

PLEA TO FARMERS: RAISE MORE FOOD

Wickard Announces New National Program to Aid Democracies.

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production of 116,809,000,000 pounds. Production of eggs would be increased from 3,676,000,000 to 4,000,000,000 dozen.

Mr. Wickard asked for increased production of all types of meat. "We are not going to repeat the mistakes of the first World War which brought a long series of difficulties for farm people. Through the machinery of the National Farm Program farmers can produce what we need and avoid the bad after-effects of an over-expanded farm plant."

"The fact that we are asking for greatly increased production of some commodities does not mean that the lid is off on production of all commodities. It is just as important to national defense and our future national welfare that we hold production of some commodities in check as that we increase supplies of others."

JOB INSURANCE PAYMENTS GAIN

Up in July 31 Per Cent Over June, but Only Half Of 1940 Figure.

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WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—Although there was a contra-seasonal increase of 6 per cent in public employment service placements between June and July, a decrease of 2 per cent in Indiana was reported today by Federal Security Administrator Paul V. McNutt.

And while unemployment compensation benefits dropped 4 per cent in the country as a whole they increased 31.4 per cent in Indiana, the report shows.

Complete job placements for the State were given as 12,927 for July, a drop of .2 per cent from the June total, but an increase of 95.8 per cent over July, 1940. This almost doubling of placements over the figure last year is attributed to defense work which caused the 6 per cent rise throughout the country, Mr. McNutt explained.

But unemployment compensation benefits amounted to \$338,989 in July, an increase of 31.4 per cent over June, a figure of 31.4 per cent.

The adjustment machinery of the National Farm Program will be applied to the whole range of agricultural commodities to assure plen-

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