

Drop Off Department Says Farm Crop Surplus Losses

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The Agriculture Department reported today that its losses on surplus farm crops have dropped in the past year because sales fell 702 million dollars during the 11-month period that ended May 31. It lost 900 million dollars in the same period last year.

The department said declining sales of surpluses were responsible. Since the government normally sells the surpluses for less than it paid for them in price supports, the less sold the less lost.

The department said its investment in price-supported wheat, corn, cotton, and other surplus farm commodities totaled \$8,805,986,000 on May 31. This compares with \$7,164,406,000 one year ago.

The new total included \$6,105,222,000 in commodities owned outright by the Commodity Credit Corp. and \$2,700,764,000 in outstanding loans on farm products still held by producers.

Wheat still was the most costly surplus crop. The government owned 1,146,972,481 bushels worth \$3,925,004,850. Loans on wheat for \$7,522,466 bushels were valued at \$159,632,450.

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Average feedstuff prices at the end of June were about \$1 per ton higher than a month earlier. However, they were \$3 a ton lower than in June, 1958.

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Canadian Paper Firms Negotiating Merger

VANCOUVER, B. C. (UPI) — The merger of MacMillan and Bloedel and the Powell River Company will give the new company control of 42 per cent of British Columbia's forestry production, it was estimated here today.

The new firm, to be called MacMillan, Bloedel and Powell River, Ltd., will be among the world's biggest integrated forest production operations.

Hoja blanca is caused by a virus spread by a plant hopper. Discarded leaves turn yellowish-white, and plants often fail to head.

The department said researchers are looking for the disease in Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas, Texas, California, and other rice-producing states. The search is a joint state-federal project.

The Centennial wagons and the motorized cavalcade planned to parade through downtown Pocatello and head northwest along Yellowstone Avenue to a weekend camp at the Bannock county fairgrounds.

The wagon train is scheduled to stay over here for two and one half days, the longest stay slated for any of the towns along the 2200 mile trek to Independence, Ore.

Services and courtesies awaiting the travelers include free shower facilities, free laundry, sewing machines, ironing equipment and free use of automobiles, to be provided by the Pocatello Automobile Dealers Association.

Thursday evening, the Pocatello Chamber of Commerce, with the aid of several business groups, persuaded the wagoners with two peddlers. The peddlers met the train on the road and pretended to bargain with members of the train, and then ended up giving each wagon a large canvas water bag filled with all kinds of merchandise from needles and thread to toothpaste and razor blades.

Witnesses said a series of blasts destroyed the stand. The badly burned bodies of the children were found on the floor, near an unlocked wooden door.

Coroner Sol Catron said the stand contained "the usual supply" of Fourth of July fireworks, which are legal in Montana.

PORTLAND (UPI) — Reed College here has received a \$250,000 grant from the Rockefeller Foundation, one of the largest grants in the history of the school.

Richard L. Sullivan, president of Reed, said \$180,000 will be used for completion of the biology wing now under construction, and for remodeling and additions to the chemical building.

The balance of the grant will be used over a period of years for biological research.

The Rockefeller Foundation has usually focused on graduate colleges and health and science research making the large grant to Reed an extraordinary recognition.

A Rockefeller Foundation spokesman in New York "excellent record" in regard to "production of research scholars."

JERUSALEM, Israel (UPI) — Avraham Harman has been appointed Israel's new ambassador to the United States. Radio Israel announced Thursday.

JOENKOEPIING, Sweden (UPI) — Two touring Polish soccer players have sought political asylum in Sweden, government officials disclosed today. The athletes, who were not identified, skipped out on their teammates recently on the last night of the squad's exhibition.

WASHINGTON (UPI) — An increase to 5 1/2 per cent in the maximum interest rate to be charged on GI housing loans went into effect Thursday. The Veterans Administration said the new rate would have no effect on loans closed before July 2. The former rate was 4 1/2 per cent.

NEW YORK (UPI) — Chief Justice Earl Warren of the U.S. Supreme Court has been named an elector of the Hall of Fame for Great Americans at New York University, it was announced Thursday.

MOBILE, Ala. (UPI) — The U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service says 39 seamen deserted 12 ships here during the last 12 months and seven stowaways arrived.

ROME (UPI) — Italian Premier Antonio Segni and Foreign Minister Giuseppe Pella will visit Turkey in a bid to strengthen links between the two NATO Allies in the Mediterranean, official sources said Thursday.

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