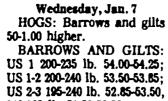
HOG PRICES

Street....

Lancaster Market

Monday, Jan. 5 HOGS: Barrows and gilts steady to 50 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1 200-230 lb. 52.50-53.00; US 1-2 195-235 lb. 51.50-52.00; US 1-3 195-240 lb. 50.50-51.50.



Lancaster

Auction

240-265 lb. 51.50-52.50.

START YOUR YEAR **OFF RIGHT**

Ship your market cattle & hogs to our experienced staff for prompt & expert service.

J. M. HOOBER INC.

FEEDER CATTLE AUCTION EVERY FRIDAY 12:00 NOON

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You can save yourself 25c per head by tagging at home. We supply free State tags at our office.

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PLEASE CALL US SOON Phone (717) 397-6191, 569-2084, 626-5659.

PROFESSIONAL CONSULTATION FOR PROGRESSIVE FARMERS

1. Is pH a false indicator of the calcium/magnesium balance in your soils?

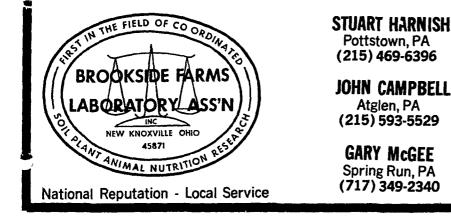
- 2. Is sulphur holding back the yield and protein content of your crops?
- 3. Do you need all that phosphorous you're paying for?

If your present soil tests don't answer these questions, you need our technical help. Our soil tests and analysis will help you balance soil fertility, which increases yields and profits.

WE SELL NO PRODUCTS . . . ONLY RECOMMENDATIONS

We specialize in soil fertility, tillage and livestock nutrition. Our recommendations will help you make more rational business decisions.

Winter is the time to call one of our consultants:



Vintage Auction

January 3, 1976 HOGS 719: Compared with

last week's market, barrows & gilts \$2 to \$2.25 lower. US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. 51.50-52.00, No. 1-3 200-255 lbs. 50.85-51.50, No. 2-3 215-260 lbs. 49.50-50.50, lot 48.50, No. 2-4 250-345 lbs. 44.25-47.75. US No. 1-3 315-575 lbs. sows 37.25-44.00. Few Boars 35.00-40.00.

January 7, 1976

HOGS 501. US No. 1-2 210-225 lbs. 52.25-53.25, few No. 1-3 180-190 lbs. 48.50-52.60, No. 2-3 250-270 lbs. 47.85-50.75. US No. 1-3 490-570 lbs. sows 41.00-42.75. Boars 33.50-34.75, light weights 38.00-40.00.

Leb. Valley

Auction

Fredericksburg, Pa. January 6, 1976 (Reporter off sick) (Auction not covered)

New Holland Auction

Monday, Jan. 5 HOGS: 1686. Retail 51.75-52.75; heavyweight 47.50-50; lightweight 47.50-50; wholesale 50-51.75; sows 40-

ranging 50-2.00 higher, many sales under 240 lb. 1.00 higher & those over 260 lb. 45 and boars 33-44. supply US 2-3 230-280 lb.

BARROWS AND GILTS: 100 Head US 1-2 200-220 lb. 52.25-52.75; US 1-3 Mostly 2-3 200-235 lb. 51.00-51.85; US 2-3 230-260 lb. 50.00-51.50; US 2-4 250-280 lb. 49.00-50.50; 3 Lots US 3-4 315-335 lb. 44.00-45.00; 1 Lot US 3-4 Near 400 lb. 42.00.

Lancaster

Feeder Pigs

Tuesday, Jan. 6

TREND: Compared to last

feeder pig sale prices were

weak to 3.00 lower, instances

10.00 lower on 60-90 lb.

weights. All prices on a per-

US 1-2 36-46 lb. 110.00-

118.00; One Lot 46 lb. 106.00;

50-66 lb. 89.00-102.00; 22 Head

78 lb. 81.00; 66 Head 77-82 lb.

US 2 30-35 lb. 120.00-127.00;

35-40 lb. 109.00-116.00; 42-67

lb. 87.00-98.00; Couple lots 67-

68 lb. 83.00-84.00; 70-96 lb.

