

## TRAINEE PROGRAM IN MICHIGAN

for period, July 23-August 4, 1954 for:

Prawat Charitavanich, Thailand  
Pahn Hongnark, Thailand  
Duong Nguyen, Vietnam

These governmental employees have jobs involving the promotion and development of farm cooperatives. They are in the U. S. A. on training program. The men from Thailand were at Ohio State, and one from Vietnam was at Michigan State during 1955-56.

### Monday, July 23

9:30-10:00 a.m. Michigan Association of Farm Cooperatives, L. A.  
Cheney, 4,000 N. Grand River, Lansing Te. IV 7-5911

10:00-11:00 a.m. Personnel Training Program. Victor Bielinski and  
Simon Burnages.

11:00-11:30 a.m. Fire and life insurance program. Nile L. Vermillion  
and staff.

11:30-12:00 lunch

12:00-12:30 p.m. Farmers Petroleum Cooperative, Inc. Earl E. Huntley  
and staff.

12:30-2:00 p.m. Farm Bureau Services. Keith Tanner and staff

2:00-3:30 p.m. Michigan Farm Bureau

Membership. Norwood D. (Bill) Eastman and staff

Discussion groups Don Kinsey

Youth programs Clare Mc Ghan

Women's program Marge Karker

Publicity Edner Ungren

Public relations Stanley Powell, Don Reid

Planning for visits to community discussion groups, in evenings.

### Tuesday, July 24 9:30 a.m.

Vocational Agricultural Education, Michigan State University

Raymond M. Clark, 208 Morrill Hall, Ext. 2412

Soil district meeting, Eaton Rapids

Agricultural Department, Eaton Rapids High School

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Wednesday, July 25 Start at 7:15 a.m. Field trip to visit marketing and supply cooperatives, and egg grading stations including some of the following.

Lake Odessa--Egg grading station Mgr: Erne Garlinger

Lake Odessa Co-operative Association--grain market, farm supplies  
Mgr: Orville Decker

Caledonia Farmer's Elevator Company--grain marketing, farm supply,  
poultry Mgr: L. D. Kacchale

Salem Cooperative Company, Dorr--grain market, farm supplies Mgr: A. A. Smith

Hamilton Farm Bureau Cooperative, Inc.--egg and poultry market, farm supplies Mgr: Andrew G. Lohman

Allegan Farmers Co-operative Association--grain market, farm supplies  
Mgr: *Norman Steiner*

Battle Creek, Michigan Livestock Exchange branch--auction sales Mgr: Art Beckford

Middleville Co-operative Creamery Company--Creamery Mgr: Fred Hog

Hastings branch of Farm Bureau Services--farm supplies Branch Mgr: John Gurd

Nashville Co-operative Elevator Association--grain market, farm supplies  
Mgr: Leo Hansberger

Eaton Farm Bureau Co-operative, Charlotte Mgr: Fred Long

Thursday & Friday, July 26 & 27

Agricultural Extension Service  
State Organization  
4-H Club  
Operations of a county unit

Farmers Roundup on campus on Friday

Saturday & Sunday, July 28 & 29--free time or arrange

Monday, July 30 Start at 7:30 a.m. field trip to visit marketing and supply cooperatives, including some of the following:

St. Johns Cooperative Company--grain market, farm supplies Mgr: George H. Brooks

Elsie-Michigan Milk Producers Association--Milk processing plant and receiving station Plant Mgr: Paul Keeney

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Chesaning Farmers Co-operative, Inc.,--grain market, farm supplies  
Mgr: Edsel Brewer of Farm Bureau Service, Inc. of Lansing.

Chesaning-McDonald Cooperative Dairy Company--milk processing Plant  
Supt.: Jerry Fessler.

Hemlock-Michigan Poultry Marketing Cooperative, Inc.--poultry processing,  
Hess Duck Farm Mgr: Grant Hess, Paul Hangeback

Hemlock Farmers Cooperative, Inc.--Creamery, egg grading, farm supplies,  
Mgr: Mr. Bauer

Merrill-Gratiot Farmers Supply Company branch--petroleum products  
Branch Mgr: Bernard Knos

Breckinridge Oil Company--petroleum products Mgr: Gail Sensabaugh

St. Louis-Michigan Livestock Exchange--auction sales, Branch Mgr: John  
Harrington

St Louis-McDonald Cooperative Dairy Company branch--milk processing  
Plant Mgr: Bernard McBride

Alma--Gratiot Farmers Supply Company--petroleum products Mgr: Russell  
Putnam

Ithaca-Gratiot Farmers Supply Company branch--petroleum products Branch  
Mgr: Richard A. Lumsden

Tuesday, July 31

Michigan State Soil Conservation Committee, 412 Agricultural Hall,  
M. S. U. Extension 3004  
Leonard Braemse

Land and Water Conservation, 409 Agric. Hall

Trip to observe soil conservation projects

U. S. D. A. Soil Conservation Service, Unit E. Wells Hall, M. S. U.  
Ext. 3005  
E. C. Sackmiller  
H. D. Lakin

Wednesday August 1

Michigan Department of Agriculture, Lewis Cass Building, Lansing  
IV 5-6114 9:30 a.m.  
George McIntyre, Director  
Joe Wells, Public Relations

Michigan Department of Conservation, Steven T. Mason Building,  
IV 5-6114 1:30 p.m.  
Farley Tubbs, Educational and Public Relations

August 2-3 Thursday & Fri Plan after arrival of trainees