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Farm Notes of Local Interest

Plans for 1946 Program. It is expected that all information on the 1946 Agricultural Conservation Program will be available to farmers by December 1, 1945. County Committees will use the month of November to put the final touches on the Program, determine the distribution of funds to individual farms, and select the practices that will be applicable to the respective counties. Sources of supply for conservation material lime and phosphate will be secured during November to be available by December 1, in order to enable farmers to place their orders for conservation materialas against 1946 payments.

Orders for Conservation Material Lime and Phosphate may be placed by farmers during 1945 or as soon as county committees have established the extent of funds available by farms. Such orders may be placed for delivery in 1945 or 1946 and used when received or at any time prior to December 31, 1946. Stepping up the Program in this way should enable more material to be supplied this fall and reduce the difficulties farmers encounter in waiting until the close of the program to apply their material.

County Elections will be held during the week of December 3 to 8. County Committees will announce their respective election dates in the county newsletters and other publicity at a later date. Pointing out that all farmers cooperating in the AAA Program are eligible to vote in the elections, N. E. Dodd, Director of the Department of Agriculture's Field Service Branch, said:

"I hope that every eligible farmer will cast his ballot for the man he wants to represent him under the farm program. The year 1946 will be an important one, and committeemen will have many vital decisions to make. They should be the best leaders to be found in each community. Voting for our representatives is democracy's way of making sure that every farmer's voice is heard."

Warning! Farmers who have ordered conservation material lime for warehouse or plant delivery must obtain this lime by or before December 1, 1945. If the material is not obtained by this date the contractor has been advised to return the unfilled orders and refuse delivery of the material under the AAA contract. Any farmer going to the warehouse or plant after December 1, will be responsible for paying the supplier the full cost of the material in which case, if the material is applied to the land before December 31, 1945, the producer may report compliance to the county committee and submit an application for any unused balance of his farm allowance.

Losses on Kent County 1945 Corn Crop are now being adjusted and indemnities where due will shortly be paid. Inspections are being made promptly by adjusters in the field and claims are being cleared through the State office of the FCIC on the same day received. Prompt payment of losses is the Corporation's motto this year.

A 1946 Spring Pig Goal of 52 million head, and an average support price for good to choice butcher hogs of $12 per cwt. (Chicago basis), effective October 1946 to September 30, 1947, were announced by Secretary Anderson. This goal is about equal to last spring's crop. The present support price of $13.00 (Chicago basis) will remain in effect until September 30, 1946.

Due to the prospective large carryover of 1945 late crop potatoes plus decreased government purchases in 1946, Maryland farmers are requested to reduce next spring's planting of Irish potatoes by nearly 20%.

Hatcheries Beware! 391,158,000 chicks were hatched during June through September 1945, compared with 161,772,000 for the same period in 1944. A word to the wise is sufficient.

Farmers should be thinking about 1946 agricultural production, particularly in light of such questions and views as follows:

The government's entire program on farm prices is due for an overhauling. This involves continuation of price supports and ceilings. This office would like to have your opinions on such matters as continuing dairy feed payments after June 30, continuing the present program on vegetables for processing, and adjusting production of crops to market demand. Should we remove all price supports and production controls, and let these seek their own levels? Should foreign relief be mainly at the farmer's expense through surplus production and low prices, or should all taxpayers share the expense of foreign relief through price supports?

As in past years, a state goals meeting will be held the latter part of November for the purpose of determining 1946 production goals for crops grown in Maryland. Information concerning these goals will be passed on to farmers as a guide toward balancing production with market demand next year.

Buy Bonds. Don't stop buying bonds because the war is over. Buy bonds to insure the education of your children; for a sound investment free from risk; to provide for your retirement; the purchase of a farm; or the building of a modern home.

