

1964 NEPPCO Exposition Features Outstanding Educational Program

This fall's 14-state exposition for poultry farmers is shaping up as one of the most fact-filled on modern egg technology in recent years, according to officials of the Northeastern Poultry Producers Council (NEPPCO), sponsors of the annual convention.

Bread-and-butter topics ranging from high-density housing and leukosis research to new aspects in egg marketing will be featured at the 27th annual meeting of northeastern producers here in the Farm Show Building on Oct. 6-7-8. Some 5,000 poultrymen will gather to sit in on these educational sessions as well as to

view the latest in industry equipment, supplies and services on display in scores of commercial exhibits.

Expected to draw considerable attention among the educational sessions this year will be a workshop on high density housing and management technology featuring eight experts in various phases of this much-discussed industry topic.

As it now shapes up, this session will operate more like a fast moving "quiz program" than the usual panel. Speakers, instead of lecturing, will be fielding questions from the audience right from the opening gun.

Several noted veterinary experts have already been lined up for the program. Dr. Martin Sevoian of the University of Massachusetts will bring producers up to date on progress in avian leukosis research. Dr. Harold L. Chute of the University of Maine will speak on the production of PPLO-free flocks.

A highlight in the field of egg marketing will be the talk by Carl E. Nall, executive secretary of the Pacific Dairy and Poultry Association, who will tell northeastern producers how poultry products are marketed on the west coast.

Among the other speakers already assigned are Hermon I. Miller, director, poultry division U.S. Department of Agriculture, on the topic of housing and management, and Joe Claybaugh, of DeKalb Agricultural Association, Inc., on the subject of raising, handling and buying started pullets.

Popular features of the former NEPPCO expositions will be continued this year Selection of the Poultry Princess and Star Poultry Farmer of the northeast, competition among Future Farmers of America groups in egg and poultry judging and 4-H demonstrations in poultry cookery, marketing and production will all be featured.

A complete program for the ladies, another one for youngsters taking part in the exposition and a grand banquet preceding the selection of the poultry princess are once again highlights of the giant convention

New Dairy Show Entries Open

HARRISBURG — Entries had started coming in today for the new Pennsylvania All-American Dairy Show to be held Sept. 14-17 in the State Farm Show Building.

Harold R. McCulloch, manager, said the first to arrive were registrations for two young bulls from the First Pennsylvania Artificial Breeding Cooperative at Lewisburg.

These were a junior yearling Guernsey, Old Homestead Pace-maker, and a Holstein calf, Rosni Letitia Rambler.

Cows, heifers and calves from dairy farms throughout the state accounted for twenty-three other entries that arrived as the registrations opened. Entries close August 15. Animals will arrive for the show just before it opens.

McCulloch said plans for the show, an international open exposition that embraces the United States and Canada, are well advanced and that inquiries and offers of support have been "very encouraging."

Included in the show will be animals of the six principal dairy breeds — Ayrshire, Brown Swiss, Guernsey, Holstein, Jersey and Milking Short-

horn.

"The show is a recognition of the importance of dairying and is certain to promote new high standards for the whole dairy industry," according to the show brochure.

This statement, signed by Governor William W. Scranton, State Secretary of Agriculture Leland H. Bull, and Cuthbert Nairn, Douglassville, general chairman, adds that "the show will make a continuing contribution to a stronger agricultural economy on both sides of the Border."

● For The Farm Wife

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- 3 cups rice krispies
- 3 tablespoons butter or margarine, melted

Cook onions, garlic and celery in heated shortening until lightly browned. Mix flour, salt, pepper and curry powder; stir into first mixture. Add milk gradually, stirring constantly, cook until thickened, stirring occasionally. Stir in chicken, almonds and pimiento; simmer about 10 minutes. Mix rice krispies with melted butter, heat thoroughly. Arrange rice krispies in center of serving dish, surround with Curried Chicken



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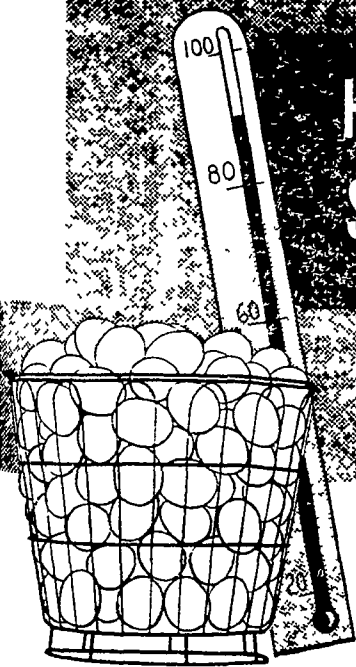
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