

Fresh Potato Sales Are Best Marketing Potential

Commonwealth potato growers will find their greatest future sales potential in the form of fresh potatoes, an Extension agricultural marketing specialist at The Pennsylvania State University predicts.

Speaking at the 22nd Pennsylvania Potato Growers Institute on the Penn State campus, Dr. Thomas A. Brewer pointed out that with 12 million people each eating 40 pounds of potatoes per year, they would consume nearly 5 million hundredweight, or about 75 percent of the level of total current sales. National per capita consumption of fresh potatoes in 1971 was about 59 pounds.

"We can't expect to serve all of Pennsylvania's demand for fresh potatoes but we could serve more than we have," the marketing specialist said.

Another large segment of the potato market—sales to chippers—will probably remain fairly constant even when one considers population growth, Dr. Brewer emphasized. In fact, it may decline as close substitutes are introduced using potato products

grown in other areas of the nation.

"Probably there will be a slower growth of the sale of snack foods in general since there will be proportionately fewer young people in our population in the future," the Penn State specialist said.

Dr. Brewer told growers that with a possible slackening in the demand for processing potatoes,

it is a good time to devote additional attention to the fresh market and attempt to produce, package, and market a smooth, non-sprouted, clean potato free from internal defects.

"To do this the industry needs more centralized control over packing and marketing facilities," he said. "Hopefully these will be owned by the growers."

SALE REPORTS

Mrs. Hazel Shaul Sale
Brogue RD1
Saturday, March 10
Real Estate, Antiques,
Household

Real Estate: 10 Acres with two-story frame dwelling, \$28,000.

Dry Sink, fair condition, \$135.

Attendance - Approximately 300, weather, fair and sunny.

Auctioneer - Robert L. Sechrist, Fawn Grove.

Carl M. Horst Sale
Thursday, March 8
Farm Machinery

Tractors: No. 4020 - \$5,887; 3010 - 3,550.

Haybine - 2,150; Wagons - 710 - 800; Fox Harvester - 2,875.

273 Baler - \$1,900; Raler

Harrow - 1,100; JD Disk 1,000; Spreader - 600; Elevator - 650.

Auctioneers - Kreider and Diller.

IRS Announces Help Availability

The Lancaster District Office of the Personal Income Tax Bureau, Pennsylvania Department of Revenue, has announced that information and assistance with the state Income Tax forms is available daily during business hours at 3 Central Plaza, E. King St., Lancaster, Pa. 17602 through April 15. The telephone number is 299-5261.

The office also confirmed that Property Tax Assistance claim forms have been mailed to taxpayers who filed a claim last year. Those taxpayers who earn less than \$7500.00 per year and are over 65, permanently disabled, or widows over 50, and wish to file a claim for the first time may obtain forms from several distribution points. These include The Personal Income Tax Bureau Office, 3 Central Plaza, E. King St., Lancaster, Pa.; the County Commissioners' Office, County Courthouse, Lancaster, Pa.; Pa. State Revenue Offices, and the Pa. Department of Public Welfare, 439 E. King St., Lancaster, Pa.; and, on the local level, local tax collectors and liquor stores.

Assistance in filing the claims for Property Tax Refunds is available at the Personal Income Tax Office, 3 Central Plaza Building, Room C, daily during business hours until April 30; telephone 299-5261.

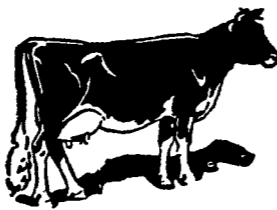
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PUBLIC SALE DAIRY CATTLE FARM EQUIPMENT THURSDAY, MARCH 22, 1973

at 10 o'clock a.m.; located in Northern Dauphin County, Pa.; Elizabethville take 225 north to Berrysburg; take Rt. 25 east to first crossroads; turn left, first road right; watch for signs.



