

10 Point Farm Program to Help Conditions In County

South Carolina agriculture, basis for two billion dollar business annually, takes a big step forward this week.

A 10-point program for 1960, tabbed "South Carolina Agriculture Is Big Business," is now underway in the Palmetto state. This program charts the course agriculture must take in South Carolina if it is to keep pace with the rapid changes of a highly geared economy.

The forward-looking program was developed by the state's top agricultural leaders and is sponsored jointly by the Clemson College Extension Service and the South Carolina State Agricultural Committee.

The 10-point program is supported by Clinton business firms in a page ad in The Chronicle today.

The basic 10 points are:

1. Farm and Home Management: Develop the farm and home into an efficient operating unit by sound planning and good management for the best use of land, water, labor, machinery, cash and credit; and
2. Marketing: Plan for high quality of farm products to fit market demands. Give more emphasis to proper handling, grading, storage and merchandising farm products. Develop more processing and marketing facilities by individual and group effort. Conduct promotion programs for quality products. Work to establish industries which will use South Carolina farm products.
3. Soils and Crops: Follow recommended soil and water conservation practices. Grow those crops that are best suited to the soil and to market demands. Have soils tested and apply recommended amounts of lime and fertilizer. Use certified seed of adapted varieties. Remember, "More Fertile Soils Mean More Farm Income."
4. Grassland Farming: Increase production of pastures and forage crops to support our expanding livestock industry. Grow more Coastal Bermuda for grazing, hay and silage. Use more small grain crops for winter cover, grazing, hay and silage.
5. Dairying, Livestock and Poultry: Produce high quality milk, meats, eggs and other livestock products to meet home and market needs. Practice improved breeding, better feeding and efficient management to improve quality and increase income.
6. Forestry: Follow good forestry management practices to make woodlands pay off regularly. Do a better job of marketing the timber crop. Reforest land best suited to trees. Re-establish pines on lands now occupied by cull hardwoods. Protect woodlands from wildfire, insects and diseases.
7. Pests and Diseases: Use recommended materials, equipment and methods to prevent or control crop, livestock, household and stored grain insects, diseases and parasites, weeds, rodents and other pests.
8. Family Living: Plan for wholesome living for each member of the family. Provide a convenient, well-equipped and attractive home, improved nutrition, adequate clothing, and opportunities for health, education, spiritual training and social life.
9. Rural Youth: Train boys and girls in improved methods of farming, homemaking, health, safety, citizenship and leadership, and provide vocational guidance.
10. Community Development and Public Affairs: Plan and work together to build better and more attractive communities and develop rural resources and income opportunities. Keep informed on public affairs and programs affecting rural people. Actively support local farm organizations.

The 10-point program is an effort by the farm leaders of the state to enlist the aid of all groups interested in the economic overall well being of South Carolina agriculture. It is designed to be used as a guide by county agricultural committees, agricultural agencies, farm organizations, and individual farmers in planning and conducting their programs.

The South Carolina committee is composed of elected representatives, one man and one woman from each of the 46 county agricultural committees, and official representatives of the agricultural agencies functioning in the state and of the state farm organizations. The various county committees and other organizations are expected to adopt the overall program to their respective situations and needs and to formulate their own methods to achieve the objectives desired.

Clinton Methodists Join In Campaign For Institutions

Joining with other Methodists throughout South Carolina, members of Broad Street church have launched a campaign to raise their quota for the Methodist Higher Education fund. "Opportunity today—committed leaders tomorrow" is the theme of the united movement for Christian higher education.

The campaign for \$3,000,000 was approved by the annual conference in June after careful study and recommendation by a special committee appointed by Bishop Nolan B. Harmon. The recommendation pointed out the urgent needs at Columbia and Wofford Colleges and work of the Wesley Foundation and Methodist Student work.

Extreme needs at Columbia College are a new science building; additional adjacent property; additional endowment, with income being used to increase faculty salaries and undergird the current operational budget; a new physical education center.

Wofford College urgently needs a modernization of the main building for classrooms and faculty offices; new science building and modern equipment; a student center building; additional endowment to provide scholarships for worthy students; two new dormitories.

Wesley Foundations and Methodist Student Work need include money for debt retirement and expansion; a Methodist student ministry parsonage and student center for Spartanburg; expansion for the Winthrop Wesley Foundation.

