Turkey Order,—A Foot In The Door

USDA Proposes “Bird-Watching”

A "recommended decision" would change the method for setting the order for turkey production. The order currently is based on an estimated demand for turkeys, developed by the National Turkey Federation. Under a "bird-watching" method, the order would be based on the number of turkeys shipped and sold in previous years, rather than on a predicted demand. The "recommended decision" would require the Secretary of Agriculture to submit a formal order within 120 days of the decision.

**Major Objectives**

E. W. Boord, secretary of the Senate Agriculture Committee, said he would support the "bird-watching" method, but expressed concern that it might reduce the turkeys available for the Thanksgiving and Christmas markets. He suggested that a compromise solution might be to use both methods, with the "bird-watching" method being used for the majority of the order, and the demand-based method being used for the remainder.

**F. B. Testifies On Bills**

"It was the best attended agricultural hearing I have ever witnessed," reported the President of a Michigan Farm Bureau. "I was impressed by the number of people who were present, and by the quality of the questions asked. It was clear that our members are serious about protecting our agricultural interests." The President emphasized the importance of supporting legislation that would provide a fair and equitable price for farmers.

**Bill Numbers Listed**

The bill numbers listed are only a small sample of the many bills that have been introduced in the current legislative session. These bills address a wide range of issues, from agricultural policy to environmental protection. It is important for farmers to stay informed about these bills and to contact their representatives to express their views on these issues.

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**Wightman Testifies At Labor Hearing**

"We believe the Secretary of Labor is exceeding his authority and is going beyond the intent of Congress in proposing to establish a minimum hourly wage for farm workers," said Wightman. "Farmers are already facing high costs due to inflation and rising feed prices. Implementing a minimum wage would only add to their expenses." Wightman emphasized the importance of ensuring that farmers can continue to provide a good living for their families without being unduly burdened by regulations.

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**Editorial**

Farm Bureau Leader's Guide-Posts

1. BELIEVE IN FARM BUREAU — its policies and achievements deserve your loyalty.
2. ORGANIZE WHAT YOU DO — your work — your life — your production is no substitute for spirit and purpose, but spirit and purpose are practically helpless without organization.
3. IF A GOOD IDEA DOESN'T SUCCEED, TRY AGAIN — one more effort on your part may be the difference between success and failure.
4. IT IS BETTER TO PUT TEN MEN TO WORK THAN, TO DO THE WORK OF TEN MEN. We can yield to only those things we help create or improve.
5. FORGET YOURSELF. An humble man can do great things with an uncommon passion because he is no longer concerned about incidentally his own interests and his own reputation, and therefore, he no longer need waste his efforts defensing them.
6. DON'T BE AFRAID OF CRITICISM. If your main purpose is to avoid criticism, you ought to step aside and let someone with more courage take your place.
7. KEEP YOUR SENSE OF HUMOR. You'll need it, and you may not be as important as you thought you were.
8. BE A DOER. Sound policies are important. Conviction is important, but "faith without works is dead." The real strength in Farm Bureau is in getting things done, implementing the policies. This is the real test of leadership.

**Old Truism Still Holds**

The state of Oregon has two high-speed free ways, and six others under construction. These have carried, along with the usual highway numbers, the names of the engineers primarily responsible for their development and construction. Thus, an honor has been bestowed on those engineers whose work is recognized throughout this country and abroad.

**State Market-Order Legislation**

Director To Call Hearings

Senator Bill 1415—covering provisions for new State Market Order to facilitate marketing of agricultural commodities and related services — has been referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Consumer Affairs, and to the Committee on the Judiciary. Proponents of the measure believe that the market order is a logical next step in the efforts of the Bureau of Land Management and the Department of Agriculture to help farmers.

Approval Needed

An order is approved if 2/3 of all of the eligible growers voting agree to its terms. An order is rejected if 1/3 or more of the voting growers fail to agree to its terms. The order may be approved if the order is not approved by the Advisory Board.

