

**COOPERATIVE EXTENSION WORK
IN AGRICULTURE AND
HOME ECONOMICS**

AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE OF TEXAS
AND UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF
AGRICULTURE COOPERATING

F.F. 30:746

STATE OF TEXAS

Bryan, Texas
Feb. 1, 1943

EXTENSION SERVICE
COUNTY AGENT WORK

Mr J. H. Williams
District Agent,
Prairie View College
Prairie View, Texas

Dear Mr Williams:

I reply to your letter to your
letter about the pigs. I had to get two
pigs from one boy, and had to pay
for only one of the pigs.

I would also like to go home
on the 6th after 5 o'clock will be
back Monday. In case you need me
I will be in Needville, Texas

Very truly yours
E. C. Pace

Negro Co. Agri. Agent



IN REPLY REFER TO

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
FARM CREDIT ADMINISTRATION

F.F.30; 749

KANSAS CITY, MO.

February 1, 1943

Mr. J. H. Williams, District Agent
Negro Agricultural Work
Prairie View N. & I. State College
Prairie View, Texas

Dear Mr. Williams:

I have read with considerable interest the news articles and various reports concerning the 1942 accomplishments of 4-H Club members. It was particularly gratifying to me to know that during 4-H Club Achievement Week, November 7-14, 200,000 colored boys and girls joined the other youths of America in pausing to take stock of their accomplishments and evaluating them in terms of their worth in helping to win the war on the home front.

In just a few days, February 6-14, the American 4-H Club youths of all races will observe National 4-H Club Mobilization Week. I understand that this week will be largely concerned with encouraging young farm people to do their full part through the 4-H Club program for helping to attain the 1943 food production goals. To reach this year's goal, as expressed in the new 4-H Club slogan - "FEED A FIGHTER IN 1943", will undoubtedly call for projects of considerably increased scope and variety. In order to reach this increase these boys and girls must not only work much harder than previously, but undoubtedly they will need more financial assistance than in past years.

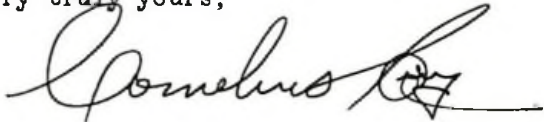
In regard to the latter statement in the above paragraph, we are endeavoring to be of assistance through our production credit associations. These organizations are offering group and individual loan services to meet the particular credit needs of these youths and the purposes of their leaders in their efforts to produce Food-for-Freedom.

I have requested the Farm Credit district office at Houston to send you some material regarding FCA group and other loans for young farm people. May I also inform you that secretary-treasurers of production credit associations will be pleased to serve, upon request, on one or more local programs sponsored by agricultural extension and home demonstration workers during 4-H Club Mobilization Week, for the purpose of explaining these services to 4-H Club members.

2-J. H. Williams-February 1, 1943

If at any time you believe that there is any way in which this office can be of assistance in encouraging young people to do their full part through the 4-H Club program for helping to produce Food-for-Freedom, please do not hesitate to call upon us.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Cornelius King". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name.

Cornelius King
Special Assistant to the Governor

F. F. 30,748

1017 Robin Street
Houston, Texas
February 2, 1943

Mr. J. H. Williams
District Agent
Prairie View State College
Prairie View, Texas

Dear Mr. Williams:

I am indeed sorry that I have caused a bit of misunderstanding in regard to the assistance I was attempting to secure from you. I had no idea it would take this turn.

I felt that you were a bit skeptical of going on notes is why I ask you to be a co-signer with my sister. And, too, I thought knowing that I would be a government employee there was no way to loose on the deal.

Now about the New Orleans affair, I have been ask to report to New Orleans, prior to going to Washington to receive 2 weeks special training at the government's expense, hence I wouldn't really report to work in Washington until 2 weeks after I left here. In fact I had hoped to leave on or around February 15, but it seems that I can't make it now as I have no other source, that I can think of, to seek aid. I regret more than I can say that this thing has occurred. I wouldn't for the world and any job have a bit of doubt spring up. I value your and your wife's friendship to highly.