The need for a farm labor program in Maryland in 1946 will continue on a large scale, according to the state farm labor committee representing the farm organization of the Free state. Farmers will welcome returning city workers and service men, but expect them to be far too few in number to fill the large food production needs of 1946. In a resolution adopted in October, the committee called for full mobilization of all farm labor in the country, including southern migratory labor, the retaining of German prisoners of war as long as needed, and provision for importation of such seasonal foreign workers as may be needed. Relaxation of manpower controls has meant an actual net loss of farm labor since the war ended.

Farmers who have not yet earned all of their AAA conservation allowance may yet get credit for certain practices under the 1945 program. Orders for plant or warehouse delivery of lime or for lime spread on fields may continue till November 1. Orders for superphosphate may continue till November 15. Farmers may also order lime commercially for farmyard delivery and apply it to the land by December 31, to get payment for it under their farm conservation allotment.

Farmers in 1946 will pay the balance of the cost of lime and fertilizer materials furnished under the AAA program direct to dealers and contractors who supply them, instead of paying this 20 per cent of the county AAA office, according to Joseph H. Blandford, State AAA Chairman.

As in the 1945 program, the AAA will pay for 80 per cent of the cost of approved materials, direct to dealers or contractors who supply each farmer under the program.

The AAA is now accepting bids on funishing liming materials in 13 counties of the state, Mr. Blandford adds. In the other 10 counties local dealers who set a satisfactory price will be depended on to furnish the lime for the AAA program. Bids now open, to close on November 1, will be for burned and hydrated lime at the plant, for bagged lime delivered at the farmyard, and for bulk lime spread on the farmer's fields.

Bids cover the lime program for Allegany, Anne Arundel, Calvert, Cecil, Charles, Dorchester, Garrett, Kent, Prince Georges, St. Marys, Somerset, Wicomico and Worcester Counties.

Double Wheat Insurance

The great increase in wheat crop insurance over the 1943 program assures a favorable quality of insurance risks, as every county in the state is now represented, with a much larger share of the total acreage. The 4,402 applications covering about 5,100 farms is more than twice the 2,050 applications covering 2329 farms insured against wheat crop loss in 1943. Maryland is close to the top in percentage of insurance increase among the wheat growing states. In the 1943 program wheat insurance was carried in only 14 of the 23 counties now included. This wide base makes it far less likely that any local catastrophe to the wheat crop could eat up all the funds provided through the insurance program.

Carroll County leads in number of applications with 698, followed by Frederick, 622; Talbot, 439; Kent, 347; Dorchester, 337; Baltimore, 259; Harford, 203; Montgomery, 199; Queen Anne, 192; Howard, 189; Washington, 150; Caroline, 127; Cecil 120; Anne Arundel, 105; Garrett, 81; Prince Georges, 76; St. Mary's, and Charles, both 53; Worcester, 36; Somerset and Wicomico, each 29; Allegany, 24; and Calvert, 23.

Largest sign-up in the 1943 insurance program was in Frederick County, with 451 applications.

Plan Trial Tobacco Insurance

A trial tobacco crop insurance program will be set up in one county of Southern Maryland in 1946. As yet the particular county has not been picked. Tobacco growers in each of the five tobacco growing counties will be asked to provide figures on acreage, yield, and price of their crop for the past five years. The county assembling the best data on past crop experience, which is important in setting up a sound crop insurance program, will get the trial insurance on tobacco in 1946.

FAIRLEE CHARGE
L. B. Troutman, Minister

Sunday, November 11, 1945

Fairlee

Church School, 10:00 A. M.
Divine Worship, 11:00 A. M.
Sermon by Dr. W. P. Roberts.
M. Y. F., 7:30 P. M.

Worton

Home Coming service, 2:30 P. M.
Sermon by Rev. R. F. Loss.

Piney Neck

Church School, 2:00 P. M.
Song Service, 6:30 P. M.
Divine Worship, 7:00 P. M.

