

Sale Cancelled Again

Lack of sufficient listings forced cancellation of the sale at the Lancaster Poultry Center for the second week in a row.

Only three lots of 11,300 broilers were listed by dead line date, and buyers were informed that there would be no auction on Thursday. Officers of the poultry exchange in making the listings public advised buyers to contact growers privately if they are interested in purchasing birds.

Several suggested reasons for the scattered listings were given by officials at the Poultry Center this week. Growers remembering the poor prices and reluctant bidding at the Christmas week sale last year were cautious about placing chicks to have them ready for the market at this time. Several of the larger independent growers and some of the contracting companies spaced their chick placements so as to have the larger runs between Thanksgiving and Christmas, and again after the first of the year.

It seemed to be the feeling at the Poultry Center that the ban on Capettes has probably had some effect on the market. Some growers apparently are feeding broilers a week or so longer than normal while keeping an eye on the movement of poultry prices. This reluctance to put birds on the market at normal weights might result in a build

up of heavier weight birds and bring about a lack of broilers several months from now.

The Poultry Center was closed on Christmas Day, and will be closed again on New Year's day, but there will be a sale at the regular time on Thursday, December 31.

Following are the three listings received at the Poultry Center this week:

Lot 1, Miller and Bushong (Robert Zeigler) 5000 White Vantress, 9 weeks 3 days.

Lot 2, Miller and Bushong, (Robert Zeigler) 5000 White Vantress, 9 weeks 3 days.

Lot 3, Ivan Z. Hoover, 13-00 White Vantress, 10 wks.

SECRETARY BENSON GRATEFUL FOR GOOD WISHES:

Thousands of good wishes have come to Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Taft Benson following his recent gall bladder operation. In acknowledging the messages, the Secretary said today from his home where he is recuperating:

"Words are inadequate to express my appreciation for the multitude of cards, letters and calls received from friends everywhere following

Delmarva - Georgia Holiday Slows Trading Action

Trading in the Delmarva area this week was dull and slow generally, though improved in some scattered instances. Most plants are not operating, or are operating on a limited schedule.

Live bird offerings at the Eastern Shore Poultry Growers Exchange were light, but fully adequate for the current needs.

Estimated slaughter for Thursday is 205,000 head. Prices reported for the 24 hour period up to 10 30 on Thursday ranged from 16 50 to 18 70 for 327,100 head.

Georgia market remains quiet as most of the plants have curtailed operations until after the holidays. Live offerings were not abundant, but ample for the limited needs. No sale was held on the Georgia Poultry Exchange on Wednesday, Thursday or Friday.

ing my hospitalization. Mrs. Benson and I are endeavoring to acknowledge these expressions, but it may not be possible to reach all my well-wishers personally. "I wish to take this opportunity, therefore, to express publicly my gratitude for their prayers and good wishes.

"And to everyone a most Merry Christmas and a rewarding New Year."

Weekly New York Egg Mkt.

From Monday, December 21st to Thursday, December 24th

Mon. Tues. Wed. Thurs. Fri.

Nearby Whites					
Ext. Fcy.					
Hywts	36 -	36 -	34 1/2 -	33 -	34 -
Med.	30 -	30 -	31 -	32 -	30 -
Pullets	24 -	24 -	25 -	26 -	25 -
P-wees	19 -20	19 -20	19 -20	19 -20	19 -20

Nearby Browns					
Ext. Fcy.					
Hywts	35 1/2 -36	34 -	34 -	33 1/2 -	34 -
Med.	29 -	29 -	29 -	29 -	29 -
Pullets	26 1/2 -	26 1/2 -	26 1/2 -	26 1/2 -	26 1/2 -
P-wees	19 -20	19 -20	19 -20	19 -20	19 -20

Midwestern Mixed					
Ext. Fcy.					
Hywts	31 -	31 -	31 -	31 -	31 -
Med.	28 -	28 -	28 -	28 -	28 -
Pullets	23 -	23 -	23 -	23 -	23 -
Stds.	28 1/2 -	28 1/2 -	28 1/2 -	28 1/2 -	28 1/2 -
Checks	24 -25	24 -25	24 -25	24 -25	24 -25

Midwestern Browns					
Ext. Fancy					
Hywts	32 -	32 -	32 -	32 -	32 -

Midwestern Whites					
Ext. Fcy.					
Hywts	31 -	31 -	31 -	31 -	31 -
Med.	27 -	28 -	28 -	28 -	28 -
Pullets	24 -	24 -	24 -	24 -	24 -

TREND: Market highly irregular with nearby large whites in surplus and nearby white mediums not supported at yesterday's advance. All Midwesterns well cleared.

Copyrighted 1958 By Urner-Barry Co.

See Our Want Ads For Bargains

PINE WOOD SHAVINGS OR KILN DRIED MIXED - FINE - MEDIUM FOR POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK BEDDING

CALL EXpress 4-5412
CONVENIENT — SANITARY — SERVICEABLE
Deliveries Made Over Two Tons
Trailer Load Prices, Bagged or Bulk

HAROLD B. ZOOK
220 Lampeter Road Lancaster, Pa.

