



FU Adjustment Bill Seems Last Chance to Save Farms

Farm Debt Load Can Be Relieved by a Self-Supporting Farm Credit System Without Government Subsidies—Three New FU Income Certificate Bills in House

Glenn J. Talbott, president of the North Dakota Farmers Union and vice chairman of the National Farmers Union...

- What the Legislation Proposes
1. This bill makes the Federal Land Bank system self supporting.
2. It provides for reduction of interest rates on land bank and land bank commissioner loans to 3 per cent.

Farmers Union Certificate bills, similar to the Wheat Income Certificate bill, HR 8838 have been introduced for cattle, HR 9008; for hogs, HR 9009; and for hogs, HR 9010.

F. U. Legislation Needs Support of All Farmers

Nat'l Secretary Graves Reports Progress of Organizational Development

"Opportunity is knocking at the door of the Farmers Union members—Will you accept the call to help advance our program for the benefit of yours and others of your own class?"

FARM FUNDS JUST "SOP"

Hirth Says Bill is "Veiled Bid" for Rural Vote
The recent action of the Senate in passing a bill providing more than one billion dollars in appropriations for agriculture...

Call to All

AS SOON as you read this article, sit down and write a letter, post card or send a telegram to Chairman James Byrnes, Senate Committee on Banking and Currency, Senate Office Bldg., and to all our Kansas representatives and senators, requesting them to oppose with all their might the passage of S-3480...

This bill S-3480 proposes to take the Farm Credit Administration from under the control of the Department of Agriculture and place it under a five member board...

The banking trust is afraid that under the Debt Adjustment Bill if passed, the farmers would get a chance to get their debts reduced to an equitable amount, their interest set at not over 3%...

So, Write, telephone, talk and telegraph, your representative and both our senators, to oppose S-3480, and to support our Debt Adjustment Bill, S-3509 and H. R. 8748.

JOHN VESECKY, National President, Farmers Union

Social Security Law Now in Effect Requiring Receipts to Employees

The first quarter of 1940 is ended and Farmers Union cooperative business associations are reminded by T. B. Dunn, secretary-manager of the Farmers Union Auditing Association...

CO-OP CONFERENCE NEAR

Managers of Cooperatives Will Have Manhattan Meeting April 18-19
The Cooperative Conference, Manhattan, will begin at 2 p. m. April 18 and continue into the afternoon of Friday, April 19.

The President's Message

By J. P. Fengel
The Farmers Union bills are now in the limelight in Washington D. C. If we Kansas farmers are to have anything different from what we now have...

"Senator Gillette's bill to transfer Farm Credit Administration back to an independent agency under five men board comes up for hearing Monday morning. All the bill provides for is five men on the Board at ten thousand per year for ten years."

"We never sent a message more important for you to respond to. Your action in this matter will measure your support of the National Farmers Union credit and requirements of fair and considerate treatment of farmers whose unbearable debts are driving them from their homes."

Young Egg Co-op in Rapid Success as Sales Agency

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"The Egg Basket Quality Eggs, Snowwhite, produced and packed by the Draper Egg Producers Association, Inc., Draper, Utah, are well known in certain egg markets."

Attending Farm Methods

31st Biennial Report of State Board of Agriculture Has New Feature
A feature of the thirty-first biennial report of the Kansas state board of agriculture, just off the press, is a symposium on "Winning Farm Methods."

Self-Supporting Credit
We have not had self supporting farm credit system up to this time. It can be made self supporting by the Government completely guaranteeing all future issues of land bank bonds...

WOMEN TO CONFER
Will Discuss Related Needs of American Farmer and American Home
Mrs. Bernard Immenschuh, St. Marys, and Miss Esther Eklund, junior leader of the Kansas Farmers Union, will represent the state organization at the Rural-Urban conference in Manhattan, April 8-9.



LAHARPE FARMERS UNION CO-OPERATORS

Junior and Juvenile Department

Juniors from 16 to 21

Juveniles from 6 to 16

Junior Motto: "He Loves His Country Best Who Strives to Make It Best"

THE MAN WITH THE HOE

Bowed by the weight of centuries he leans Upon his hoe and gazes on the ground, The emptiness of ages in his face.

O masters, lords and rulers in all lands, Is this the handiwork you give to God, This monstrous thing distorted and soul-quenched?

YOUR LEADER'S MESSAGE

A Lift to the Farmer In Washington at the present time hearings are being held on the Farmers Union Debt Adjustment Bill. This piece of legislation, which is designed to give the "Man with the hoe" a better grip on his ability and chances to hold and own a farm, needs our support now.

Each one of us can contribute by writing personal letters to Senators and Representatives, asking them to support the Debt Adjustment Bill. The Senate number of the Bill is S-3509; the House number HR-6748. It isn't too late, write those letters tonight!

Honor to Peace Heroes "Probably in your community, as in too many others, there will be parades and fanfare celebrating the day the United States entered the first World War. Let us do all we can to stop this barbarous custom. Hold a Local meeting to honor peace time heroes, firemen, doctors, nurses, policemen, any meeting to honor peace time heroes, firemen, doctors, nurses, policemen, any meeting to honor peace time heroes.

Refugee Children A Children's Crusade to raise funds for homeless refugee children from countries caught in the terrors of war is being planned and sponsored by many outstanding persons in our country.

