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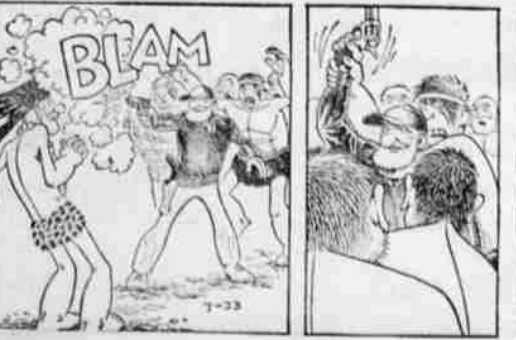
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ALLEY OOP



Biggest U.S. calf crop since 1955 predicted for this year

By Gaylord P. Godwin UPI Staff Writer WASHINGTON (UPI) — The biggest calf crop since 1955 is expected for the United States this year, according to an estimate by the Agriculture Department.

The department's crop reporting board predicted the calf crop for 1963 would total 41,819,000 head, up 2 per cent from the 1962 crop of 41,026,000 head. The 1963 crop compares with the 1957-61 average of 39,402,000 head.

The explanation for the larger calf crop in 1963 is simple, according to the board. The bigger crop is the result of more cows and heifers on farms.

The board said the west north central states, except Illinois, show smaller calf crops for 1961 than in 1962. All states in the west north central expect larger calf crops this year, except Iowa which is down slightly. Of the north central states, Kansas shows the largest increase, up 6 per cent. Other expected increases include North Dakota, 5 per cent; South Dakota, 4 per cent; and Nebraska, 3 per cent.

In the South Atlantic region, Florida, Georgia, and Virginia expect larger calf crops. No change is predicted for North Carolina and South Carolina. West Virginia, Maryland, and Delaware are down from a year earlier.

Every state in the south central region expects a larger calf crop in 1963. Texas has the largest increase, up 7 per cent, followed by Oklahoma, Kentucky, and Tennessee.

The calf crop is expected to be larger in eight of the western states, smaller in Utah and Nevada, and unchanged in New Mexico. Montana shows the greatest gain, up 6 per cent, and Wyoming is up 4 per cent.

Grain Down Slightly Preliminary estimates show that all grain exports for the marketing year ended June 30 were only 2 per cent below the record overseas sales for 1961-62. The Department's Agricultural Marketing Service based its estimates on inspections for exports.

Russians claim new defection

MOSCOW (UPI) — The Soviet government newspaper Izvestia Monday reported that an Arab-born former employe of the U.S. National Security Agency in Washington has defected to Russia and asked for political asylum.

Izvestia said that the former agent for the Americans defected because he was "outraged" by U.S. intelligence activities endangering peace in the Middle East.

The alleged defector was identified as Viktor Norris Hamilton, born Hindali, who said in an open letter to a graduate that he was 44, and a student of the American University in Beirut.

The man, in the letter, said he was a naturalized American citizen and had worked for the Near East section of the National Security Agency beginning in 1957 but had resigned for reasons of "principle."

Hamilton said in the open letter on Izvestia's back page that he had married the former Lilly Bell Drake, whom he had met in Benghazi, Libya.

Hamilton charged that he was recruited for espionage work by an American colonel, whom he named only as "Maxwell."

"Maxwell," he said, had arranged for his admission to an intelligence school, "Tempo X," where he was given lessons in cryptography and general intelligence techniques.

Since June 1957, the defector said, he was employed by the NSA in Washington at Adminton Hall and later at Ft. Meade, Meade, Md.

He was registered as an expert in the Near Eastern section, he said, of the department called "Allo" which covered intelligence for the United Arab Republic, Syria, Iraq, Lebanon, Jordan, Saudi Arabia, Yemen, Libya, Morocco, Tunis, Turkey, Iran, Greece and Ethiopia.

Three climbers are recovering

HOOD RIVER (UPI) — Three climbers who fell about 1,500 feet onto Eliot Glacier on Mt. Hood Sunday were recovering today in Memorial Hospital here.

Hospital attendants listed Dr. Mark Hanschka, Dr. Eberhard H. Glocker, and Robert C. Shoemaker, Jr., all of Portland, in satisfactory condition.

They suffered multiple injuries, but none considered critical, the hospital said.

The climbers fell while descending the mountain's northeast slope. Winds estimated at from 40 to 60 miles an hour sent boulders crashing past the fallen men.

Rescue efforts of the Crag Rats and Alpeines from Hood River and Mazamas from Portland, along with forestry employes and other mountaineers, were begun about noon, but blowing sand, hail and finally fog delayed the work.

It was about 9:30 p.m. before a sled carrying Dr. Hanschka began inching down the mountain.

Dr. Glocker was able to walk part of the way and overtook the other party. Shoemaker was brought off the glacier about two hours later.

WHEAT RUSTLERS

GREAT FALLS, Mont. (UPI) — In the days of the Old West, the Montana rancher feared the cattle rustler, but in 1963 the farmer-rancher must glance over his shoulder to keep an eye on his wheat crop.

Charles Urquart left his farm near here the other day and when he returned, he discovered he had been hit by rustlers — wheat rustlers. Urquart told Cascade County officials that some hombre had harvested 26 acres of his wheat — worth about \$1,500 — and hauled it away.



"Honesty may be the best policy, but not about Grandma's hats, huh, Grandpa?"

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