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NOTICE

Application has been made to the undersigned by Ernest Jones Johnson for a Beer License, Class D, on sale, generally at the premises known as Ernest Jones Johnson's Place located at Edesville, Md., which shall authorize the holder thereof to keep for sale and to sell beer at retail, at the place therein described, for consumption on the premises or elsewhere. A hearing on said application will be had by the undersigned at their office in the Court House on December 4, 1945, at 2 P. M., at which time any exceptions to the application will be heard.

THE BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS FOR KENT CO.

n9-2t Frisby N. Willson, Clerk

NOTICE

Application has been made to the undersigned by Samuel Lloyd Francis for a Beer License, Class D, on sale, generally, at the premises known as The Bayside near Kent County Public wharf at Rock Hall which shall authorize the holder thereof to keep for sale and to sell beer at retail, at the place therein decribed, for consumption on the premises or elsewhere. A hearing on said application will be had by the undersigned at their office in the Court House on December 4, 1945 at 2 P. M., at which time any exceptions to the application will be heard.

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Nutrition Law

Wyoming was the first of the western states to pass a law requiring enrichment of flour and bread. At the present time, bread is enriched under a war food order which will become ineffective after the war emergency. The Wyoming law will become effective on May 18, 1945. Other states that are following Wyoming's lead in enrichment legislation include North and South Dakota, Oregon, Washington, Indiana, Georgia and North Carolina. The government signed the bill on February 23, 1945.

Meaning of R. R. Whistles

Two long, one short, one long—approaching public grade crossing; one long—approaching station, junction or railroad crossing; succession of short toots—alarm for persons or animals on track; one short whistle—apply brakes, stop; two long whistles—release brakes, proceed; one long, three short—flagman protect rear of train; four long—flagman return from west or south; five long—flagman return from east or north; four short—call for signals; three short—back up (when standing); three short—stop at next station (when running).

Motorists Cautioned To Watch Out For School Children On Highway



MARYLAND'S SCHOOL BUS LAW

The driver of a vehicle upon a highway outside the corporate limits of incorporated cities and towns of more than five thousand population, upon meeting or overtaking any school bus which has stopped on the highway for the purpose of receiving or discharging any school child or children, school teacher or school teachers, shall come to a full stop at least ten (10) feet from such school bus, either in front or rear thereof as the case may be, and such vehicle shall remain standing until the children are received or discharged and the school bus has again started. *(Art. 66½, Sec. 201, Public School Laws of Maryland, 1944, p. 194; General Motor Vehicle Laws, 1943, p. 120.)*

With the opening of schools thousands of children throughout the State are at the mercy of the motorist. Crossing and recrossing the highways, boarding and leaving their school busses they must expose themselves to the dangers of the highways. Many of these youngsters are not yet 6 years of age and in many instances have never been out of sight of home. For many of them the adjustment of facing two direction traffic is an exceedingly difficult one.

Conservation of the car and tires from an economic viewpoint has been emphasized from every quarter during the past few weeks since wartime controls have been lifted but too little stress has been placed on the conservation of human life particularly as it applies to the protection of our school children along the roads and highways leading from home to school.



The volume of passenger vehicular traffic on the highways has increased tremendously since gas rationing was terminated. With the elimination of the wartime 35 mile speed limit there has been a very noticeable tendency to "race". The "irresponsible driver" disregards even the peacetime speed limits traveling along in reckless and careless fashion making the highway a hazardous place to travel on foot.

Observance of the law requiring drivers to stop in front of or behind a bus which has stopped on the highway to receive or discharge school children will save many a life.

PUBLIC SALE

— OF —

Personal Property

Having sold my farm, known as the Flyne Farm located 1½ miles north of Fredericktown, Maryland on gravel road leading from Fredericktown to Earleville in Cecil County, Maryland I will sell at Public Auction my entire stock and equipment without reserve on

Thursday, Nov. 29, '45

At 10:30 A. M. Sharp

Horses

4 Mares—1 Pair mules and one colt. These mares are all nice blocky work and brood mares ranging in age from 6 to 12 years. 1 Pair well mated mules, 4 to 12 years old, plenty of size and action.

