

Best Food Buys

Weather Still A Food Factor

Unreasonably cold weather has plagued Eastern growing areas during the past week retarding growth and maturity of new crop asparagus and strawberries. Consumer demand for fresh vegetables has improved with the advent of the Spring season but with supplies rather tight prices have remained high.

Tom Piper, Penn State Extension Marketing Agent.

Fresh produce markets show little improvement although spinach, leafy greens, potatoes, parsley, radishes, large size onions and mushrooms at reasonably priced. New crops of lettuce are starting to market from several sections in California and Arizona. Quality is improved and lower prices are anticipated. Tomatoes and celery are in an improved supply situation as harvesting of the Ohio hothouse tomato crop is getting underway.

More attention is being given to strawberries and to prospects for 1962 deciduous crops now that the marketing of apples and Florida citrus is getting well along. Frosty weather has continually worried fruit growers but has caused very little damage to this date. Oranges, grapefruit, avocados and rhubarb are considered

good buys. Lemon harvest is quite heavy now and increased demand serves to hold prices steady.

A mixed assortment of meat items will appear in store ads this week-end including pork loin roasts, picnics and bacon, beef roasts and steaks. Poultry and turkeys are expected to continue steady in price but will receive promotional emphasis just before Memorial Day.

Crab meat, fish sticks and portions, poitons, scallops, sea bass, shad and whiting are the fishery products available in good supply during May. Canned salmon and frozen shrimp remain in short supply and this situation shows very little sign of improvement even though the new pack season is getting underway.

Eggs are in ample supply and lower in cost. Milk production has been averaging more than 2 percent above last year and lower prices are expected for all dairy products.

Decisions on buying machinery are among the most important and most difficult management problems a farmer faces, say university agricultural economists.

CLEAN SWEEP PUBLIC SALE

— Of —
DAIRY CATTLE AND FARM EQUIPMENT

Along road from Penn Hill to Fishing Creek, 1 mile east of Fishing Creek, 18 mile south of Lancaster, Drumore Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

JUNE 1, 1962
10:30 A.M.

42 HEAD of Dairy Cattle

34 Milk Cows of which 28 are Holsteins and 6 Guernsey's, 7 Holstein heifers and 1 young Holstein bull, 4/5 of the herd home raised. This is a fall bred herd. Bangs accredited and T.B. Certified, Charts furnished.

Farm Machinery

International 340 tractor with fast hitch, also cultivators with fast hitch, following equipment all John Deere: No. 45 Combine, 10 foot, with bin, A-1 Condition; J. D. 60 tractor, 2 bottom 16 inch mounted plow; J. D. No. 18 pulled behind corn picker, picked 35 acres; J. D. No. 8 Forage Harvester; corn and grass head; No. 14 T baler, 4 bar side delivery rake on rubber; mounted corn planter; No. 5 mower - 7 ft.; J. D. spring harrow; J. D. Killhefer disc; J. D. snow plow; Cobey cultipacker; 2 wagons with high sides and unloading unit; New Holland blower with pipe; Ontario 13 disc grain drill; Helix self-unloading 90 bushel grain cart; field sprayer; New Idea 12A manure spreader; 2,000 tobacco laths; tobacco cutters and spears; circular saw for tractor; baler twine; hog feeders and troughs; chicken equipment; cement mixer; wheel barrow; forks and shovels; 2 seamless Surge milkers and compressor, also 2 other Surge units; stainless steel strainer, straw, brood sow with 8 pigs. Practically all equipment new since 1958.

Many other articles too numerous to mention. Looking for good equipment and fall production — see you June 1

Terms by

Rodger E. Hartsoe

J. Everett Kreider & Carl Diller, Auctioneers.

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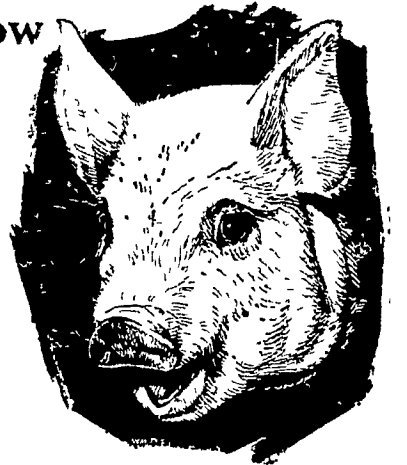
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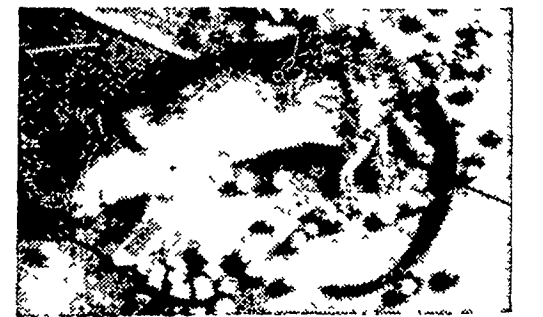
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