US 2-3 36-45 ib. 101.00-

US 3 50-61 lb. 65.60-78.00;

117.00; 42-48 lb. 88.00-96.00;

Utility Couple Lots 36 lb.

Indianapolis

Auction

Thursday, January 5

INDIANAPOLIS HOGS:

55-69 lb. 77.00-92.00.

hundred weight basis.

Today

12-16-75

70.00-75.50.

72.00-77.00.

68.00-78.00.

1000.

Feeder Pigs

2676

1572

St. Louis

Auction

Thursday, January 8 ST. LOUIS HOGS: 2500. Barrows & gilts active, fully 2.00 higher. BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-230 lb. 53.00-53.25; US 1-3 200-240 lb. 52.50-53.00, 240-250 lb. 51.50-52.50.

Peoria Auction

Thursday, January 8 PEORIA HOGS: 2500. Barrows & gilts active, opening mostly 1.50, instances 2.00 higher. BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-220 lb. 53.00-53.25, about 150 head 53.50: US 1-3 200-230 lb. 52.00-53.00.

Fogelsville

mostly 55-60; Drakes 57-63, mostly 57-63; Rabbits 851/2-

Week to Date

Same Period Last Year

Same Period Last Week 412,000 734,000 76,000 546,000 1,252,000 125,000 mostly 43-47; Roasters 25-42, p.m. to 10:30 p.m., Tues. 7

HOGS

1,063,000

mostly 33-42; Ducks 51-62, a.m. to 12 noon. Directions - Take Rt. 22 thruway. Exit at Foglesville

Lancaster Farming, Saturday, Jan. 10, 1976-3

Futures Trading (Closing bids as of Friday, Jan. 9)

Chicago Chicago New York Chicago Cattle Maine Fresh Eggs Hogs Potatoes 54.70 January February 41.40 48.60 49.60 March 9.50 50.00 April 39.80 45.10 11.00 45.90 13.50 44.15 May June 42.10 45.25 45.20 July August 42.30 43.55

Trend — Cattle and Lower, Hogs are Lower, Potatoes are Higher, Eggs are Higher.

Markets provided by Commodity Dept.,

Reynolds Securities, Inc.

Chicago Grain Futures

(Closing bids as of Friday, Jan. 9) Soybean Barrows & gilts very active; extremely uneven, Corn Wheat Soybeans Meal 4.58 131.20 January mostly 2.00 higher. Bulk February 4.76 131.50 +March 2.68½ 3.54 April 2.741/2 3.501/2 135.30 +4.84 May June 137.50+ July 2.781/2 4.90 4.94 August September 2.76½ 3.68 4.98

+New Contract

Trend - Corn is Mixed, Soybeans are Higher, Wheat is Lower, Soybean Meal is Lower.

U.S. Inspected

Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter Under Federal Inspection

ivestock Slaughter

CATTLE

580,000

Markets Provided by Commodity Department, **Reynolds Securities**, Inc.

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(215) 469-6396

JOHN CAMPBELL

Atglen, PA

GARY MCGEE Spring Run, PA (717) 349-2340

Tuesday, Jan. 6, 1976 Prices paid dock weights, cents per pound, except where noted. Hens, Heavy type 10^{1/2}-30, mostly 16-20; Pullets 38-48,

Sale of

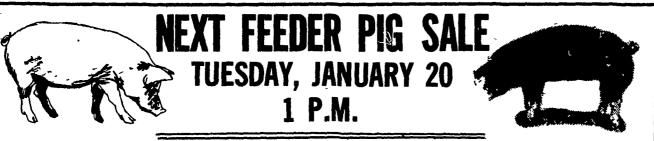
93½, mostly 90-92; Pigeons Exit, North to stop lite in (per pr.) 1.71-5.45. Total coops sold 424. Each Week - 11:30 a.m. 215-395-6611.

Poultry Received - Mon. 7 left turn.

Foglesville, turn left, proceed one block, turn left Auction Day - Tuesday again at Cracker Barrel Restaurant. Auction right side 100 feet from your last

SHEEP

104,000



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