Farm exports to continue strong

ON THE FARM FRONT
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WASHINGTON (UPI) — The Agriculture Department said today general indications were that exports of farm products in 1961-62 would continue at or near the high level of 1960-61.

Farm exports for the first two months of fiscal 1962 were 9 per cent larger than in July and August of last year. The farm exports in the first two months of the new fiscal year totaled $745 million. This compared with $686 million in the same period a year ago.

Increases were mainly in wheat, cotton, tobacco and livestock products. Exports of feed grains, rice, soybeans, cottonseed and soybeans oils registered the principal declines. Exports of fruits, vegetables and preparations showed relatively little change.

FAS said Japan now has the top foreign market for U S farm products. Japan replaced the United Kingdom as the No 1 overseas market of American farmers. Exports of farm products to Japan increased to $553 million in fiscal 1960-61 from $441 million a year earlier. Exports to the United Kingdom fell to $466 million in 1960 61 from $474 million in the previous year There were substantial gains in exports to Canada, India, Poland, Spain, Pakistan, Philippines anf Taiwan

FAS said Japan now has the the trade policies of the Common Market contributed to the export decline to West Germany, the Netherlands, France and Belgium

Exports to Venezuela declined somewhat in 1960-61 because of its worsened balance of payments position due to reduced oil sales

Agricultural imports in fiscal 1960-61 at $3.64 billion were 9 per cent below the previous year and the smallest in 11 years FAS said the decrease, to a large extent, was due to the slowdown in U.S. business activity. The decline was about equally divided between supplementary (somewhat competitive) and complementary (non-competitive) items

The supplementary imports which declined in fiscal 1960-61 included dutiable cattle, beef, hides and skins, apparel wool, cane sugar and vegetable oils Slight gains were noted for cheese, pork, cotton, and tobacco

Complementary imports which declined included rubber, coffee, spices, carpet wool, bananas, and tea. Gains were recorded in cocoa beans.

Caries is called a disease of childhood —it is a medical name for tooth cavities

DOUGLAS
Mrs. Raymond Ullsperger

Mr & Mrs Neil Loper of Shreveport, La., former Douglas residents, are house guests of Mr & Mrs Harry Zech

Mr Loper was presented his 50 year membership pin at the Cubit Masonic Lodge, Thursday evening

Mr & Mrs LaMoine Brownlee and Linda, Lincoln, Mr & Mrs Don Brownlee and Kenny Hartman were recent dinner guests of Mrs Sam Brownlee

Recent guests of Mr & Mrs Tom Edwards were Mr & Mrs Ryland Forrester of Lincoln.

Mr & Mrs Russell Schroeder of Ashland, were recent visitors of Mrs Maude Dughman and Mrs Ruth Hannan

Mr & Mrs Clyde Mayes, Mrs Bertha Rusch, Tom Pound and Mrs Ruth Smith are visiting Mr & Mrs Byron Stilwell in High Rolls, N M.

Mr & Mrs Jim Phillips and Mr & Mrs Gerald Phillips of Lincoln were recent callers of Mr & Mrs August Behrens

The first meeting of the Douglas P TA will be September 18 at the school The program will be presented by the 4-H clubs of Douglas

M & Ms Lee Phelps are vacationing in Minnesota

Attending a family reunion at Pawnee park in Columbus recently were Mr & Mrs Charles Bargstadt, Mr & Mrs Francis Callahan, and Mr & Mrs Ralph Patton, Douglas, Mr & Mrs Don Washburn, Memphis, Mr & Mrs Raymond Klug, Fremont, Mr & Mrs Edgar Herbolshiemer and Mr & Mrs Lester Bargstadt of Pierce, and Mrs Chris Jorgensen of Belden

Mr & Mrs Raymond Ullsperger and daughters, Mrs Herman De-Roe and Cheryl, and Mrs Mathilda Ullsperger attended the Volkmer-Kreifels wedding in Julian

Dinner guests of Mr & Mrs Ralph Allen recently were Mr & Mrs Luther Watson, Brownville, Mr & Mrs Roy Watson, Lincoln, and Mr & Mrs Bill Allen and Cheri