F. Howard Smith, who is finance chairman of the official board of the local church, is serving as campaign chairman.

Recently key workers attended a district rally in Greenwood at which time the Rev. Joel E. Cannon, Broad Street pastor, took part on the program, giving a minister's viewpoint of the planned campaign.

A workers rally was held in Hodges Hall on Friday evening, Feb. 26 with captains and workers present for dinner, instruction, inspiration and assignment of prospects.

Colored slides taken recently on the campuses of the two colleges which brought out many of these needs, were shown to the Broad Street congregation on Sunday evening.

In all churches throughout the conference, great stress was laid upon the program at the Sunday morning service preceding the campaign period February 28-March 13, during which time every church family will be solicited for pledges over the four-year period.

World Day Of Prayer Service Friday At Broad Street Church

The World Day of Prayer Service, with the theme, "Laborers Together With God," will be held on Friday, March 5 at 3:30 at Broad Street Methodist Church. Seven churches of the community will sponsor the service with the United Lutheran Church Women of St. John's Church in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. A. C. Workman, Jr., president of the Lutheran Women, has arranged a program on which representatives of the women's organization will take part.

Leaders will be Mrs. J. R. Reynolds, Mrs. R. L. Plaxico, Mrs. Hugh Jacobs, Mrs. J. H. Leighton, Mrs. John L. Madden, with the congregation responding in unison according to the planned program.

The Rev. Joel E. Cannon, pastor of Broad Street Methodist Church, will give the invocation and Rev. Clyde Peterson, pastor of the Davidson Street Baptist Church, will pronounce the benediction. Mrs. Don Creighton will be organist and the Thornwell Youth choir will render the anthem.

This year there will be a children's service in Hodges Hall. Mrs. Forrest Adair, president of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the host church, has arranged the program for this group.

Frank H. Caine Dies In Laurens

Laurens—Frank H. Caine, 67, died at 10:00 a. m., Monday, at his home on South Harper Street following five years of declining health and a critical illness of two months.

A son of the late Dr. Earle M. and Rosa Irby Caine, he had spent his entire life in Laurens except for a period he served in the armed forces during World War I. He was educated in the Laurens city schools and Davidson College. He served as Laurens postmaster for many years and served as city clerk and treasurer until he retired in 1955 because of failing health. He was a member and former deacon of the First Presbyterian Church.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Jeanne Fleming Caine; five sisters, Mrs. Mariene C. Garlington, Mrs. Lillian C. Gray and Mrs. Tallulah C. Garrison, all of Laurens; Mrs. Eliza C. Nottingham of Dallas, Texas; and Mrs. Walter H. Powell of Whiteville, N. C.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday at 4:00 p. m. at the Kennedy Mortuary by the Rev. Chalmers F. McCutchen. Burial was in the Laurens City cemetery.

Clinton High To Play 11 Foes In Football

An 11-game football schedule for Clinton High has been announced by Coach Buzz Tedards.

Two Class AAA teams—Spartanburg and Gaffney—and Class AA Union have been dropped from the schedule, and will be replaced by Woodruff (A), Easley (AA), and Parker (AAA).

Tedards reported that the Red Devils will lose thirteen lettermen through graduation. The nucleus for this season will be twelve lettermen: September 2, Woodruff; 9, Ware Shoals; 16, at Abbeville; 23, at Chester; 30, North Augusta; October 7, at Lancaster; 14, York; 21, open; 28, at Newberry; November 4, at Laurens; 11, Easley; 18, Parker.

Clinton Boys, Girls Lose In Tournament

The Clinton boys and girls basketball teams were eliminated in the Eastern AA Conference basketball tournament in Lancaster last week.

The Clinton boys fell to Chester 55-37, after earlier defeating Laurens, 41-30.

The Clinton girls went down before the Lancaster girls, 57-27.

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BTU Meet March 10 At Beaverdam Church

The Baptist Young People's Training Union Association will hold the monthly meeting Thursday, March 10, at 7:30 at the Beaverdam Baptist Church.

For the program a discussion on "My Training Union Problems" will be given.

Coach Scott of Laurens High School will lead the devotionals.