Mr. Luper's son was operated on yesterday and the question of getting assistance from that source is out from what he said about rendering financial aid to his cause.

Indirectly I have been informed that I have been given a raise of \$25.00 per month. For some cause I feel that I don't really appreciate it. I have lost practically all interest in this work, due to the conditions under which I have to work.

Your letter has taken all of the starch out of me. I can't seem to do my work this evening.

Should you think of some method by which I can

I can get the desired assistance, please, let me know.

I really hate to let this opportunity slip through my hands. But, if I can't, I can't.

I really hope every thing turns out alright and the misunderstanding will soon be cleared up.

Yours truly,
Frankye Osborne Houston
Frankye Osborne Houston

P. S. I am wondering if you know of any one else that could possibly favor me through your recommendation. It seems like the thing I have waited for so long and it is within reaching distance, yet I can't seem to be able to reach it.

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Prairie View College

Prairie View, Texas

January 2, 1945

Mr. J.H. Williams

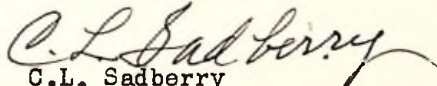
Dist. Extension Agri. Agent

Prairie View

Dear Sir;

Correction of the number of miles traveled as reported
on my MRCA-1. Instead of 606 miles, please be advised and re-
place with 636 miles.

Respectfully,



C.L. Sadberry

Negro Agri. Co. Agent

Waller county

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F.F. 30:750

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Newton, Tex.

Feb. 2, 1943.

Dear Mr. Williams,

Deferment has expired. Enclosed
are forms for further deferment.
We are busy attending meetings
and doing H-H Club work.

Yours very truly
J. E. Poole
Co Agent

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F. F. 30:751

Prairie View, Texas
February 2, 1943

Mr. P. E. Poole
Negro County Agricultural Agent
Newton, Texas

Dear Mr. Poole:

In reply to your letter of January 27th concerning the school last summer, I suggest you take this matter up with Dr. E. B. Evans, as all of this was arranged by him.

Very truly yours,

J. W. Williams
District Agent

JWW:mk

FF 30:752

Prairie View, Texas

Mr. T. A. Mayes
Negro County Agricultural Agent
Lockart, Texas

Dear Mr. Mayes:

I had planned to request your assistance in compiling the annual report starting December 28th to 31st inclusive. However, because of the Conference schedule I would appreciate it if you can see your way clear to assist us any days during the period December 27th-31st. I realize that the 27th is Sunday; however we will work that day to keep from getting behind.

You will receive a notice of the Conference schedule in a few days.

Yours truly,

J. H. Williams
District Agent

JHW/mk

F.F. 30:753

Prairie View, Texas
February 3, 1943

Mr. T. A. Mayes
Negro County Agricultural Agent
Lockhart, Texas

Dear Mr. Mayes:

In reply to your letter of January 31st concerning the pigs, arrangements were made by Mr. Regenbrecht with Mr. Elwood, White County Agricultural Agent, to arrange the purchase of these replacement pigs, and it will be necessary for you to take this matter up with him.

I hope you keep me posted on progress of this action. It is possible that I may be in your part of the state the latter part of the week, and if I am able to do so, I will drop in on you.

Yours truly,

J. H. Williams
District Agent

JHW:mk

F.F. 30:754-

Prairie View, Texas
February 3, 1943

Mr. P. E. Poole
Negro County Agricultural Agent
Newton, Texas

Dear Mr. Poole:

In reply to your letter of January 31st concerning the Sears Chickens, this order has been sent in and as I recall you ordered yours for March 1st delivery.

I am hoping that you can encourage the boys, who have the smaller flocks to supplement them, so that they will have an economic unit.

I will send you exact details on breed etc. in a few days.

Yours truly,

J. H. Williams
District Agent

JHW:mk

FF 30:755

Prairie View, Texas
February 5, 1943

Mr. P. E. Poole
Negro County Agricultural Agent
Newton, Texas

Dear Mr. Poole:

Enclosed herewith find completed question-
naire. You fill in question 2 under C. -
Date entering service-.

