

Good year for farmers

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distribution of it may not be ideal. "The weather, as usual, is the critical factor," he concluded. And while production potentials look good, how about expenses involved? Penn State's assistant professor of farm management Extension

addressed himself to that topic.

"Farm production expenses in 1979 will be up by 12 to 14 per cent," he began. Total production costs for the nation will be around \$107 billion to \$111 billion, he added. The farm management professor made particular reference to increasing energy costs, and speculated that Pennsylvania would stand to gain if transportation costs continue to escalate. In the past, he explained, it was often more economical to truck feed supplies and food from more remote areas, but

as transportation becomes more expensive, producers' and consumers' needs will have to be met, closer to home. Pennsylvania's close proximity to more than a quarter of the nation's population will make agricultural expansion here attractive.

And that's the key to the optimism that's being voiced. The 110 bankers in attendance were reminded of that over and over again. The occasion for the outlook reports was the 1979 Agricultural Conference for Pennsylvania Bankers. It was held here Tuesday through Thursday of this week at the J.O. Keller Conference Center of the Pennsylvania State University. Sponsoring

Broilers up

HARRISBURG - Placements of broiler chicks in the commonwealth during the week ending May 5 were up 14 per cent from the same week a year ago, according to the Pennsylvania Crop Reporting Service.

The placements were 2,382,000, six per cent above the previous week. Average placements during the past nine weeks were 14 per cent above a year earlier.

Placements of broiler

organizations were The Cooperative Extension Service, and Penn State University, in cooperation with the Pennsylvania Banking Association's Agricultural Lending Committee.

More detailed reports on the Conference activities are printed elsewhere in this issue.

chicks in the key 21 poultry-producing states were 83,220,000, about the same as the previous week but eight percent above the same week a year earlier. Average placements during the past nine weeks were ten percent above a year ago.

FANTASTIC DISPERSAL

MAY 26
OVER 300 HEAD
Deraway Farm
Complete Dispersal
Neil Deraway, Munnsville, NY Owner
SATURDAY, MAY 26
10:30 A.M.

Sale to be held at the Central Bridge Sales Arena, Central Bridge, NY. From Binghamton, take Rt. 7 (I-88) NE to Central Bridge approx. 100 miles. Turn North on Rt. 30-A, 2 miles to sale.

210 REGISTERED & GRADE HOLSTEINS 210

80 Registered - 130 Grade

115 cows, 20 bred heifers, 32 heifers ready to breed, 15 yearlings, 29 calves.

Rolling DHIA Average — 115 cows, 14,710M 3.7% 540F
Several cows over 20,000M.

All home bred — All Eastern and Curtiss Sires. Cows under excellent management, Heifers and calves very well drawn.

Daughters selling from outstanding sires such as: Paclamar Astronaut - 5, Arlinda Chief, Moose Heart Alliance, Bold C, Brigadier, R Maple, Rock, Centurian, Polaris, Randy, Velvet, Chap, Orlo, Minute Man, Beecher Eclipse and Ivanhoe Ace.

It will be a tremendous dispersal. All AI sires, all DHIA records, large number to choose from.

FLASH — 100 additional head of bred heifers from 1 consignment.

*Cattle going out of state will be tested immediately.

CENTRAL BRIDGE SALES SERVICE
Walt Wagner, Auctioneer and Manager
518-868-4571

PUBLIC SALE

OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE
SATURDAY, MAY 26
AT 2:00 P.M.

Located at 322-324 Arch St. in the Borough of Ephrata, Lancaster Co., PA.



A certain tract of land upon which is erected a

2½ Story Double Brick Dwelling

Both sides consist of the following: large kitchen, dining room and living room. Second floor: 3 bedrooms and bath and a balcony.

Full basement and attic, open stairway in living room, a lot of closet space, oil hot water heat, electric, hot water heaters, borough water and sewage.

Both sides have a one car garage.

(Auct.): This property will be offered as one unit. This is an ideal investment property or for an individual buyer for a home. These are well built homes.

Inspection of property day of sale or call Lester O. Weaver, 445-4385.

SALE TIME 2:00 P.M.

TERMS BY,
IRVIN C. MESSNER
MARY K. MESSNER

For the Harry Messner Estate

Atty.: Hassel, Yost & Sorrentino
Auctioneers:
Lester O. Weaver - 445-6141
Barry D. Wanger - 445-4385

Not Responsible for Accidents

PUBLIC SALE

**ANTIQUe FURN., GRAND PIANO,
MODEL A - FORD, CARRIAGE,
CLOCKS, TRAINS, GLASS,
CHINA & COUNTRY STORE ITEMS,
ORIENTAL RUGS**

We will sell for various owners the following items at the auction room in Johnsville, just off Rt. #75, midway between Union Bridge & Libertytown & 12 mi. N. of New Market, Frederick County Maryland on MEMORIAL DAY.