Guests at the Harry Zech home for a family dinner were Mr & Mrs Donald Plympton and family, San Diego Calif Mr & Mrs Harley Zech, Mr & Mrs Harold Zech and Mr & Mrs Norman Brunner of Lincoln and Mr & Mrs Arthur Zech and family

Mr & Mrs Hughes Pettit and daughters from Burrock, Kan., were recent guests of Mr & Mrs Joe Campbell

Mrs Katie Beetem was taken to the Syracuse hospital Sunday evening following a heart attack at her home Marilyn Kressly had an appendectomy Tuesday afternoon at the Syracuse hospital

Mr & Mrs Harold Hull are the parents of a daughter, Jeanie Lea born September 21 at the Syracuse hospital Grandparents are Mr & Mrs Dale Stubbendick and Mr & Mrs Norman Hull.

Mr & Mrs Eugene Way of Lincoln, were recent overnight guests of Mr & Mrs Joe Campbell.

Mr & Mrs Bill White of Milford, are the parents of a daughter born September 14 at the Seward hospital Grandparents are Mr & Mrs Dell Hunt and Mr & Mrs Gerald White of Douglas.

The buck ends here ....
By Ivan D.E.B.

Captain Don Shearer, head of the State Safety Patrol in this area, said the other day in Nebraska City that the late State Trooper Raymond Koerber was "one of the best officers we have He didn't have an enemy in the world."

The captain spoke with affection toward a 14-year veteran of the Safety Patrol Nebraska has 187 state officers

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Officer Koerber was killed in the line of duty He was pursuing a speeder when his car collided with a car and a truck. He didn't get his man, but Nebraska City officers got the man for him

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It must take a lot of patience to be a law enforcement officer, patrol the highways 10 hours a day, choke down smart remarks while issuing a ticket to a motorist who really was going 80 instead of 65 m p h, as he said and who decides that the officer is a servant of the public and he should not bother a motorist who didn't mean to break the speeding law

The toughest part yet must be to live in a small community and have friends and at the same time crack the law whip now and then

but Ray did it and he did it with ease

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He liked his job and loved his family He liked Nebraska City and was active in his church He particularly liked to have a cuppa coffee with the fellas and he liked to josh

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Not just Nebraska City, but law enforcement in general miss him When Sheriff Ralph Hall was hospitalized, it was Ray who made it an extra point to check with the sheriff's office and offer his service

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He believed it was his duty to run down a speeder and he gave his life in an effort to make our highways safer

New You Know
By United Press International

Babe Ruth hit 59 home runs in 1921, a feat that was forgotten until this year

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Mrs. Rachel Walch

The Burr Ropers 4-H club held the last meeting at the Hope Lutheran church recently Dennis Beckman received a blue ribbon on his rope board at the state fair Visitors were Mrs Elmer Thormahlen and Roger and Karen An organizational meeting is planned for October 10 at the Hope Lutheran church.

Mr & Mrs Ernest Eisenhauer report the arrival of their new grandson, David Dean Damme to Mr & Mrs Larry Damme, (Janet Eisenhauer), Monticello, Iowa on September 13 Other grandparents are Mr & Mrs Elmer Damme of Cook Great-grandparents are Mr & Mrs W K Beckman, Sterling Mrs Eisenhauer is in Monticello where she will spend a week at the Damme home The Damme s have two daughters, Jackie and Amy

Mr & Mrs P T Hofeling and Mrs Nettie Hofeling of Beatrice were Thursday evening supper guests of Mr & Mrs Merlan Pieper

Mrs Ruth Smith who accompanied relatives from Douglas on a trip to New Mexico to visit relatives and a sight seeing trip returned home last week

Mr & Mrs Reinhart Kruse of Lincoln spent Saturday afternoon at the Otto Kruse home

South Branch Precinct drive for funds for the Otoe County Retarded Children Association will be held open for cash donations continuing this week and can be given to Mrs Rachel Walch, chairman.

The bake sale held Saturday netted $82 Assisting with sale Saturday were Mmes. Earl Wendeln, Lena Bleifernich, Elmer Thormahlen, Erwin Stuthelt, Dick Lubben and Albert Walch

Junior Lutheran teachers Mmes Irene Dierking Irene Eisenhauer Lois Wellman and Pastor Fredrick Hermanns attended the church workers Institute at the Martin Lutheran church in Auburn Sunday Pastor Hermanns was one of the instructors at the Institute.

