeds as they see fit. The Farm rear of motor vehicles, did not apply the slogan of every member.

Credit Administration is asking that to private passenger cars, this law to insure the future of farming so our children engage in farming or products as their life work, if we cannot hold out some promise of betterment, or improvepromise of betterment, or improve- as much of the proceeds to

ment over conditions as we have seen them in the recent past. The Farmers But there is no compulsion about it in Union offers just what is needed in either case, except that as to cotton this regard.

When you get vigorously into the Farmers Union work, which is pure cooperation, you will be imbued with yours that there is a way to save the farming industry; that there is indeed hope for the agricultural class of folks, and that there is a way to save the farming industry; that there is indeed hope for the agricultural class of folks, and that there is a way to save the farmers and the Farm Credit and to guide state regulations.

A number of small reduction of folks, and that there is great need for active minds and willing hands on farms. If you can get these young folks interested in this great organization, and increase your own interest, your problem is solved.

F. U. LIVE STOCK

FIRM AT ST JOE

(continued from page 1)

ber approximately 35 cents out of ev-

ery dollar of commission paid to us.

A careful study of this report is

urged on the part of every farmer

who has live stock to ship to market.

This certainly is a conclusive answer to the question, "Does cooperative marketing pay?"

CAPITOL COMMENT

Latest State News-Special From

Topeka

By Special Topeka Correspondent

Investigations into the bond forgery

scandal seem to reveal no end of schemes practiced by Ronald Finney

in selling and duplicating bonds or

gy of speculation. Personal checks

were cashed through the state treas-

ure's office in large amounts, and methods of clearing allowed consider-

able use of state money. Warrants as

well as bonds were forged. The total

is mounting steadily. Fred M. Harris,

Ottawa, Governor Landon's special in

vestigator, his assistants, Don Little

and Hugo Wedell, and federal inves-

tigators are unearthing more evidence

each day. S. M. Brewster, United

States District Attorney, who took a

about Finney's Washington contact

man. Arrests so far include Ronald

Finney ,Leland Caldwell and T. B. Boyd, state treasurer.

followed delivery of the governor's

message in which he urged the legis-

lative council to take prompt action

part of state officials. The governor

tige, personal connections or influ-

ence would not protect individuals,

state employees, or offices from a

A special sub-committee consisting

of representatives who are members

of the legislative council was appoint-

ed to study the evidence which may

more state officials. This committee

special prosecutors, and is expected to lay the foundation for impeach-

W. C. Fink, Fredonia. This committee

peachment actions. Offices under in-

vestigation are the state treasurer,

state auditor, attorney general and state superintendent of public instruc-

has stated that the state treasurer,

since August 15, is expected to com-

time this week. Banking legislation,

repeal and beer bills, measures enab-

ling the state and its political subdi-

visions to take advantage of public

works money and various "curative

measures" will be ready for action

and fix a tax on volume sold. The council also has adopted a bill provid-

undoubtedly be acted upon by the spec-

One of the new committees appoint-

undoubtedly be adopted.

when the legislature is called.

was appointed at request of the gov-

Atchison; Matt Guifoyle,

as early as April.

advised the council that

political pres-

trip to Washington, is expected to

finds us closer to our goal.

We must be able to point to definite improvement, and that improvement must come from within the industry of farming itself. We must be able to point out to our farm boys and girls that the relationship of farming to society as a whole is on an equal basis with that of any other industry. We must be able to show them that we are able to organize ourselves into working units of cooperation, that we can act together under a powerful militant organization which is respected by other industries and by the government itself.

Organization, such as is sponsored by the Kansas Farmers Union, is the salvation of the farming industry. It is the thing which is destined to elevate farmers to that plane of living which is enjoyed by other classes. It is the thing which we can offer our children as a definite forward step. Through the Kansas Farmers Union, we, as farmers have the opportunity to build not only for the present, but for the future.

Any organization or any unit of society, if worth while, must build for the future. Any nation must do that very thing, else it crumbles and vanishes. When this country was founded, the welfare of posterity was in the minds of those who laid the foundations for a great government destined to be a dominant world power. When the Farmers Union was first set up, those men with vision thought not only of themselves and of the immediate present, but they thought of the welfare o ftheir children and their children's children in time to come.

Farmers in Kansas, you now have the opportunity to support a great cooperative farmer's institution, rich in influence and power for good. When you give this organization your support, you are not only affecting your own welfare, but you are building for your children—you are building for the future. What interest have we that is paramount to the interest we should have in our children's welfare?

Our Responsibility Science and invention, together with intensive research work, have given us machines with which we are able to do much good. We can now travel from continent to continent, over great wastes of water, more handily than our forefathers could traverse a hunour forefathers could traverse a hundred miles or so. We have machinery which makes it possible for us to harvest our crops with ease and efficiency. We have machines which can process raw materials into food and process raw materials into food and geries and unfaithful activities on the geries and unfaithful activities of the geries and unfaithful activities and the geries and the ger vearing apparel with very little effort. We have machines that fabricate other machines, which are put to thousands of uses.

comes added responsibility. These modern inventions are placed at our ment. lisposal with the distinct understandng that we are to put them to good use. We violate our trust if we fail to make good with these blessings of cience and invention.

Likewise, we as farmers have had lead to impeachment trials of one or placed at our disposal a great organization known as the Farmers Union. is taking evidence from the governor's It is the instrument with which we can go ahead and accomplish that which we have prayed and worked for during a seeming endless period of time. It is the power with which we can attain equal rights and privileges with the company of society. It is the with other groups of society. It is the united voice with which we can make Clarence G. Nevins, Dodge City; and our just demands in Washington and in Topeka, and make them heard.

Likewise, too, we as farmers must accept a responsibility in connection with our acceptance of this great miltant agricultural agency. It is here for us to use in bettering our conditions, and our responsibility charges us to make use of it.

