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DATE: 14 Sept 45

CROSS INDEX: 122 Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture

TO: Mr. Laurence J. King, Dept of Horticulture, Wooster, O.

FROM: Hugh G. Calkins, Acting Chief, Agricultural Rehabilitation Div.

SUMMARY: In response to letter of 27 Aug. addressed to Mr. Henson --quote below the statement regarding the Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture ---which was recently forwarded to "Chronica Botanica".---

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UNITED NATIONS RELIEF AND REHABILITATION ADMINISTRATION

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DATE: 6 August 1945

CROSS INDEX: 122 Agriculture  
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TO: Mr. L. B. Pearson, Chairman, United Nations Interim  
Commission on Food and Agriculture

FROM: Roy F. Hendrickson, Acting Director General

SUMMARY: UNRRA fully shares your recognition of the great  
importance of the early improvement of the agri-  
cultural production in European countries, and of  
the need for UNRRA to give technical assistance  
in this connection in time to benefit 1946 produc-  
tion.

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1 AUG 1945

Dr. Frans Verdoorn  
Managing Editor  
Chronica Botanica  
P.O. Box 151  
Waltham 54, Massachusetts

My dear Dr. Verdoorn:

This will constitute a belated reply to your letter of 3 May requesting information regarding the organization of the Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture and its subcommittees, with regard to its relationship between the International Institute of Agriculture in Rome and the planned food and agriculture organization.

The Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture

The organization of UNRRA in relation to agriculture takes the following form. Within the Bureau of Supply of UNRRA there is an operating Division called the Division of Agricultural Rehabilitation, which is in charge of the actual agricultural rehabilitation program of UNRRA. The Director of the Division is Edwin R. Henson. He also serves as secretary to the Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture. This Committee was established pursuant to the resolutions adopted at the First Session of the Council of the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration, at Atlantic City, New Jersey, 10 November to 1 December 1943.

The functions of the Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture are:

1. To advise the Council, the Central Committee of the Council (representing the Council and meeting monthly during intervals between Council meetings), and the Director General of UNRRA as to the nature of and scope of problems relating to agriculture, fisheries and food production and the rehabilitation of industries concerned therewith in areas in which the Administration will operate;
2. Periodically to review the programs of the Administration with regard to agriculture, fisheries, food production, and related subjects, and consult with the Director General thereon with respect to any suggested modifications;



3. To formulate proposals on technical policies in regard to agriculture, fisheries and food production and the rehabilitation of the industries concerned therewith and related subjects, discuss such proposals with the Director General, and transmit such proposals to the Director General for distribution to the Council and the Central Committee; and

4. When requested by and in consultation with the Committees of the Council for Europe or for the Far East or such other regional committees as may hereafter be established, to appoint subcommittees to advise the regional committee and the chief representative of the Director General in the region concerned with respect to agriculture, fisheries and food production and the rehabilitation of the industries concerned therewith and related subjects.

A list of the members of the Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture is attached; meetings of the Standing Technical Committee are at the call of the Chairman and are usually held at intervals of three or four months, or as special matters may arise.

#### Standing Technical Subcommittees for Europe and the Far East

These are Subcommittees of the Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture, which report to the main Committee through the Committees of the Council for Europe and the Far East. The Subcommittees are appointed by the main Committee and have functions similar to those of that Committee for their respective areas.

#### Committees of the Council for Europe and the Far East

The Committees of the Council for Europe and the Far East through which the Standing Technical Subcommittees report to the main Committee have the following functions:

1. In the light of conditions prevailing in Europe and the Far East, and with the advice of such technical or special subcommittees as may be created, to recommend from time to time, as policies to be adopted by the Council, whatever basis or bases for over-all requirements the Committees think appropriate for the whole or parts of their respective areas; and to advise the Director General with respect to the computation of over-all requirements for their respective areas in conformity with the bases and policies approved by the Council.

2. To advise the Director General with respect to the fair and equitable apportionment of relief and rehabilitation supplies available to areas within the European and Far Eastern regions respectively where the Administration may operate; and to assist him in securing the maximum production and interchange of any surplus supplies which can be made available within each region, by promoting appropriate national or



intergovernmental action on the part of member governments.