COMPLETE HERD DISPERSAL of 30 Head of Atlantic Bred COWS and HEIFERS
21 Registered; 9 Grades
All Stages of Lactation

Daughters of these Popular Sires sell: Bonus, Jack, Sensation, Hector, Samson and Ivanhoe Star.

Average for the Herd Last Year: 14987-36-533

These sell:

Orchid - 4-Yr. Tidy Burk 49'er Pred - 15342-630
Crystal - Gr. Ivanhoe 18,143-566 Due 5-4
Flo-Reg. Royal Hamilton 16888-533 Fresh 10-1
Linda - Gr. Sensation 5-Yr. 16479-533 Due 4-9
Beryl Gr. Hector 4-Yr. 16066-539 Due 6-27
Melba Gr. Jack 2-Yr. 14141-478 Due 3-23

Wanda Reg Paramount F11-10 milking 80 lbs. 4.4 milk as a 4-yr-old Her 3-yr. record 322-15051 - 4.4 - 654

Two Registered Samson Daughters milking as 2-yr-olds.

Four Reg. Bred Heifers - One Bonus, three Samson daughters.

All records are owner Sampler. The reason for selling the herd - the farm has been sold.

Plan now to attend and buy these Well-bred Cows.

DAIRY EQUIPMENT

Girton 500-gal. Bulk Tank with 4 h.p. Compressor with Inspection Stamp; 2 Surge Units, 50-lb. Pails; Stainless Steel Twin Tubs; Strainers; Pails.

OLIVER 1550

- 2600 hrs. 3-pt. Hook-up - Fully Equipped.

OLIVER 66 ROW CROP

with Hydraulic, Mounted Cultivator.

2 - FARMALL M - Good Condition

Olver No 3242 14" 3 Trip-bottom Plow, N.H. No. 275 Baler with Thresher, I.H. No. 1.P.R. Corn Picker, Farm Hand Grain or Silage Wagon with Oliver 5T Running Gears, N.H. 145-bu. Tank Spreader, N.H. No 451 Mower, 3-pt. with Crimer Attachment; N.H. Rake, Oliver 10-hoe Superior Drill, Oliver 7' Disc, Oliver Corn Planter, Oliver Silo Blower, 30' Pipe, J.D. Harrow, Mounted Sprayer, N.H. Crop Chopper, 5' No. 33, Grove Wagon with High Sides, Flat-bed Wagon, 34' Mulkey Elevator, I.H. Corn Drag, 3-pt Hookup 8' Scraper, 15,000-watt Babson Bros. Alternator on Trailer, Homko 5 h.p 26" Riding Mower, Feed Cart, Wheelbarrow, Snow Fence, Steel Posts, Electric Fence Wires, Forks, Tools, and many more articles.

PONY - SADDLE & BRIDLE
50 TONS EAR CORN

Sale by
LESTER E. HOFFMAN

Aucts.: RAYMOND MILLER - 665-4188
RUFUS GEIB

Pedigrees: HENRY KETTERING

Lunch Available

Not Responsible for Accidents.

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SHADYVIEW ACRES

Complete Holstein Dispersal

TUES., MARCH 20, 1973

12:00 SHARP

Located on the farm south of Palmyra, Lebanon County, Penna. Turn south off Rt. 422 in Palmyra at the Nancy Lou Restaurant and proceed one mile to the farm.

35 COWS 75 HEAD 75 37 HEIFERS
60 REGISTERED 15 GRADES

Herd average of 11,907 milk 436 fat 3.7 test

Records of a few animals to be sold:

Lynn 4-3 = 14,861 - 604 - 4.1
Sal 5-0 = 15,430 - 509 - 3.3
Beth 5-9 = 20,536 - 698 - 3.4
Lilac 5-4 = 15,257 - 565 - 3.7
Rita 3-7 = 17,166 - 545 - 3.3

Daughters of the following sires selling:

Romandale Reflection Marquis
Paclamar Astronaut
Penn State Star Man
Harmony Crest Ivan Connie
Penn State Star Dust
Crescent Beauty Triumphant

Special Mention: Red Holstein - a daughter of Ravenglen Reflection Adonis from a dam of 3-3 - 23,447 - 857

DHIA records Herd is TB and Blood tested
Catalogs available

Sale under cover Lunch available

Embee 350 gal. tank, DeLaval 73 pump and motor, 2 DeLaval units and a 50 lb. DeLaval pail.