1 Suckling Colt.

Cows

19 Head of Dairy Cattle, Pure Bred and Grade.

7 Holstein Milch Cows. One of which is registered with papers.

5 Guernsey Milch Cows. Four of which are registered with papers.

1 Jersey Milch Cow. Registered with papers.

3 Bred Grade Heifers, 2 Guernsey, 1 Holstein.

1 Heifer Calf.

1 Pure Bred Bull, 2 years old, with papers.

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These cattle have passed a clean T. B. and Physical test less than a month ago. Some are fresh and a number will be fresh or close springers by day of sale. Others in good flow of milk.

Farm Implements

1 70-Row Crop Oliver Tractor in splendid condition.

1 Set Tractor Cultivators, 1 Set Oliver 12" Tractor Plows.

1 Tractor Disc Harrow, 1 Cultivator, 1 Clod Crusher.

1 McCormick Deering Binder, eight foot in splendid condition.

1 McCormck Deering Mower. In splendid condition.

1 McCormick Deering Corn Planter with Fertilizer attachments, New.

1 12x8 Ontario Hoe Grain Drill. Like new.

1 Oliver Manure Spreader, used 3 seasons.

1 McCormick Deering Side Delivery Rake, good.

1 4-Section Spring Tooth Harrow.

1 Wood Roller, 1 Riding Cultivator, 1 Hay Tedder, 1 Horse Rake.

1 Potato Plow, (a good one), 1 40-Oliver Plow, 1 1-horse Plow.

2 Hand Cultivators, 2 Hay Riggins, 1 High Wheel Farm wagon with riggin.

1 Low Wheel Farm Wagon with box body.

1 Low Wheel farm Wagon with flat body, 1 Dearborn (a-1 condition.)

1 Dirt Scoop, 1 Corn Sheller, 1 Wheel Barrow Grass Seeder.

1 Grind Stone, 1 Lard Cooker and Furnace, Sausage Grinder and Lard Press, 1 1932 Model A Ford Sedan. A lot of Wagon and Plow Harness.

Collars, Bridles, 1, 2, 3 and 4-Horse Trees, Forks, Hoes, and Shovels. A lot of good tools including an Anvil.

Dairy Equipment

1 Delaval 2-unit Milking Machine complete, used less than a year.

1 4-Can Electric Milk Box, 1 4-Can Ice Box, 10 Milk Cans, Buckets, Strainers etc. 2 Large Feed Boxes. 1 White Pine Horse Trough. Also some Household Furniture, Beds, etc.

Hay

450 Bales Good Soy Bean Hay.

200 Bales Good Mixed Hay.

430 Bales Good Stubble Hay, mostly clover.

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JAMES D. DAVIS, Jr., Inside Clerk.

Richard C. Carvell, Solicitor

NOTICE

In the matter of the trust created under the last Will and Testament of Thomas A. Parsons, deceased.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR KENT COUNTY, IN EQUITY
Cause No. 2802

The proceedings of the above entitled cause having been by the Order of Court dated July 5th, 1945 referred to the undersigned as the Auditor of the Court for the purpose of stating a final audit in this case, and which said Auditor shall distribute the entire principal or corpus of the trust to Wilber P. Bennett, free and discharged of the Trust created by the Will of Thomas A. Parsons, deceased, after the expiration of the time named herein for the filing of claims mentioned below.

Pursuant to the Order of Court mentioned notice is hereby given by the Auditor of the Court to all persons interested in the trust fund mentioned above and in the distribution thereof to file their claims, if any they have, and the vouchers thereof, with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent County on or before February 7, 1946.

HERBERT E. PERKINS,
Auditor

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DON'T MISS THIS MEETING!

ALL FARM FOLKS INVITED
TO THE
Queen-Anne's Petroleum Cooperative
MEMBERSHIP MEETING

THE PLACE: Fireman's Hall, Chestertown, Maryland

THE TIME: Wednesday, Nov. 14, '45, 8:00 P. M.

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