3. To receive and discuss the periodic reports covering the programs and activities of the Administration in Europe and the Far East, respectively; and to advise the Director General on the organization of measures to assist displaced persons and the coordination of national action in regard to medical and other relief and rehabilitation problems common to each region; and

4. Generally to consider relief and rehabilitation policies in Europe and the Far East, respectively; to formulate recommendations on such policies and to discuss such recommendations with the Director General or his representative; and to transmit such recommendations to the Director General for distribution to the Council and the Central Committee.

#### Expert Panels

The Standing Technical Subcommittees for Europe and the Far East each have appointed panels of experts to advise the Committees on various technical agricultural problems. For Europe there are panels on crops, fisheries, food processing machinery, livestock, agricultural machinery, veterinary services, and displaced persons in relation to food production. For the Far East specific panels are appointed from time to time as special problems arise.

#### Relationship of UNRRA to the Proposed Organization on Food and Agriculture and to the International Institute of Agriculture in Rome

UNRRA has no formal or legal relationship to the proposed organization on food and agriculture or the International Institute of Agriculture in Rome. Pursuant to <sup>various</sup> resolutions of the Council and recommendations of the Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture and its Subcommittees, UNRRA works closely with the Interim Commission on Food and Agriculture and will work closely with the organization on food and agriculture when it is established, for the purpose of insuring that the agricultural programs of UNRRA are in accord with, and will contribute to the longer range activities of the permanent organization when it shall have been established. Through the Interim Commission on Food and Agriculture, UNRRA likewise cooperates in the exchange of information with the International Institute of Agriculture in Rome, but has no formal or legal relationship to that organization.

Attached is a report of the status of the agricultural activities of UNRRA. I believe this will give you a comprehensive idea of our activities.

Sincerely yours,

Hugh G. Calkins, Acting Chief  
Agricultural Rehabilitation Division

Attachments

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## REMARKS

Information contained in this letter, which is supplementary to our report was obtained from Mr. Sergeev's office in the Secretariat and cleared by them.

From:

Hugh G. Calkins

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122 (Agriculture)

26th July 1945

Miss Hyatt  
Office of Food Programs  
Foreign Economic Administration  
Room 721, 515 22nd St., N.W.  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Miss Hyatt:

As requested we are sending you two copies of the  
report by the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation  
Administration Subcommittee on Agriculture for the  
Far East on 'Some Recommended Substitute and Other  
Food Policies in the Far East'.

Sincerely yours,

E. K. Tuckerman  
Head, Requirements and Analyses Section

Attachments 2 ✓

EKTuckerman/vmf -ERT  
26 July 1945





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## OUTGOING TELEGRAM

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TO: London  
DATED: 5 July 1945  
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Meeting of (Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture), at which comprehensive report on ARD was presented, attended by Galkins, who believes desirable that report be presented to members of Agricultural Subcommittee London during Henson's visit. Henson leaves with headquarters group for Council meeting.

Copy ARD report airmailed, six copies sent by sea.

Drafted by:  
Galkins (Supply)  
3 July 1945

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122 Agriculture

4 July 1945

MEMORANDUM

TO: Mr. Roy F. Hendrickson  
FROM: Robert Jean Longuet  
SUBJECT: Summary of the Proceedings of the Sixth Meeting of the  
Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture

I attach for your information a summary of the proceedings of the  
Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture at its sixth meeting  
on 29 June, 1945.

Attachment

none



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29 June 1945

TO: Dr. P. W. Kuo

FROM: Eugene S. Sergeev

SUBJECT: Sixth Meeting of standing technical Committee on Agriculture

The sixth meeting of the standing technical Committee on Agriculture will be held at 2:30 this afternoon.

Among the items on the agenda is a report on the status of the Administration's Agricultural Rehabilitation program. The Secretary of the Committee expects that as a result of the report members of the Committee will ask for information as to the basis used in determining the distribution of agricultural machinery among the countries being aided by the Administration. A formula has been prepared by the Administration, taking into account pre-war production, world supply and availabilities, and the amount of machinery left in the country and the Administration is ready to inform the Committee of this formula.

