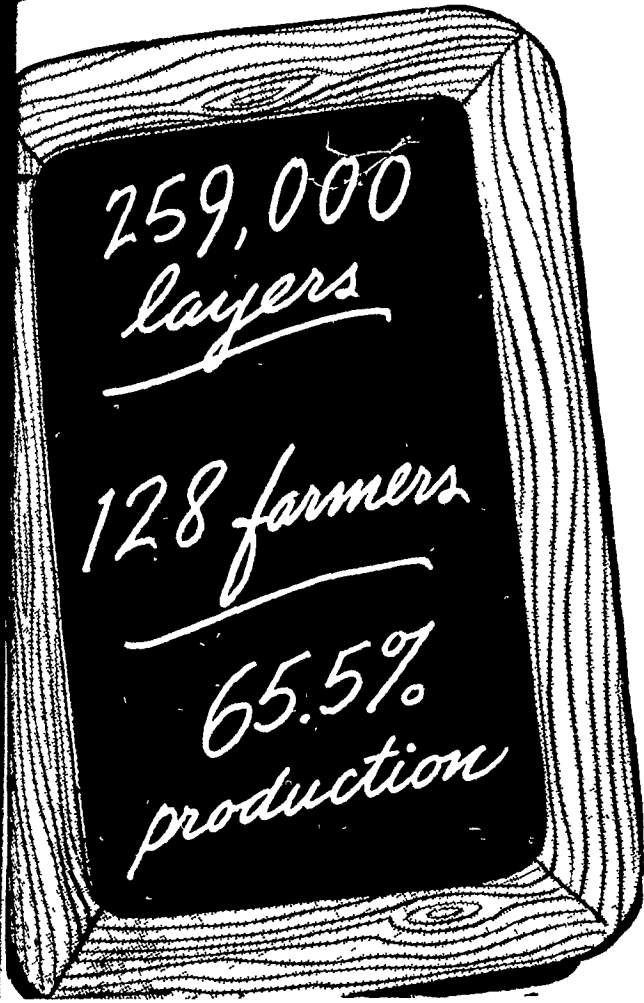


CHECKERBOARD

# service bulletin

## PROOF of Profitability . . NOT Chin Music



When you poultrymen see carefully-kept records on a quarter of a million hens, you know they are authentic — not just a flash in the pan. The Purina Company has just added up the record on 259 thousand layers kept on 128 Eastern farms

They averaged 65 5/8% production and made a dozen eggs on an average of 4.35 pounds of feed over a full 12 to 15 months of lay.

Many flocks had conversion records under 4 pounds of feed per dozen!

These are records from Eastern poultrymen just like you — and they prove once again that Purina feed efficiency does make low-cost production. Let us show you the complete records. Feed Purina yourself and prove to yourself Purina feeding costs you less.

### 97.2% Livability on One Million Chicks!

Just a few years back, you felt lucky when you got 97-98% livability. Now it's done often. Livability at the Purina Research Farm for the past 10 years has averaged 97.2% on over one million chicks! Healthy chicks, careful sanitation and good management are required to get good livability. We've worked hard to get you the best chicks and supplies we can find . . . to help you get top results. We feature Purina Chick Startena . . . a starter that's fully fortified with all vitamins and minerals chicks need all the time. Come see us!



### How To Help Prevent Mastitis

It pays to wash the udders of your cows with a solution of Purina Disinfectant just before you milk. Purina Disinfectant is a powerful disinfectant, deodorant, and sanitizer that kills all common disease-producing bacteria and viruses.

Disinfectant won't harm skin or corrode metal when used properly. Be sure to rinse teat cups in Disinfectant solution after each cow has been milked.

You can also use Purina Disinfectant to:

- Disinfect milking utensils, coolers, and separators
- Sanitize calf pens
- Deodorize and clean your barn and milkhouse

Stop by for a gallon of Purina Disinfectant when you're in town. Let our Checkerboard Store be "headquarters" for all your dairy sanitation needs.



To help prevent spread of mastitis, wash udders with a warm solution of Purina Disinfectant before putting on milking machine.

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### Best Food Buys

## Sixth of Food Dollar For Dairy

Another June has rolled around, which means the nation's dairy industry is once again directing special attention to their many wares. The array of products is wide, with a few new ones on the horizon. Americans are taking advantage of the situation by spending nearly a sixth of their food money for milk and dairy products, observes Tom Piper, Penn State extension Marketing Agent.

