National Grain Summary St. Joseph, Mo. Wednesday, June 6, 1990

USDA DAILY NATIONAL GRAIN MARKET SUMMARY WHEAT PRICES LOWER AGAIN, ESPECIALLY FOR HARD RED WINTER. WHEAT MATU-RATION ACROSS THE AREA LOOK-ING VERY GOOD. KANSAS REPORTED 90 PERCENT OF WHEAT CROP IS GOOD TO EXCELLENT, WHILE 10 PERCENT IS FAIR OR POOR. THIS YEAR'S CROP COULD BE A RECORD YEAR. CORN PRICES ADVANCED, SUPPORTED BY WET WEATHER DELAYS IN PLANTING AND AS TIME IS RUNNING OUT, MANY FIELDS WILL END UP SORG-HUM OR SOYBEANS. GOOD EXPORT DEMAND ALSO A FACTOR. SOY-BEAN PRICES SLIGHTLY HIGHER DUE TO IMPROVED FOREIGN DEMAND.

UNITED STATES...A GENERALLY OPEN WEATHER WEEK PREVAILED ACROSS THE WESTERN CORN BELT, ALLOWING ROW CROP PLANTING TO PROGRESS AND FIELDS TO BEGIN DRYING OUT. THE DELTA CONTINUED TO BE WETTER THAN NORMAL, LIMITING FIELDWORK TO **3 DAYS OR LESS. SOIL MOISTURE** WAS SURPLUS TO ADEQUATE IN THE CORN BELT AND EXCESSIVE IN SOME PARTS OF THE DELTA. RAIN WAS WIDESPREAD ACROSS THE NORTHERN GREAT PLAINS, NORTH-ERN ROCKIES, AND THE PACIFIC AND NORTHERN ATLANTIC STATES DUE TO WET AND COOL CONDI-TIONS. IN ALABAMA, GEORGIA,

AND SOUTH CAROLINA, WEATHER WAS GENERALLY SUITED TO FIELD-WORK AND SOIL MOISTURE WAS ADEQUATE TO SHORT. AMPLE RAINS FELL OVER PORTIONS OF CALIFORNIA AND TEXAS. FLORIDA HAD SCATTERED THUNDER-STORMS, WITH MOST AREAS RECEIVING SOME RAIN. USSR ... IN WESTERN USSR, UNSEASONABLY COOL WEATHER ACCOMPANIES WIDESPREAD LIGHT TO MODERATE PRECIPITATION, FAVORING CROP GROWTH. IN THE NEW LANDS, SPRING GRAIN PLANTING NEARS COMPLETION, HELPED BY GENER-ALLY DRY WEATHER. UNSEASO-NABLY WARM WEATHER FAVORS RAPID CROP EMERGENCE BUT INCREASES EVAPORATION RATES. EUROPE ... MODERATE TO HEAVY RAIN HELPS REDUCE DRYNESS IN MUCH OF THE BALKANS. COOL TEMPERATURES SLOW CROP GROWTH IN THE NORTH. SOUTH ASIA ... CONTINUING RAIN IN SOUTH-ERN, CENTRAL, AND EASTERN SUM-MER CROP AREAS IMPROVES PLANTING CONDITIONS. EASTERN ASIA...HEAVY RAIN CONTINUES IN SOUTHERN CHINA. RAIN IN NORTH-ERN AND EASTERN CROP AREAS BENEFITS WINTER AND SPRING CROPS. SOUTHEAST ASIA... EXCESSIVE RAIN CONTINUES ACROSS NORTHERN THAILAND. INUNDATING RAINS IN THE NORTH-WESTERN PHILIPPINES CAUSES SOME FLOODING. SOUTH AMERI-CA...SHOWERS MOISTEN TOPSOILS IN ARGENTINA FOR WHEAT PLANT-ING, BUT INUNDATING RAINS SOAKS SOUTHERN WHEAT AREAS OF SOUTH-CENTRAL BRAZIL. AUS-

TRALIA...RAIN , FAVORS WINTER GRAINS IN NEW SOUTH WALES AND WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

EXPORT NEWS: SOUTH KOREA'S NATIONAL LIVESTOCK COOPERA-TIVES FEDERATION BOUGHT 50,000 TONNES U.S. NO. 3 YELLOW CORN FOR AUGUST. TAIWAN BOUGHT 54,000 TONNES U.S. SOYBEANS FOR JULY/AUGUST SHIPMENT.

