Nebraska crop outlook is good

LINCOLN (UPI)—Winter wheat harvesting made fair progress during the past few days and is ahead of last year and the average, according to the State-Federal Division of Agricultural Statistics.

Three-fourths of the crop will be combined by Saturday. Cutting is nearly done in the eastern part of the state and most current activity is in the central and southwestern districts

Operations are now underway along the northern border and are beginning in the Panhandle area.

The yield and quality of the harvest are varied, due primarily to black stem rust and hail

The oats harvest is nearly one-third complete.

Corn Doing Well

Corn is making good to excellent progress as weather conditions have been ideal for plant growth About 14 per cent of the crop is tasseled Some wet fields are still weedy, due to the inability to cultivate or spray them

Corn rootworm continues to be widespread with some heavy damage being done

Milo also benefited from the warmer weather and some is now heading in eastern counties

Soybeans are progressing nicely with a prospect for a good crop Dry beans are also showing good development, but some late-planted fields in the Panhandle area will need a late frost if the crop is to mature

Pond recreation provisions dropped

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The new farm bill, approved last week by the House Agriculture Committee, dropped out one of the administration's major recreation proposals — a proposed amendment to the Watershed Development Law

This would have allowed the U.S Department of Agriculture to help local groups develop recreation facilities around ponds and reservoirs in watershed projects

But several other plans for expanding recreation facilities in rural areas are still alive in the new bill One is an amendment authorizing loans to individual farmers who want to develop profit-making recreation facilities on their farms.

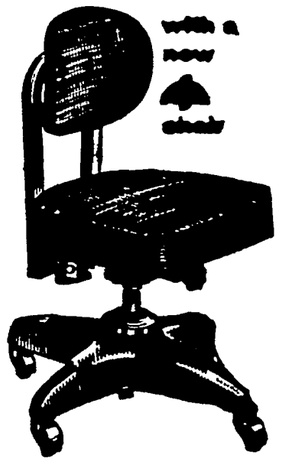
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Mr & Mrs Fred Clark were callers at the William Fritz home in Omaha Saturday, to see the Dale Dickerson family of Billings, Mont., who are house guests there.

Lloyd and Carol Hickey are spending this week with their grandparents, Mr & Mrs Cloyd Hickey

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It's Good To Be Back

It's good to be back in Otoe County again after an enjoyable, but busy three weeks at Colorado State University, Fort Collins Settling down to the old grind and digging out is taking some effort. With a little patience and perserverance, I'm gradually scrambling out and soon should have my head above water again

Colorado is a fine place The Rocky Mountains with its vast waste areas seem to make up for what the state lacks in many other respects They provide water resources to irrigate part of their somewhat limited croplands. And the mountain air is invigorating

CSU has many new buildings and is in the midst of quite an extensive building program The University located at the foot of the towering mountains has an idea setting, perhaps more so for the vacation minded than the studious But we were kept busy, and it was difficult to find much time to enjoy the vacationland

The students at the Regional Extension Summer School represented 39 states and eleven foreign countries This in itself provided an educational opportunity We find that extension work is quite similar in all the states and foreign countries represented It was interesting to exchange ideas and learn of the work other agents are doing

For example Marvin Miller of Riverside California is one of a staff of 16 agents in his county He works only with citrus fruit production Mary, a Home Economist from Iran, establishes and cares for her own demonstration vegetable garden In this way she can teach her people how to raise and prepare their own food, thus improving their generally vitamin deficient diets

In Brazil the counterpart to 4-H is 4-S This meaning is the same, head heart hands, and health Ed, the County Agent from Nevada, lives in Las Vegas The county cotton allotment is over 3500 acres The total for the state is only 3600 acres He says their economy thrives on the resources from other states Nebraska was represented by 21 county agents, and we we honored by having our own Roy Stokler of Madison elected president of the summer school. The election was a cinch, Texas was solid in our support M W H.

Angus Breeders Will Hold Field Day

Everything is "go" for the Angus Field Day at Syracuse on July 25 The Southeast Nebraska Angus Breeders will sponsor the event which is open to the public The program will begin at 1 00 p m. at the Otoe County Fairgrounds

The program will consist of judging contests for young and old, a type demonstration, fitting and showing demonstrators, and an Angus Heifer show

4-H and FFA members can exhibit their Angus Breeding Heifer project animals, registered or grade To qualify the animal must have been born in 1961

This will be an opportunity for the whole family to sharpen upon their beef judging Prizes for all competition will be provided by the Angus Association. M W.H.

