Attend County F. B. Annual Meeting in October

Members Will Act On 1960 Program

This is the Place Where the Individual Member Says What He Wants Farm Bureau Program to Be

Farm Bureau members in 24 of Michigan's 83 Counties will meet in their annual meetings during October. Under consideration will be recommendations on State and National issues, as well as decisions on matters of local importance.

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Michigan Blue Cross-Blue Shield
MFB Leaders Approve New M-75 Program

July 23 and August 24 the Michigan Farm Bureau leaders met with representatives of Michigan Blue Cross and Blue Shield for discussions on the new M-75 program. This was done so as to keep the Michigan Farm Bureau Board of Directors up-to-date on the present situation of local cooperatives and farmers. The company's distribution system to provide prompt service to its patrons and a more complete service at the farm door.

In 1931 we established our first bulk plant at Manistee in Benzie County for the sale of motor fuels. At that time we established this service as a full-pay ent arrangement, these new services add to the demand for prompt service to the farmer. As a result, an increased demand for prompt service to the farmer. As a result, an increased demand for prompt service to the farmer.
The strength of the American Farm Bureau Federation lies in the rich tradition of public service and community involvement that it represents. This column explores how the organization and its members contribute to improving the quality of life in their communities and working to promote a more promising future for farmers.

R. E. CLARK

The online part of radio and television programming serves the needs of Michigan and national Farm Bureau member federations. The programs are designed to provide information about current issues and events affecting farmers.

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State Committee Meets on Blue Cross-Blue Shield Contract

The State Committee is a standing committee elected each year by the county units as a matter of local government cooperation and as an essential part of the insurance program. It was decided to hold a meeting at the Michigan Bureau of Insurance in Lansing on October 17 to discuss the Blue Cross-Blue Shield program. The meeting was attended by representatives of various insurance companies.

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NATIONAL CHAMP SET RECORD ON FARM BUREAU MILKMAKER 34%

Here's positive proof that Farm Bureau "Provision Formulated" feeds are best for your dairy herd. Jack Budd, owner of a world's champion Holstein herd, and national butterfat champion, says, "Farm Bureau feeds have measured up to all my requirements, and I'm sold on it. I'd recommend Farm Bureau feeds to anyone who wants profitable results." Budd's herd has been raised on Farm Bureau Milkmaker 34%.
Activities of Women of Michigan Farm Bureau

District 1

Mrs. Albert L. Reviewer—Chairman

One County Farm Bureau Women in Michigan have 11 meetings scheduled during October. At one meeting in New Buffalo, Mrs. Dorothy Wallace arranged for an interesting talk on "Memories of Women's Groups," and the group discussed the old days. At another meeting in Hillsdale, a group of 20 members enjoyed a potluck dinner and a demonstration on "Exhibiting Embroidery." At a third meeting in Plainwell, Mrs. B. Jackson gave an interesting talk on "The History of the Farm Bureau." A meeting in Battle Creek, where 18 members attended, had a program of "The State of the Farm Bureau" presented by Mrs. A. Smith. At a meeting in Whitehall, Mrs. J. Thompson arranged for a talk on "The History of the Farm Bureau." At a meeting in Kalamazoo, where 28 members attended, a program on "The History of the Farm Bureau" was presented by Mrs. J. Thompson.

District 2

Mrs. George Sorem, Chairman

Calhoun County, where the September speaker was Mr. Harry Brown, chairman of the local Farm Bureau, organized the group. The meeting was held in Battle Creek, where 24 members attended. Mrs. L. Lane spoke on the importance of the role of the Farm Bureau in the community. The group discussed the need for more members and decided to start a new chapter in Battle Creek. At a meeting in Pontiac, where 35 members attended, a program on "The History of the Farm Bureau" was presented by Mrs. A. Smith. At a meeting in Battle Creek, where 28 members attended, a program on "The History of the Farm Bureau" was presented by Mrs. J. Thompson.