Therefore, I appeal to you, not in my own name or right, but in the name of our class of people-agricultureto accept the responsibility that is unmistakably yours, and to affiliate yourself with the Klansas Farmers Union. If you stand for better condi tions, you will know you should join: If you are satisfied to let things drift and to take the crumbs thrown from the tables of other classes who are organized and strong, then you will not be interested in joining the Farm-

Do what you know to be the right hing to do. The dues are small, and the benefits are too big o measure.

WHEAT ALLOTMENT CHECKS ARE NOT TO HAVE OFFSET

(continued from page 1) is destroyed when farmers who sign a portion of their crop. Hence checks to cotton farmers having such loans than one-half of one per cent of alco-purchase going higher, is not parity, up in the cotton campaign plow under will be made jointly payable to them and the Farm Credit Administration as announced Tuesday by Governor Henry Morgenthau, Jr.
"In the case of wheat, however, the contract with the Agricultural

Adjustment Administration does not require farmers to destroy any portion of their crop. Hence the se-curity of government loans in the case of the wheat farmers is not in any way disturbed by their contract. Therefore, Secretary Wallace said,

"Essentially there will be little difference in the method of payments since in both cases, so far as strictly governmental indebtedness of farmers list concerned farmers and the little difference in both cases, so far as strictly governmental indebtedness of farmers list concerned farmers and the little difference in both cases, so far as strictly governmental indebtedness of farmers list concerned farmers list the little difference in the method of payments law governing regulations of motor vehicles. Although the attorney genwelfare and the future of their best ministration. dren. They are going to do their best ministration. "Essentially there will be little dif-

debts to the government as they can. The amendment has been drafted and

Banking laws will be modified and the council has adopted a measure to where private interests are involved reorganize the state banking board in the governmental claim, the di-vision of the proceeds will be the suband the state supervision over banks. vision of the proceeds will be difference ject of negotiation. The difference will be that in the case of cotton liens. A new, non-political board would be will be made jointly pay-

A number of small reductions in gas, electric and telephone rates and a special regulation for trucks haul-ing inflamable material were announced by the state corporation commis-sion. Gas rates in a number of small MAKES BIG SAVING towns were reduced as much as 40 for the first seven-month periods of the two years is only 1.82 per cent. "As we have stated in your paper before," writes Mr. Schwab, "we fully expect to better our last year's petron cents in a few cases and 25 to 15 cent reductions were made in a few other instances. One telephone company has cut 25 cents a month from its charge expect to better our last year's patronfor rural subscribers. The regulation age refund payment. Each month will ask all trucks hauling gasoline and other inflamable material to stop, "Percentage of patronage refund look and listen before crossing railfor the first seven months of this year figures 34.44 per cent. If we would road tracks. close our business handled this year on July 31, we would be able to pay

### back to each farm organization mem-

JOINT PICNIC AT GARNETT

Francis R. Kelley, secretary of the Anderson County Farmers Union, writes that the farm organizations of Anderson county are going to hold a joint picnic at Garnett on Saturday, August 26. This should be a good meeting and it is believed a big crowd will be present.

WASHINGTON COUNTY MEETING

Washington County Farmers Union will hold the regular quarterly meeting at Cyr Pavilion in Greenleaf, on Wednesday, August 30. The meeting will be opened at 1 o'clock in the

in selling and duplicating bolids or afternoon.

getting money to use in his wild orgetting money to use in his wild orge A. Ward will speak at 3 o'clock. Every one is invited

J. T. Poland, County Secretary

BIG BRANTFORD MEETING

A rousing meeting of Brantford Local is announced to take place on Saturday evening, August 26, near Clyde, Kansas, in a picnic grove. The grove is located as follows from Clyde: eight miles north, four miles east, and then one mile south. At that uncover some interesting information corner turn right then drive in the

first driveway to the south. Mr. John N. Holmberg, secretarytreasurer, announces there will be a short program of local talent before Governor Landon has received scores of telegrams and letters from over the state commending his vigorover the state commending his vigor-ous activity in investigating state ofcipal speaker. Floyd Lynn, state ficials, and in pushing the arrest and punishment of individuals involved. Editorials in scores of Kansas papers

A large crowd is expected to attend this meeting.

STONE LOCAL MEETS

Stone Local 792 met Thursday August 17 at the cross roads to be one mile north of the Stone school house. A very interesting meeting was held, although there were only eight present. They adjourned and decided to have the next meeting when the rest of the members were interested enough to attend.

M. E. Thomas Cor. Sec'y.

LINN CO. PICNIC AUG. 26

The Linn County Farmers Union picnic will be held Saturday, August 26 in the high school park at Parker, Kansas. You are cordially invited to bring a basket dinner and enjoy a day of education and pleasure. F. C. Gerstenberger, Pres. V. F. Carrico, Sec.

LETTER FROM SHIPPS

Belleville, Kans., Aug. 20, 1933 Dear Cooperators: The drive for membership will soon be on, in fact should always be on.

members so as not to embarrass sen-ators who might have to sit in on imanywhere until organized. Since March 4th we have seen drastic measures attempted and put into tion. The attorney of Thomas county effect. No doubt much good has been most important industry, agriculture, state auditor and attorney general all has been permitted to wallow in de-

knew something of Finney's activities spair too long. A few weeks ago our president asked every citizen to get back of the The legislative council, in session Recovery Act. Meetings National Recovery Act. Meetings were held in every city, town or vilplete its work of preparing for a lage, throughout our entire nation, to adopt codes relative to their varspecial session of the legislature some ious activities, many put extra men to work which was fine.

