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AGRICULTURAL INSECTICIDE & FUNGICIDE ASSOCIATION

225 MADISON AVENUE

NEW YORK

February 19, 1936

February 13th, 1936
Mr. L. S. Hitchner, President
Agricultural Insecticide & Fungicide Association
225 Madison Avenue
New York City
Urbana, Illinois
Dear Mr. Hitchner:

Dear Mr. Keith:

This is to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of February 13, and to assure you that to the questions that you raise are being looked after. Some of this must be done by correspondence, of course, which delays things considerably. Professor Pickett is to serve as chairman of the committee to raise funds. I am, therefore, sending him a copy of your letter to me.

First: the minimum fund for expenditures which would be required per annum. I will write to you again as soon as I have any information. I might say, however, that the \$20,000 was the sum that our research committee thought should be raised annually. This should not be impossible, if everything else is favorable, and if all interested organizations are properly lined up. I am very interested to contribute through their resolution towards the cost of the experiments. Yours very truly,

Fourth: recommendations have been made that, in line with the thoughts which you gave to me, W. C. Rutenment be given authority to cooperate in order that they will recognize the results. Several industrial companies have reported that on previous work Chief in Entomology it was done, it was not recognized by the Physiology Department.

cc: Committee
Kehoe
Blair
Pickett
Gourley
I would like to have your further comments on the above.
Yours very truly

AGRICULTURAL INSECTICIDE AND FUNGICIDE ASSN.

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Leo S. Hitchner (signed)
L. S. Hitchner, Pres.

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February 13th, 1936

Mr. W. A. Ruth
Chief in Pomological Physiology
University of Illinois
Urbana, Illinois

Dear Mr. Ruth:

I am enclosing herewith copies of letter which I sent to Mr. E. S. Pickett and Mr. T. J. Walbert of the University of Missouri.

As I see the problem now, there are several important things to determine.

First; the minimum financial expenditures which would be required per annum for three years,

Second; develop a list of allied groups who will cooperate in supporting the work,

Third; develop some means for the growers who have a primary interest to contribute through their Association towards the cost of the experiments,

Fourth; recommendations have been made that, in line with the thought which you gave to me, the Federal government be given an opportunity to cooperate in order that they will recognize the results. Several industrial companies have reported that on previous work of this kind, after it was done, it was not recognized by the Federal government.

I would be glad to have your further comments on the above.

Yours very truly

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