FARMERS' PRODUCE CO. AT BLISSFIELD A REMARKABLE PLACE

Located In One Of Greatest Stock Feeding Counties In Nation

BUSINESS IS ENORMOUS
Live Stock And Fertilize Soil
Keeps Three Plants Hustling

Situated in southwest Lenawee county, the co-op's country store is located at the junction of sections 19, 20 and 21, T. 1 N., R. 12 W., in the city of Blissfield, with branches at Odessa and Tipton, Mich., 20 miles distant. Needless to say, with stock feeding an important industry in the vicinity and in the entire county, the co-op has thousands of customers. It does an enormous business. Fertilizing land is a big item with the farmers, as is shown by the tremendous amount of fertilizer on hand and waiting to be moved by the co-op. This season the co-op has ordered 3,000 tons of fertilizer, which it plans to sell at a very low price. The co-op is one of the three largest in the state, which produces a greater agricultural program all in one county than is produced on the co-op's farm in Blissfield, covered concrete bins, 20 by 20 by 24 feet, and 20,000 of a ton each. These bins are poured at a cost of $9,000, which is a tremendous item, as this is the first year the co-op has received any return on its investment. It is estimated that the co-op's farm will yield 100,000 tons of corn this year.

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Organ-ize!

Your Farm Bureau membership makes it possible for you to:
1. Express yourself effectively in solving farm problems.
2. Secure greater economic status for your business and your home.
3. Do collectively what cannot be done individually.
4. Assist in setting up new services to farmers when needed.
5. Enjoy certain business advantages.
6. Feel that you have played a part in shaping the agricultural program within your state.

CASS HOLDS FIRST QUARTERLY MEETING

The first council-wide quarterly meeting of the Cass County Farm Bureau's membership was held in Owosso on March 10. The meeting was well attended and several resolutions were adopted. The resolutions dealt with a variety of issues, including the need for better roads, the importance of continuing education programs, and the need for federal aid to agriculture. The meeting was well attended with more than 50 members present. The president of the Cass County Farm Bureau, Mr. Smith, gave a report on the activities of the organization during the past quarter. He reported on the successful implementation of the county's road improvement program, which had been in progress for several months. Mr. Smith also reported on the progress of the organization's educational programs, which were designed to provide farmers with the knowledge and skills they need to succeed in today's competitive market. The meeting concluded with a discussion of the organization's plans for the upcoming quarter. The members agreed to continue working hard to support the county's farmers and to provide them with the resources they need to succeed.
Potato Surplus Can Be Fed To Livestock

Comparative Feeding Value
Of Potatoes And Other Feeds

By M.H. Potter, Edwards, Iowa

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Tekonsha Shows What Co-operators Can Do

Old Co-op Failed. But New And Better One Takes Its Place

Tekonsha, Michigan — The new co-op started with 47 man organization. The old co-op failed. But as a result of a visit by the present manager, Mr. McElhaney, from Tekonsha to the Farm Bureau Service, things have changed. The new co-op is a shining example of what a co-op can do. The old co-op was the result of a meeting held in Tekonsha, which is one of our very best stock. Many farmers could not make ends meet. But now, with the new co-op, the market is steadily improving.

Whole Corn Meal Has Vitamins

The same stock will go to Buffalo. But one local business with residents of Michigan, the same stock will go to Buffalo. But one local business, the State Farm Mutual Auto Insurance Co. offers you a chance to try their services. They have granted reduced rates: the officers of the co-op have determined the efficiency of their services and the fleet of the co-op. The new co-op started off with 47 man organization. The old co-op failed. But as a result of a visit by the present manager, Mr. McElhaney, from Tekonsha to the Farm Bureau Service, things have changed. The new co-op is a shining example of what a co-op can do. The old co-op was the result of a meeting held in Tekonsha, which is one of our very best stock. Many farmers could not make ends meet. But now, with the new co-op, the market is steadily improving.

16th Annual Public Sale

Safety First

1 wheat 120 lbs. 320 lbs.
2 Buckwheat 150 lbs. 100 lbs.

In Market for Clover and Alfalfa Seeds

We are in the market for all varieties of clover and alfalfa seeds. Send samples for prices.