CHAIN SAW SERVICE CENTER

New & Used
Snavely's Farm Service
NEW HOLLAND EL 4-2214

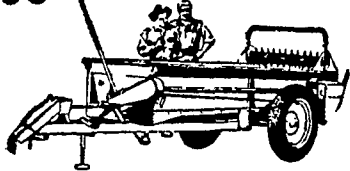
DEAD ANIMALS REMOVED PROMPTLY

Will Pay Full Value
For Dead Animals
Dealers in Bones, Tallow and Hides

FRY'S RENDERING WORKS

Prop., John Fry
2114 Hollinger RD.
Lancaster
Ph. EX 2-4815 If No Answer
Phone EX 7-0472

Bigger Loads -



Fewer Trips!

New Holland's 130-bushel Spreader can cut your trips as much as 50%!

This big, trip-saving PTO spreader automatically shreds the densest manure in any ground condition, can actually cut your trips to the field as much as 50%! Hook-up is so simple a boy can do it. Flared steel sides are built for rough power loading. Exclusive Uni-Lever Control gives you a choice of 4 apron speeds, lets you run beaters and apron right from the tractor seat with no throwback in cleanout.

Find out how much a big New Holland can save you right now!

L. H. Brubaker

350 Strasburg Pike - Lanc.
Lititz, R. D. 3
Ph. Lanc. EX 3-7607
Lititz MA 6-7766
Strasburg OV 7-6002

Buck Wheat Flour - Self-rising and Old Fashion - Dairy and Poultry concentrate - Altman's Dog Meal - Rabbit Pellets - Horse Feed - Dairy and Poultry Feeds.

Don't forget that Calf Starter Meal and Milk Replacer to give those calves a boost and watch 'em grow. - Fitting Ration - Special Chop.

Snow Shovels only \$2 95 - Rock Salt - Stock Salt.

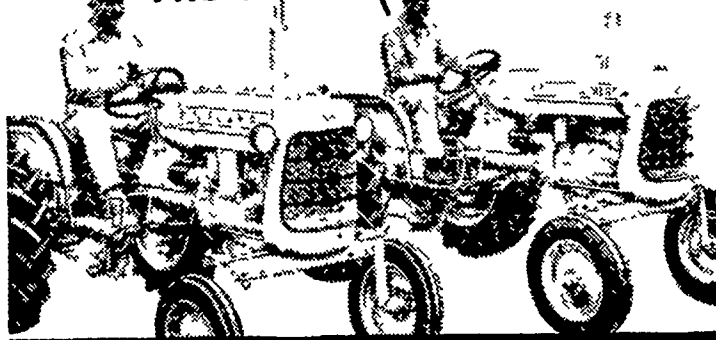
Prices subject to change

ALTMAN'S CASH FEED STORE

947 Harrisburg Pike Ph. Lanc. EX 4-7715
Willis H. Weaver, Mgr.

NEW! 2 PLOW POWER

D-10 **D-12**
1 ROW 2 ROW



Crop-Tailored for your farm

Work power like this has never been seen in tractors so compact in size. The new one-row D-10 and two-row D-12... with high-clearance styles in each... let you tailor a tractor to fit your particular specialty crop or type of farming. New POWER-CRATER engines... with a new kind of "throttled-down," high-torque power let you creep when needed... or really dig in to handle heavy loads. Let us show you today. Come in or call.

POWER-CRATER is an Allis-Chalmers trademark.

*Ask us about the Allis-Chalmers plan to finance your time purchase of farm equipment.

ALLIS-CHALMERS

SALES AND SERVICE
HAVE YOUR FARM MACHINERY SERVICED NOW!

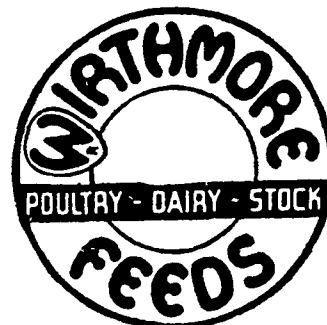
Mann & Grumelli Farm Serv. R. S. Weaver
Quarryville, Pa. Stevens, Pa.

L. H. Brubaker N. G. Myers & Son
Lititz, Pa. Rheems, Pa.

Snavely's Farm Service

New Holland, Pa.

L. H. Brubaker Nissley Farm Service
Lancaster, Pa. Washington Boro, Pa.



RESEARCH!

From this research comes the

NEW HI-ENER-G 16 LAYING MASH

7 1/2% More Efficient

Than The Present Formulation

This new formula will lower feed cost by about one cent per dozen — because increased efficiency means less feed per dozen eggs.

"EGGS for HEALTH"

See Us About This New Feed Today!

LeROY M. SENSENIG

HINKLETOWN

Ph. Ephrata RE 3-2009