

BEST FOOD BUYS Ad Shopping Saves Food Budgets

If you are concerned about the food budget it will pay to check the ads before you plan your shopping trip this week, advises Tom Piper, Penn State Extension Marketing Agent. You'll find most meat cuts costing the same as last week but there will be quite a variation in what different stores feature. Look for specials on beef steaks, chuck roasts, pork steaks, chops, fresh picnics and fresh hams.

Pork roasts are fast becoming a seasonal good buy as increasing supplies push prices down. To get the best buy for your money compare prices on a cost-per-serving basis rather than on the cost per pound. A fatty, heavy boned rib end roast may be no bargain at all, even if the price is very low.

Have you noticed the coupons in newspapers and magazines for orange concentrate? The pack of frozen concentrate is 66 percent greater than last year. Processors were faced with the problem of cutting prices or advertising, so they decided to advertise. Between September and November 190 million off-price coupons will be placed in newspapers, magazines and Sunday supplements. On top of the heavy pack to be sold this season, the latest USDA crop forecast predicts another record supply of oranges ready for harvest. About one-third of the crop is usually sold fresh and the rest is processed.

Many canned foods are outstanding bargains this year because of heavy supply. Processors started prices off very low this year and many retailers have been passing the low prices on to shoppers as weekend features. Peas, corn,

tomatoes, cling peaches, fruit cocktail and pears are a few items now receiving heaviest attention.

Apples, cranberries, Emperor grapes, and citrus are leading values at the fruit counter. Banana supplies are currently low resulting in higher retail prices. Persimmons and kumquats are in peak supply this month and will provide you with something different.

Fresh vegetable prices are increasing steadily as supplies now come from more distant producing areas. Potatoes, cauliflower, cabbage, broccoli, Brussel sprouts, celery and turnips offer greatest value this week. Lettuce prices will be higher than week ago as a shift in supply areas is now taking place.

Smaller size eggs, cheese, and mushrooms are budget-priced now. Consider each of these items if you are interested in economy in food buying this week.

Double Duty Sofas

Today's new sleep-sofas do such a good job of disguising their purpose that you can't tell at a glance which sofa will turn into a bed at night. Foam rubber and synthetic foams are the key to these modern sofas. Four to six inches of foam cushioning provide mattress comfort and daytime seating relaxation, point out Penn State extension home management specialists. The new sleep-sofas convert easily because the foam slabs are lighter in weight than upholstery filling formerly used.

Eastern States And Wirthmore Announce Plans For A Merger

The Eastern States Farmers' Exchange and Wirthmore Feeds Inc., jointly announced today that they are discussing plans to integrate the two operations. Eastern States president, Jonathan Davis, and Wirthmore's president, Granville M. Bond, said they believe that negotiations would

result in an agreement favorable to both organizations, and that the principal beneficiary would be the northeastern farmer.

The Eastern States board met last Friday, and accepted in principle the proposal that the cooperative purchase the assets and business of Wirth-

more Feeds. Earlier, the Wirthmore board had agreed to proceed with negotiations.

"Major changes in our agricultural economy have brought to the fore many important developments affecting farm operation," Mr. Davis said. "With the opportunity for better and more versatile service resulting from the merging of these productions and distribution

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1.5¢ per KWH rate for residential and farm customers now available on all KWH over 500 used in a bi-monthly period.

OLD BI-MONTHLY RATE		NEW BI-MONTHLY RATE	
\$2.00 first	24 KWH	\$2.00 first	24 KWH
5.0¢ ea. next	126 KWH	5.0¢ ea. next	126 KWH
3.0¢ ea. next	150 KWH	3.0¢ ea. next	150 KWH
2.0¢ ea. next	200 KWH	2.0¢ ea. next	200 KWH
1.5¢ ea. next	1360 KWH	1.5¢ ea. excess	KWH
2.0¢ ea. excess	KWH		

Cost of heating reduced - more KWH most sizes and applicable after monthly on the

OLD BI-MONTHLY RATE		
Gallons	NEMA	Quick Recovery
30-49	320	120
50-74	480	480
75-90	640	480
Over 90	880	480

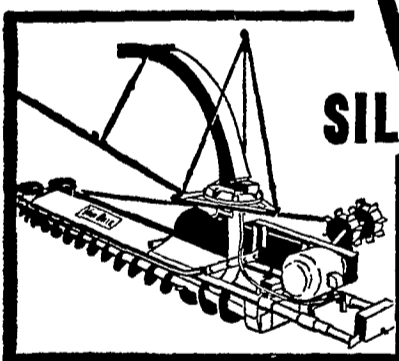
1.5¢ per KWH rate for space heating, water heating and air conditioning now extended to all commercial and industrial customers.

This very favorable rate (previously available only to schools and churches) makes year-round indoor climate control and the convenience of fully automatic flameless water heating more attractive than ever for motels, restaurants, offices, stores, manufacturing plants, etc.

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A special rate for customers with interrupted service has been made available. Installation of such industrial equipment at the location of heat. Central Eastern P

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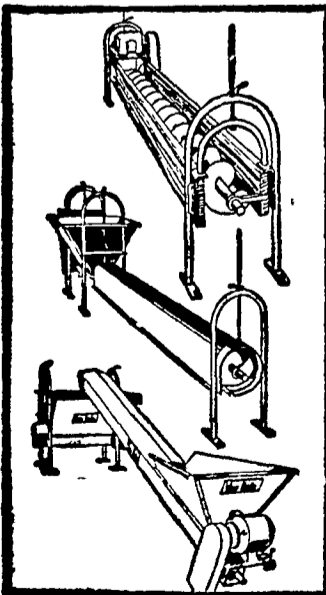


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Plus a complete line of bunk feeders to meet your exact needs



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.

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

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