Yours truly,

J. H. Williams
District Agent

JHW:mk

1 - 1 - Newton - Newton Swos.

2 - P.E. Poole

B-

- 1 - Cooperative Extension Work
- 2 - Cooperative Extension Work, Co. Agent
Work is charged with the responsibility
of ~~all Agricultural~~ Coordinating all
Councils engaged in furnishing infor-
and guidance to farmers
- 3 - no
- 4 - yes. This dept has the full responsibility
of supervision in the production of food
feed, fibre and oil Crops, ~~and~~ livestock
& Poultry, all of which are essential part
of the national defense program
- 5 - This worker is responsible for the over
all health program in the County.
- 6 - no
- 7 - A - 50% - B. 50%
- 8 - no

C. Occupation

1- Negro Co. Agri. Agent

2-

3- \$ 38.00

4- Check regular employe

5- no

6- no

7- It is the workers duty to Coordinate
a all agri. Agencies Working in the County
where he is employed. He works with
groups of farmers, and individuals
in assisting them with their farm
problems, i.e., Butchering + Currying meats, Orchard
work selecting locations + treating trees, erosion Control
crops, poultry + livestock production problems,
labor + machinery ~~prod~~ problems, and the work
in producing War Crops, Organizes scrap +
Bond drives.

(B) - ~~Nothing~~ Production of war Crops + necessary livestock

8- no

10. Necessity

1- yes - Nearly every able bodied man
prepared for the work is in the selective
service age limit. And help has been secured
through deferment of these workers.

2. Yes. There are no reserve of these worker and at this time those that are being trained will be subject to Military duty. No men in this group being trained will be ready before 1944.

4 - Yes, I am of the opinion that if the registrants were moved, production with the group he is working with would decline because of lack of supervision, and inspiration. He is the organizer of defense production in the County

3 - yes. The particular area he is working in would fall out of the production group.

5 - (a) 22

(B) - No. Because no additional skill workers are available.

6 - 4 years.

7 - 5 - all of Military Age

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1 - II A

2 - 6 months

3 - nil

4 - 2 mat

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Prairie View College
Prairie View, Texas
Feb. 4, 1943

Mr. John Brooks
Hempstead, Texas

Dear Farmer;

Concerning our conference of the 3rd. Feb. 1943, I wish to state that the committee of the Cotton Planting Seed Association approved producers of Class A and Class B planting seed for Federal Cotton Improvement Program.

There are several names of seed represented for each class but I would suggest that we use seed that is near our vicinity, as location and climatical conditions have much to do with the success of our crop production.

Class A, I would suggest the Stoneville, Victoria, Texas, Grower, Cody Lenz. Class B. I would suggest the Deltapine from the same place and grower. or the same seed from the Sugarland Industries, Sugarland, Texas.

For all the farmers information I will get out a circular letter giving all the seed and information as to the classes and growers.

I hope this information will be of some service to you and if you care for further information I shall be glad to find out for you.

Respectfully,



C.L. Sadberry Jr.
Negro County Agri. Agent

cc/ Mr. J.H. Williams
Dist. Agent

FF 30:757

Prairie View, Texas
February 5, 1943

Mr. E. O. Pace
Negro County Agricultural Agent
Bryan, Texas

Dear Mr. Pace:

In reply to your letter, I am hoping that you
are on your way to unscramble the pig program.

As to your leaving the County Saturday after-
noon, it is alright.

Yours truly,

J. H. Williams
District Agent

JHW:mk

F.F. 30: 758

Prairie View, Texas
February 5, 1943

Mr. E. M. Regenbrecht
Extension Swine Husbandman
College Station, Texas

Dear Mr. Regenbrecht:

Today I received a letter from E. A. Palmer of Liberty, Texas, in which he stated: "We have 3 sows which farrowed as follows: October 30th, November 12th, and December 21st. The first 2 sows pigs are being weaned, and ready for delivery. The December sow will wean her pigs soon. I have boys in the County who wish to purchase these pigs that are due the program. What procedure is necessary to arrange this transfer?" He also says that the other two sows will farrow on February 22nd and 28th.

