

# You, Your Child And The School

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Current events should be used to supplement the school curriculum regardless of grade level—kindergarten through college.

A teacher can make excellent use of current events by involving them in appropriate lessons. A study of Africa would be unrealistic without including the many recent political changes. Science is moving forward so rapidly that it is essential to know about recent discoveries.

Textbooks are valuable as far as they go. But they cannot be kept fully up to date and it is not economically sound for the schools or the publishers to replace them on a yearly basis.

For example, there are not many texts in use which make mention of the Berlin wall, and it will take several years before text books will include the recent assassination of President Kennedy. This does not make the books useless. It only points out the need for using additional materials to keep information up to date.

There are many instructional

## Chicago Produce

CHICAGO (UPI) — Produce: Live poultry too few receipts to report prices.

Cheese processed loaf 39½-44½; brick 39-45; Swiss Grade A \$2-35; B 50-54.

Butter steady; 93 score 57%; 92, score 57%; 90 score 56½%; 89 score 55%.

Eggs steady; white large extras 42½; mixed large extras 41½; mediums 37½; standards 36.

# Public Auction

**BANKRUPT SALE** — By order of the U. S. District Court all Equipment, Stock and Fixtures of the Owens Building and Millwork, Inc., Monroe, Ind., shall be Sold at Public Auction.

## Woodworking Machinery — Power Tools Carpenter Tools — Lumber — Stock Fixtures — Truck — Misc. Items

**LOCATION** — IN MONROE, INDIANA, South Van Buren St., or 5 miles South of Decatur, Ind., on U. S. Highway 27; or 5 miles North of Berne, Ind.; or 1/2 mile East of Jct. of Rds. 27 & 124, Coppess Corner, on

**Monday, January 6, '64**

**SALE STARTING AT 10:30 A. M. PROMPTLY**

**MACHINERY** — Craftsman Radial saw, Model 4-60 type cy88; Craftsman Thickness Planner, Model 112-23491; combination saw and planer with exhaust; Wayne air compressor, 6 h. p. motor; 2 Callwire Nail guns S 2306 and Air Master 1½ h. p. compressor; Gang saw, rebuilt; Atlas wood lathe, 002621; Craftsman Table Saw, Model 1030211; Porter Cable Portable Planer S 5990; Porter Cable Orbital Sander S 57051; Black & Decker portable jig saw S 580; Blue Grass Portable drift 1/4" S 56A; Portable Cable Belt Sander S 23057; Maxaw portable saw S 36930-6 3/4" Craftsman Jig Saw; Delta 4" Jointer S 69-9409; Craftsman Drill press and motor; Wallace Radial Saw; three 12" Carbulyte saw blades; table saw; Budget 1-ton electric hoist; router; Maxaw saw; miscellaneous circle saw blades; air tacker; lathe and bench; 2 staplers; 2 spray guns; air stapler; nailing jig; 2 air hose and regulator; grease gun; glueing clamps; dollies; 30" bench; miscellaneous small tools.

These power tools are all in good condition.

**TRUCK** — 1961 Ford Econoline pick-up truck.  
**OFFICE EQUIPMENT** — Olympia typewriter; typing stand; 2 steel office desks; letter size file; card file; 2 swivel chairs; Rohn Rex Rotary M-4 mimeograph machine; Blue Ray Rotary Blue Print machine; odd chairs; electric Pepsi and Pop cooler.  
**LUMBER, ETC.** — 150 - 2x4x18 ft.; 120 - 2x4x24 ft.; 120 - 2x4x20 ft.; lot 2x6x20 ft. and 24 ft.; Extra large lot assort. lumber; 33 roof trusses; lot 4x8 plywood; 19 plywood ceiling panels; 32 louvers; 100 wall modules; 2 lots cement slats; concrete blocks; some scrap lumber; odd pieces plywood; 3 cooler doors; 2 lots foam insulation; lot aluminum sheen.

