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COLLECTIVE FARMS INCREASE

COLLECTIVE STOCK-RAISING IN BOSNIA -- Borba, No 122, 24 May 49

Thus far 75 breeding stations have been founded in Bosnia and Herzegovina, where stock-raising is one of the most important branches of the economy. Another 29 breeding stations are to be established during 1949.

Specific areas in this republic have been allocated for the raising of specific livestock, as areas have been designated for the culture of specific crops.

Collective stock farms have been founded in the following localities: in Bosnia and Herzegovina: Kalinevik, Gacko, Fojnica, Duvno, Glamoc, and Travnik. Modern methods of animal husbandry, especially artificial insemination, are practiced to a great extent on these farms. Dairying also is being developed there.

The state farms also are taking part in scientific stock-raising in addition to growing crops. Every farm workers' cooperative eventually will have its own breeding station.

Last year 12,500 ewes and 150 cows in Bosnia and Herzegovina were bred by artificial insemination. This year new centers for artificial insemination are to be opened. Skilled personnel will be trained in a course at the "Mladen Stojanovic" state farm.

INCREASED COLLECTIVIZATION IN CROATIA -- Borba, No 122, 24 May 49

According to the latest figures, there are now in Croatia 1,230 cooperatives, with a membership of more than 3¹/₂ million families and about 150,000 hectares of land, with over 16,500 horses, 18,400 cattle, 24,800 hogs, and 42,500 sheep. To date, 609 collective farms, with 29,142 hectares of land, 444 horses, 727 cattle, 1,096 hogs, and 3,329 sheep have been founded in Croatia, in addition to 85 fishing cooperatives with 2,650 members.

By the beginning of April 1949, there were at least two farm workers' cooperatives in every Croatian srez.

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