Michigan Farm Bureau Seed Service

201 N. Order St., Lansing, Michigan

Have Your Seed Cleaned Now

We have one of the best seed cleaning plants in the country and can give you complete seed cleaning service at very reasonable rates from now until December 15. When preparation for the spring season will obliga to discontinue custom cleaning.

Thousands of farmers have used our seed cleaning service. We urge that seed be shipped early. Be sure that each bag carry the name of the co-op on it so that we may separate the public formula of Farm Bureau Service from any of the private formulas. Ready to do business, the audit showed the new co-op, which includes the hard work and the abilities of the farmers who are the backbone of the organization, has been making great strides in the past few years.

Virginia County Has General Utility Man

Blight is reported at 62 per cent. In order to get the proper seed, the following procedure should be followed:

Our 1928 Sugar Beet Crop Forecasted Recorded

MICHIGAN FARM BUREAU SEED SERVICE

Lansing, Michigan

WHICH IS YOUR CHOICE?

A man who has a sound job and is financially secure will probably be content to stick with whatever insurance policy he bought years ago. He will have paid for it in premiums and will continue to pay for it for as long as he lives. But if he ever needs to use his policy, he will be glad that he paid for it and the company is still in business.

Michigan Farm Bureau Supply Service

Lansing, Michigan

This Emblems Means Proper Protection

20,000 POLICIES

Written In Two Years

This week the State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance co. wrote its 20,000th policy in Michigan. Note how frequently we see our emblem on the road. This is a splendid record for two years' operations. We continue to grow rapidly. We are proud of the work we are doing in reducing the driving hazards of our policyholders. For

We Assume Their Risks

In case the car is damaged by fire, it is stolen, is damaged in collision, or damages another's property. Where public liability arises under the policy, we defend the interests of the insured in every respect, in accordance with the terms of the policy.

Accidents are unexpected. Everything you own is at risk unless you are insured

The State Farm Mutual Auto Insurance Co. offers you protection at very low annual rates for farm owned cars. We are a strong, liberal reserve company. We have an agent near you. Don't delay in seeing him. If you don't know him, or want further information, write

Be protected before you start on a trip.

Michigan State Farm Bureau

Lansing, Michigan

STATE FARM MUTUAL AUTO INS. CO.
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Come To Lansing - November, 8-9

A two day school of cooperative salesmanship will be held Nov. 8 and 9 by the State Farm Bureau and affiliated business services.

This annual event is one of the most valuable meetings of the year. A large attendance of cooperative managers, automobile insurance men and others is expected.

H. N. Tolles of the Sheldon School of Salesmanship, Chicago, will be lecturer, instructor and critic. Part of the sessions will be discussion periods in which group leaders and co-op managers will discuss problems. It will be a real school of education, with very well-informed men teaching and discussing problems.

The school opens at State Farm Bureau, Lansing. The attendance is expected to exceed the record attendance of 400 which attended the Union Memorial building, State College. The school registration fee of $3.50 includes the banquet.

THURSDAY - NOVEMBER 8

Morning

Chairman - A. N. McDonald, Manager, State Farm Bureau, Howell

0.00 Opening ceremonies

1:00 Session I - Introductory

3:00 Session II - Group Sales, C. F. H. Custer, Michigan State College

4:00 Banquet - Lansing Country Club

Afternoon

Chairman - Z. E. McCullough, Manager, Grand Rapids Co-op

3:00 Session III - Farm Bureau-Municipal Problems, H. E. Tolles, Manager, Michigan State College

5:00 Session IV - Salesmanship, C. F. H. Custer, Michigan State College

6:00 Dinner - Lansing Country Club

NOVEMBER 9

Morning

Chairman - F. S. Longworth, Manager, Grand Rapids Co-op

10:30 Session V - Community Salesmanship

12:00 Lunch - Lansing Country Club

Afternoon

Chairman - Mrs. C. R. Cather, Manager, Lansing Co-op

2:00 Session VI - Group Sales

3:00 Session VII - Individual Sales, H. E. Tolles, Manager, Michigan State College

4:00 Session VIII - Group Sales, C. F. H. Custer, Michigan State College

5:00 Session IX - Farm Bureau-Municipal Problems, H. E. Tolles, Manager, Michigan State College