Eggs share the plentiful supply and economical price position with dairy products. Wholesale prices have dropped to a new low for the year and movement through trade channels has been slow.

Pork and poultry give promise of economical offerings at the meat counter this week-end. Fresh Pork picnic, Boston butts, hams and bacon are indicated as better buys. Pork supplies are now dropping seasonally and prices can be expected to move up in the weeks ahead. Poultry persist as a market buy, but not as big a bargain as this time a year ago when the market fell under a staggering supply load. Turkey continues as a special buy because storage stocks exceed last year's carryover by more than 17 million pounds.

Vegetable supplies continue to run slightly below normal volume again this week as a result of the hot dry weather during May. Asparagus has suffered greatest damage locally and production has been seriously curtailed in New Jersey and other growing areas in the Northeast. Prices may be slightly lower on increased supplies of cabbage, potatoes, peppers, cucumbers, carrots,

green onions, spinach, sweet corn and leafy greens. Competition from locally grown strawberries has influenced banana prices to be adjusted downward. Grapefruit and Valencia oranges remain in good quality and at quite reasonable prices. Some early peaches, blueberries and cherries are available but first-of-season high prices prevail. First shipments of apricots and grapes have been sent from California but cool weather has delayed crop maturity in that area.

Fresh strawberries highlight the local scene. Such popular varieties of midland, Pocahontas, Catskill and Robinson are being harvested now and are suitable for freezing, making jam or serving fresh. Homemakers are advised to order early to be assured of obtaining strawberries this year.

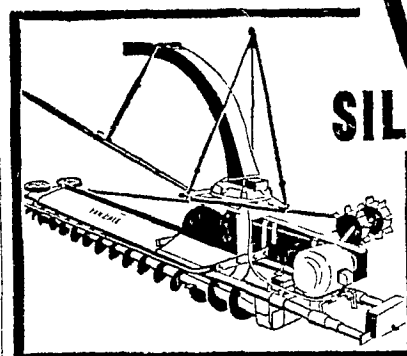
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accurate way to get the correct flat sheet size is to measure the length of the mattress. Add six inches for thickness at each end and ten inches for tuck in. For the best service and appearance buy pillow-cases two inches wider than the pillow.

Close zippers before putting garments in closets or drawers to help keep the placket seams from sagging or stretching. Always close zippers before washing garments or sending to the drycleaner.

Twenty percent of all college students in the U.S. attend landgrant institutions.

## Complete automatic feeding for DAIRY COWS and CATTLE!

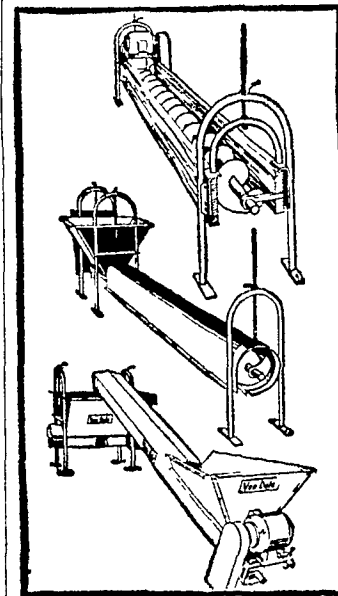


### VanDale SILO UNLOADERS

Double augers deliver more silage per minute even when silage is deeply frozen . . . and at a lower operating cost. Patented V-paddle impellers throw . . . not blow . . . silage down chute. Adjustable drive hubs give positive traction in all types of silage.

Three-point suspension keeps unloader level at all times.

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### Straight-out Auger Feeder

With VanDale units you can custom build the bunk feeding set-up to fit your needs. Drive section includes hopper, drive assembly and 10' high capacity 9" auger. Additional auger sections are in 10' units and are easily coupled.

### Feed-R-Flo Bunk Feeder

The new, all-metal complete feeder. High capacity 9" auger rotates within tube. Gives all-weather protection, even feed distribution, and lower operating cost.

### Conveyor Trough

An important link in automatic feeding. Positioned below silo chute, the VanDale conveyor trough carries the silage to the bunk feeder. Primary section includes hopper, drive assembly, and 10', 9' auger. Additional 10' auger sections may be added.

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