We all went home satisfied we had entered a great cooperative plan to eliminate as far as possible hardship on those out of jobs which was a wonderful spirit. However the lights were scarcely turned off the halls Two beer bills will undoubtedly be where meetings were held, when we submitted to the special session. One found Mr. Farmer with a further debill prepared by the legislative coun- pressed produce market. Many seccil would make it illegal to sell, man- tions of our country depend on ufacture or possess any spirituous, cow and the hen for their weekly purmalt, vinous, fermented or other in- chases of necessities. That, in face of toxicating liquors containing more every commodity the farmer must

hol. Another measure prepared by the council would make it legal to sell 3.2 In other words commodity prices beer, and would impose a license fee were up before the laboring men had a job before the manufacturing costs were affected, and last but not least, ing for conventions and a special election on repeal. All of these bills will protect himself. I have not changed my opinion for several years. Nameial session. One of the beer bills will ly, we will have no prosperity of lasting value until Mr. Farmer does receive the cost of production plus a

reasonable profit. This is no time to lay down on the ed from the legislative council is a committee on enabling the curative job. Mr. Farmer can be heard farthe necessary amending and curative actions that are necessary to some of the acts adopted by the last session portunity of a lifetime has come. Our state and national leadership have thrown their all into this program. We should show our appreciation by ing up the truly great principles laid



# Tunior Cooperators nt Patience

I wrote to one of the Juniors a cou-

Your Junior

Dear Mary: Well, I had just about

Dear Aunt Patience:

be 10. Can we be twins?

ine months.

sunflower will win.

named "Tommy."

though I've found one with a birthday

several days ahead of mine. I'm eag-

er to find one with a birthday on

or close to that age on August 30.

August 30 and who will be 14 years

I have a gray kitten whom I have

I wish to ask you to put my cousin Anne Herman, aged 4, whose birthday is on July 12 on the Cradle Roll.

You promised you would publish the Cradle Roll, but I haven't seen

it yet.
Oh! what suspense you have kept us in, because of the essay contest. I didn't get a prize, but I was mighty

pleased to be on the "honorable men-tion roll." That was a remarkable

idea, to bring up about the essay con-

test. Even if some were disappointed they received the benefit of exercise

by writing, education and brain work.

We need something like that during vacation to keep our brains from get-ting "rusty."

In telling a story at bedtime, my

nephew, Donald, gave the following

description of a man: "Once there was a man, real small, as big as a house

Dear Isabel: First of all, you know what I've said before about long let-

Your niece, Isabel Herman.

named "Tuffy" and a black and white

dress, so I can write to him:

to him. Will you please find his ad-

Well news is scarce as hen't teeth

Your niece,

Madeline Neustrom.

Mary H. Arnoldy.

HOW TO BECOME A MEMBER OF THIS DEPARTMENT

Any boy or girl between the ages of six and sixteen, whose father is a member in good standing of the Farmers' Union, who writes a letter for teasing you? I'll be glad to add Anne's member in good standing of the farmers' union, who writes a letter for the Cradle Roll and I think publication, can be a member of this department, and is entitled to a pin name to the Cradle Roll—and I think The address to which all Juniors should send their letters is: Aunt Patience, were so many deserving essays—and in care of the KANSAS UNION FARMER, Salina, Kansas.

Dear Junior Cooperators: This week I'm going to tell you about something I saw at Akron, Ohio, which although I never won one in my life. will probably interest the boys in our We'll certainly have to find your twin will probably interest the boys in our We'll certainly have to fire to write Club, more than the girls. It's the right away—and don't forget to write to review the facts upon which the essays were written. That was a very the control of the contr the airport, in which two of our large government zeppelins were built and housed—the "Akron," and built and housed—the "Akron," and Dear Aunt Patience:

| Aunt Patience | Club, more than the girls. It is soon again. Aunt Patience. | Club, more than the girls. It is soon again. Aunt Patience. | Club, more than the girls. It is soon again. Aunt Patience. | Club, more than the girls. It is soon again. Aunt Patience. | Club, more than the girls. It is soon again. | Club, more than the girls. It is soon again. | Club, more than the girls. It is soon again. | Club, more than the girls. It is soon again. | Club, more than the girls. It is soon again. | Club, more than the girls. It is soon again. | Club, more than the girls. | Club, more the "Macon." Of course we all know about the disastrous end of the first ten you, but I haven't mentioned ship. The "Macon," its Is it hot in Salina? sister ship is not in its hangar at present, but is absent on naval duty.

The dock itself is huge—1,175 feet long and more than 200 feet high. The long and more than 200 feet high. The floor space is eight and one half acres in extent and it is the largest ple of times.

When will be our next lesson? for support. Ten foot ball fields will close so I can mail this. could be laid out within its walls and within it could be placed the Washington Monument and the Woolworth building, at the same time! So that you can get some idea of its heighth given up hearing from you again—
it is about equal to a 22 story and I was glad to get your letter. I've apartment office building. Each half not been in Salina for about a month, door at the end of the hangar weighs but according to reports I get from 6 tons, but can be opened and shut at there, it's pretty het! No, it isn't cost of only one dollar.

The airship itself is the largest in the summer has gone quickly, hasn't a cost of only one dollar.

500,000 cubic feet. Its nearest rival, the "Graf Zeppelin," a German ship, has only 3,700,000 cubic feet. Its length is 785 feet and it is equipped length is 785 feet and it is 685 feet and it is equipped length is 785 feet and it is 685 feet and it is 685 fee with eight engines, with 4,480 horse power! The maximum speed attained is 84 miles an hour and its cruising range without refueling, at a speed of 50 miles per hour, is 10,580 miles. Five aeroplanes are carried and

operated from this ship, while in flight. Helium gas, which is non inflammable, is the only gas used. The huge hangar is empty now, the only things within it being thousands and thousands of bales of raw rubber, hand thousands of bales of raw rubber. The huge hangar is empty now, the which have been placed there by the Billy, Betty and Felix. Two of our the tropics and bear the names of "Produce of British Malaya," and so

of course, in its raw state, is very queer in appearance. To me, this man-made marvel is worthy to be classed with the wonders of the world and I know that not soon so will close. shall I forget the sight of the huge ship's graceful flight, as it soared effortlessly into the sky.

Aunt Patience.

on. And the rubber itself, which is

JUNIOR LETTERS

Dear Aunt Patience: I received my wrist watch yesterwrist watch.

