

Pa. commercial egg production shows largest expansion

UNIVERSITY PARK — Pennsylvania ranked third among the 50 states in total number of eggs produced in 1980. This was up from the 4th position in 1979.

In both years Pennsylvania production of table eggs — total

eggs minus estimated hatching egg production — ranked third among the 50 states.

Total egg production in Pennsylvania in 1980 accounted for 6.1 percent of total U.S. egg production and 6.5 percent of table egg

production. The top 10 states ranked in order in the table account for about 59 percent of total egg production.

The Middle Atlantic states, New York, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania, accounted for about 9 percent of the nation's total egg production in 1980. The New England states, Maine, Vermont, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, and Connecticut, accounted for about 5 percent of the national total.

Pennsylvania accounted for 67 percent of production in the Middle Atlantic area and 43 percent of total eggs produced in the Northeastern states. Egg production in Pennsylvania was about 1.2 times total egg production in the New England states.

The largest expansion in any state in the 1977-1980 period, and 1980, occurred in Pennsylvania 1,291 million and 414 million eggs respectively.

Decreases in production occurred in 4 of the Northeastern states in 1980 compared with 1979, and 5 states in the 1977-1980 period.

Although the percent increase in Rhode Island was greater than in Pennsylvania for the years shown in the table, the increase in

number of eggs was only about 3 percent of the increase in Pennsylvania for the 1979-1980 period and 2 percent in 1980.

Expansion in Pennsylvania continues to present a challenge to marketing firms, notes A. Kermit Birth, Penn State Poultry Marketing Specialist. Part of this responsibility includes moving temporary surpluses out of the northeast to avoid price depressing

surpluses in this area when other areas of the U.S. need eggs.

The increase in production in 1980 brought about an unfavorable situation in the egg industry which continued into 1981. Egg production in March this year was about the same as a year earlier.

Egg prices are likely to remain below total production costs unless production drops about 2 percent below a year earlier.

USDA reinstates Md. produce dealer

BALTIMORE, Md. — Joseph Sudano of Baltimore, Md., also trading as S&S Produce, has become eligible to again operate in the produce industry after satisfying an order issued against him.

USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service, which licenses produce firms under the Perishable Agricultural Commodities Act, had issued the award in favor of a Maryland wholesaler.

Charles Brader, marketing official with AMS, said Sudano had

been barred from operating in the produce industry under PACA on February 10 when he failed to pay the reparation award.

Now that he has satisfied the order, Sudano and his firm may engage in the produce business without bond.

Under PACA, all interstate traders in fresh and frozen fruits and vegetables must be licensed by USDA. USDA is authorized to suspend or revoke a trader's license for violating the act.

PUBLIC SALE FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 5, 1981 6:00 P.M.

Located 1/2 mile north of Maytown, 4 1/2 miles south of Elizabethtown, along Pa. Route 743. 3 1/2 miles northwest of Route 30 from Columbia, use Route 441 exit. Lancaster Co., Pa.

REGISTERED SWINE & EQUIPMENT

All animals vaccinated for Erysipelas, Rhinitis and Lepto. Validated herd, Pseudorabies and Brucellosis free.

9 registered Landrace sows bred for registered litters; 1 registered Landrace gilt w/Hamp cross litter; 2 registered Landrace herd boars - Ajax and Dunderbo breeding; 2 registered Hampshire sows bred for registered litters; 1 registered Hampshire sow w/nice litter by Squire 4-1; 4 registered Yorkshire sows bred for registered litters; 6 registered Spot sows bred for registered litters; 1 registered Hampshire gilt bred to Squire 4-1; 2 registered Duroc sows bred to Hampshire; 6 York-Hamp sows bred to Landrace due soon; 15 - 7 month old boars - ready to breed - registered Hampshire, Landrace, Spot, and Yorkshire; 3 registered Hampshire gilts ready to breed soon; 20 registered boars 5 months and younger - Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace, and Spot; 10 registered gilts 5 months and younger - Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace, and Spot; 6 - 3 way cross gilts - York-Hamp-Duroc - littermates to reserve grand champion pen of feeder pigs at Southcentral Penna. feeder pig show; 50 weanling pigs - registered Landrace, Spot, and Yorkshire.

3 REGISTERED HAMPSHIRE HERD BOARS - MAYBE THREE OF THE BEST ANYWHERE.

SQUIRE 4-1 a son of ROUGHNECK 39-2 out of the EARL WILLIAMS HERD in HIGGINSVILLE, MISSOURI - ROUGHNECK 39-2 is the best boar to have ever served in the Hampshire breed - THIS BOAR NEEDS A GOOD SOW HERD TO WORK IN.

ROMEO 4-2 a son of ROMEO, and grandson of BAM out of the ERNEST HALL HERD in NORTH CAROLINA - this boar has exceptional depth of chest and exhibits perfect breed characteristics.

TANKER 7-1 a son of TANKER the \$9,000 Lisbon Test Station graduate now serving in the Thorne Hill Farms Herd in Virginia. Real growthy boar with excellent underline - 8&8.