DATE CHANGE YEAR AGO 06/06/90 06/05/90 06/07/89 WHEAT: KANSAS CITY 3.59-3.64 DN 3 4.21-4.23 MIN-NEAPOLIS 3.90 1/2-3.97 1/2 DN 1 4.28 1/2-4.32 1/2 PORTLAND 3.54-3.57 UP 1-3 4.37-4.42 ST. LOUIS 3.22-3.27 DN 1-UP 1 3.68-3.76.

CORN, U.S. NO. 2 YELLOW: KAN-SAS CITY 2.73-2.77 UP 2 **2.51-2.56 MINNEAPOLIS 2.70 3/4 UP 1/2 2.57 1/4 SO

IOWA 2.76-2.80 NC-UP 1 2.60-2.63 OMAHA 2.62-2.63 UP 2 2.42-2.46.

SOYBEANS, NO. 1 YELLOW: KAN-SAS CITY 5.93-5.98 DN 2 7.19-7.21 MINNEAPOLIS 5.80 UP 1/4 7.07 SO. IOWA 5.82-5.87 NC 7.09-7.12 C. ILL. PROCESSORS 5.94-6.04 UP 1 7.11-7.20 1/2.

KANSAS CITY, US NO. 1 HARD RED WINTER WHEAT, ORDINARY PRO-TEIN. MINNEAPOLIS, US NO. 1 DARK NORTHERN SPRING WHEAT, 14% PROTEIN. PORTLAND, NO. 1 SOFT WHITE WHEAT, ST. LOUIS, NO. 2 SOFT RED WINTER WHEAT.

FUTURES CLOSE: KANSAS CITY (JULY) WHEAT 3.28 1/2 DN 3 4.05 MIN-NEAPOLIS (JULY) WHEAT 3.42 1/2 DN 1 3.98 1/2 CHICAGO (JULY) WHEAT 3.31 1/2 DN 1 3.82 (JULY) CORN 2.79 3/4 UP 1 1/2 2.57 1/4 (JULY) SOY-BEANS 5.94 UP 1 1/4 7.11.

EXPORT: BARGE OR RAIL, PORT

OF NEW ORLEANS OR NORTH TEX-AS GULF. NO. 1 HARD RED WINTER WHEAT ORDINARY PROTEIN 3.83 DN 1-7 4.47-4.51 NO. 2 SOFT RED WINTER WHEAT 3.51-3.57 DN 3-1 3.96-4.00 NO. 2 YELLOW CORN 3.03 UP 2-1 2.86 NO.2 YELLOW SORGHUM RAIL 4.91 UP 3 BARGE 4.96 UP 3 4.79-4.75 NO.2 YELLOW SOYBEANS 6.12-6.14 UP 3-2 7.39-7.40.

Greencastle Hay Market Hay & Straw

5/31/90 & 6/4/90 20 LOADS.

ALFALFA (FAIR): 80.00-107.00/TON. ALFALFA MIXED 90.00-96.00/TON TIMOTHY HAY: 60.00-98.00/TON. MIXED HAY: 55.00-75.00/TON. STRAW-BARLEY 37.50/TON.

> Westminster Hay Westminster, Md.

Tuesday, June 5, 1990

Report Supplied by Auction

- TOTAL LOADS: 28. ALFALFA: NEW 2.60 BALE, OLD
- 2.50 BALE. TIMOTHY: 92.50, 2.20-2.30 BALE.
- TIMOTHY MIX: 56.00, NEW 1.40 BALE.
- ORCHARD GRASS: 67.00, 1.20 BALE.

MULCH HAY: .65-1.00 BALE. STRAW: 47.00-162.00, 2.50-2.90 BALE.

Lancaster Farming, Saturday, June 9, 1990-A5

King's Hay Kirkwood, Pa. Tuesday, June 5, 1990 Report Supplied by Auction 18 LOADS OF HAY. ALFALFA AND ALFALFA MIX: 96.00-153.00. MIXED HAY: 82.00. GRASS HAY: 137.00. EAR CORN: 103.00. STRAW: 72.00-128.00.

Belleville Hay

Wednesday, June 6 Belleville, PA Report Supplied by Auction TOTAL LOADS: 19 LDS. HAY. MIXED HAY: 52.50-97.50. STRAW: 1 LOADS AT 60.00. EAR CORN: 5 AT 92.50-95.00.

Leinbach's Hay Shippensburg, PA

June 2 and 5 **Report Supplied by Auction** TOTAL LOADS: 35. ALFALFA: 63.00-102.00. MIXED HAY: 30.00-90.00. TIMOTHY: 56.00-107.00. ORCHARD GRASS: 45.00-60.00. EAR CORN: 84.00-88.00. MULCH HAY: 17.00-35.00.

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