District 3

Mrs. George Sorem, Chairman

The Camillus County Farm Bureau Women met on October 15, where 28 members attended. Mrs. G. H. Holmes spoke on the importance of the role of the Farm Bureau in the community. The group discussed the need for more members and decided to start a new chapter in Camillus. At a meeting in Old Town, where 35 members attended, a program on "The History of the Farm Bureau" was presented by Mrs. A. Smith. At a meeting in Battle Creek, where 28 members attended, a program on "The History of the Farm Bureau" was presented by Mrs. J. Thompson.

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Mrs. Oliver Tompkins, Chairman

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Peach Ridge Has Apple Smorgasbord

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Leib, hosts for the 1960 Peach Ridge Apple Smorgasbord, greeted 120 guests of honor to enjoy a variety of delicious apple dishes. Mr. and Mrs. Leib welcomed the guests and thanked them for attending the event. The apples were displayed on tables, and guests could sample various apple dishes. Among the dishes were apple pie, apple cake, apple sauce, apple butter, and apple tarts. The guests enjoyed the apple dishes and had a great time at the event. The event was well attended, and everyone had a great time.

The Home Flower Garden

Popular Trees and Shrubs for Home Plantings

L. L. CUNNINGHAM, Garden Club Lecturer

In the present growing season, many gardeners are planting trees and shrubs in their gardens to enhance the beauty of their homes. The right selection of trees and shrubs can greatly improve the appearance of a home. In this lecture, Mr. Cunningham will discuss the benefits of planting trees and shrubs in the garden and the factors to consider when selecting trees and shrubs for home planting.

The Home Garden Flower

Yellow Wood (Acer saccharum). Grow to 60 to 80 feet high. Flowers are yellow in April. Male flowers are yellow and female flowers are white. The flowers are followed by small green fruits. The leaves are palmately compound and 6 to 8 inches long. The tree is deciduous and sheds its leaves in the fall.

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FLOWERING DOGWOOD (Cornus florida). Grow to 20 to 25 feet high. Many gardeners use flowering dogwood as an ornamental tree. The flowers are white and appear in May. The tree is deciduous and sheds its leaves in the fall.

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Electric Fences Can Cause Fires

Better electric fence controllers. In the past, farm fires resulting from uncompromising fences have increased, says an engineer. And during late summer, when hot fence posts, hay, brush, brush hedges, and electric fences have been burning for too long, there is no time to cause a fire. If the fence is strong enough to kill weeds that touch it, it is strong enough that under proper conditions, it can cause a spark that can set your barn on fire.

If the fence is UL approved, the blackout of starting a fire is much less.

Man, personal danger is less on the UL approved fence. There is less smoke coming off your fence when it's not operating. Your plugs are much safer. Plutonium engineers are not sure if you have a high-powered fence, you better make sure your fences are out of the barn and at least 12 inches away from all buildings. If it is a potential burner, replace it or make all the precautions you can.

Cedar Group First for 1960

Cedar Farm Bureau convening at Lansing on Feb. 5th discussed the 1960 Farm Market Place. They felt that the market conditions did not favor a strong demand for new and unusual products.

Mrs. Edwards as usual and all others present wished the Farm Bureau a most prosperous year.
Farm operation. It is well for serious problems for the farm owner to know his rights, and how to handle them to block the action. Appraisal.

A property owner has little or nothing to lose if the government seeks to take his property. There are also growing demands for "easements" - usable right-of-way action. Anger will only make it stick. But do not deal in facts or promises.

Don't try to force through any unreasonable demands. You can't gauge the public for more than the deal is worth and make it stick. Do not request unreasonable claims for payment. Don't form a community group just to push on your own special interests. Look out for your own best interests. Keep close check to see that the location is on the route to be taken and the nature of the construction to be installed.

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Dollars and Sense in Right-Of-Way Problems

Community Farm Bureau Discussion Topic for October

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DONALD D. KIRBY Chairman of Discussion and Research

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