With Your State Leader A spirit of neighborliness and helpfulness is a motto which is being practiced by Farmers Union members in McPherson county. On March 18, members from three locals attended a special meeting of the Union at the local level to discuss the work of the Union.

What Size Do You Wear? Consumers' Guide, publication of the Department of Agriculture, points the way for getting the correct size in women's stockings. Compiled by the Montana Experiment Station, it is meant to be a general guide only, since for correct fitting you must keep in mind the width as well as the length of the foot.

How Do You Cook Your Vegetables? Vegetables that are treated like the step children of the kitchen usually end up second-rate on the dinner table. "Dropping vegetables in the kettle and just letting them cook" is the wrong way to make them tasty and appetizing.

Making Tough Meat Tender Meat that is easy on the budget may be hard on the appetite unless cooked properly. The secret of making inexpensive but tough cuts of meat tender is all in the cooking.

Tractors Working Better

Gains in efficiency, reduction in weight, use of rubber tires, and more power to the gallon of fuel are outstanding results of tractor improvement in the last 20 years.

Notes on Moths Spring is in the air and with Spring comes the annual worry of how to protect the family woollens from the appetite of the clothes moth.

Tractors of 1920 gave about 7.5 belt horsepower hours to the gallon of fuel. By 1930 the figure had risen to more than 9 and is now more than 10.

The Good Cooperator Holds fast to the objectives of the organization to which he belongs. Aids in achieving those objectives by participating in its meetings and activities, and by interesting others.

The Rothchild family in the European nations has given a good illustration of money control. In India the Sasson Family as equally effective. Today, political platforms state that a return to the gold standard will result in prosperity.

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With Your State Leader Acquaintances are made, that we'll have opportunity to meet with those folks many times. After a little chatting with folks around Everset, we left Brown county for this time and found our way back home.

Remember that hose size simply means the length of the foot in inches. Generally, size of your hose should be a half-inch longer than your foot, although women with narrow feet should select a size slightly smaller than would be selected by women with feet of average width.

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Scrapbook and Poster Contest

A JUNIOR, JUNIOR RESERVE AND JUVENILE PROJECT FOR 1940

JUNIOR DIVISION

- 1. Posters (a) A Local may enter in the state contest educational posters, graphs, charts or maps made by individual Junior members.

- 2. Scrapbooks (a) A Local may enter in the state contest scrapbooks made by individual Junior members.

- 3. All projects entered in the contest should in some manner be related to social and economic problems.

- 1. Neatness and attractiveness 2. Originality of theme 3. Continuity of theme 4. The value of project for reference and study 5. Relationship to economic and social problems.

JUNIOR RESERVE DIVISION

- 1. Posters (a) A Local may enter in the state contest educational posters, graphs, charts or maps made by individual Junior Reserve members.

- 2. Scrapbooks (a) A Local may enter in the state contest scrapbooks made by individual Junior Reserve members.

- 3. The projects entered in the contest can be related to one of the Juvenile Study Units, or in other ways be related to Farmers Union principles.

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JUVENILE DIVISION

- 1. Posters (a) A Local may enter in the state contest posters made by individual Juvenile members.

- 2. Scrapbooks (a) A Local may enter in the state contest scrapbooks made by individual Juvenile members.

DOSE TABLE USING ANCHOR CONCENTRATED SERUM AND VIRUS Please use the following table to ascertain the amount of Serum and Virus to order. Serum is bottled in 500cc., 250cc., 125cc., 100cc. Virus is bottled in 100cc., 60cc., 30cc., 15cc.

"Money or Your Economic Life"

By Wm. C. Gehrke

Editor's Note - The following article is the third in the series on the subject of Money, being written by Wm. C. Gehrke, principal of the Smolan Rural High School, upon the invitation of the state board of the Kansas Farmers Union.

In the Commerce stage and the ones which followed, the kings and rulers not only showed to the world the use and power in money control, but they also showed to the world the kind of material money is made of. Many kinds of material have been used for money such as: wood, shells, papyrus, copper, silver, or gold.

The king decided that if only one kind of material was used and made a metal which only he could get, the competition from counterfeiting would be stopped. The metals which were found in few places and were relatively scarce fit the need better than shells or papyrus.

The chief medium of exchange now used in U. S. is paper money, but alas, not one kind of paper money shows that our government is not a sure whom it shall please. To be logical one government should use one kind of money, which should be stamped with the imprint of authority and the amount of value.

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MIXED INFECTIONS IN SWINE Anchor Mixed Bacterin (Porcine)... .6c per 5 cc. dose. Syringes for Administering (10 cc)... \$1.15 each.

FOR CATTLE Blackleg Bacterin... \$0.07 per dose. Hemorrhagic Septicemia Bacterin... .06 per dose. Anti-Hemorrhagic Septicemia Bacterin... 1.80 per 100 cc.

FOR SHEEP Hemorrhagic Septicemia Bacterin... .06 per dose. Mixed Bacterin Ovine... .06 per dose. Anti-Hemorrhagic Septicemia Serum... 1.80 per 100 cc.

FOR POULTRY Mixed Bacterin Avian... .0112 per 1 cc. dose. Stained Pullorum Antigen, B. W. D. Test... \$1.50 per 100 tests.

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