Advisory Boards

An advisory board is appointed by the Secretary of Agriculture from a list of names submitted by the governors of participating states. The board must select the Advisory Boards from a list of names submitted by the governors of participating states.

Reciprocal Trade Policy

The Farm Bureau's policy is to support the principle of reciprocal trade policies, which aims to promote trade relations between all countries on a basis of equality and mutual benefit. This policy is based on the belief that free trade promotes economic development and prosperity for all nations.

Farmers and Foreign Trade

The Michigan Farm Bureau offers several programs to support farmers and promote trade, including partnerships with other countries, international trade agreements, and overseas market development. These programs help farmers increase their income and improve their livelihood by expanding their market reach.

**Farm Bureau Roundup**

The Farm Bureau Roundup is a publication that provides information about the current events and policies related to agriculture. It covers topics such as crop prices, farm legislation, and international trade. The Roundup is a valuable resource for farmers and industry professionals who want to stay informed about the latest developments in the agricultural sector.

**Scarseth Dies**

The death of Governor Harold L. Stassen, former Secretary of Agriculture and Secretary of Commerce, has left the country with a significant loss. Stassen was a respected figure in the world of agriculture and international affairs, and his contributions to the development of agricultural policies and trade agreements will be remembered for years to come.

**Farmers in Politics**

The Farm Bureau's active involvement in politics is crucial to ensuring that the interests of farmers are represented. By engaging in political activities, farmers can advocate for policies that benefit their communities and the agricultural sector as a whole. This includes supporting candidates who support policies that promote the growth and development of agriculture.

**Conclusion**

In conclusion, the Farm Bureau is a powerful and influential organization that plays a critical role in promoting the interests of farmers and supporting the agricultural sector. Through its various programs and activities, the Farm Bureau works to ensure that farmers have the tools and resources they need to thrive and succeed in the global marketplace.

**Farmers Need More**

As the demand for food and other agricultural products continues to grow, it is essential that farmers receive adequate support and resources to ensure their success. The Farm Bureau is committed to advocating for policies that support farmers and promote the health and well-being of the agricultural sector.

**About the Michigan Farm Bureau**

The Michigan Farm Bureau is a grassroots organization that represents the interests of farmers in Michigan. It is committed to providing its members with the tools and resources they need to succeed in the agricultural sector and to ensuring that the voice of farmers is heard in decision-making processes.
The Farmers Problem—"Economic Survival"

In a hard-hitting talk before representatives of Michigan’s dairy industry at Farm Bureau Center, Lansing, Dr. P. H. Tracy, President of Hillsdale College, made this plea for "economic survival" for dairymen. Tracy, now a Consultant to the dairy industry, is Professor Emeritus of Dairy Technology, University of Illinois.

The dairy industry faces a very serious situation. The United States is currently producing 37,200,000,000 pounds of milk annually. About 80 per cent of this is produced by farms with less than 100 cows. In 1960, Dr. Tracy made a presentation on the dairy situation before the Michigan Department of Agriculture. The strong support of the farmers for the bills of interest to poultry farmers is indicated by the fact that the Senate and House of Representatives have passed bills to regulate the sale of eggs.

Meat Inspection

Dr. Tracy said the meat inspection bill is not considered in the Senate. However, the Michigan Farm Bureau, which includes slaughterhouse owners, has already passed a bill to regulate the sale of eggs.

Socialist Popular

Dr. Tracy said it is not enough to say that the government can compete in the world's markets. "We need to compete in the world's markets," he said. "The government can compete in the world's markets, but it cannot compete in the political arena." He added that the government cannot compete with private enterprise.

Shaping Of A Constitution

Con-Con Report

Stanley M. Powell

The Shaping of a Constitution is the title of the book by Powell. The book is a study of the American Constitution and its amendments. Powell argues that the Constitution is a living document, and that its amendments must be considered as a continuous process of shaping the Constitution.

