

Annual The Sixth Red Dairy Conference was held operation and all types of jobs Tuesday at the Guernsey Pavilion, Lancaster.

Among those participating in the program of working behand the scenes were these men left to right, seated, Jack Miller of Curtiss Breeding Service, Inc. Wally Lindskoog, owner of Ailinda Holstein Farm in California and keynote speaker, D.ck Stein, John W Eshelman and Sons; left to right, standing, Bill Stewart, New Holland Supply Co, Lloyd Fortna, Allıs Chalmers Co; Jerry Shaffer. PP&L farm specialist, and Lorin Weigard, John W Eshelman and Sons

Speakers and their topics included.

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Shaffer of PP&L spoke on Division, discussed worming known as owner of one of the Rose Southeastern Pennsylvania power for all phases of farm dairy cattle

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power for all phases of farm toi, explained selecting the progress in the future

Jim Thomas of Allis-Chalmers energy requirements for the pro- reviewed tractor selection in relation to farm systems, includ-

sentative of Merck Chemical Lindskoog, who is widely



The nation's feedlots continue to get fewer and bigger. The number operated in the 22 major feeding States declined four per cent last year-to 182,550

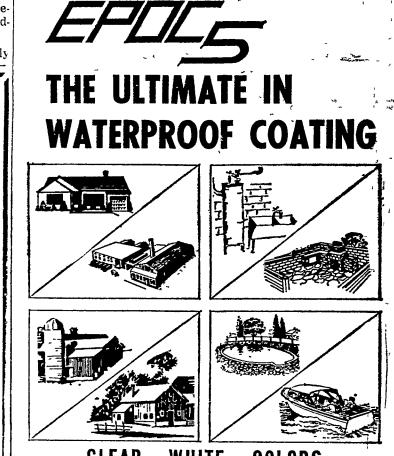
But while the smaller lots, those with a capacity of below 1.000 head, declined four per cent from 187,725 to 180,339, the number of those with capacities above 1,000 increased seven per cent-from 2,069 to 2,221, reports the USDA.

Moreover, while cattle marketings in the 22 States increased four per cent to 24,790,000 head, marketings through those 2,221 larger feedlots increased 10 per cent-to 13.642 000 head And, accounted for 55 per cent of the total marketings from those States, compared to 52 per cent ın 1969.

Sharpest increase was in the number of feedlots with a capacity of above 32,000 head. Their number jumped one third -from 31 in 1969 to 41 last year. And, a total of 2,807,000 heador one out of nine in the 22 States-were marketed through those 41 feedlots.

Feedlots in the 16,000 to 31,999 best dairy herds in the country, capacity range totaled 105 last Miles R Carry, Curtiss Breed- spoke on dairying, including year, compared to 101 in 1969. Shaffer of PP&L spoke on ing agricultural relations direc- challenges and requirements for 000 head—or 13 per cent of the total marketings in those States.





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