I am of the opinion that we shall have several cases of this sort developing, and it will save time and work if you will give me your general policy in handling these cases.

How about the chickens?

Yours truly,

J. H. Williams
District Agent

JHW:mk

Prairie View, Texas
February 5, 1943

Mr. N. S. Stevens
Mr. R. A. Sanders
Mr. E. Randolph
Mr. T. A. Mayes
Mr. H. L. Hubbard
Mr. E. A. Palmer
Mr. W. C. David
Mr. E. O. Pace

Dear Agent:

Some time ago I sent you some forms to report delivery of Sears Program pigs on, Please fill in those forms listing the boys with the boar on the bottom line.

Bring the ear tags with you to the February Training Meetings.

Very truly yours,

J. H. Williams
District Agent

JHW:mk

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Prairie View, Texas
February 5, 1943

F. F. 30:766

Mr. N. S. Stevens
Mr. R. A. Sanders
Mr. E. Randolph
Mr. T. A. Hayes
Mr. H. L. Hubbard
Mr. E. A. Palmer
Mr. C. W. David
Mr. E. O. Pace

Dear Agents:

Some time ago I sent you some forms to report
delivery of Bears Program pigs on. Please fill
in those forms listing the boys with the bear on
the bottom line.

Bring the ear tags with you to the February Training
Meetings.

Very truly yours,

J. N. Williams
District Agent

JNW:mk

F. F. 30:761

Prairie View, Texas
February 5, 1943

Mr. M. V. Curtis
Negro County Agricultural Agent
Jasper, Texas

Dear Mr. Curtis:

Some time ago you received notice from a Mr. Washington that he would be in your County February 6th to attend a meeting of Farm Credit Administration Members. Mr. Washington is here with me, and he asked that I inform you that he would not be able to attend this meeting, but see and talk with you at the Meeting in Huntsville.

Very truly yours,

J. H. Williams
District Agent

JHJ:mk

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Hallettsville Texas.
February 6, 1943.

Mr. J. H. Williams
District Agent
Prairie View Texas.

Dear sir:

Please send me the Schedule of Our Meeting.
You will note this is for the other District.

If the Meeting is Held Feb. 9, 1943. Please send
me a Telegram collect.

Thanking you in advance.

Very truly yours,

J. E. Mayo.
Negro Co. Agri. Agent.

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Feb. 8, 1943

Mr. J. D. Williams
District Agent
Prairie View College

Dear Mr. Williams,

I received your letter of the meeting
here on the 17th of Feb. We will meet
in the District Court room in La Grange
if a room is needed for a session of the
program. Garden will be in La Grange
as you requested.

Yours truly,
B. P. Randolph
Kemper County Agent

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2-8-43

Dear Mr. Williams:

My absence from my official station about which I missed you Saturday morning before leaving was not as serious in cause as I had anticipated. I was off duty only a portion of Feb. 6, 1943 and am enclosing application for leave. I am looking forward to both the group meeting Feb. 15 and one at Prairie View Feb. 21-25

Yours truly
Kenneth Dawson
Negra Co. Agt.

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COLLEGE STATION, TEXAS

February 8, 1943

J. H. Williams
District Agent
Prairie View, Texas

Dear Sir:

Thanks for your letter of February 5 in which you referred to a conference with Mrs. Barry. Some time ago, I discussed this matter with Mrs. Barry and she is very much interested in assisting you in any way possible. She would prefer to discuss the matter with you personally before she meets with you and Carter. Judging from your letter this might not be possible. Mrs. Barry is usually in the office only in the morning; therefore, I suggest that you and Carter have your conference with her at 10:00 a.m. February 16.

I won't be able to attend this conference as I will be out of the office all of the week of February 15. I assure you that you can discuss all details of your problem with Mrs. Barry. I suggest that you get in contact with Mrs. Barry yourself.

Very truly yours,



John R. Wenmohs
Assistant in
Agricultural Planning

CC Mrs. Barry