A second question which may be asked of the Administration concerns the provision of technical services. The Administration is ready to inform Committee members of what services UNRRA can provide, to what extent, and of the Administration's present arrangements for the provision of those services.

Another item on the agenda is "Proposals for International Cooperation in Veterinary Services and Agricultural Reporting." The Administration's views on this point are outlined in a document regarding the work of the technical subcommittees. A section headed "International Veterinary Measures" outlines the recommendations of the European Subcommittee on the subject and states "Unless the Standing Technical Committee desires other action, the Agricultural Rehabilitation Division will cooperate in every way with the International Office of Epizootics in the assembly and utilization of the reports and information available through this organization."

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UNITED NATIONS RELIEF AND REHABILITATION ADMINISTRATION

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DATE: 28 June 1945

CROSS INDEX: 122 Agriculture

TO: Mr. Longuet

FROM: Frances Randolph

SUMMARY: The following document will be sent to the Standing  
Technical Committee on Industrial Rehabilitation.  
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UNITED NATIONS RELIEF AND REHABILITATION ADMINISTRATION

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DATE: 26 June 1945

CROSS INDEX: 122 Agriculture

TO: Mr. Longuet

FROM: Frances Randolph

SUMMARY: Distribution of Documents

RECORD FILED: 122 Industrial Rehabilitation

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DATE: 6/16/45

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UNITED NATIONS RELIEF AND REHABILITATION ADMINISTRATION

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DATE: 24 May 1945  
CROSS INDEX: 122 Agriculture

TO: UNITED NATIONS RELIEF AND REHABILITATION  
ADMINISTRATION SUBCOMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE FOR THE  
FROM: FAR EAST

SUMMARY: Some recommended Substitute and Other Food Policies  
in the Far East.

RECORD FILED: 122 Far East

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DATE: 8/18/45



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UNITED NATIONS RELIEF AND REHABILITATION ADMINISTRATION

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DATE: 22 May 1945

CROSS INDEX: 122 - Health  
122 - Agriculture  
122 - Industrial Rehabilitation

TO: Edwin G. Arnold

FROM: David Weintraub

SUMMARY: Reports of Subcommittees on Health, Agriculture, and Industrial Rehabilitation presented at the Seventh Meeting of the Committee of the Council for the Far East, Lapstone.

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CROSS REFERENCE SHEET

DATE: 2 May 1945

CROSS INDEX: 122 - Agriculture

TO: Edwin G. Arnold

FROM: David Weintraub

SUMMARY: Status of action on recommendations at the Seventh Meeting of the Committee of the Council for the Far East.

RECORD FILED: 122 - Far East

TYPIST: amj

DATE: 5/V1/45



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DATE: 26 April 1945  
CROSS INDEX: 122 - Agriculture

TO: Roy F. Hendrickson

FROM: Edwin G. Arnold

SUMMARY: Report of Subcommittee of Agriculture presented at the Seventh Meeting of the Committee of the Council for Far East - Lapstone.

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UNITED NATIONS RELIEF AND REHABILITATION ADMINISTRATION

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DATE: 23 April 1945

CROSS INDEX: 122 - Health

122 - Agriculture

122 - Industrial Rehabilitation

TO: Roy F. Hendrickson

FROM: Edwin G. Arnold

SUMMARY: Reports of Subcommittee on Health, Agriculture and Industrial Rehabilitation presented at the Seventh Meeting of the Council for the Far East, Lapstone.

RECORD FILED: 122 - Far East

TYPIST: amj

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DATE: 21 April 1945  
CROSS INDEX: 122 - Agriculture

TO: Roy F. Hendrickson

FROM: Edwin G. Arnold

SUMMARY: Report of Agricultural Subcommittee presented at the  
Seventh Meeting of the Committee of the Council for  
Far East - Lapstone.

RECORD FILED: 122 - Far East

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DATE: 12/VI/45

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UNITED NATIONS RELIEF AND REHABILITATION ADMINISTRATION

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DATE: 21 April 1945  
CROSS INDEX NO: 122 - Agriculture

TO: Mr. George R. Paterson, Canadian Embassy Annex  
FROM: Edwin R. Henson  
FILED: 610  
SUMMARY: Agriculture rehabilitation needs for liberated countries  
in Europe.