I suppose you think I am a little two kittens you lost and I wish I the Junior Page this winter—and for Cucumber Oil Pickles a wrist watch.

slow in writing, but didn't have much time to write until now. It makes it ing. I've made a note of your vote. interesting to all those who like to Aunt Patience. be in a contest, anyway I sure enjoy

I congratulate the other winners of Dear Aunt Patience: wrist watches and those who won the other prizes. Yours sincerely

Norbert Arnoldy. P.S.—I haven't found my twin yet. I am one. Most of us will be busy My birthday is February 24 and I am 14 years old.

Dear Norbert: I'm so glad that you liked your wrist watch-I thought it was very nice, too. Your essay was very good and you deserved one of



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7208. Ladies' Morning Frock Designed in Sizes: 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50 and 52 inches bust measure. A 46 inch size requires 414 yards of 35 inch material. For contrasting material 14 yard. Price 15c.

7943. Girls Dress
Designed in Sizes: 8, 10, 12,
14 and 16 years. Size 12 requires 2% yards of 35 inch material. To finish with bias binding requires 2% yards 1% ing requires 2% yards 1½ inch wide. Price 15c.

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Order patterns from Aunt Patience, box 48, Safina, Kansas.

ters-I like 'em! And the other Jun about the decrease in letters this winters, won't be realized. For it doesn't take very long to write, now, does it? And we could all find a few minutes once a month or so, to write to the club and its members—as well

as for the lessons. The sunflower has many more votes and I've added yours. I hope you'll find your twin soon-I'll surely do my best to help you. Yes, indeed, I'd love you can't imagine what a hard task the judges had, to decide which ones should receive the prizes. I don't think any of the Juniors who entered the contest without return, regretted doing so for I think it did us all good vivid description of the man-perhaps Donald will be a writer! Little children say the funniest things-I wish I suppose you think I have forgotmore of our Juniors would tell us about the amusing remarks of their Is it hot in Salina? It sure is hot brothers and sisters. Perhaps we'll have a contest on that, some time! Aunt Patience.

Cawker City, Kans., Aug. 5, 1933 Dear Aunt Patience: Johnnie and I received our gifts We thank you and Mr. Lynn. We thought they were very nice. We had an inch of rain this morning.

Did you get any rain? It was sure a nice rain. We have our plowing all done. They will now get a little rest. Is guess I had better close for now.

Your little niece,

Johnnie and Louise Brinker. Dear Johnnie and Louise: I'm glad you liked the things we sent and I the world with a gas volume of 6, it? Did the Junior to whom you want to congratulate you both on 500,000 cubic feet. Its nearest rival, wrote, answer your letter? We're gowinning two of the prizes. Rain is

> How are you? I am just fine and Cawker City, Kans., Aug. 5, 1933 hope you are the same. I am writing Dear Aunt Patience: I received the fountain pen and to tell you that I vote for the forgetme-not for flower and colors blue and pencil set and surely wish to thank yellow. My little brother, Marvin is you for it. I have written several letjust fine. We have a new little calf. ters, including this one with the per Her name is Pansy. Marvin calls it and it writes excellently. I am proud

Every time I use it I think of the Goodyear tire manufacturers. These bales are just as they were sent from bet he is cute. I found my twin. His well I was repaid for my efforts. name is William Brechieson, His It has been fairly cool here for the strange places printed on the sides. birthday is September 9, 1933, and so past few days. We had a small-rain is mine; but he will be 11 and I will this morning.

I lost his address, so I can't write tury of Progress?"

Are you going to visit "The Century of Progress?" Again I wish to thank you for the fine combination set. Your nephew

Rarold Runft. Dear Harold: I thought you would like the pen and pencil set-they're Dear Madeline: I enjoyed your let always useful, I think. Your essay ter and I'm fine, too, thank you. I showed that you had spent serious have bad news about Bosco. He thought on it—that was one of the slipped through the back door one reasons why it was chosen. I spent Tipton, Kans., Aug. 10, 1933 night and some dogs in the neighbor- several days at the "Century of hood killed him. I felt very, very Progress" and plan to stop again bad about it—he was so sweet and he in the fall. I wish everyone could see. day and I sure think it is a dandy. I seemed to understand everything said it especially every young person-for apples. Cut celery. Combine ingrediwas sure surprised to find my name to him. Yes, I think you and William a think it would prove an inspiration. ents and cook chutney until it is thick in the paper as one of the winners of are very well "matched"-I'll find his Remember now, you must use your and clear. Pour immediately into

> Aunt Patience. El Dorado, Kans., Aug. 2, 1933. Dear Aunt Patience:
> How are you? I am fine. Hope you Ellis, Kans., July 17, 1933 are the same. It sure has been hot here. Has it there? We got a little School will soon start and it won't be long before a decrease in letters shower this afternoon. I washed my dress with my pin on it and when will be found on the Junior page, which will disappoint many of whom bees "behind a desk, if our teacher will take business arithmetic ,home you know how easy it is to put off pour over cucumbers. Add olive oil writing, don't you. I haven't got a economics, English and perhaps spelletter from any of the Juniors yet, but ling, to busy myself with the next hope to soon. I think the sunflower is Speaking of club flowers and colors, a good club flower, because it is the why not vote for yellow and brown Kansas flower. I will be glad when school starts. Will you send me your since Sunflower petals are yellow, picture, please. I think it is fun to and the center brown. I am sure the have contests. Although you are disappointed sometimes, it is fine. Well, I haven't found my exact twin al-

my letter is getting long.

Tell all the Juniors hello for me. I would like to haar from some of them. I will answer all the letters I get. Bye-bye Betty Corfman.

I will exchange pictures with any-I also take music lessons on the piano and I think it is an interesting project.

Aunt Patience, do you mean to say

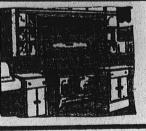
You may have been an interesting project.

Aunt Patience, do you mean to say

You may have been hot in Salina, too. That's a pretty good recommendation for our pin, isn't it?

