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WORK OF ORGANIZED BANKING TO PROMOTE BETTER FARMING

By D. H. OTIS

Agricultural Director American Bankers Association.

The Agricultural Commission of the American Bankers Association has adopted and encourages the following general projects in its national program:



D. H. Otis

1. Boys and girls club work.
2. Diversified farming.
3. Increased appropriations for agricultural research.

With the state bankers' associations, the agricultural colleges and hosts of farmers' organizations uniting in all parts of the country, the Commission has held conferences in forty-seven states. The different individual projects approved number 195. Plans are now under way for follow-up work in making these programs effective.

These banker-farmer conferences have resulted not only in definite programs, but they have been the means of greatly increasing interest on the part of bankers. At the beginning there were a number of states that had no agricultural committees. Others were inactive. We now have agricultural committees for each state with the exception of two, and these have promised to appoint committees soon.

Banker Influence

The attitude of the bankers is not that of attempting to tell the farmers how to farm, but rather to aid in bringing about conditions that will help the farmer to help himself. The farmer who produces, the agricultural college that is attempting to improve the quality of farm products, and the banker who furnishes the capital are endeavoring to put their heads together and perform team work. A representative of one of the colleges of agriculture recently made the statement that the bankers could do more than the colleges for the advancement of agriculture. The banker is in position to influence the type of agriculture practiced by the farmer patrons. A county agent comes in contact with only 15 to 20 per cent of the farmers of his county, while the bankers come in contact with at least 75 per cent.

In some localities farmers seem to be prejudiced against bankers, due largely to misunderstanding. There is no better way for relieving this strained relationship than by setting the banker and farmer pulling together for their mutual interests and for the community.

If agriculture is to develop it is necessary to maintain on the soil men and women who will put as much intelligence into their business as is put into other lines of business. It is hard to change the attitude of mind of an old farmer. The great hope is in developing boys and girls into men and women who will be interested in improving the conditions on our farms. Out of forty-seven programs adopted at the banker-farmer conferences, thirty-six included boys' and girls' club work as one of their leading projects.

Farm Accounting

A large number of bankers are recognizing the importance of inventories, financial statements and farm accounts, and are encouraging the keeping of records among their farmer patrons. Not a few insist on a financial statement from the farmer before making a loan, just as is required of other business men. Such a statement not only acquaints the banker with the financial status of the farmer but also brings the farmer face to face with conditions on his farm and calls attention to opportunities for improvement.

In many states county bankers' associations are being organized with agricultural committees. In New Jersey every county is thus organized. Ohio has a representative of the agricultural committee in every county in the state. Wisconsin has added thirteen agricultural committees to its county organizations. In Arkansas educational trains have been run in cooperation with the railroads. The College of Agriculture, and others for stimulating interests in better farming methods. In Oregon the Bankers Association employs a field secretary to devote his entire time to carrying on educational and agricultural programs. In Kentucky special plans have been developed for coordinating the various organizations interested in agricultural development. Key men, bankers, have been appointed in sixty-five counties. An annual income of \$6,000 is provided and field secretary employed.

It will be seen that the efforts of the Agricultural Commission and the committees of the various states, in cooperation with the colleges of agriculture, have been to formulate workable programs. The field for work appears unlimited. The spirit of the bankers and the colleges is superb and effective results will be accomplished.

"YELLOW PERIL" OF CABBAGE PATCH

By C. T. Gregory
Botany Staff Purdue University

Many gardeners are probably doomed to failure with cabbage this year if they do not order the proper kind of seed soon. The yellows disease is patiently waiting in many gardens for its cabbage to be destroyed and the only way to foil it is by the use of the yellows resistant varieties. Among the best of the resistant varieties is the Indiana cabbage which proved its worth last summer. It was tried in thirty different counties as well as in several other states and every time showed its resistance to the yellows disease. Moreover, many gardeners like those at Evansville, commented on its tenderness. The other varieties that have proved their value are Wisconsin All-Season, Wisconsin Hollander and Wisconsin Succession.

In some places last summer the yellows disease was not particularly severe because of the cool, wet weather. Yellows is a soil weather disease and cannot work well in cool soil. However, no one should think that the disease has died out because it will live for years, during hot weather and cold, waiting for the right conditions to destroy the cabbage. Next summer probably will be favorable to this yellow blight.

These gardeners who can raise their own plants can get the seed of these varieties from a number of different seed firms. The Botany division of the Agricultural Extension Department of Purdue University will gladly furnish a list of all the seed houses handling these varieties. The small gardener who may need only a few plants should be able to purchase them from various sources since practically every plant grower in the state has received information concerning this resistant cabbage.

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RESULT OF THE CROSS WORD PUZZLE CRAZE

Sioux Falls, S. D., Jan. 9.—The cross word puzzle craze has lost a local newspaper one of its oldest subscribers.