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(11 Sept 44)  
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DATE: 12 April 1945  
CROSS INDEX NO: 122 - Agriculture

TO: Dr. John Cassels, FEA  
FROM: Edwin R. Henson  
FILED: 721.2  
SUMMARY: UNRRA's interest in livestock is expressed in a statement issued 23 March 1943 by the Expert Panel on Livestock of the Technical Agricultural Sub-committee of UNRRA as ARB/C/15.

ATTACHMENTS:

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20 February 1945

DIRECTOR GENERAL

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U. N. R. A.

MEMORANDUM

To: The Director General

From: P. W. Kuo

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I attach hereto for your information two copies of  
the proceedings of the fifth meeting of the Standing  
Technical Committee on Agriculture

Attachments (2)



STANDING TECHNICAL COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

(Summary of Proceedings of the Fifth Meeting held)  
8 February 1945

Item I: The Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture met on 8 February.

Item III: The minutes of the fourth meeting were approved with a slight modification.

Item IV: The major business for consideration was a discussion of the bases for the allocation of feeding stuffs among the liberated areas. The Committee went on record as adopting the bases as proposed with the modification that in order to assure that the 75 per cent of the prewar use of feeding stuffs might be reached, that liberated areas procure mixed feeds of not less than 24 per cent protein to supplement the oilcake and high concentrated protein feeds available, and that in the event the 75 per cent could not be reached the Agricultural Rehabilitation Division of UNRRA be asked to consider actual human needs in the country in their recommendation of allocation of feeding stuffs. Reports were received on the supply situation with regard to protein concentrates and cereals. The supply of protein concentrates is considerably short of the requirements while indications are that the requirements for cereals can be fully met providing shipping is available.

Item V: The Agricultural Rehabilitation Division was commended for their cooperation with Czechoslovakia and were asked to prepare reports of progress of the work for submission at each meeting of the Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture.

Prepared by:

Edwin P. Henson  
Secretary

Cleared by:

Eugene S. Sergeev  
Secretariat



Original  
Signature  
9 February 1945

To: M. Menshikov ✓ 122 (agri)  
From: William G. Welk  
Subject: Fifth Meeting of the Standing Technical Committee  
on Agriculture

As you suggested I attended the fifth meeting of the Technical Committee on Agriculture held yesterday afternoon. After approval of the minutes of the previous meeting the chairman called upon Mr. Henson of the Agricultural Rehabilitation Division for a brief report on his recent trip to London. Mr. Henson said that besides a more effective integration of work between his division and its counterpart in E.R.C. the main purposes of his trip were: (1) to expedite procurement of materials of interest to his division in the United Kingdom, (2) to expedite plans for agricultural rehabilitation in European countries and the technical services related there and (3) to appraise as precisely as possible indigenous production in various European areas. Besides dealing with these problems Mr. Henson also attended meetings of the International Veterinary Conference.

During his stay in London Mr. Henson also dealt with the problem of fertilizers, the need for which on the European continent is very acute, since practically no superphosphates and other chemical fertilizers are now being produced there. In discussions which Mr. Henson had on the most effective use of available farm machinery it was agreed that an effort would be made to put all available machines to use in such countries as are liberated as soon as possible after liberation has taken place.

The Committee then spent considerable time in a discussion of suggested amendments to a proposal on bases for allocation of feed concentrates previously made. The basic proposal was that the bases for allocation for oilcake and offals for each country be the quantities which when added to home production will bring the quantity available for consumption up to 75 percent of the prewar level. Should it not be possible to ship supplies sufficient to reach this percentage allocations to each country should be reconsidered. After considerable discussion it was agreed that since very specific factors had to be considered in each instance no simple rule of general application should be applied but that each instance be examined by the Agricultural Rehabilitation Division of UNRRA with the understanding that in the early period of relief the satisfaction of local human needs is to be the primary factor to be taken into account in making allocations.



9 February 1945

After short statements on the availability of livestock feeds by representatives of the Combined Food Board, who had been invited to the meeting, the representative of the USSR asked whether a monthly report of the activities of the Agricultural Rehabilitation Division could not be made available to the Committee. After some discussion it was decided that such reports would be made available not monthly but for each Committee meeting.

