



TENNIS FOR EVERYONE—School children are visible proof of the popularity of tennis in Australia as they put on giant exhibition of tennis strokes in a Sydney stadium.

Farm Bureau Would Continue Use Of Subsidies

CHICAGO — The American Farm Bureau Federation wants Uncle Sam to continue use of subsidies in farm programs — not for farmers — but to help finance shipments of surplus abroad.

The big farm organization's national convention voted this week to recommend that Congress extend the Agricultural Trade Development Act of 1954, now scheduled to expire next June 30.

Under this act the government sells surplus crops to foreign countries which do not have dollars. The government in turn uses these currencies in the purchasing of foreign goods for the military and farm market development programs.

A federation resolution declared that sales of this type — which involve substantial losses in the surplus sold — are not a permanent solution for foreign markets nor a satisfactory substitute for trade for dollars.

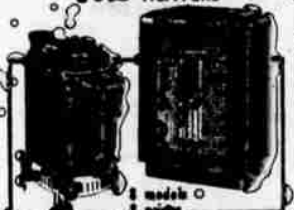
Nevertheless, it said, such subsidized sales should be continued until the present big surplus stocks are pretty well cleared away.

Policy drafters prepared to face before the convention Wednesday or Thursday resolutions which, in effect, will call for gradual withdrawal of farm programs which tend to hold artificial prices above levels that would prevail in free markets and which tend to control production.

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FOR GOOD OR BAD—Famous Lutine Bell is in place in new Lloyd's of London building where it is rung before important announcements. Two strokes mean good news; one, bad.

Seasonal Drop In Pork Prices Noted This Week

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The normal seasonal drop in pork prices is reflected this week in extensive offerings of various cuts in the nation's super markets and groceries.

Pork loins, shoulders, chops and sausage meat will be the No. 1 item in many stores. Ham, with accounts for a good part of pork's sale, also will be featured in the meat cases.

Chickens are less expensive by as much as 10 cents a pound, in many areas, this week. Eggs are down 1 to 4 cents in some areas, also.

The National Assn. of Poultry Dealers is putting on a "Penny Day" claim that the average price of a dozen eggs is only 10 cents. That's 28 cents off the 38-cent order.

The range of vegetable prices by market men is outstanding. Week-end call in the northeast are western iceberg lettuce, onions and potatoes.

Florida oranges, grapefruit and tangerines all into their season. Apples also are in the best buy class. Some varieties of peaches are plentiful.

California's emperor grapes are getting higher in price now, but still rate as a good buy.

Dogs in Stockholm, Sweden, are taxed at the rate of \$800 annually (about \$8.00) annually.

Sheepman Would See Promotion Paid For

SALMON, Ore. — The Oregon Sheep Breeders Assn. has asked Congress to create a new promotion fund for wool and lamb through collection of one cent a pound on all wool sales and five cents a hundredweight on lamb.

Promotion funds are deducted from payments made to growers under the act's wool marketing program.

Egyptian Prince's TV Science Talk

LONDON — Prince Farouk, who looked on with interest in this week's group of British scientists' talks on science.

The prince, a member of the royal family and the public official of the Egyptian government, moved the act in advance.

TV comedies Peter Cushing, who played the role of the first time, and a member of the royal family, moved the act in advance.

Cavanagh, decked out in a uniform and a blazer, is illustrating the Duke's royal line, but he is not a member of the royal family.

A small room has been set up to illustrate the Duke's royal line, but he is not a member of the royal family.

Cavanagh, who repeatedly has been reported as playing the part of a scientist in a grand finale, an oversized spinner, blew up in Cavanagh's face and he was blown out with "I'll be back" as he was.

Phil appeared and he was quite amusing.

Princess Margaret was the other local headliner today.

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White Deputy Acquitted In Shooting Of Negro

WILLIAMSTON, N.C. — A Superior Court jury here this week acquitted a special deputy sheriff in the fatal shooting of a Negro college student suspected of trying to make a date with a white woman by telephone.

The jury deliberated 15 minutes before freeing Dallas Holliday, 37, of a second degree murder charge in the shooting of Joseph J. Cross, 21, near Williams-ton the night of Sept. 7. Cross was a senior at A&T College in Greensboro.

Sheriff R.W. Rawls told the all-white jury that Cross was shot during a tussle with Holliday. The shooting occurred, he said, after a trap was set to catch a man who had been making telephone calls to Polly Roberson, 25, an attractive waitress.

Miss Roberson said she had been propositioned over the telephone by some unknown persons for five or six months. Her life had been threatened, she told of-

Here's Why Of 'Xmas' Spelling

Why is "Christmas" sometimes written "Xmas"? "X" is the Greek letter symbol that is used to represent the name, "Christ."

This symbol has been discovered by many archaeological expeditions on the walls of early-Christian period catacombs.

Quite recently, a group of scientists discovered the name of Jesus, carved before 70 A.D. among the inscriptions of eleven early-Christian urns.

These urns were uncovered in a cave on the Bethlehem to Jerusalem Road.

It is believed that these writings were left by a sect of Hebrews who were followers of Christ and who denounced Pontius Pilate.

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State Dept. Asks Bid On New Motor Pool Site
SALISBURY — The state Department of Finance and Administration asked for bids Wednesday on a motor pool site near the state Office Building in Portland.
The 1957 Legislature authorized the state to pool automobiles used by state departments in Portland. A similar pool now serves state agencies in Salem.
The department wants a five-year lease on at least 20,000 square feet of space to handle 143 cars. The property can be an open lot, commercial garage or other suitable enclosure.
The department wants to acquire the property between next May 1 and Oct. 1. Bids will be accepted until 2 p. m. Jan. 7.

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