2 REGISTERED LANDRACE BRED GILTS OUT OF THE DAVID KORNHERD.

STARBY BRED TO BIGFOOT DUE JUNE 2

BIGFOOT BRED TO ROOTS DUE JUNE 3

1 registered Yorkshire herd boar - Hustle

BUILDINGS AND EQUIPMENT

Agstar self-contained 24'x50' farrowing house w/pit, 16 farrowing crates, 8 nursery pens, and all equipment - to be removed. 18 foot x 40 foot Fickes Silo w/Silo-Matic unloader, fill pipe and distributor - to be removed. 18-28 foot 1/2 trusses - 5/12 pitch w/purlines, Onduline roofing, and steel siding - to be removed. 13 heavy steel gates - all sizes; steel partitioning and piping; flex auger and tubing; 2-24 hole Pax feeders w/built on bins - 3 ton capacity; 1 Smidley 12 hole feeder; 1 Smidley 4 hole feeder w/lod - new; Smidley farrowing hut; Smidley sow catch crate; 2 dairy barn fans; 3 fans; Trojan push waterers; Pride of the Farm pen float waterers; nipple waterers; Pride of the Farm nursery feeder; water pressure regulator; Auto-Medic II water medicator; plywood; Illis pregnancy tester; Herdex calculator record system for sows; heat lamps; registration forms for Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace, Spot, and Yorkshire; medicators; 4 rubber cow mats; 1 5x7 woven wire; rubber feed tubs; 1973 Dodge 1/2 ton pickup w/cap - 318 three speed transmission; 1973 Chevrolet 3/4 ton pickup w/ps, pb, ac - excellent shape; Allis Chalmers #390 nine foot haybine; Sears Roebuck jig saw; 2 - 6:00x12 snow tires; Moritz 16 foot trailer w/4 foot livestock racks, brakes, and lights - 8000 pound tags - like new; 9 cords sawed firewood.

Sale at 6:00 P.M.

ROY & LEE BIXLER, Owners
Dittenbach's, Aucts.

Refreshments Available

PUBLIC SALE FRIDAY, JUNE 5, 1981 11:00 A.M.

Real Estate, 12:30 P.M.

In Cumberland Co., 4 miles northwest of Carlisle. Watch for sale signs along Rt. 74 near the creek bridge. (The sale is close to Possum Lake).

REAL ESTATE

All that certain plot of ground situated in Lower Frankford Twp., Cumberland Co., containing 1.33 acres, more or less, having thereon erected a 2 1/2 story, 8 room frame house with full bath, oil forced hot-air heat, cement basement, nice kitchen & drilled well. Also a block building 32'x46' commercial butcher house; a block building 24'x38' double car garage, work area, and horse barn. Several other out buildings.

NOTE - This property is set up for custom butchering!

Terms - 10% when property is stricken down, balance 30 days from sale date. Note to see the property Ph. 717-243-0116

BUTCHER EQUIPMENT

Two butcher furnaces and kettles, one large kettle; meat slicer; band saw; meat cuber; scales; 2 hp. grinder; benches; trackhooks; meat treas; scraple pans; knives; wrapping machine; elec. knife grinder; compressor unit for walk in cooler; block & foll; water heater; and other butcher equipment.

GUNS

New England Arms Co. 22 rifle; H&R 16 ga. shot gun; World Chalanger 12 ga. single bbl. w/chrome bore; H&R 12 ga. w/32 in. bbl.; J.C. Higgins 22 rifle; 12 ga. single bbl. w/celler door.

FARM MACHINERY

Farmall H tractor w/hyd., like new rubber and in good shape; two bottom trail plow; 2-18 tooth perry harrows; B.F. Avery tractor w/accessories; steel wheels for H tractor; garden tractor w/accessories; wagon load of small items.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

Carpenter tools; new lumber; used lumber; ladders; shingles; windows; doors; scrap iron; 4 ft. x 8 ft. pool table; new 275 gal. oil tank; 18 ft. flag pole; tires, rims; step bumper; electrical appliances; copper wire; and other building supplies.

HOUSEHOLD ITEMS

Upright piano; chairs; end tables; beds; knee hole desk; sink tops; other items.

PONY SUPPLIES AND ANTIQUES

3 pony sulkies; pony harness; hobbles; saddles; bridles; Claw foot bath tub; cutting box; old Ford wheels; singles trees; and other items.

JAMES F. MILLER
RONALD L. HOOVER

Dean Shull - Auct.
Lunch Stand Reserved

Milk production up 7 percent

HARRISBURG — Milk production in Pennsylvania during April 1981 totaled 741 million pounds, up seven percent from a year earlier according to the Pennsylvania Crop Reporting Service.

The number of milk cows in the commonwealth during April averaged 706,000 head, up 1,000 from a year ago. Milk production per cow averaged 1,050 pounds in

April, up 65 pounds from a year ago and 70 pounds above April 1979.

United States milk production during April totaled 11.5 billion pounds, five percent above April 1980. Milk production per cow averaged 1,063 pounds, 41 pounds above last year and 74 pounds more than April 1979. Milk cows on farms averaged 10.9 million head, up one percent from last year.

SALE MARLU FARM

825 Newman Springs Road
(County 520)
Lincroft, NJ 07738
201-741-1920

Saturday, June 27, 1981

1:00 p.m.

55 Head - Half each cows and heifers.

BUS TRANSPORTATION
to
MARLU FARM SALE

LEAVING FROM EAST TOWNE MALL - RT 30
LANCASTER, PA.

BUS LEAVES: 8:00 A.M.

SEE: \$2.00

SEND RESERVATION FEE OF \$2.00 to:
DEADLINE JUNE 19, 1981

JERRY SKILES

R.D. 2

NARVON, PENNSYLVANIA 17555
PHONE 717-768-3545

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____

AMOUNT ENCLOSED _____

**NO HERD IS GREATER
THAN THE FOUNDATION
UPON WHICH IT IS BUILT**

MARLU FARM

LINCROFT NJ 07738

MAURICE POLLAK, Owner

Gerald R. Hall

Herd Manager

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