

ARRANGEMENTS for consumers co-operative stores in Peking were discussed at a recent meeting of Chinese Christian organizations. Prof. J. N. Taylor of Yenching University addressed the meeting and said that it was hoped to start such a co-operative store in Yenching University.

ADEQUATE FOOD SUPPLIES

If any of the over-cautious go in for food hoarding, they will be rendering a public dis-service, for we were assured yesterday evening, after a prolonged meeting of the Municipal Council's newly-appointed Food Control Committee, which is under the chairmanship of Col. T. E. Trueman, that there are sufficient supplies for all reasonable requirements and that there is absolutely no necessity for hoarding. Supplies for the future are being arranged and we know from other sources, besides the Committee's assurance, that Shanghai is in no danger of running short.

It is true that in the past day or two there has been a shortage of beef, but this easily is explained. The animals were here, but owing to the strike there was no one to slaughter them. Even this, however, now has been provided for and there will not be a repetition of the difficulty.