## **Billion Bushel** Wheat Output

Estimate as of June Sees Great Problem of Crop Control

WASHINGTON, June 11-(AP)-A government forecast that the 1938 wheat harvest in this country will be at least 1,020,623,000 bushels-the largest on recordgave impetus today to preparations for drastic federal control

of next year's crop.

Not since 1915, when farmers harvested 1,008,637,000 bushels. has anything like such a yield been indicated. The 1915 crop was warmly welcomed, for Europe was at war and needed surplus American wheat.

However, this year's prospec tive harvest constitutes perhaps the most serious farm surplus problem confronting the Roosevelt administration. Should the forecast be borne out, the total supply of United States wheat, including a surplus of about 200,-000,000 bushels from last year, would be at least 1,220,000,000

Far over Needs Such a supply would provide at least 450,000,000 bushels more than estimated domestic and export requirements during the coming marketing season. The largest previous surplus was 378,-000,000 bushels in 1932, when prices dropped to 30 cents a

Under provisions of the new farm, law, the agriculture department would be required to set the 1939 wheat acreage allotment at between 45,000,000 and 50,000,000, compared with 80,-000,000 acres seeded for this

Post-War Acreage Low Anticipating objections from farmers to such a drastic reduc-000 acres. This would be the placed on daily fluctuations. smallest wheat acreage since before the World war.

under which money will be advanced to farmers who desire to withhold surplus grain from the market until prices improve. Officials have indicated the loan rate may be between 60 and 70 cents a bushel. They expect the loans to put a floor under prices, which have declined more than 50 cents a bushel since last spring.

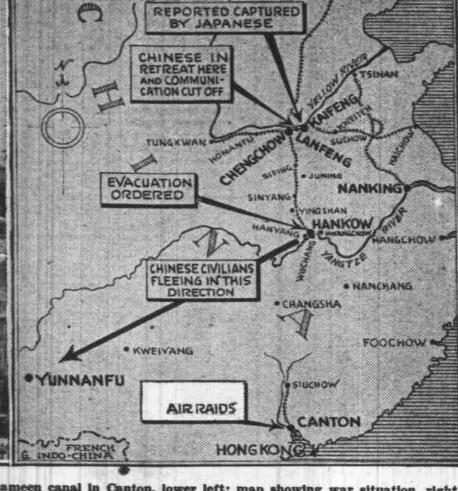
Recent Damage May Change The crop forecast was based on condition of the grain on June 1. Consequently, reports

black stem rust was present but up to June 1 had coused little damage. It said orange rust 396,000 in 1931, the largest on was widespread and had caused record.

vested last year, a 1927-36 ave- and with a 1926-37 average of rage of 546,396,000, and 825,- 26,494,000.

### Japanese Push Advance as Bombs Rain Destruction and Death





American colony on Hankow waterfront, upper left; houseboats on Shameen canal in Canton, lower left; map showing war situation, right. Thousands are fleeing Hankow, temporary capital of China, as Japanese troops push their advance toward the key city, forcing Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek to abandon the eastern half of the fortified Lunghai railway line and set up new defenses along a moun-tain range between the Lunghai and Hankow. At the same time,

repeated air raids on Canton, south Chinese port, left this city devastated and took nearly 3,000 lives besides wounding 8,000 others. It was feared these bombings were preliminary to Japanese occupation of Canton on which the British crown colony of Hongkong, down the Pearl river, depends for its existence.

## In Heavy Buying FRUITS (Buying Prices)

CHICAGO, June 11-(AP)-The heaviest buying in months poured tion program, the department has into the wheat pit today and asked congress to amend the law prices skyrocketed almost five to set the allotment at 52,000,- cents a bushel, which is the limit

Today's upturn which carried July wheat here to a high of The crop report also revived 79% and September to 80% put interest in the government's the market about 12 cents a forthcoming wheat loan program, bushel above the five-year low level reached 10 days ago.

After wheat touched the day's highs in the final hour heavy profit taking developed but caused only slight reaction. Wheat closed 4 1/4 to 4 % above yesterday's finish, July 79 1/4-1/4. September 80 %-1/2. December 81 1/2-

#### Lebanon Oats Displayed

LEBANON - A bunch of winter oats on display in a Lebanon business house is attracting much received this week of crop deter- attention. The stalks are 5 1/2 ioration from rust and spring feet high with stems measuring rost were not taken into conideration.