I'm glad it wasn't spoiled. Yes, inyou may have had your picture in the paper? I haven't seen it I am sure! You are teasing us—I'll bet. If we were to come to Salina yould we get an introduction? We may have a great supplied and to say it is to "put off" things—I think most everyone has that failing. I hope you'll hear from some of the Juniors soon—and I think it's a fine idea to exchange pictures. I've not had a ricture to We may have a great surprise some pictures. I've not had a picture tak-Aunt Patience.

WOMEN



RECIPES

Here are recipes which should be clipped and saved and ready for the hour when needed. The spiced vinegar recipe is one that every housewife wash and pick over grapes. Reshould know if her family is fond of move from stems and drain. Press

sweet pickles, or fruits and vegeta-Spiced Vinegar 1 quart vinegar, 1 cup sugar, tablespoon cinnamon, teaspoon allspice, tablespoon white mustard seed, more paraffine when cold. teaspoon cloves, 1 teaspoon salt, Mix ingredients, bring to boil and pour over pickles.

4 quarts choped tomatoes and peel ed tomatoes. 2 cups chopped onions. 1 cup chopped sweet red peppers, 1 cup chopped green peppers, 1 small hot, red pepper, 1-2 teaspoon salt,

3 tablespoons salt Pepper. 1-2 cup sugar, 1 tablespoon white mustard seed, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, teaspoon allspice, 2 1-2 cups vinegar.

Combine the vegetables, salt and sugar, and cook until the mixture begins to thicken, then add the vinegar and spices, and cook until the mix ture becomes a thick sauce. Pour into hot glass jars and seal immediately. · Chow-Chow

Chili Sauce

2 quarts green tomatoes, 12 small cucumbers, 4 green peppers, 1 small head cabbage, 1 cup salt,

quart string beans, gallon vinegar, tablespoon celery seed, tablespoon mustard, tablespoon allspice, tablespoon penner, 1 tablespoon cloves,

Shop together tomatoes, cucumbers, peppers, cabbage, onions and string beans. Let the mixture stand in a covered enamel pan overnight. Place mixture in a pan with alternate layers of salt, using 1 cup salt, reserving enough salt for top layer. Let mixture stand 12 hours then drain. To 1 gallon vinegar add 1 tablespoon each of celery seed, must ard, allspice, pepper and cloves; heat to boiling point, add vegetables and cook mixture until tender, hot jars

and seal at once. 24 ripe tomatoes, medium size, 6 onions, medium size, 3 red peppers,

3 green peppers, 12 tart apples, 1 cup celery cut fine, 2 quarts vinegar, 3 cups sugar. Salt. Chop vegetables first and then the

200 cucumbers, 6 small onions 1-2 cup celery seed, 1-4 cup black pepper. 1-2 cup mustard seed.

T cups sugar, 8 cups cider vinegar, 1 cup olive oil. Wash cucumbers and slice thin it was ironed it was found. It was not Slice onions. Soak overnight in brine hurt a bit. I haven't found my twin strong enough to float an egg, made yet, but my birthday is October 4. I of eight quarts water to one quart prefers to call us just that. I will be will be ten years old. I haven't writ- salt. Drain but do no wash. Boil freshman in high school. I think I ten to you since I got my pin, but vinegar, sugar and spices together

> Grape Conserve. Five pounds grapes, 5 pounds sugar, 1 box raisins, 3 oranges, 1 cup

nut meats. Wash and pick over grapes. Press pulp from skins and cook pulp until until the green tomatoes turn white. seeds are free. Rub through sieve to remove seeds. Put skins and pulp with oranges cut in thin slices, sugar and raisins into preserving kettle Cook 15 minutes and add nut meats Cook 10 minutes longer and turn in to sterilized glasses. Cover with para-ffine and when cold cover with a second layer.

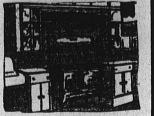
Grape Relish

Five pounds grapes, 2 1-2 pounds sugar, 2 cups vinegar, 1 tablespoon cinnamon, 2 teaspoons cloves, 1 teaspoon allspice, 2 teaspoons salt.

Wash grapes and remove from stems. Press pulp from skins and cook pulp until seeds are free. Rub through sieve to remove seeds. Put pulp, skins, day, as theex to cmfwyp mfwyparara day as to the explanation you are to Aunt Patience.

Soon

Aunt Patience.



half hour. Pour into hot sterlized jars and seal.

Grape Butter Five pounds grapes, 4 pounds su-

pulps from skins. Heat pulp to the boiling point and cook slowly until seeds are free. Rub through a sieve to remove seeds. Cook skins until tender, add pulp and sugar and simmer for 15 minutes, stirring to prevent burning. Pour into sterilized jelly glasses and cover with paraffine. Cover with

Any variety of grape can be used for juice and preserves. Naturally the Concord makes a rich colorful prod-

Squash Cooked in Butter 2 pounds crook neck, patty pan or Italian (zucchini) squash, 2 tablespoons butter,

Wash and scrape squash, cut into pieces, discarding seeds, if large. Melt butter, add squash and salt, cover and steam until tender, stirring oc-casionally. Add a little water, if necessary. Sprinkle with pepper and

Green Apple Pie Rich pastry.

One quart sliced green apples, One and one-fourth cups sugar, Two tablespoons flour, One-half cup grated cheese, Two tablespoons butter,

Cinnamon or nutmeg, if desired. Roll out rich pastry and line a pie plate, Exclude air. Mix sugar, flour and a sprinkle of salt, then combine with sliced apples. Mix gently and place in crust. Dot with butter. Roll out top crust and sprinkle with cheese. Fold and roll to incorporate cheese. Place a tablespoon of water in the center of the pie, sprinkle with cinnamon or nutmeg, moisten edge and place top crust. Press edges firmly together and decorate. Bake in a hot oven for about ten minutes, then reduce heat and bake more slowly until apples are tender and juice which boils up is clear. Cool for serving.

