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Growers intentions as of 31,000 acres, the same as last



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acres, the same as March 1 indicate that acreage year Phis crop which is Grain Program , but about 6 per for harvest in 1962 will be known as Pennsylvania Scedleat, Type 11, is classified as Deadline Nears Cigar Filler, and is used exclusively for cigar manufacturing

> Acreage harvested at this level will be 6 percent above the 1951-60 average but is well below the record Historic records beginning immediately after the Civil War show range in that period with a years acreage was at a low of grain program 23,700 in 1952 and a high of 37,300 acres in 1950.

on the 1957-61 average are attained, a crop of 513 million pounds will be produced. This would be 4 percent below the 1961 (rop but 8 percent above the 1951-60 average

Glowers intentions to the 1962 crop are subject to change depending on the fictors of weather at planting time and changes in glowers plans between March 1 and than the minimum actual planting time

m sovbean acreage is expected a partial rebound from last years low Based on recent years' utilization, much of this will go into hay and silage

Intended acreage to be harvested for all hay at 2,078 000 is off 1 per cent from 1961 and 7 per cent under the 10year average Changing torage crop practices may account tor much of this reduction.

Soil moisture in most areas of the Commonweolth is well below average due to precipitation less than normal during February and excessive runoff because of deep trost penetration.

Acreage actually planted in the Keystone State may be larger or smaller than reported intentions by reasons of weather conditions, piece changes, labor supply, financial conditions, the agricultural program, or the effect of this report itself upon farmers' actions

"thinking it over" about participating in the 1962 feed grain program were urged today not to delay any longer, The signup period extends only through March 30

Fred G Schomridge Chauacreage in the 3-1000 acre, man of the Lancaster County Agricultural Stabilization and steadily increasing trend until Conservation Committee reat the turn of the century har- poits that farmer interest is vested acreage stood at 27,- high in Lancaster County the 000 The record for harvested State as well as throughout acres was set in 1918 with a the country generally. Indicatotal of 19,000. Thereafter a tions are that 1962 participalow of 18,000 acres was 10- tion will run well ahead of corded in 1934. In the past 20 that under last year's feed

Farmers who take part in the feed grain program inst If the 1962 crop intentions file an intention-to-participate materialize and yields based form in the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service Office indicating the number of corn and grain sorghum acres they intend to divert from production into a soil-conserving use The minimum diversion is 20 percent of the farm's base acreage but many farmers are indicating their intention to divert more

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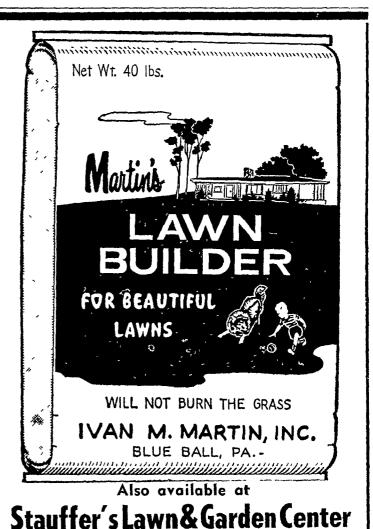
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