Tractor Power and Safety Day

A full program starting at 9 00 a m is planned for Tractor Power and Safety day at Ag College on July 26 Included, among other things will be information and demonstration on corn rootworm control, the Nebraska Till-Plant System, and automatum in feed handling and processing

Drive to Lincoln on the 26th and learn about the latest in Ag Engineering M W H

Resistant Corn Root Worm Has Spread To All Parts of Nebraska

What we have feared has happened We find the resistant corn root worm has invaded all areas of Nebraska this year

Aldrin and Heptachlor has been ineffective in rootworm control on many farms this year This has been brought to my attention this past week

On Thursday Bob Roselle, Extension Entomologist from the University visited the county to check-out some of the rootworm infestations We visited three farms southwest of Syracuse to find Aldrin treated fields heavily invested

It appears now that the newer chemical Diazinon will be the more reliable treatment for next year We can not be sure of the cost of treatment, but we know it will be considerably higher than the previously used chemicals

Where infestations are severe, it can cause great damage to the corn crop Aside from using chemical treatment, farmers can reduce losses by using a rotation which does not require corn to follow corn Milo or soybeans planted on ground previously in corn will not likely be affected by the rootworms

Infested fields can still make fair yields if ample moisture is available, however we can expect considerable lodging If the adult insects are damaging the silks enough to interfere with pollination in August it may be a good practice to spray for the beetles then M W H.

Double Identity

What vegetable isn't really a vegetable? If you answered "cucumber" you're 100 per right Cucumbers are technically a fruit of the melon family But everyone thinks of them as vegetables

A vegetable expert claims that cucumbers are best eaten out of the hand, but you may prefer them sliced or diced in salads They're perfect for summer time menus when served with only sour cream or a sweet sour dressing Besides lending their cool crisp texture to salads, cucumbers are popular pickled, and can be stewed or baked

Here's another way to serve cucumbers It's called Cucumber Shell Surprise First hollow out a small raw cucumber cut in half length wise Dice the cucumber meat, add chopped tomato, chopped pepper and finely grated onion and sour cream flavored with dill seed Chill this mixture thoroughly and then fill the cucumber shells The filled shells can be served alone or on lettuce leaves

Nice cucumbers are technically melons they should be cared for as you would a melon M.S

Surprise Corn

Peel the husks like you'd peel a banana without detaching the husk from the cob, and remove the silk Soak the ears in water for 30 minutes then drain Brush with melted butter or margarine, sprinkle with salt and pepper and wrap in bacon strips Roll the husks back over the kernels smoothing down the ends and wrap each ear in heavy-weight aluminum foil Cook on the hot coals, turning once, for 10 to 15 minutes until tender M S

4-H NEWS NOTES

Stylish Homemakers

Mrs Sarah Wachter was special guest at the 6th meeting of the Stylish Homemakers at the home of Ina Genuchi on July 6 1962 The president Jeanie Beecham called the meeting to order

The Let's Cook group made lemonade and also oatmeal cookies The Beginning Baking group made cinnamon drop cookies. Junior Leader, Margaret Beecham showed the Let's Sew group how to make a quick trick skirt Mrs Beecham showed the School Clothes group how to fit and adjust a pattern They also discussed choosing accessories. A delicious lunch was served by Mrs Genuchi. News reporter, Maureen Malone.

Singer Sally's

The Singer Sally's met July 10 at the Methodist Church basement. Vice President Marcia Boettcher opened the meeting with 9 members and a visitor present. We answered roll call by telling what we had accomplished in our projects. In our business meeting we made plans for the song contest, 4-H camp, booth and float. There were two demonstrations. Emma Snyder gave one on How to make and treat a dust cloth, Eleta Snyder gave one on "Helpful Hints when Working with Plaids." Then we practiced for the song contest. Lunch was served by Nancy and Marlene Gartner News reporter, Emma Snyder

Southeast Boosters

Important events coming up in 4-H were discussed at the Southeast Booster's 4-H meeting which was held July 9 at 8 00 at the Elmer Guhde home

The 4-H camp at Peru and the Health Clinic at Syracuse were explained to the members

The members are to check their tatoo numbers with their leader and record books are to be brought up to date

Mrs Daniel Baltensperger and Mrs Elmer Guhde served refreshments at the close of the meeting News reporter Ted Lyon

$35 million in border dispute

EL PASO Tex (UPI)— Mayor Ralph Seitsinger said Tuesday that American property owners in El Paso will get about $35 million indemnity in the settlement of a border dispute between the U S and Mexico

He said he has been told of plans for changes in the U S Mexico boundary bu. could not disclose them at this time

"The new boundary will provide a beautiful new frontier for El Paso and the United States," Seitsinger said

President Kennedy and Mexican President Adolfo Lopez Mateos discussed the question during Kennedy's visit to Mexico June 29-July 1 The United States promised to press for an amicable settlement

Iowa young man enlists in Navy

Don K Toay son of Mr and Mrs Don C Toay of rural Randolph Iowa has enlisted in the United States Navy according to local Navy recruiter, Chief Kermit A Robinson

Don enlisted on a minority enlistment whereby he will be discharged the day before his 21st birthday He is a 1962 graduate of Farragut high school and has enlisted under the Navy's high school airman program, by which he will be sent to a service school after recruit training in San Diego Don left for San Diego Monday evening and will be home on recruit leave when he finishes training there

Car fire – Firemen found the fire extinguished when they arrived a 520 South 13th street late Tuesday It was a car fire

The buck ends here . . . .