A victim of the puzzle fad wrote the following from his home near Garretson, S. D.:

"I have taken your paper for twenty four years and hitherto have found no fault with it. When you began running cross word puzzles they were very good and possible to work but lately they have been harder and harder and now are almost impossible to solve. Having written you about this matter and received no satisfaction I am compelled to abandon your good newspaper and take another which prints puzzles which can be worked without staying up all night. Inasmuch as I can take only one daily paper and no other cross word puzzles than those I get in newspapers are valuable, I am compelled to find a paper which is satisfactory in this department."

SCARLET FEVER MICROBE

Bloomington, Ind., Jan. 12.—Dr. George Frederick Dick, a former student of Indiana University, and his wife, also a physician, of Chicago have, after ten years' research, isolated the microbe of scarlet fever. This conquest of scarlet fever is called by Ernest Greening, writing in Harper's magazine, one of the outstanding scientific discoveries.

LEO KORETZ DIES IN PRISON

Joliet, Ill., Jan. 9.—Leo Koretz, Bayano bubble swindler, paid his debt to society when he died in the state penitentiary hospital here last night, 34 days after he started a sentence of one to ten years.

Getting Up Nights

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STEPPING AHEAD OF THE BANK CROOK

Bankers Association Official Gives Rules to Foil Criminals and Avoid Loss.

By JAMES E. BAUM,

Manager Protective Department American Bankers Association.

The direct cost of all crimes in this country has now reached its highest peak. Statistics reveal startling increases in nearly every type of crime during the past ten years. The total financial loss through the operations of criminals is estimated at more than \$3,500,000,000 for this year. A few of the items follow:

Embezzlement \$ 120,000,000
Credit frauds 400,000,000
Burglary, larceny and petty thefts 250,000,000
Forgery, including worthless checks and bogus checks 100,000,000
Seaport robberies, piracies and customs frauds 25,000,000
Railroad thefts 1,700,000,000
Stock frauds 1,000,000,000
Insurance frauds 50,000,000
Miscellaneous 75,000,000

I am giving cold figures, not to startle any one unless it be toward more extreme care in handling and safeguarding funds and valuables. Right here let me quote rules to help foil criminals known as "check passers" or "check men"; they will help you to avoid serious loss:

1. Never write checks with a pencil. Use pen and ink or, if possible, a check protector.
2. Fill in all blank spaces.
3. Don't erase. Errors should be corrected by writing a new check and destroying the new cash or check.
4. Never give a blank check to a stranger and never cash a stranger's check without an endorsement which you have positively verified.
5. Take checks payable to "cash" or "bearer" only when you personally present them at your bank. Otherwise use the name of the person you intend shall receive payment.
6. Never place your signature alone as a check on a check you intend to deposit. Write above or below your signature the words "For deposit only."
7. Never sign blank checks. If you expect to be absent any length of time open a separate account subject to check of your employee or agent.
8. Guard your cancelled vouchers as you would a valid check, leaving none where the maker's "O.K." or other form of approval. They are more easily forged than the full signature.
9. Safeguard your checks as you would your money, for they represent money.
10. Deposit slips provide space for your name, usually on the upper line. These written incorrectly should be destroyed. Write your signature over the space provided. You can prevent loss by first writing the detail of the deposit, and then printing your account name.
11. The bankers' campaign for everybody to "pay by check" has borne fruit. It has been estimated that today more than 95 per cent of the business of the U. S. is transacted by the use of checks or other credit instruments. That means about six and one-half billion checks will be written by bank depositors in this country during 1934 and they will total about \$500,000,000,000 in amount, or one hundred times the money in circulation.

The average bank depositor when queried as to what his bank does to protect his deposits, will probably tell you they are kept in a great vault and that armed watchmen are employed, as well as an elaborate and efficient burglary and robbery alarm system. He may not know that the 23,000 banks comprising the American Bankers Association have constantly and conveniently available an army of highly trained specialists who wage a continuous and relentless warfare against the bank criminal. These operatives are within easy reach of any member bank. Criminals know that if they attack a member bank they are attacking one of the most powerful and effective protective organizations in existence.

Another medium by which bankers prevent many financial crimes or losses is the warnings continually broadcast from the American Bankers Association and forty-eight state bankers associations. These warnings keep the trap constantly set and carry out the Association's plan of crime prevention as contrasted with detection.

American farmers should not increase their wheat acreage for 1934. If they increase the acreage by three million acres, as is indicated by the Intentions to Seed Wheat Survey of the government, and normal conditions again prevail in other wheat producing countries, next year's wheat market will be glutted and once more wheat prices will be ruinously low. The price of high price of wheat is due to poor crops in other countries and in certain sections of the United States.—W. M. Jardine, Advisory Council, Agricultural Commission, American Bankers Association.

Danger Ahead

The smaller localities are to a large extent the recruiting ground for the profession of banking. A recent survey discloses the fact that of 632 senior bank officers in the largest cities of the United States, 406, or 64 per cent, were born in the country or in small towns.

Where Bankers Come From

Of the 632 senior bankers of large cities, 427, or approximately 67 per cent, had a high school or college education. The conclusion is reasonable that the smaller environment, coupled with an education, makes for success in the banking field.—American Bankers Association Journal.