Saturday dinner and overnight guests of Mrs Lena Bleifernich were Mr & Mrs Ben Spanjer of Hickman

Sunday afternoon and lunch guests of Mrs Dena Powell and family were Mr & Mrs Robert Livingston and family of Omaha, Mr & Mrs Ivan Plymton of Millard Other guests were from Dunbar, Cook and Burr

Mr & Mrs Ernest Biere and family and Carol and Johnny Clark of Lincoln were visitors of the Dick Lubbens Sunday afternoon

Mrs Lunc.nda Kissinger accompanied Mr & Mrs LeRoy Smith and family of Cheney to Grand Island Sunday where they spent the day visiting her daughter, and family, Mr & Mrs Charles Herbst

Mrs Fanny McGaugh and Dot attended the Parker-Morehouse reunion at the park in Marysville Kan., Sunday Others there were from Syracuse Palmyra and towns in Kansas Other visitors at the McGaugh home were Mr & Mrs Norman Dirks Sterling and Mr & Mrs Gayland McGaugh and family of Cook

Mrs Ned Snyder of Nehawka Mrs Elmer Schulte of Syracuse and Mrs Elmer Moss entertained at a miscellaneous shower Sunday afternoon at Hope Lutheran church honoring Mrs Duane Hoemann of Lincoln Guests from Auburn, Sterling Douglas, Nebraska City Dunbar and Fremont

Sunday dinner guests of Mr & Mrs Irving Schulte were Mr & Mrs Duane Hoemann, of Lincoln Mr & Mrs Otto Wusk of Sterling and Miss Barbara Schulte of Fremont who was home for the week end

Mr & Mrs Clarence Whitehead Jr went to Auburn Saturday evening to attend the wedding and reception of his cousin Miss Janet Yeklin of Auburn and Stan Knipplemeyer of Johnson at the Martin Luther church The Whiteheads and the Darrel Evans family attended the auto races at Capitol Beach in Lincoln

Mr & Mrs Rex Carmichael and Janice and Jerry were Sunday dinner and lunch guests of Mr & Mrs John Buchanan in Lincoln

Girl Scout News

Girl Scout Troop 211 will meet Wednesday afternoon after school at Girl Scout Little House Memorial Building This will be the first meeting this fall

Leaders are Mrs Eugene Schreiner and Mrs C M Landis Jr

Members of the troop are Patty Boerner Linda Adams Diane Agee Marla Chamberlain Linda Chapin Bernadette Collins Margaret Gawart Karen McCord Phyllis McCreary Cindy Sackles, Linda Schreiner, Janet Siercks and Kathy Tonsing

Treating water is city's right

DES MOINES (UPI)—The Iowa Supreme Court today reversed a lower court decision and held that the City of Council Bluffs had the right to add fluoride to city water

The high court said the adding of fluoride to the water was not an invasion of personal liberty but a proper exercise of the police power

The ruling reversed a decision handed down by Pottawattamie District Court Judge R Kent Martin

The Supreme Court ruled that the city's decision to add fluoride to the water was deemed to be a health measure and "the matter of public health is a proper subject of police power"

"There is no prohibition against a health measure that aids a segment of the whole population (the children whose teeth will be benefitted) rather than the whole population" the high court ruling said

Omahan convicted of manslaughter

OMAHA (UPI) — A slaying touched off by an argument over a 25-cent loss in a dice game led to a manslaughter conviction Tuesday for Alonzo Kimbrough 37 Omaha

Kimbrough was convicted after a two-day trial in District Court He was charged with shooting Charles Johnson, 43, in front of Kimbrough's home.

Gag, postal rate hikes laid aside

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The adjournment-bent Congress Tuesday killed a proposal to impose tighter curbs on Senate filibusters and scuttled a presidential request to raise postal rates

The Senate shelved the filibuster proposal shortly after it refused to shut off debate on the issue It was tabled by a 46-35 vote on a motion by Senate Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield, Mont

Almost at the same time, Democratic House leaders announced they have abandoned efforts to win approval this year of a five-cent letter and other postal rate hikes sought by President Kennedy

Mansfield tried to invoke the current rule to impose "cloture" on debate over the new proposal, which would have permitted three fifths of the senators present to shut off debate

But he was unable to muster the two-thirds majority required under the present rule which has been under continuing attack as a bar to civil rights legislation

The vote on the cloture motion was 37-43, 17 short of the two-thirds required despite support from leaders of both parties.