The report accompanied the bread heavy with grain measures 22 inches.

The oats were raised on the Bo
Rhubarh. ib.

Rhubarh. ib. frost were not taken into con- 11/2 inches in circumference with The oats were raised on the Bogart farm near Sodaville.

Cross Word Puzzle

Spring wheat production was The winter wheat crop was es- forecast at between 260,000,000 timated at 760,623,000 bushels, and 285,000,000 bushels, comcompared with 685,102,000 har- pared with 188,891,00 last year

## Wheat Skyrockets Salem Market Quotations West Apple Crop

\$1.08.

(The prices below supplied by a local grocer are indicative of the daily market prices paid to growers by Salem buyers but are not guaranteed by The States

Apples—Extra fcy. Defictous \$1.35 fcy. Winesaps, \$1.05; orchard run Romes, 75c. Benanas, ib., on stalk .... 

Onion sets, Ib.

Parsiey \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Parsnips, ib.

Eutabagas, 1b.

Strawberries, local ...

Fuggles, top ...

Coarse, lb. Mohsir, lb.

Medium extras

Heavy hens, lb.

leghorn broilers ....

Large special ....

Large standards .... Medium standards

Large extras ... Medium extras

Dirty extras

Hubbard squash, fc. \_\_\_\_\_

NUTS

WOOL AND MOHAIR

(Buying Price)

EGGS AND POULTRY

(Buying Price of Andresens)

White Leghorns, lb., No. 2

White Leghorns, frys

No 2 grades, 5 cents less.

LIVESTOCE

(Based on conditions and sales reported up to 4 p. m.)

Spring lambs 6.00 to 6.25

Lambs 4.00 to 5.00

MARION CREAMERY Buying Prices

Butterfat, A grade Butterfat, B grade Colored hens, under 4 15 lbs.

Colored fryers ----

Colored hens, over 41/2 lbs. \_\_\_\_\_

Dairy type cows \_\_\_\_\_ 4.00 to 4.50 Beef Cows \_\_\_\_\_ 5.00 to 4.00

GRAIN, HAY AND SEEDS

STOCK AVERAGES

Compiled By The Associated Press

tops, 150-210 lbs.....8.25 to 8.35

.....nominal

Walnuts, 1937, lb. \_\_\_\_\_10 to Filberts, 1927 crop, lb. \_\_12 to HOPS (Buying Price) Clusters, nominal, 1937, lb. 10 to

VEGETABLES Barley, feed, ton (Buying Prices) Asparagus, Ore., doz ...... Beets, dos.
Cabbage, lb.
Calif., new crop
Carrots, Calif., crate
Cauliflower, Calif.
Celery, Utah, crate
String beans, Calif., lb.
Celery bearts, dos.
Lettuce, local
Onion sets, lb. Alfalfa, valley, ton ........ Oat and vetch hay, ton ....

# Alone Over Par

WASHINGTON, June 11-(AP)-The agriculture department reported today the apple crop was about 55 per cent of normal condition on June 1, or 22 per cent below the condition of the same date last year.

The below average condition prevailed in all regions except the far western states, where the condition was reported about one per cent above average.

The crop reporting board said present indications pointed to a crop below the 10-year (1937-36) average and much smaller than

## the large 1937 crop. Quotations at Portland

Cheese-Triplets, 12c; loaf, 13c.

Grade B raw 4 per cent

Co-op Grade A butterfat

Distributor price, \$2.34.

A grade butterfat - De-

livered, 24 1/4: B grade

A grade print, 28c; B

23; C grade 18%.

grade, 27c.

price, FOB Salem, 24 1/4.

(Milk based on semi-monthly butterfat average.)

milk, Salem basic pool price \$2.06 per bundred. Surplus

#### Portland Livestock

week's bulk 165-215 lb. drivens 8.50, few grassy and off grade kinds down to 8.25 and under; carload lots with freight diversion up to 8.75 freely; 225-275 lbs. 7.75-8.00, few to 8.25; light lights mainly 8.00; packing sows 6.00-6.50; feeder pigs 8.00-50, one lot 8.75.