Apple Raisin Pie 1 3-4 cups soda crackers, 1-3 cup butter, 1 tablespoon sugar,

1-4 teaspoon salt, 2 tablespoons water Filling

2 cups thinly sliced cooking apples, 1-3 cup raisins, 2-3 cup sugar,

2 tablespoons butter, Cinnamon

Roll biscuit fine and mix with onethird cup softened butter, one tablespoon sugar, salt and water. Press two-thirds of the mixture in an even layer against sides and bottom of buttered pie plate. Mix apples, raisins. two-thirds cup of sugar and lemon juice and put into cracker lined plate. Dot with butter and sprinkle with cinnamon. Press remaining crust out in a flat round cake on a piece of waxed paper, and invert on top of pie and remove paper. Bake in a hot oven (42-degrees Fahrenheit) for fifteen minutes, reduce temperature to moderate (375 degrees Fahrenheit) and continue baking for fifteen minutes more. Makes one 8-inch pie.

Mustard Pickles 1 gallon green tomatoes, cut into

6 green mango peppers. 6 red mango peppers,

3 onions cut fine, 1-2 cup salt, and enough water to

just cover.

Cook the above ingredients together Then drain well. Dressing:

5 cups vinegar, 3 cups sugar, 1 cup flour, 1 tablespoon tumeric, 1 tablespoon celery seed,

1 tablespoon mustard, 1 teaspoon red pepper (or less). Thicken flour and spices with vinegar, using some from the five cups. Bring vinegar and sugar to the boiling point and stir in the flour and spice. When well cooked pour over

vegetables. Mix well; add 1 1-2 dozen

weet cucumber pickles chopped up.

Southern Piccalilli 2 quarts green tomatoes,

2 cups chopped onions, 2 cups chopped celery, 2 cups chopped green peppers, 2 cups chopped cabbage,

1 cup salt, 1-2 cup white mustard seed, 4 cups vinegar, 4 cups sugar, tablespoon cinnamon,

tablespoon cloves, 1 teaspoon allspice, Wash tomatoes, do not peel but cut out blossom ends. Chop until fine, chop rest of vegetables. Add salt and

let stand twenty-four hours. Drain

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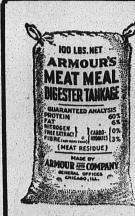
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Below is published a representative list of sales of live stock marketed during the week of August 14 to August 18, by Farmers Union Live Stock Commission Company, of

A J Hildenbrand—Douglas Co. RS—28 100s, 268 3,76
Oscar Strothman—Lafayette Co. Mo—12 hogs, 268 3,76
Ervin Aebi—Dickinson Co. Ks—15 hogs, 258 3,76
D E. Votaw—Douglas Co. Ks—13 hogs, 157 3,65
D E. U. Hastings—Anderson Co. Ks—17 hogs, 304 3,65
E. L. Hastings—Anderson Co. Ks—17 hogs, 304 3,65
Jim Stephens—Republic Co. Ks—6 thin 188 8,66
Clyde W. Wallace—Norris Co. Ks—18 hogs, 300 3,60
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C. P. Kohlenberg—Miami Co. Ks—10 hogs, 162 3,60
C. P. Kohlenberg—Miami Co. Ks—14 hogs, 154 3,50
John Niggley—Bates Co. Mo—6 lights, 138 3,50
John Niggley—Bates Co. Mo—6 lights, 128 3,50
John Clawson—Sullivan Co. Mo—6 hogs, 150 3,50
Daye Donahue—Nemaha Co. Ks—9 hogs, 280 3,50

A D Jardon-Douglas Co Ks-31 hogs, 298 C Cleveland, Mgr—St Clair Co Mo—24 hogs, 145 --- 3.50 B Plummer—Pottawatomie Co Ks—7 lights, 178 --- 3.40 

Milton F. Hettenback—Dickinson Co R8—1 1085, 41
Frankfort FU S A—Marshall Co K8—5 hogs, 538 2,40
Alton Ship Assm—Osborne Co K8—6 hogs, 268 2,00

J P DeMoss—Lafayette Co Mo—24 steers, 1060 6,56
Gustafson Bros—Osage Co K8—21 steers, 907 6,27
L C Cleveland—St Clair Co Mo—5 calves, 206 6,00
N F Thome—Douglass Co K8—7 steers, 912 5,77
W V Hawber—Worth Co Mo—18 heifers, 810 5,77
Horace Thomson Est.—Wabaunsee Co K8—10 steers 1147 5,78
I F Kaump—Riley Co K8—13 strs, hfrs, 758 5,81
J W Davis—Republic Co K8—13 strs, hfrs, 758 5,81
L F Kaump—Riley Co K8—13 strs, hfrs, 758 5,91
Claud L Douthitt—Lafayette Co Mo—9 steers, 207 5,31
Wherry Bros.—Pawnee Co Nebr—21 steers, 862 5,21
W Mr Florence—Riley Co K8—16 steers, 1270 5,01
Nelan Swenson—Riley Co K8—12 steers, 1270 5,01
Nelan Swenson—Riley Co K8—18 heifers, 717 5,01
Cec Erhardt—Ellswirth Co K8—6 calves, 398 5,01
Geo Erhardt—Ellswirth Co Mo—16 steers, 1161 5,01
J J Johns—Johnson Co Mo—14 heifers, 742 5,01
J J Anderson—Saline Co K8—12 steers and heifers, 500
J M Anderson—Saline Co K8—12 steers and heifers, 500
H H Hook—Lafayette Co Mo—24 steers, 913 5,01
Henry Barnett—Lafayette Co Mo—24 steers, 913 5,01
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Henry Dehn—Osage Co K8—7 strs, hfrs, 747
W H Paramore—Grundy Co K8—5 steers 842 4,7
John Snyder—St Clair Co M6—23 steers, 1284 4,7
John Snyder—St Clair Co M6—24 steers, 922 5,01
R M Orchard—Clay Co K8—5 heifers, 730 4,61
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R M Orchard—Clay Co K8—15 steers 842 4,7
Johns—Lafayette Co M6—23 steers, 1284 4,7
Johns—Lafayette Co M6—2 steers, 843 4,7
Joseph Shiroky—Russell Co K8—17 strs, hfrs, 747 4,7
W H Paramore—Grundy Co K8—5 heifers, 730 4,61
R M Orchard—Clay Co K8—18 cows, 980 4,51
R M Orchard—Clay Co K8—19 heifers, 740 4,7
W H Paramore—Grundy Co K8—5 heifers, 740 4,61
R