Each church is asked to bring doughnuts and salted nuts for their group. The young people from each Baptist church in the county are asked to attend. At the last youth meeting held at the First Baptist Church here were 173 present. The group from Harmony church won the banner for the fourth time.

PTA Members Hear Talks On Art, City Manager Plan

Members attending the March meeting of the Hampton Avenue Parent Teachers Association Tuesday evening viewed the work of art students of Mrs. Milford Smith. The interesting display, including materials, was held in a classroom prior to the meeting.

John Minnaugh, treasurer, presided and introduced the speakers for the evening. W. R. Anderson opened the meeting with prayer.

Mrs. David S. Cook discussed the value of teaching art to children, the importance of self expression by this means, colors and proportions.

H. L. Eichelberger, former mayor and councilman, spoke to the group on the city manager plan of government for Clinton. He brought out that in considering this change no reflection was placed on the present or any past administration but rather a desire for a more efficient and up to date operation. Also pointed out was the fact that 15 South Carolina towns now use a city manager and the committee had observed first hand its operation in three nearby places, Newberry, Greenwood and Rock Hill.

Art Exhibit On Display

A display of children's art is being held in the lobby of the M. S. Bailey and Son Bankers. On exhibit now through March 8 are the works of local art students of Mrs. Milford Smith.

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Henry M. Fliedner Dies In Washington

Little Mountain—Henry Meredith Fliedner, 53, a native of South Carolina, died suddenly Tuesday at his home in Washington, D. C. He had suffered a heart attack several months ago.

Mr. Fliedner was born in Greenville, a son of Mrs. Annie Boland Fliedner and the late Henry Meredith Fliedner. He lived a number of years in Clinton where he attended Thornwell High School and graduated from Presbyterian College and Washington law school. He had made his home in Washington for the past 30 years where he was a linotype operator for The Washington Star. He was a member of the Presbyterian church.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Anna Allen Fliedner; one daughter, Mrs. George Simons; two grandchildren, all of Washington; his mother, Mrs. Annie Boland Fliedner of Little Mountain; three sisters, Mrs. Charles Crowell of Little Mountain; Mrs. Thomas E. Hoffman of Washington; and Miss Martha Fliedner of Harlan, Ky.; and several nieces and nephews.

The body will be returned to Little Mountain and funeral arrangements will be announced by the McSwain Funeral Home in Newberry.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late C. M. Broome wishes to express appreciation for the sympathy, floral offerings and other kindnesses shown during his illness and at the time of his death. We are especially grateful to the nurses and doctors at Blalock Clinic, the friends of the Rock Bridge community, and at Lydia and the Brotherhood of the Lydia Baptist Church for their assistance and many thoughtful deeds.

THOMAS F. HOLLIS
M. D. MILAM, JR. ltc

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

that the subscribers to the capital stock of COASTAL-PIEDMONT TRUCKING CO., a proposed corporation which is to have its principal place of business at Clinton, South Carolina, will meet at the office of Tench P. Owens, Attorney, 203 West Pitts Street, Clinton, South Carolina, on Monday, March 7, 1960, at 11:00 o'clock A. M. for the purpose of organizing said corporation. Immediately thereafter the undersigned intend to apply for a charter for the said corporation by filing with the Secretary of State of South Carolina the written declaration described in Section 12-58 of the Code of Laws of South Carolina.

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C. W. HOGAN, President 4c-M-17

POLITICAL NOTICE

On Monday afternoon, March 7, 1960, at 3:00 p. m. in the County Court House at Laurens, S. C., there will be a Laurens County Republican Convention for statutory reorganization and such other business as may come up before it.

ELMORE G. BRAMLETT, Chairman Laurens County Executive Committee 2cM3

FINAL SETTLEMENT

Take notice that on the 22nd day of March, 1960, I will render a final account of my acts and doings as Executrix of the estate of Robert E. Wysor, Jr., deceased, in the office of the Judge of Probate of Laurens County, at 10 o'clock a. m. and on the same day will apply for a final discharge from my trust as Executrix.

Any person indebted to said estate is notified and required to make payment on or before that date; and all persons having claims against said estate will present them on or before said date, duly proven, or be forever barred.

SARAH JAMES WYSOR, Executrix, 112 East Maple Street, Clinton, South Carolina. Feb. 19, 1960 4c-M-17

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