The Committee then passed a resolution authorizing the Technical Subcommittee for Agriculture for the Far East to elect its own temporary chairman in the event of the temporary absence of its chairman. The Committee finally confirmed the following nominations to membership made by its chairman: Sub-committee on Agriculture for Europe, members from Czechoslovakia and Luxembourg; Sub-committee for Agriculture for the Far East, members from Australia, The Netherlands, New Zealand and the United States.

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122 (agri)

*km* 8 February 1945

To: Mr. Morse Salisbury

From: Lincoln Clark

Subject: Resume of the Fifth Meeting of the Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture on 8 February, 2:30 pm.

Chairman Mr. Peterson introduced Miss Digby of UNRRA's ERO and Mr. Bowles and Mr. Nicholson of the Combined Food Board. Mr. Henson reported on his trip to London which was to solve the following problems: (a) integrate the operations of ERO with Headquarters; (b) expedite procurement in UK and liberated areas; (c) expedite field operations in Europe itself; (d) arrange for appraisal of conditions in indigenous areas; (e) expedite enlisting personnel; (f) discussed the International Veterinary Conference and learned it was desired that it not be an administrative body but only advisory. This proposal is not ready to come to the Committee; (g) conferred on problems of fertilizer. Both superphosphate and nitrogen are in very short supply. There is not enough for 1945 needs, but there may be enough in 1946; (i) met with livestock people; (h) discussed farm machinery problems. The greatest problems appear to be fertilizer and adequate supply of farm machinery.

The Committee discussed TAG(45)2, "Basis for Allocation of Feed Concentrates". After a lengthy discussion between Mr. Peters and Mr. Bigwood and amendment was adopted which in essence disregards the pre-war level of consumption of oil cake and substitutes as a basis for requirements the amendments that can be used to maximise milk production (the precise resolution is quite technical and long).

Mr. Nicholson reported that 1945 requirements for oil cake were about 730,000 tons and supplies would be 420,000. He indicated that wheat requirements are only about half of the wheat supply. The situation with respect to corn, barley, oats and rye is fairly good.

Mr. Gates (UK) emphasized that the discussion was quite academic in that the Committee was discussing objectives or targets rather than realistic possibilities of making supplies available to Europe due to the extreme shortage of shipping.

The Russian member requested Mr. Henson to submit to the Committee members a monthly report. Mr. Weintraub counter-proposed a report at each meeting. After quite a long discussion the Russian acquiesced.

The Czech representative expressed his gratitude to Mr. Henson of the work his division had done which was resulting in operations beginning in Czechoslovakia.



The chairman secured the Committee's ratifications of his appointments of members of the Sub-Committee for Agriculture of the Council for Europe and the Council for the Far East.

The next meeting will be held upon the call of the chairman.

HL



*Dep. Far East*

*122 (Agri)*

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31 OCT 1944

My dear Mr. Parisius:

Pursuant to the provisions of Article V, Section 4, of the Rules of Procedure of the Council, the standing technical Committee on Agriculture at its meeting on 4 October approved your appointment as alternate member of the technical Subcommittee on Agriculture for the Far East.

Professor Kia-Shen Sie of China has been appointed Chairman of the Subcommittee.

For your information as a member of this Subcommittee, I am attaching hereto a copy of the Resolution with regard to the time and place of the next meeting of the Committee of the Council for the Far East and of the technical subcommittees for the Far East which was passed by the Committee for the Far East at its sixth meeting on 12 October.

Sincerely yours,

P. W. Kuo  
Deputy Director General  
Secretariat

Mr. H. W. Parisius  
Director, Office of Food Programs  
Foreign Economic Administration  
Room 720, 515 22nd Street, N. W.  
Washington, D. C.

CC: Henson, Randolph, Harrell





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*Agriculture*  
*122 (agri)*  
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30 October 1944

To: Robert Linter

From: James G. Johnson, Jr.