R W Bledsoe—Lafayette Co Mo—15 sheep, 79
Froeschle Bros.—Lafayette Co Mo—10 sheep, 79
D C Mead—Cass Co Mo—10 sheep, 67
R W Redhage—Lafayette Co Mo—5 sheep, 80
Arthur Hanson—Neosho Co Ks—11 sheep, 80
Tom Swackhammer—Henry Co Mo—6 sheep, 70
Clarence Day—Miami Co Ks—12 sheep, 88
W R Correll—Osage Co Ks—40 sheep, 81
Everett McCan, Mgr—Neosho Co Ks—19 sheep, 72
Hugh Scott—Lafayette Co Mo—9 sheep, 69
J J Adams—Marshall Co Ks—17 sheep, 78
Chas, Van Vlack—Cass Co Mo—9 sheep, 69
L F Bowles—Crawford Co Ks—21 sheep, 62
Core Habro—Miami Co Ks—15 sheep, 70 

would be over three million pounds per week, or thirty six million in a dairy farmers, and are willing apparyear. The chances are that where ently to consider everything but the farm families economize on the use needful thing, and that is reduce the

FEED, GRASS CONDITION BAD

cents. Current Receipts opened at 12 cents, and recents down to 11 1-2 cents, and recents down to 11 1-2 cents, and recents down to 12 cents are fed.

NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES (continued from page 2)

GOVE CO. MEETING AT GRINNELL, AUGUST 30

August 30, at 1:30 p. m. Mr. A. M. Kinney, field representative for the Farmers Union Live Stock Commission Company, will be the principal speaker on the program. Mr. Kinney will speak on cooperative marketing as it pertains to live stock. His message will be of interest to all. Come out and help make this meeting a suc-

Kinney will speak at Quinter on the evening of August 29.

Reduced yields of crops in 1933 merely postpone difficult times for agriculture unless one of two things happens, is the opinion of W. E.

RAGWEED, NOT GOLDENROD CAUSES MOST HAY FEVER JOBBING ASSN. HANDLING BIG LINE OF GOODS

Godenrod, the floral outcast to hay-In addition to the above, the mer-chandising department can furnish its customers with alevator supplies for customers with elevator supplies, feed grinders, feed mixers, corn shellers, the true culprit in most hay-fever and numerous other products. The cases, the United States Department

quality of the products listed above of Agriculture says. will compare favorably with any similar products obtained elsewhere, so to avoid hay fever, the department why not buy the articles which you urges sufferers to organize campaigns can through your own organization.

The Farmers Union Jobbing association also handles wheat, corn, oats, which causes autumn hay fever. Goldbarley and hay consignments. Your carlot consignment of grain or hay is in the hands of experts when consigned to the Farmers Union.

which causes attumn hay tever, one of the planed by those with hay fever, is in fact a sticky heavy pollen that does not blow about as ragweed pollen does. Unless ed to the Farmers Union.

about as ragweed pollen does. Unless one is very close to goldenrod, there come at the Jobbing Association of-is little chance of his getting any of the pollen.

Kansas City, Missouri M.r. Witham, Of the hundreds of thousands autumn hay-fever cases in the United States each year, 90 percent east of the Mississippi River are caused by ragweed, the Public Health Service able contracts and connections depend entirely upon volume control, so through patronizing the Farmers Unthrough patronizing the Farmers Un-ion Jobbing Association you not only are beloing vourself, but you are asas it has found that persons only slightly subject to hay fever may essisting them in securing contracts which will also work to your advancape entirely if the quality of pollen in the air is reduced, and other cases will be less severe. Two types of ragweed are chiefly responsible for The poultryman who is looking ahead is the one who has been culling ahead is the one who has been culling common ragweed, which grows about 2 feet high, and the big ragweed, feeding his pullets, says Vance M. which grows as high as 8 or 10 feet. his hens closely and who is properly feeding his pullets, says Vance M. Rucker, Extension Marketing Special-These are both annual plants.

ist, Kansas State College.

The tendency is for poultry prices to go lower throughout the fall, which means that hens are worth more sold now than if they were fed high priced food and marketed at a high-priced feed and marketed at a on the low-growing branches which shoot out after the first cutting. If During the last 14 years, egg pric- cutting is delayed until flower buds es for the next three months have form the pollen may develop after the been higher than the month previous weeds are cut. In this case burning each year, which would indicate fair the weeds may be necessary. Cutting prices for eggs. The plan, is to cull ragweeds along highways and on va-and rid the flock of old hens that are cant lots of cities and suburbs is esnot going to produce and feed well pecially important, the Department the pullets that are to produce the says.

Organized efforts by civic clubs and similar organizations in cities and towns and their suburbs can substan-On a majority of Kansas farms, tially lower the quantity of ragweed the fruit and vegetable garden can pollen and reduce the number and tially lower the quantity of ragweed be made more efficient by providing adequate storage, says L. C. Williams, severity of hayfever cases.