Cattle: Receipts for week 2070, calves 580, compared week ago, quotations on best steers and heifers strong to 25 high-er but demand limited, lower grades barely steady some cleanup sales weak to unevenly lower; late sales cows 25-50 or more lower, very draggy at decline, bulls largely 50 down; week's top fed steers 8.75, others 7.75-8.15; best grassers 8.00, others largely 7.75 down to 6.00, common down to 5.50, cutters down to 4.25; bulk grass fat heifers 6.00-7.25, cutter

## Gardeners' and Ranchers' Mart

PORTLAND, Ore., June 11-(AP)-(USDA) -Produce changes: Apples—Oregon Newtowns, extra fcy, \$1.35-1.50, fancy \$1.15-1.25; Washington Delicious, extra fancy, \$1.75-1.85; loose 2 ½c lb.; Winesaps, ex-fcy., \$1.40-1.50; fancy, \$1.25-1.30; loose, 2 ½c lb. Artichokes — California, 4-5 dozen, \$1.85-2.00. \$1.85-2.00.

Asparagus—Oregon 12 pound crates, green loose U. S. No. 1, 7-8c; No. 2, 5-6c per pound, Washington, unclassified 5-6c lb.; 30-lb. crats, \$2.50-2.75.

Beans—Calift. Kentucky Wonder 9-10c. per hamper, \$2.65-2.75; Oregon, 8-10c lb. Cabbage—The Dalles, crates, \$2.00-255. Wash \$2.50 crates. Cabhage—The Dalles, crates, \$2.00-225; Wash, \$2.50 crate.
Cantaloupes—California, Imperial pony
54s, \$2.65-2.75; 45s, \$2.75-2.85; standards 45s \$3.50-3.65; Jumbos, \$3.80-4.00.
Cauliflower—Ore-Callf., No. 1, \$1.201.30 crate; Seattle, \$1.00-1.10.
Celery—California, unquoted; Utah
type, \$2.40-2.65; white, \$2.25-2.40.
Cherries—Wash, Bings, faced, 6-7c;
loose, 8-10c; The Dalles, Tartarians, 5-6c.
Cucumbers—Hot house, doz. choice,
7c; Bings, 8-10c.

Gooseberries - 8-6c. Lettuce - Labish, \$1.00-1.25; Wash, 8 and 4 doz., \$1.25-1.35. Lemons - Fancy, all sizes, \$5.00-5.50; choice grades 50c to \$1.00 less.

8-9c.
Potatoes—Oregon, local sacked, per hundredweight, long whites, 50-pound sacks, US No. 2, 25-30c; Deschutes, sacked, per hundredweight, Russets, US No. 1, \$1.35-1.56; 50-pound sacks, US No. 2, 40-45c. New Stock, California, 100-pound sacks, White Rose, US No. 1, \$2 25-2.30, US No. 2, 100-pound sacks, \$1.85.2.00 \$1 85-2.00. Oranges—California navela, fancy, all sizes, \$3.00-3.50; choice Valencia fancy, \$2.30-2.90; choice, \$2.00-2.15; loose, \$1.25-1.75

Peppers-Florida, 18-20e lb. Raspberries-\$2 90-3.00. Rhubart—Apple boxes, 50 55c; bulk, 14:14:c.

Sweet potntoes—Callfornia, 50 pound crates, \$2.35 2.50; Louisiana yams, \$2.25-250.

Spinach—Oregon best, 50-60c per orange box Poorer low as 40c.

Squash—Wash., Crookneck, scallop Zucchini, \$1.35-1.50 flat.

Strawberfies—Oregon, local best, Rhubart-Apple boxes, 50 55c; bulk

Strawborfies — Oregon, local best, \$1.90-2.0c; poorer, low as \$1.65. Tomatoes — Texas; as is, \$1.75-1.85; hethouse, 10-12c; extra fancy and fancy; choice, 8-10c lb.; Wash., bothouse, 12-

PRODUCE EXCHANGE

PORTLAND, Ore., June 11—(AP)—

Produce exchange:

Butter—Extras, 25; large standards.
24; prime firsts, 23; firsts, 22½; butterfat, 25 25½.

Eggs—Large extras, 23c; large standards and 21c; medium extras, 21c; medium standards 20c.