The bases for estimating quantitative requirements for feeding stuffs, as recommended by the Sub-Committee on Agriculture for Europe (TAG/E (44)(30) p. 13), contains the following provision:

- "(1) Subject to the foregoing assumptions, (a) - (g), the requirements for the first six months of oilcake and offals for each Country are the quantities, which, when added to home production, will bring consumption up to 75% of the pre-war level. Oilcake requirements should be delivered as far as possible evenly throughout the year; offal requirements are mainly needed in winter."

When the resolution on Bases was discussed at the Committee on Policy at Montreal, the Member for Belgium requested that this portion of the bases "be kept open for further discussions at a technical level in the Committee on Agriculture." The Chairman of the Committee on Policy agreed that this would be done and accordingly the report of the Committee on Policy recommended that the Council, in adopting the resolution, note that this matter should be left open for further consideration.

In raising this question, the Member for Belgium indicated that his objection to the paragraph in question was on the following grounds:

"Viscount du Parc stated that a distinction should be made between those countries which had used all their production of oilcake for their own needs and those which had been able to export a surplus. It might well happen that UNRRA might not be able to supply 75 per cent, in which case he would like a distinction to be made between those countries which consumed all their production and those which had a surplus."

In a recent letter, dated 24 October 1944, Dr. Kuo, as the Deputy Director General in charge of the Secretariat, has written to the Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture requesting that the above matter "be added to the agenda of the Committee on Agriculture for the development of a recommendation for action by the Council or, if necessary, by the Central Committee prior to the next session of the Council."



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*122 (agri)*

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7 September 1944

TO: Eugene S. Sergeev  
FROM: Edwin R. Henson  
SUBJECT: Activities of the Standing Technical Committee on  
Agriculture from 15 July to 15 September

In accordance with the memorandum from Dr. Kuo of 7 September 1944, I am sending you the following report of activities of the Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture from 15 July to 15 September 1944:

The Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture met on 30 August 1944. The appointment of Sir John Russell, representative of the United Kingdom, as chairman of the Standing Technical Subcommittee on Agriculture for Europe was approved.

The bases of agricultural requirements recommended by the Standing Technical Subcommittee for Agriculture for Europe, and other material issued by this Subcommittee, were presented for study. The members of the Committee were of the opinion that the priorities recommended for import of agricultural rehabilitation supplies and the formula for the import of feedstuffs should be considered as a general guide and should be applied with some elasticity according to the needs of each liberated country. Detailed considerations of these materials will be given at later meetings.

A report on the work of the Agricultural Rehabilitation Division was submitted and discussed in considerable detail.

Progress of the establishment of the Standing Technical Subcommittee for the Far East was reported. Nominations have been received from China, the French Committee for National Liberation, India, the Netherlands, New Zealand, the Philippine Commonwealth, the United Kingdom and the United States for representatives on the Far Eastern Technical Subcommittee on Agriculture. The nomination from Australia had not been received at the time of the meeting.

At the suggestion of the United Nations Interim Commission on Food and Agriculture, representatives of that group will meet with two members of the Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture and two members of the Agricultural Rehabilitation staff to discuss problems of mutual interest to the Interim Commission and to UNRRA in agricultural rehabilitation work. A report of the results of this conference will be submitted to the Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture at its next meeting.

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TO: Eugene S. Sergeev  
FROM: Edwin R. Henson  
SUBJECT: Activities of Standing Technical Committee on  
Agriculture

There is attached a very brief summary of the work of the Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture. A major part of the work of this Committee has been concerned with organization and preparation for functioning. No outstanding problems have been considered and resolved by this group. We are just beginning to receive suggestions and discussions from the Subcommittee for Europe which will then raise questions for the Technical Standing Committee on Agriculture to consider.

X-271 (Standing Technical Comm. on agri)



### Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture

The Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture met first on January 13, 1944, at which time Mr. George R. Paterson of Canada was elected chairman and Mr. Alexander Ivanovitch Tulupnikov as First Vice Chairman and Mr. Amado M. Delisay of the Philippine Commonwealth as Second Vice Chairman. At this meeting technical subcommittees on agriculture were authorized for Europe and for the Far East.

The second meeting of the Committee was held on April 17, at which time further progress was made in organization and consideration given to policies involved in the carrying out of UNRRA operations.