CATARRHAL DEAFNESS

is often caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a running nose, or a sore throat, or a cough. Unless the inflammation can be removed, your hearing may be destroyed forever. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will do what we claim for it—rid your system of Catarrh or Deafness caused by Catarrh. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE has been successful in the treatment of Catarrh for over Forty Years. Sold by all druggists. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

AUTO ACCIDENTS REDUCED IN 1934

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 12.—Continuous appeal by various agencies for the motoring public to drive carefully and sensibly at grade crossings, appears to have made some headway during 1934, according to accident figures compiled by the maintenance division of the state highway department, just submitted to John D. Williams, state road director.

"Our field organization can not obtain a report of every accident occurring on a state road," A. H. Hinkle, maintenance superintendent, explains, "but we obtain a report of the worst accidents and of all fatalities."

The report shows a total of 372 accidents for the fiscal year ending November 30, and of this number 160 are charged to fast driving.

While there were only five accidents the past year at steam road crossings, and five at electric line crossings, all five resulted in fatalities at the former and four fatalities at the latter. There were 16 accidents each at railroad and electric crossings reported by the highway department for 1933.

In the 372 accidents during 1934, the highway report shows that thirty-three persons were killed, and 197 injured, some seriously.

While fast driving is attributed as the chief cause of accidents 39 were due to intoxicated drivers, 20 account of steep grades, 23 on sharp curves, 21 for lack of guard rails, 16 on slippery pavement, 13 account of deep side ditches, 25 due to glaring headlights, 41 because of narrow roads and 14 attributed to miscellaneous causes.

Reviewing the season's accident toll, Mr. Williams points out that work by the department such as widening roads, easing curves and turns, building shoulders, widening culverts, etc., is undoubtedly responsible for a 21 per cent decrease in fatal accidents compared with 1933.

It will be further noted, he says, that collisions with narrow bridges are becoming more numerous. This is largely due, he explains, to the increase in automobile traffic and the fact that the commission can only, with funds at its command, replace a limited number of narrow bridges each year. The headwalls at each narrow bridge are battered where traffic has struck them, demonstrating the importance of extending these structures as soon as money is available.

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Our Booster for Kosciusko County

We are about ready to print a special book covering the Agricultural and Commercial activities of Kosciusko County, together with other facts and figures and historical data.

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The Indiana Farmer's Guide

County Booster Department

Huntington, Indiana

NEW VARIETY SWEET CORN

Luther Burbank has announced that he had perfected a new variety of sweet corn, at Santa Rosa, Cal., which he believes will prove more productive and sweeter than any yet produced. He also announced the perfection of a new variety of gladioli and two varieties of Zinnias.

Any man who can do for roasting ears such a mighty deed as this is deserving of more than passing notice. He falls into the class of the agriculturalist who made two blades of grass grow where only one grew before and he moves to a position near the head of the procession. The cross varieties are many. But Burbank says that he has improved the best there is today and that he will be able to give the home gardener a corn that will grow bigger and be sweeter than ever.

WHY SOME BABIES DIE

Here is the death rate of babies under one year old as related to health of parents, examined in one large English town. Father's health good, 24 per cent of babies died.

Father's health bad, 54 per cent of babies died.

Mother's health good, 23 per cent of babies died.

Mother's health bad, 38 per cent of babies died.

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Ginghams, Fancy Dress Ginghams, best qualities at	15c and 25c
Blankets, extra large size, heavy quality plaid blankets, at	\$4.39
Sateen, regular 35c quality, 36 in. wide, dandy quality at	30c
Outing Flannel, 27 in. wide, white or fancy light colors at	15c
Silk curtain nets, regular 85c yard, 36 in. wide at	69c
Daisy Outing Flannel, 27 in. wide, regular 30c yard, white only at	25c
Blankets, size 66x80, fancy plaid heavy quality blankets, at	\$2.98
Outing Flannel, twilled quality, 27 in. wide, good weight, at	20c
Printed Flannelette, regular 35c quality, 36 in. wide, at	25c
Turkish Towels, regular 35c double work turkish towels, at	25c
Comforter Challies, yard wide, standard quality and best patterns, at	16c
Pettibockers, sizes 32 to 36 in. lengths, all colors, regular \$1.25 value, at	93c
Ladies Hats, formerly priced at \$5.00, and children's hats, up to \$3.00, at	\$1.00
Rack of Coats and Suits, carried over from last winter, on sale at	\$4.95
Real Silk Socks for Men, regular 50c a pair, on sale, 6 pr. for	\$2.50
Ladies' Hats, formerly priced at \$7.50, on sale only	\$2.00
Silk and Wool Crops, Bengalettes and knitted silks, worth to \$2.50, at	\$1.50
Woolen Dress Goods, 54 in. wide, formerly priced much higher, at	\$1.50
Wool Cloaking, 56 in. wide, worth \$3.00 yard, on sale at	\$1.00
Everett Shirting for men's every day shirts, Plain or fancy, at	18c
Devonshire cloth, regular 43c value, plain or fancy colors, at	35c
Unbleached Sheetting, 81 in. wide, very good quality, at	49c

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