Chasse—Triplets, 12c; loaf, 13c.

to common 4.00-5.50; low cutter and cutter cows 3.25-75, good beef cows 5.00-50; bulls 5.00-7.25, top 7.50, cutter to common 4.00-5.50; low cutter and cutter cows 3.25-75, good beef cows 5.00-50; bulls 5.00-75, early top 6.50; selected strongweight vealers at eady at up to shippers, local interests taking residue around 1.00 lower or mostly 7.00 down.

compared week ago, spring lambs 25.50 higher, other classes mostly steady PORTLAND, Ore., June 11—(AP)—
(USDA)—Hogs: Receipts for week 3,
500. compared week ago, market mentyl
25 higher, packing sows about steady;
week's bulk 165-215 lb. driveins 850,
for weak's bulk 165-215 lb. driveins 850,
for greater and off grade kinds down to
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#### Portland Grain

PORTLAND, Ore., June 11—(AP)—
Grain: Wheat Open High Low Close
July 71 73 71 73
Sep. 70 73 70 73 vestern white 75; western red 74. Hard red winter ordinary 74: 11 per

cent 75; 12 per cent 79; 13 per 85; 14 per cent 89. Hard red spring ordinary 74; 11 per Hard red spring ordinary 74; 11 per cent 75; 12 per cent 80; 13 per cent 85; 14 per cent 89.

Hard white—Baart ordinary 78; 11 per cent 78; 12 per cent 79; 13 per cent 81; 14 per cent 83.

Today's car receipts: Wheat 83; flour 8; corn 2; hay 2; millfeed 8.

#### Portland Produce

PORTLAND, Ore., June 11—(AP) Country meats—Selling price to retailers: Country-killed hogs, best butcher under 160 lbs, 10 1/2.11 lb.; vealers 11 1/2.12 lb.; light and thin 9-11 lb.; heavy 9-10 lb.; bulls 16 1/2 lb.; canner cows 9-9 1/2 lb.; cutter cows 10-11 lb.; spring lambs 13 lb.; old lambs 8c lb.; ewes 4-5c Live poultry—Buying price: Leghorn broilers 1 ½ 1 ½ bs., 13-13 ½ b.; 2 ½ bs., 13-13 ½ bs., 13-13 ½ bs., 13-13 ½ bs., 15-18 ½ bs., 17-17 ½ b.; over 3 ½ bs., 15-18 ½ bs., 10-18 ½ bs., 13-13 ½ bs., 13-13 ½ bs., 14-14 ½ bs.; under 3 ½ bs., 13-13 ½ bs.; colored hens to 5 bs., 18-18 ½ b.; over 5 bs., 17-17 ½ bs.; No. 2 grade 3c bs.

Turkeys-Hens 24c lb.: No. 1 toms, 22c lb. Selling price: Toms, 24c lb.; hens, 26c lb. Potatoes-New Shafter, \$2,30-2,50 cwt. Potatoes—New Shafter, \$2,30-2.50 cwt. Yakima Gems, 2s, 60c; local, 65c cental; central Oregon, \$1.25-1.50 cental.
Onions—Old crop Oregon, No. 1, \$3.50-3.75 cental; California, wax, \$1.40; Cal. red \$1.40, yellow \$1.50.
Wool—1938. Nominal; Willamette valley, medium, 18c lb.; coarse and braids, 18c lb.; eastern Oregon, 16-16½c lb.

Hay—Selling price to retailers: Alfal-fa, No. 1, \$18-18.50 ton; oat-vetch, \$14 ton; clover, \$13 ton; timothy, eastern Oregon, (—) ton; do valley, \$15 ton; Portland.

Portland.

Mohair—Nominal: 1938 20c fb.
Hops—Nominal: 1937, 10-11c lb.
Cascars bark—Buying price: 1938
peel. 4c lb.
Sugar—Berry or fruit, 100s, \$4. 0;
bales, \$5.10; best, \$4.80 cental.
Domestic flour—Selling price, city
delivery, 1 to 25-bbl lots; family patents,
49s, \$5.65-6.25; bakers' hard wheat, net,
\$4.45-5.70; bakers' bluestem, \$4.30-4.65;
blended hard wheat, \$4.35-4.75; soft
wheat flours, \$4.20-4.30; graham, 49s,
\$4.75; whole wheat, 49s, \$5.35 bbl.