Earmarked Funds

"Earmarked Funds" is a term used to describe money that is set aside for a specific purpose. Powell argues that earmarked funds are a problem, and that they should be eliminated. He believes that the Constitution is a living document, and that it must be shaped to meet the needs of the times.

Hillsdale Stresses American Heritage

American College Program Is Declared Unique

A recent letter from J. D. Chapman, President of Hillsdale College, is of interest to those who want to promote our American heritage. Chapman wrote to President Phillips saying, "As citizens, it is not enough for us to accept our present. We must face up to our responsibilities."

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More than 40 Michigan State University College of Agriculture, and students have been honored for their scholarship achievement. The MSU Ag. Students received Top Awards.

**Savio Bond**

A young farm girl who is located in the 4-H Congress. The students are working on the 1961 state 4-H girl award, and they have been working on this project for several years. This year, they are working on a project called "Agricultural Economics Senior Project." The project is focused on providing financial planning, crop production, and economics advice to a young farmer.

The students are working on the project under the guidance of their advisor, Dr. K. T. Woodwell. The project will be presented at the 1961 state 4-H Congress, and they are holding a discussion on the project at the Michigan State University College of Agriculture. The project is expected to be completed by the end of the year.

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**F. B. Young People, Women's Activities**

MsU Ag. Students receive Top Awards

The Young-People Congress is an annual event that brings together students from the University of Michigan and the Michigan State University. The congress is focused on providing financial planning, crop production, and economics advice to young farmers.

The congress is organized by the University of Michigan Student Farm Bureau and the Michigan State University Student Farm Bureau Women's Committee. The congress is attended by the students from both universities, and the congress is expected to be completed by the end of the year.

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**New Farm Bureau Offices, County Reports**

**Symbol Of Expansion**

A curved upwards of 125 per cent was witnessed at the new Bay County Farm Bureau building at 1200 Michigan Road. A Saturday afternoon ceremony featured Clarence Wirbel, Chairman. Reverend William Lutz, May-30th, was the speaker.

**That Question Again -- An Income Tax?**

Rohn Smith, Associate Legislative Chairman.

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**Record Debt Forcing Issue**

"Their is maybe a hundred million dollars in the red by the end of the year," said the Michigan financial problem, aware the per cent of agreement around the Congress house. "It may be as high as 1.5 billion dollars." Those who recom-mend a "moderate" budget in 1959, according to Mr. Smith, speak of the Legislature; it's answer lies in the hands of the Federation of American Chambers of Commerce. A crowd upwards of 100 persons attended the Michigan Farm Bureau’s annual conventions in Traverse City, August 19 & 20.

**Barry County Farm Bureau Offices**

A YEAR OF GREAT CHANGE--secures buphalo by one-third for the Barry County Farm Bureau. The new office was formally dedicated recently.

**NEWELY REN BORED QUADRILE--gives an attracting work atmosphere in the Barry County Farm Bureau building. A president stated earlier the office bureau opened its doors in 1958.

**Leaving Farmers Alone?**

Van Buren Fund Dinner Planned

**Legislative Calendar Dates to Watch**

April 4 - Final day for conven-tion bills to originate in other House.

April 15 - Final day for pending bills to originate in the House.

May 11 - Adjourn sine die at 12:00 noon.

**New Farm Bureau Offices, County Reports**

**Livingston County Holds Open House**

The building is located at 115 S. Hudson Street, Pontiac. This is the official announcement for the 1957 fall open house. It includes a full display of farm and home equipment. It is the last day of the fair. The fair is open from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. And on Sunday afternoon, April 22, the show will be open from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**ACROPOLIS ARRANGEMENT-- contain a majority of Branch County farm agencies and offices.**

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**OTHER BUSINESS**

A 1957 Ford 960 Tractor

A 1959 John Deere 730 Diesel Tractor

A 1958 Fordson Major Diesel Tractor

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**AUCTION SALE**

Located 2 miles south, 1 mile west, 1/4 mile south of Lake City, Missaukee County, Michigan.