Nominations were received from the various countries for membership on the Technical Standing Subcommittee for Agriculture for Europe, and at the suggestion of Mr. Ernest Brown, Chairman of the Subcommittee for Europe, Sir John Russell of the U.K. was appointed Chairman of the Technical Subcommittee on Agriculture.

As the Committee for Europe begins to function, it is expected that problems will be brought up which will require action by the Standing Technical Committee for Agriculture in Washington, and through the Agricultural Rehabilitation Division staff a regular reporting service is being established to supply current information to members of this Committee.

The next meeting of the Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture will be held in August. The date has not been set at this time.



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The Chairman of the standing technical Committee on Agriculture, Mr. Paterson, may wish to make a statement along the following lines to the Committee at its meeting on April 6, especially if a question is raised regarding the status of action with respect to the organization of a European subcommittee of the Committee:

1. The Committee, at its meeting on January 13, 1944, authorized me to appoint the members and the Chairman of our Subcommittees for Europe and for the Far East, after consultation with the chairman of the regional committees.
2. Organization of the Subcommittee for Europe is well advanced, nominations of individuals to serve as members of the Subcommittee having been received from all of the member governments to be represented on that Subcommittee. Progress has also been made with respect to the Subcommittee for the Far East, nominations having been received from some member governments.
3. I am in consultation with the Chairman of the Committee of the Council for Europe and I expect very shortly to be in a position to appoint the chairman and members of the Subcommittee for Europe, in agreement with him.
4. I expect also to be in a position soon to take similar action with respect to the Subcommittee for the Far East.
5. I hope to be able to place these appointments before the Committee for formal approval at its next meeting.

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*Agriculture*

MEMORANDUM

TO: Mr. Edwin R. Henson

FROM: Eugene S. Sergeev

SUBJECT: Stenographic Transcript of the Sixth Meeting of the  
Committee on Agriculture

Attached to this note is the stenographic transcript of the Sixth Meeting of the standing technical Committee on Agriculture which I am sending up to you for your approval. Will you kindly return this transcript together with the draft minutes to this office when the minutes are ready.

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Governor Lehman  
FROM: Roy F. Hendrickson  
SUBJECT: Meeting with Executive Officers of Standing  
Technical Committee on Agriculture

George R. Paterson of Canada, Chairman of the Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture, called and presided at a brief meeting in his office today to talk over the work of the Committee, at the request of the two Vice Chairmen who were also present -- Aleksander Ivanovitch Tulupnikov representing the U.S.S.R., and Amando M. Dalisay representing the Philippine Commonwealth.

The discussion was routine, consisting for the most part of a review of the resolutions which established this committee, and which provide for technical subcommittees on agriculture in the regions when requested by the regional committee. A further meeting of the same group is scheduled in the same place next Friday, February 18, at 10:30 a.m., to discuss the agenda for the second meeting of the Committee on Agriculture.

Mr. Tulupnikov was anxious to know if we had any agricultural programs which could advantageously be submitted to the Committee for consideration at that time. I said that what we had at this stage did not really constitute a program, that we had some bits of pieces of technical material, that the first program we would have would probably come after the organization and preliminary work of the European Committee.

Mr. Tulupnikov stated that in his opinion much valuable time is being lost awaiting the organization of the European Committee, and asked if I would bring to your attention the desirability of the earliest possible organization of this Committee. I said I would, and that is the principal



Governor Lehman

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purpose of this memorandum. I told him I knew you were eager for the Committee on Europe to get its work under way as soon as possible but that I understood there was some delay in the designation of the national representatives to that committee.

I am sending a copy of this to Dr. Gulick, who was unable to be present, for the record of the Secretariat.

Ray F. Hendrickson

CC: Dr. Gulick

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January 21, 1944

To: Sir Arthur Salter  
From: Roy F. Hendrickson  
Subject: Designation of Secretary, Standing  
Technical Committee on Agriculture

Further in connection with our discussion this morning of the secretarial function in relation to the UNRRA Council, and the secretarial function in relation to certain of the standing committees, I should like very much to designate the secretary of the Standing Technical Committee on Agriculture.

*Roy F. Hendrickson*

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