#### Wool in Boston

BOSTON, June 1—(AP)—(USDA)— Quotations of spot graded domestic wools in the Boston market were fairly stendy during the past week despite the very small turnover. Prices eased on apot original fine territory and 12 month Texas wools on a moderate turnover of offerings purchased in the country on the recent decline. Increased business in the west was reported in the trade to be lifting slightly because of direct pur-chases of wools of country points. Graded combing bright fleece wools were quoted in Boston at 25 to 26 cents in the grease for fine Delaine and half-blood, at 24 to 26 cents for three eighths blood and at 24 to 25 cents for quarter

Young Baptists Elect PORTLAND, June 11-(A)-Delgates to the Willamette district Baptist Young People's union here Friday night elected De-Wayne Dahl president.

Cherry Price Set

#### Confessed Kidnaper and Slayer Wheat Insurance Topic for Meets

Marion County Growers Will Meet June 30 at Corvallis

CORVALLIS, June 11-(AP)-A series of 16 county and district meetings to explain details of the new government wheat crop insurance plan will start June 14 and continue to July 1.

One public meeting will be held in each county in the ma-

jor wheat areas. Clyde Kiddle, state crop insufance supervisor, said, members of the Oregon State college extension service will assist, All crop insurance applications

must be filed before fall seeding for the 1939 crop, Kiddle declared. Application blanks will be available following the meet-

The public meetings will be held at Ontario, June 14; Baker, June 15; Union, June 16; Enterprise, June 17; Pendleton June 18; Heppner, June 20; Condon (for Gilliam and Wheeler) June 21; Dufur. June 22; Moro. June 23; Madras, June 24, and Roseburg, June 29.

District meetings, which will be held in areas outside the major wheat-growing sections, will include Corvallis, June 30 for Yambill, Polk, Marion, Linn, Benton and Lane counties.

## Stock Turnover Lowest Since '18

Market Nearly Shuts up Shop as 20-Year Low Is Set

NEW YORK, June 11-(AP)-The stock market almost shut up shop today as dealings dropped to the lowest mark in about 20 years.

The ticker tape was virtually at a standstill throughout the two-hour proceedings. Transfers totaled only 107,230 shares, the smallest turnover for any day since August 3, 1918. This volume compared with 306,930 week ago.

Price changes were exceptionally small either way at the close, with numerous issues holding at their Friday's final quotations. The Associated Press average of 60 stocks was unchanged at 3.91, but was up .7 of a point on the

## Damage by Frost Is Reported Light

that the frost on Labish Tuesday night did little damage.

The iris worm, that is giving the strawberry growers so much trouble, is in some onion fields, N. P. Williamson has cut his 22 acres of turnip seed. He will

telman, rape.



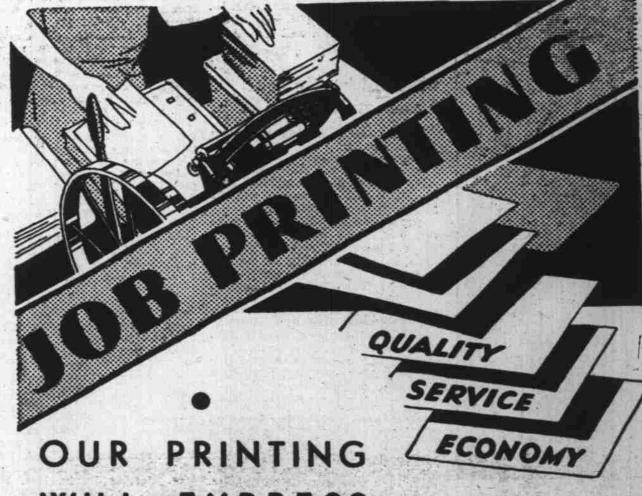
Franklin Pierce McCall

After first confessing writing ransom notes and collecting \$10,000 ransom, Franklin Pierce McCall, 21-year-old Princeton truck driver, Friday admitted kidnaping and murdering James Bailey Cash, ir., 5, of Princeton, Fla. J. Edgar Hoover, G-man chief, and his agents took a major part in solving the crime. Formal charges of murder will be lodged against McCall.