Friday, April 27

**UNILITE REFLECTOR RAIL STEEL FENCE POSTS**

They hold the low cost locally against stakes or posts. They are easy to install, strong, light weight, economical, long lasting and durable. They will not rust out, nor will they ever have to be repainted. They are the same steel used in building and construction. They are available in a wide variety of colors and styles.

**WRITE FOR DETAILED AUCTION BILL**

January 9-400 Col. Bulk Tank and Surge Milking Equipment

Terms available with Lake City State Bank - Clark.

EUGENE ROBERT, Prop., Butch Whittem and Jim Sykora, Auctioneers
Four Outstanding Young Farmers

By Herbert York,
Chairman, Governor's Legislative Com.

At last we come to the highlights in the pattern of farm programs that have been presented. For years we have been concerned with the availability of farm programs which would provide the needed help to farmers. We must concentrate on how we can provide the needed help, and how we can help the farmers meet the needs of the future.

It has been true in the past and will be true in the future that the best farm programs are those that provide the best farm services. It is necessary at the time of transition to determine the level of consumption and export.

Any high priority program that does not consider these factors does not have the proper impact required. We have discussed this in the past, and we will do so again in the future. The best farm programs are those that provide the best farm services.

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But what about us, farmers, and consumers? Do we have a plan imposed on us? Do we have a plan that will really work and face the future? Do we have a plan that will work for our country, our farm, our family, and our future?

We have never heard of controls on meat. We have never heard of controls on potatoes. We have never heard of controls on fruits. We have never heard of controls on vegetables. We have never heard of controls on dairy products. We have never heard of controls on eggs.

I have attempted to present a picture of the future in our country. We have heard of controls on cotton, peanuts, pork, poultry, and other meat products. We have heard of controls on cotton, peanuts, pork, poultry, and other meat products. We have heard of controls on cotton, peanuts, pork, poultry, and other meat products. We have heard of controls on cotton, peanuts, pork, poultry, and other meat products.

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F. B. Insurance Honors Presidents

"Statewide" Event Attracts Many

More than 300 agents and wives, county presidents and wives, and guests from the insurance producing counties of the state attended the "Statewide" meeting of the Farm Bureau Insurance Officers held at the Hotel Statler, Detroit, May 9-10. The meeting marked the 50th anniversary of the Farm Bureau Mutual Insurance company.

Irwin Allison, Sales Manager, presented awards to outstanding agencies and individual agents and their wives, those agencies being R. L. Stead, New Buffalo, Elmer Miller, Montcalm, Adolph Siegrist, Iosco, Charles Kellogg, hi.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.,.
"Medicare"—Another Federal Power Move

Community Farm Bureau Topic
For Discussion in April

Background Material for Community Farm Bureau Discussion Groups

DORALD D. MOIR
Coordinator, Education and Research

Should citizens of this nation begin their Constitutional
saying, "We, the people of the United States, shall establish a government in which the citizens are wards of the government, with only such rights as those in authority are willing to grant to us from their positions of power?"

If you examine closely the proposals being pressed
in Congress by bureau officials in Washington, this twist of our Constitution is being
fact. Not only do we have the U.S.A.-sponsored farm control act on the docket, we have the same
level of effort reflected in the proposed medical care in the bill backed by the Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

Ambitious goals of federal bureaus are asking
us to give up our freedom to control programs traditionally undertaken by the people
Themselves. In the small space from 1960 to 1963, they call for a switch of authority over medi-
care for the aged from local and state govern-
ments to their own doaks.

THE DANGER IS EIGHTH-SIXTHS HIDDEN...

The Expanding Press

For Power

In September, 1962, Congress passed the Kerr-Mills Medical Care Act. There were those
who advocated the bill at that time who said it would, in effect, establish national health care, a national
judicial, and a national legislative branch, which could not be covered by the program in any way.
Thus, it was not and still is not called the "nationalization of health care".

The Kerr-Mills Act is left up to the states, whether or not they want to participate in the program. The
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