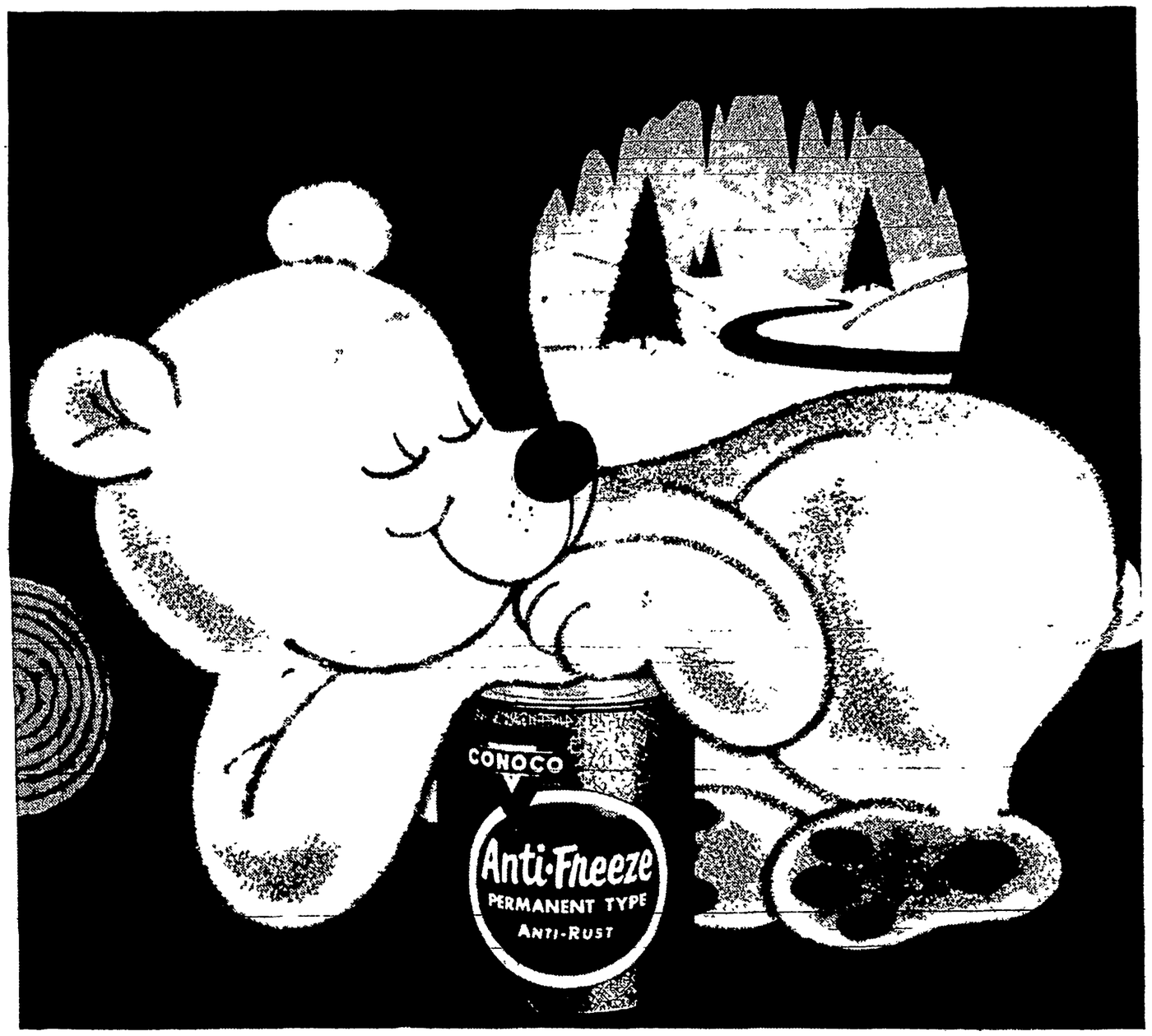
The postal rate announcement means that Kennedy now faces a possible budget deficit of $6 billion or more for his first full fiscal year in the White House

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