## Closing Quotations

NEW YORK, June 11-(AP)-Today's closing quotations:

Corn Prod ....64 % Pub Serv NJ ...2714 Al Chem & Dye 149 Curt Wright .... 4 1/2 Pullman ..... 23 % Am Can ......88 Am & For Pow .. 31/4 Douglas Aircraft 44 % Radio ......... 51/4 Am Pow & Lt ... 5 % Du Pont ..... 97 % Rem Rand .... 11 % Am Rad & St ... 10 % Elec Pow & Lt ... 9 % Rep Stl ..... 12 % Am Roll Mills ... 15 Gen Elec ..... 34 Sears Roe .... 56% Am Smelt & Rf 35 % Gen Foods .... 29 % Shell Union .... 12 AT&T ..... 132% Gen Mot .... 29 So Cal Ed .... 22
Am Tob B ... 69% Goodyear Tires .17% Southern Pac ... 111%
Am Wat Wks .. 8% Gr. No. Ry Pf .. 15% Stan Brands .... 7 Anaconda ..... 24 % Hudson Mot .... 5 % St Oil Cal ..... 26 14 Atchison ..... 26 % Illinois Cent .... 7% St Oil NJ ..... 46% Balt & Ohio .... 54 Insp Copper .... 9 % Studebaker .... 4 % Barnsdall .....13 Int Harvest ...53 4 Sup Oil ......2 % Bendix Avia ....10 ½ Int Nick Can ...42 % Texas Corp ....38 ½ Beth Steel .....44 1/2 Int Pap & P Pf .27 1/2 Pimken Det Axle 8 5/4 Boeing ..... 23 % I T & T ..... 8 ½ Fransamerica .... 9 ½ Calif Pack .... 18 % Johns Manv ... 68 ½ Jnion Carb ... 65 Callahan Z-L ... 1 % Kennecott .... 29 ½ Union Pac .... 61 ½ Calumet Hec ... 6 Lig Myers B ... 95 ½ Unit Aircraft ... 25 % Canadian Pac ...5 % Monty Ward .... 30 % Unit Corp ..... 21 Case (J I) .....77 Nash Kelvinat ... 7 Caterpil Tract ... 39 % Nat Bisc ..... 22 % US Rubber .... 26 % Celanese ......11% Nat Pow & Lt ...6% US Steel .....41% Ches & Ohio ... 23 % N Y Cent ..... 11 1/2 Walworth ...... 6 Chrysler ..... 41 % North Am .... 19 % White Motor .... 7 % Col Gas & Elec . . 6 1/2 Northern Pac . . . 7 % Woolworth . . . . . 42 1/4 Consol Oil .....8%



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Today \*49.3
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Month ago 56.3
Year ago 93.5
1938 high 70.5
1938 low 49.3
1937 high 99.0
1937 low 70.3
\*New 1938 low. 90.1 90.2 91.4 98.1 92.2 85.8 102.8 90.3 103.0 98.0 93.0 95.5

Coloradans Return ELDRIDGE — Mr. and Mrs.

F. J. Raglan and sons Billy and
Ford, Jr., who have been visiting
for a few days at the home of
Mr. Raglan's brother here, N. S.
Raglan, returned Friday to their
home at Manzanola, Colo., where Mr. Raglan is employed in the office of the Libby, McNeil and Libby factory.

Mr. Raglan is employed in the parsnips, 30-25c lug; borseradith root, California carrots 50-lb.

Libby factory.

HAYESVILLE—The first price for cherries was set when some farmers sold their Royal Anne cherries at 3 cents a pound.

# 7e; Bings, 8-10c 85c-\$1.00; fey, \$1.35-1.40; ex-fey, \$1.60-Grapefruit-48-100, Arizona, fancy, \$1.85-2.35; choice \$1.75-2.00, Texas marah seedless, unquoted; Florida, \$3.75-4.25. Oniona—Oregon yellows, U. S. No. 1, 50 pound sacks medium to large, \$1.25-1.40; No. 2, 50 pound sacks, 75-90c; California white wax, \$1.40-1.50; per 50-pound sacks; flat reds, \$1.35-1.50 per pound sacks; yellows, \$1.40-1.50. Peas-Oregon, bush 3-4c, telephone