

Lower Income for Farmers Is 1947 Prediction

for the farm outlook for 1947, County Agent Clarence Schmaderke has pointed out that many economists claim the years of high income to farmers may be over.

Recent declines in corn and chicken prices may indicate the trend, according to Schmaderke. On Oct. 1, farmers were receiving 1.72 bushel for corn. Now large quantities are being sold at from 1 to 1.25 bushel.

Chickens sold for 31 cents per pound in October. Now they are quoted at 19 to 22 cents at production.

There is a summary of expert opinions compiled by Schmaderke. Increased costs as a result of high wages and low efficiency workers will cause the prices goods farmers must buy to advance.

2. The increase in cost of living will reduce the effective demand for farm products.

3. Relief buying of the United Nations will end for Europe Jan. 1 and for Asia March 31. The people who have been aided in the countries receiving relief do not have purchasing power to continue buying the same volume of supplies in the United States.

4. Unemployment will increase and demand for farm products will decline as soon as the backlog of inventory demand is met.

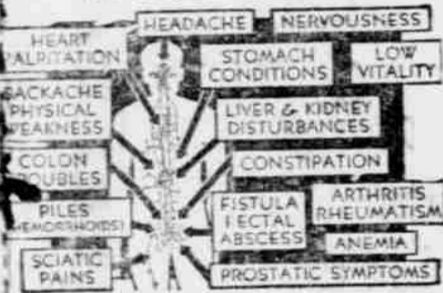
5. Agricultural prices will decline level off while the cost of manufactured goods continues to rise. Net farm income will be reduced by a two-way squeeze—lower prices for farm products on the one side and higher costs for the goods farmers must buy on the other.

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