**STOCK & MISCELLANEOUS** — 3 aluminum doors; 12 ft. trailer frame; 8 doors, 4x8; 17 prefab frames; 2 trailer doors; 7 jalousie window frames; 7 trailer windows; 62 screens; insulation; 7 sheet Celotex; galvanized roofing; 2 Ritchie hog waterers; poultry fountain; water heater; several box staples; assorted nails; 17 ft. jalousie fly strip; old boat; work tables; trussels; jigs; 2 ladders; 2 house trailer running gears; roll-tarpaper; bolts; box sheet metal screws; 100' 3-wire cord; 9 boxes nails; bin, 1x2x3 ft.; bin, 1x2x4 ft.; 4 cases staples; lot misc. lumber and horses; lot asstd. frames; box wire mesh; furnace louver; exhaust fan grill; box turn-buckles; 7 stock roof vents; box alum fittings; lot screens and windows; 2 rolls plastic; cable; 9 box nails; fiberglass tub; roll mesh; lot asstd. paint; lot asstd. hardware; 4 door latches; box light bulbs; lot asstd. hinges; lot troughs and gongs; roof truss; roll bisqueen; box con-o-seal; 2 vent units; box asstd. electric equipment; many miscellaneous articles not mentioned.

**NOTE** — Sale will be held in large heated building. Lunch will be served. Sale must start prompt at 10:30 a. m. Doors open for inspection at 9:00 a. m.

**TERMS** — CASH. No property to be removed until settled for.

**MAX HOBBS** — Trustee for  
**OWENS Building & Millwork, Inc.**

MONROE, INDIANA

David Peebles, Attorney for Trustee  
Sale Conducted by Ellenger Bros. Auctioneers  
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# ASCS Farm Notes

**FARM PROGRAMS FOR 1964:** Farm programs are here to stay — and will be bigger and better in 1964.

The No. 1 program for January 1964, is the agricultural conservation program — the program which assists the farmer carry out needed conservation practices on his farm.

The sign-up started January 2, 1964, and will continue as long as funds are available for approval.

Farmers are reminded that a "request for cost-sharing" must be signed in the county office before a conservation practice is started, to be eligible for cost-share payments.

Practices must be carried out in accordance with specifications, which are mailed to each farmer with his notice of approval. This is a very important item to remember.

Farmers are urged to study their conservation needs for the entire year and determine which practices will be completed in 1964, before the request for cost-sharing is filed in the county office. One request for the same practice will be approved this year.

For the practice, installation of tile, drainage, the farmer must know the number of feet of tile, the size of tile, whether a corrugated metal pipe will be needed and the estimated cost of the pipe, at the time he signs his request.

For limestone application, a Purdue soil test is required. Such soil test must have been received since January 1, 1963.

Requests for cost-sharing should be filed at least six weeks before the practice is to be started to allow ample time to process the request, county committee approval, and the soil conservation service to check the need for the service.

Farmers, who had received approvals for the completion of conservation practices in 1963 and did not start the practices, are urged to come to the office and sign another request, if they intend to do the practice in 1964.

Remember, if no report of a practice was submitted to the county office prior to January 1, 1964, all approvals have been canceled.

The agricultural conservation program is important to both rural and urban people.

It is a means through which all people share the cost of conserving essential resources, such as productive soil, adequate water and well-managed woodland. This program increases the rate of application of research, education, technical, credit, and other services of the department of agriculture in actual accomplishment of essential conservation work on the land.

Through the agricultural conservation program, the federal government shares with farmers the cost of carrying out approved soil-building, soil and water conservation practices, included related wildlife practices in accordance with required specifications.

A list of approved practices for 1964 has been mailed to all Adams county farmers. The rate of payments is available at the county office. Most of the rates are about 50 per cent of the cost.

The purchase order method is again available in 1964. By this method, the farmer selects the vendor of his choice and we pay the cost-share direct to the vendor. This method saves the farmer direct out-of-pocket cash.

Farmers with conservation problems are urged to call at the county office for information. Remember — practices started before a request is signed — will be ineligible for cost-share payments.

**JANUARY 31, 1964 IS AN IMPORTANT DATE:**

January 31, 1964 is the final date to file applications for payment for the sale of shorn wool and unshorn lambs sold during

the period April 1, 1963 through December 31, 1963.

January 31, 1964 is also the final date for applying for price support on 1963 soybeans and oats.

**FEBRUARY 1964 — THE 1964 FEED GRAIN SIGN-UP WILL START:**

The sign-up period for participation in the 1964 feed grain program will start February 10, 1964, and will end March 27, 1964.

