

1945 CORN CROP ESTIMATED OVER LAST YEAR YIELD

Food Grain Production Seen Largest in History; Sugar Crop Increases.

Washington, Oct. 11—(U.P.)—The agriculture department today predicted that the 1945 corn crop will reach 3,078,126,000 bushels. This compares with an estimate of 3,069,055,000 bushels made a month ago and actual production of 3,228,361,000 bushels last year.

The department said that national crop prospects declined slightly during September, but total crop production still promises nearly to equal previous banner years.

Average Yield Up
All crop estimates were based on conditions as of Oct. 1.

The department said that the average yield of corn per acre is likely to be 33.4 compared with 33.2 bushels in 1944.

The combined spring and winter wheat crops were set at 1,149,825,000 bushels, compared with 1,078,847,000 in 1944.

The department commented that the heaviest for September was the heaviest for the month since 1926. Nevertheless, food grain production was placed at the largest in history and feed grain production at the second largest.

Other Crops
Production estimates for other crops compared with 1944:

Oats, 1,583,650,000 bushels this year and 1,166,392,000 in 1944.

Barley, 277,246,000 and 284,426,000 bushels.

Flaxseed, 35,855,000 and 23,827,000 bushels.

Grain sorghums, 105,138,000 and 181,756,000 bushels.

Soy beans 106,587,000 and 192,863,000 bushels.

Potatoes, 435,395,000 and 379,436,000 bushels.

Sweet potatoes, 69,071,000 and 71,651,000 bushels.

Tobacco, 2,036,831,000 and 1,950,213,000 pounds.

Sugar cane, 7,112,000 and 6,148,000 tons.

Sugar beets, 9,400,000 and 6,753,000 tons.

Hops, 55,810,000 and 47,695,000 pounds.

Peaches, 81,954,000 and 75,063,000 bushels.

Apples, 66,754,000 and 124,754,000 bushels.

NO SUCH THING AS MAGIC, SAYS LOCAL MAGICIAN

"There's no such thing as magic," declares John Eads the magician who appeared before the Medford Kiwanis club's weekly luncheon-meeting at the Hotel Holland yesterday.

"What I do is better called conjuring," he explained. "Conjuring is the art of making the impossible seemingly possible. Really, I can't make a rabbit appear out of an empty hat. But I can make it seem as if I were doing just that. I don't object to being called a trickster," said Eads, "as long as it's understood I'm a legitimate trickster."

Explodes Old Ideas
Eads exploded many of the old ideas on magic. "First, a modern magician wouldn't think of using his sleeve to aid in performing a trick. Besides being inartistic and unnecessary, the sleeve has another serious disadvantage. It is the first place the audience suspects. Everyone watches a magician's sleeves too closely for him to get away with anything."

"Second, the hand is not quicker than the eye. You may prove this to yourself. Move your hand before your eyes as quickly as you can. Your eyes will be able to follow the motion no matter how rapid it is. Third, mirrors are rarely used by magicians, although people are always imagining that every big trick is done with their aid. Besides being expensive and easily broken, they simply are not practical since the present day magician appears on a brilliantly lighted stage. Mirrors would cast suspicious reflections and thus give themselves away."

Intelligent People Easy
The best proof of a person's

Intelligence," Eads asserts, "is that he may be fooled by a magician. It's impossible to mystify mental deficients or the very young. Such persons are incapable of concentration. They cannot follow a logical train of thought. For example, a bowl of goldfish is laid upon a table and then covered with a cloth. When the cloth is removed, the bowl is not in sight."

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THE GRANGE

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Jews Beat British Off With Stones

Jerusalem, Oct. 11—(U.P.)—Thousands of Jews armed with clubs and stones beat off a strong force of British soldiers and police who raided the Montefiore quarter of Tel Aviv today in search of a suspected arms cache.

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How hot breads can enhance your meals

Hot muffins and rolls give that extra fillip to the meals you'll be serving these Fall days when there's just a hint of frost in the air. While dinner is in the making make full use of your oven heat by baking some of the old favorites listed below.

Hamburger Muffins make a main dish in themselves. Brown 3/4 to 1 pound hamburger in frying pan, sprinkling lightly with poultry seasoning, salt and pepper. Add to your favorite muffin batter.

Spoon into greased muffin pans, filling 3/4 full. Bake in moderately hot oven (425° F) 25 minutes or until done. Make gravy with meat drippings, and serve over muffins. Serves 6.

Surprise Muffins are a treat for a special breakfast. Break them open for the surprise inside. Spoon muffin batter into well greased muffin pans; place 1/2 teaspoon jam or jelly on top. Bake in a moderately hot oven (425° F) 20 minutes. Makes 12 muffins.

Tomato Biscuits give flavor and color to old standbys. Simply use tomato juice instead of milk in a standard baking powder biscuit recipe. A few caraway seeds sprinkled on top of the biscuits add flavor interest too.

Supper Rolls—Place 1/4 cup shortening; 1 teaspoon salt and 2 tablespoons sugar into large bowl and add 1 1/4 cups lukewarm water; stir well. Stir in one beaten egg and one cake fresh yeast crumbled. Add 3 1/2 cups sifted all-purpose flour all at once and beat with fork to make a soft dough. Spoon batter into well-greased muffin pans, filling half full. Cover with a damp cloth and let rise about 1 hour, or until light. Bake in moderately hot oven (425° F) 20 minutes or until lightly browned. Makes 18 rolls.

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Cabbage	Crispy, solid heads	LB. 8c
No. 1 Onions	Sweet Spanish.	10-lb. bag 65c
Parsnips	Very healthful	LB. 10c
Sweet Potatoes	Uniform sizes	LB. 10c
Rutabagas	Try them mashed	LB. 6c
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Turnips	Tasty in stews	LB. 8c
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Tomato Juice

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SALVAGE GROUP GIVEN CITATION FOR WAR EFFORT

A citation for meritorious service in connection with salvage work during the war has been received by the Jackson county salvage committee. The award, presented through the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce, reads "In acknowledgement of meritorious service rendered on behalf of the national war salvage program, this citation is awarded to the Jackson County Salvage committee."

The award was signed by J. C. Krug, chairman of the war production board.

Last chairman of the salvage committee was R. A. Duff and others who have served as chairmen are Wayne Jamison, now in the army, Henry Zacharisen and A. S. Cummins. Duff stated that E. H. Hedrick of Medford and C. R. Bowman and George M. Green of Ashland, as well as scores of other persons, had rendered great service in connection with the various salvage drives during the war.

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