Chairman Extension Committee for Relief Projects, K. S. C.. Many of the fruits and yegetables can be saved for

Divorce of commercial banking and winter use by canning, drying, or preserving. But the cheapest way to proinvestment banking would benefit farmers in that local investment banks vide for the winter needs of potatoes, root crops, and other bulky vegetaor companies would handle long term loans with time funds rather than bles is to place them in home storwith funds payable on demand, and the greater liquidity of commercial The question is often asked by garbanks would better safeguard farm-"What vegetables can be stored successfully in caves, cellars, or pits?" The list includes some of the pits?" The list includes some of the standmost important ones from the standtural Economics. point of food value. Carrots, turnips,

A large part of the time and saving beets, cabbage, parsnips, squash, pumpkins, onions, sweet potatoes, Irdeposits, and even some of the deish potatoes, celery, winter radishes, mand accounts, that are now liabilities of commercial banks, should be The housewife who has a storage transferred to purely investment incellar well stocked with fruits and stitutions, he says. Garlock compares vegetables will not find it hard to prepare a meal for company or for addi- ciations and of life insurance companies with that of commercial banks, as tional help at silo-filling time. Families in town and country alike are in indicating the advantages to be need of fresh vegetables and fruits gained by removing the investment during the winter months, and home business from commercial banks. The commercial banks show up

storage will often make this possible. poorly by comparison, he says, largely because they have had to take losscontaining approximately 20 per cent es in the effort to meet the demands The feeding of a good laying mash protein is absolutely essential if one of depositors, whereas the building is to obtain good production from the and loan associations and life insurhens during the fall months. It may be advisable to restrict the amount of pressure to liquidate their assets. "It grain fed and forced the layers to eat is my firm conviction," he adds, "that we have had a forced liquidation during this depression far exceeding that Before foals are weaning they which would have occurred had our should be eating grain, because grain feeding is necessary to prevent a through investment institutions and check in growth after weaning. Foals less through commercial banks."

that are well cared for during the fall If a calf is born weak and underand winter will continue to make good nurished because its mother could not growth on pasture next season. On supply sufficient protein and minerthe other hand, stunted foals will not als for proper body growth, it will al-ways be behind the rugged calf from a mother that had the proper prenat-

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Pleasant Ridge—1902 ....
Guiding Star—1225 ......
Silverdale—2051 .....

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### BUTTER AND EGG MARKET LETTER By P. L. Betts Dairy & Poultry Cooperatives

were reduced to 18 3-4 cents on the 14th., and have remained at that price since. Standards opened at 19 1-2 cents, went down to 18 cents on cents on the 15th., remaining unchanged on the 16th. 89 score cars opened at 18 1-4 closed at 17 1-4 cents,
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ing Specialist, Kansas State College.

It is this situation that will probably 14th, and remained at that to the cents. Current Receipts opened at 12 It is this situation that will probably

ally came out everyone was surprised to find that the excess had actually passed forty million pounds, which should be extremely heavy at this season of the year has been at for his cattle should be favored with a fair increase in prices during the markets and was responsible for the the markets they are established as the prices of market and was responsible for the further decline. A great many seem to be puzzled to account for the heavy receipts of butter that have continued so late in the season, and especially coming from large sections of the dai- es that prevailed throughout the fall when reports were so persistently ry producing areas of continued hot, and early winter months last year, it dry weather and poor pasture and seems now that they are doomed to dry weather and poor pasture and

There are very persistent reports too many eggs.

This writer has traveled from Ohio been so much due to actual overproduction, as compared to last year, as it has due to the fact that the farmers themselves have been using much less of their product, economizing, and putting every pound of butterfat, they could produce, on the market. In fact the old statement has again become very current that the farmers themselves are the chief users of oleomargarine. We have nothing but hearsay for that statement. It is undoubtedly a fact that farmers so desperately in need of cash are very likely economizing in home consumption and market a bigger percentage of their total production than ordinary. As to whether they are actually buying and using substitutes, we hate to believe. Either one, however, has proven to be a sad mistake for the farmers, because of the heavy receipts and the iling up of additional storage after the storage season should be ended; instead of saving anything he is probably paying two or three dollars, per pound for what little butter he saves in economizing for home use, and so in economizing for home use,

dairy farmers who are producing surplus butterfat for sale and the economy on home consumption, even if it

of dairy products, they are spending The butter market has continued to a greater amount for other foods than the value of the dairy products, saved, view. Extras opened at 19 1-2 cents, and very likely for foods not nearly so nutritive or beneficial from a health standpoint.

The egg market lost further ground

In our letter two weeks ago we maining that at the close. Dirties optated that it was expected that ened at 9 3-4 cents, down to 9 1-2 The record of such movement and

the markets they are actually placing next 60 to 70 days. more eggs into storage than are being taken out. The egg situation looks very gloomy, indeed. If egg producers have been hanging on with the idea they are going to have the very good pricdisappointment. There are just simply

the average farm has greatly increased. In fact on a good many farms, especially throughout Ohio and Indiana, it looks like ten acre fields are covered with chickens, and where the flocks happen to be of white birds, it almost looks like a large field covered with snow. It seems that a good many of our ordinary farmers are trying to get into poultry raising class with flocks of several thousand birds and are choking the industry to death

through overproduction. We want to again state that we have and do advocate that the farm flock of less than 300 not be reduced, but if the farmer or any one else is get-ting up into the thousands of birds class, he is helping the industry to commit suicide, and the sooner he commit suicide, and the sooner he commit suicide, and the sooner he makes some reduction in the size of his flocks, the better off he and every

beyond that. The National Cooperative Milk Producers Federation is now setting in special convention here at Chicago trying to determine on some size of the herds, although there is a growing minority at each meeting of that organization in favor of that and we will not be surprised to see a resolution come out of this present meeting advocating voluntary reduction of the milking herds.

August 1st, as compared to the same date last year, would exceed thirty million pounds. When the report finally came out everyone was surprised to find the same of the same of the same of the second day of the week and remaining at that. Checks opened at 9 cents, lost 1-4 cent on the second day of the week and remaining at that the stockman who is mained at that to the close.

A meeting of the members of the Gove County Farmers Union will be held in Grinnell, Kansas, Wednesday,

Previous to his talk in Grinnell, Mr. A. Sites, Secretary,

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