Conditions by Simon Bucher

Harry H. Bachman - Auctioneer
Ebersole & Bachman - Clerks
Arthur Kunkle - Pedigrees

OUTSTANDING 2 DAY Dairy Farm Dispersal

CLARK BROS. - BRANCHVILLE, N.J.

FRIDAY, MARCH 23, 1973 CATTLE

SATURDAY, MARCH 24, MACHINERY

Place - Farm Branchville, N. J. take Rt. 519 2 mi. N., at Twp. Garage make right turn, continue to farm.

Fri., Mar. 23, at 11 a.m. 108 hd. sell under Tent

62 DHIA tested holsteins (milking age) with 24 hd. recently fresh. 17 hd. due early fall, balance in various stages. 26 bred heifers due early fall. 12 heifers breeding age, 5 started calfs, 2 stock bulls, 1 steer. DHIA ave. 62 hd. 14,691M - 508F. Records to over 20,000M 700F. Many 2 yr. olds sell from 15 to 18,000M. Breeding 100 percent Sire Power, Kingpin, Vern, Gent, Lucky, Rambler plus other popular sires rep. 95 percent home raised! 100 percent owner operated! Many milked 90 lbs. and up! Big young well bred cattle with tremendous type and well attached udders. Besure to take advantage from this tremendous opportunity! Records read at ringside! T.B. & Blood tested and eligible for immediate interstate Shipment!

Saturday, March 24, at 10 a.m. Farm Machinery

Barn - De Laval 60 cow pipeline milking system with auto washer, 6 units, Patz 55 cow 285 ft. barn cleaner, Patz silo unloader 12 to 16 ft., feed carts, 4 barn fans. 4 Tractors - 1967 IHC. No. 656 DL W.F. loaded, 1970 IHC No. 544 DL 550 hr. W.F. loaded like new!. 1963 IHC No. 340 DL loaded w-hyd front end ldr. A.C. No W.D Trucks - 1968 Ford 1/2 ton pkup 34,000 mi., 59 GMC 1/2 T pkup., 58 2 1/2 T flat bed V8, 46 Chev. 2 1/2 T flat bed. New Holland - No. 469 haybine, No. 268 baler w-PTO kicker, No. 352 portable grinder mixer, No. 6 and No. 3 self unloading wagons, hay rake, 80 ft. mow conveyer. Other Makes - J.D. No. 1240 4 row plateless corn planter, J.D. 10 ft. hyd. disc, J.D. 3 btm 16" 3 PTH plow N.I. No. 216 flail manure spreader 1 yr. old. N.I. No 203 flail spreader, N.I. 1 row super corn picker, Gehl No 300 forage chopper corn hd. and new haylage hd., IHC 4 btm 14" 2PTH plow. IHC 3 btm. 14" 2PTH plow, 3 hay kicker wagons. Grimm hay tedder. 3 hay elevators 24 to 36 ft., 12 ft. case harrow. 7 ft. case mower, 3 PTH broadcast seeder, field sprayer fiber tank, giant land roller, A.C. blower, lime spreader, 3PTH scraper, hay racks, feed bunks, chain saw, elec welder, misc. tools, misc. crops. A clean sweep complete dispersal Sale order - Barn 11:30, mach. 12 noon! Majority of equip only 2 or 3 yrs. old and kept in excellent condition! Owner & auctioneers not responsible for accidents! Terms Cash or good check sale day! Lunch available.

Owner
CLARK BROS.
201-875-4720

Sale conducted by:
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