Now is a good time to plan farming operations and be sure to include diverted acreage for the 1964 feed grain program.

Farm bases will remain the same, except in cases where mathematical errors were found; yields and rates will be somewhat higher.

Notices of bases, yields and

rates will be mailed in January. We have successful feed grain programs in 1961, 1962 and 1963, but where still remains a surplus of feed grains.

So, we urge you to include the feed grain program in your 1964 plans.

**BRAND NEW FOR 1964:** Pre-measurement — will be available to farmers participating in the 1964 feed grain program. This too, is a voluntary phase of the program — the participating farmer must file a request and pay a nominal fee (to be determined later) at the county office for this service.

Details of this service will be announced later.

## DOES ADAMS COUNTY HAVE NEED FOR A RAD PROGRAM? FARMERS ARE VICTIMS:

Today, farm prices are lower in relation to other prices than during the first 20 years of the 1900's. But low farm prices do not assure lower total farm production. Low prices often lead farmers to increase their output to stay in business.

Farmers have been the victims of their own amazing production record. Farm income has not kept pace with incomes in other segments of our economy.

Also, the cost to the Government of carrying huge surplus stocks is a burden. And more of our agricultural land resources are being used to produce food and fiber that is needed. This creates a problem of conserving our resources and of using them wisely.

## PARTICIPATION IN THE 1964 FEED GRAIN PROGRAM WILL HELP REDUCE SURPLUSES: FARM PROGRAMS ARE NEEDED!

Individual farmers operating 3.7 million farms can neither set prices nor make desirable adjustments in production, as industry can. Then, too, the farmer's production and income are affected by the uncertainties of weather, over which he has no control.

Even if farmers did have the power to do these things, it would not be good public policy for them to do it alone. Our nation must have adequate food and fiber. Any error must be on the side of abundance.

Your government has accepted responsibility to help farmers manage this abundance for the good of all the people. This government responsibility has been expressed by the congress in passing laws that made farm program available to farmers.

The department works with national organizations — farm, labor, education, business, church, finance and credit and other similar groups.

## IN STATE AND AREAS

In the field, specialists of the department of agriculture and state agencies are members of technical action panels, co-chaired by state and local representatives of Farmers Home Administration, soil conservation service and the agricultural stabilization and conservation service. Here the services of the department are packaged for an area-by-area, community-by-community approach to the specific problems of the people and the use of their own resources. Members of the technical panels work with local voluntary groups. They help them plan projects. They help to find outside capital. They act, as requested, as coordinators between local people, who seek aid, and the government agencies that may have the facilities to help.

## DO YOU KNOW WHAT THE TRAFFIC SIGNAL MEANS?

Your answer is, of course, I know — but did you ever stop and think that even if the light is green — someone may be coming from the opposite direction, not have their turn signal on and turn left in front of you — or that the car in front of you may not have a turn signal on and is making a left turn — or he may be making a right turn with no signal at all.

You always make sure the intersection is cleared of pedestrian traffic?

All these could cause fatal accidents — help avoid them by watching traffic, even though "you" have the green light, or

have the facilities to help.

## WINTER WOES



One day in his car, Joe B. Dew,  
(Dead wiper blades streaking his view)

Ran into a bus  
And caused a great fuss—  
Which cost him some bucks (not a few)!

## PREVENT THOSE WINTER DRIVING WOES

The Safe Winter Driving League presents the following tip for better visibility this winter from the National Safety Council: "Be sure your windshield wiper blades are in good, live condition to prevent streaking. Arms should provide at least an ounce of pressure for each inch of blade length to sweep off snow, sleet and road-muck. You must see danger to avoid it."



## Record Dividends in 1964 at New York Life

Policy owners of the New York Life, for the second successive year, will receive record dividends totaling more than \$185,800,000 in 1964, an increase of \$28,400,000 over 1963. The 18 per cent increase, largest in the company's 118 year history, is principally due to continuing trends toward higher interest earnings on investments and lower costs. In the last 2 years the company has increased its dividends by approximately \$50 million which means that the cost of insurance for most New York Life policy owners has been substantially reduced.

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