MONDAY, MAY 28

Starting at 9 A.M., the following:

Very early 2 pc. dutch cupboard w/blind doors, early deacon bench, wal. M.T. dresser, oak dry sink, pine dry sink, WAL. CYLINDER ROLL DESK w/bookcase top, SHOMACKER & CO. SQ. GRAND PIANO IN ROSEWOOD CASE, ca. 1870, good; wal. pier mirror w/marble shelf, wal. D.L. ext. table, sherton chest drawers, 4 blanket chests, oak china cabinet w/curved glass sides & door, 3 w/curved sides & straight door, wal. D.L. table, lge. wal. wardrobe, lge. wal. desk w/bookcase-top, 3 PC. CHESTNUT BEDROOM SUITE w/high fancy bed, 3 pc. oak bedroom suite, 3 pc. mahg. bedroom suite, oak ice box, oak dressers & wash stands, 2 flat back wall cupboards, early wood barber chair w/red plush uphol., chestnut wash stand, dental cabinet, brass bed, iron & brass bed, 48" oak sq. ext. table w/claw ft. & leaves, 42" round oak ext. table, 6 drw. spool cabinet, OAK STORE CABINET w/top & bottom glass front bins, overall length 10'; counter top showcase, sev. sm. glass cases, sev. adv. racks, adv. signs, some smaller store items, Putnam dye cabinet, lge. enterprise 2 wheel coffee mill, brass & onyx stand, jelly cupboard, pie safe, tool chest, vict. side chairs, late vict. parlor suite, spinet desk, Columbia grafonola, early cobblers bench, empire dresser, empire sofa, oak mirrored buffet, oak beds, oak capt. chairs, oak side by side, oak chest drawers, oak cane seat chairs & rocker, many other chairs & rockers, fancy music cabinet, early wood washer, ca. 1880; B & C piano stool, sm. oak Larkins desk w/label, spice cabinet, rope beds, doll chest, set of 6 plank seat chairs, towel racks, hoosier cabinet w/flour bin, 3 PC. WICKER SET, wicker chairs & rockers, wicker baby carriage, 7 oriental rugs, 3'x5' to 5'x8' approx.; lge. cast iron cookstove, good; sev. wall & shelf clocks, 10 quilts, early cradle, 2 wood mantel's, D.H. sew. mch., brass & glass ballot box, Lionel train cars & engines, ca. 1906 until 1940; copper apple butter kettle, tin churn, wood churn, shave mirror, brass clothes tree, oak clothes tree, buggy foot warmer, tea caddy, meat block, church bench, store scales, old Texaco gas pump, candle molds, powder horns, C.W. prints, dated; sm. nat'l. art deco cash register, Middletown coverlet, baskets, trunks, 2 pc's. redware, 8 ice cream parlor swivel stools, G.W.W. lamp, piano lamp, glass lamps, rayo lamp, lge. slaw cutter, copper wash boiler, Pa. schnitzel dryer, pictures & frames, etc., 20 PC'S CARNIVAL GLASS, some signed, limoge, I.S., 2 moon & star compotes, pickle castor, other glass & china, 150 pc. set of brush gold flatware, 1930 MODEL-A-FORD 2 DR., restored sev. years ago, rubber tire one horse stick wagon in parade condition, one horse wagon w/front wheel missing, many unlisted pieces of furniture & small items.

AUCTIONEER'S NOTE: Some of the furniture is in the rough, some w/good finish. All items sold without reserve.

INSPECTION SUNDAY May 27, 1 P.M. until 5 P.M., sale in tent. Lunch both days by Johnsville Methodist Church Ladies.

TERMS - Cash or approved check.

SALE CONDUCTED BY:

AUSTIN BOHN, AUCTIONEER
PH 775-7607

Chas. Funkhouser, Auctioneer
John Green Jr & Jacob Altvater, Clerks.

PUBLIC SALE

**VALUABLE ANTIQUES,
COLLECTOR'S ITEMS, GUNS,
7 H.P. CUB CADET ETC.**

Located in the Village of Forksville (Sull. Co.)
Owners sold home, makes Sale necessary.

SATURDAY, MAY 26

Starting at 10 A.M. Under Tent

Early Cherry Slant top Desk w/Dovetailed Drawers, Nice; 2 Odd Pine Wash Stands w/Towel Bar Handles & Drawers; 2 Bent Drawer Wash Stands w/Bent Legs; Old Oak 10 day Executives Wall Clock w/Second Hand; Fancy Old Sessions 8 day ½ hour Strike Mantle Clock w/Carved Bird's Head; Beautiful Carved Feet Uph. Loveseat; 1 pc. Wall Cupboard; Oak Wardrobe; Pine Boston Rocker; Old 2 glass door Bookcase; Oak Bent Leg Stand; Old Walnut Stool; Primitive Bu. Measure; Wicker Fernery; Ladies Pocketbook made from old Soft Drink Bottle Cap Corks; 6 plank bottom Chairs; Pressed back chairs; candle snuffer; brass candle holders; lovely upright Piano made by Schiller; Ball & Claw foot Piano Stool; Butter Bowl & Ladel; Walnut Dropleaf Table; Oval Marble top stand; Crocks; Library Table; Flat Trunk; Oak Blanket Chest; Wedding Ring Quilt; Lots of old glassware; 10 pcs. of Sterling Silver; Ser. for 6 International Sterling; 2 Rem. Mod. 760 Pump Guns, 30-06 w/6 power Scope & 244; Ithaca 16 Ga. Pump Gun w/Polychoke; Cub Cadet 7 h.p. 42" Tractor w/Plow, & Cultivators; 16" Snow Blower; Cedar Chest; 6 Maple Dining Chairs; Electrolux Shampooer, Buffer, Scrubber, Lawn Chairs; Portable Suitcase type Bar; 1-30 gal. & 2-5 gal. glass fish tanks w/stand & all accessories; house plants including Lemon & Orange trees; lots more.

Owners,

W.L. "BUD" & RUTH HERR

Auct. Max Fraley & Son
546-6631

Lunch

PIGS

STATE GRADED SALE
FRI., MAY 25

1:30 P.M.

AT

WESTMINSTER

LIVESTOCK AUCTION

Westminster, Md.

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