By Ivan D.E.B.

Despite widespread publicity given the importance of seat belts in cars, the promotion will never really be successful until fun loving Americans are forced by law to install belts.

One of the freedoms Americans cherish is telling anyone who comes up with an idea — which may be for our own good — to go to blazes

You couldn't get a jet pilot to land his aircraft without shoulder straps and seat belts He knows how important those straps are to his safety The same applies to race car drivers They know

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But the average petrol burning driver on highways doesn't want to fool with belts, unless he has a particular interest in safety.

The seat belt clinic will be Sunday, at the Hinky Dinky parking lot Each belt costs $6 installed You can't pin down the date and place you might need safety belts any more than you can name the date you are going to have an accident

It seems reasonable then, to assume that a driver and his passengers must always be ready You may install seat belts and drive the rest of your life and never have an accident but then you just don't know

It might be good advice to ask the fellow that has them, then decide for yourself

Once again vacation time is approaching for our family Last year we painted the house this year we are going to visit relatives in New York City and visit Washington, D C It'll be a whirlwind trip from the last of this month and for about two weeks in August, but our family enjoys traveling

Oh yes, we are having four seat belts installed in the flivver

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Becci, seven-year-old daughter of Mayor and Mrs Bill V Dawson, when asked what her daddy does as Mayor of Nebraska City said

I don't know he just comes home later at nights"

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George Rowe is too modest to admit this but the Steam Wagon celebration to be held Sunday at John Brown park was initiated by him with the assistance of Glenn Noble

That observance will be well worth attending Understand that huge old time threshing machine on the property owned by Calvin Wilhelm will be taken out of the building and fired up for the celebration

As a contrast Nebraska City implement dealers will display modern farm machinery It ought to be a fine exposition Machinery will be located on the south side of No 2.

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Better plan on a bust Sunday It will be Sabin Oral Sunday when for 25 cents you can get anti-polio vaccine on a sugar cube it will be safety belt day and it will also be a big day with the Steam Wagon events

Better take along a fried chicken dinner and have a family picnic at one of the city parks



SURPRISE VISIT — President Kennedy greets S. Sgt. Roland F. Miller, Worcester, Mass., during surprise visit to Andrews Air Force Base, Md., to welcome home from Germany the first group of reservists slated for discharge.

Death car driver to face charges

OMAHA (UPI)— A charge of motor vehicle homicide will be filed against Michael Sullivan, 24, Omaha, in connection with an accident last week in which a Fremont man was killed, Douglas County authorities said Tuesday

A car driven by Sullivan and one driven by Paul Hosch, 44, Fremont were involved in a collision Thursday on the northwest outskirts of Omaha

Sullivan is accused of running a stop sign and hitting the Hosch car broadside He said he stopped at the intersection before entering it, but county authorities said his car laid down 17 feet of skid marks

Area students are outstanding

Several University of Nebraska students from this area made outstanding grades during the second semester

A perfect grade is 9 000 for 12 hours or more

Stephen P Davis Syracuse, posthad a grade between 8 199 and

Helen J James Nebraska City, had a grade between 8 199 and 8 000

David A Lindsey Nehawka, had a grade between 8 099 and 8 000

One student, David Kittams, Omaha received a perfect 9 000 grade for the second consecutive semester He is a pre-med student Eleven students received perfect grades for the second semester.

Pet parade winners

PLATTSMOUTH — Jodi 4 and Tommy, 9, were first place winners in the Pet Parade a feature of the Sweet 16 Coronation here They are the children of Mr and Mrs Cecil McKnight.

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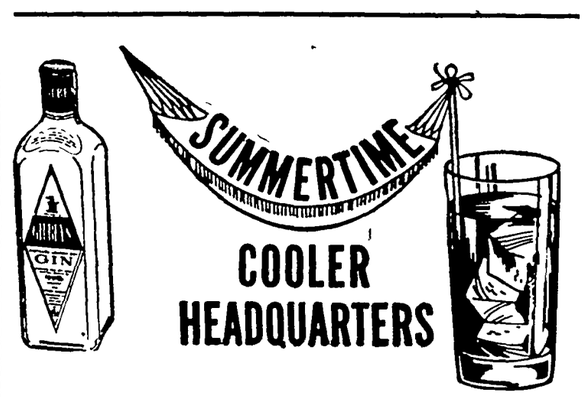
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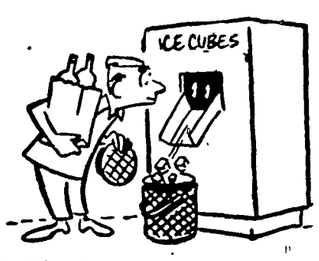
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