



Top seller at last year's Holstein Ag Progress Sale was Ebon-Blanc Tradition Gleam at \$3700. From the left are Bill Nichol, of Holstein Assn.; Thomas Hartle, consignor; Roger T. Gree, representing buyer Amelio Curti, not pictured; and Barbara Green at lead. In back are Jay Howes and auctioneers, Mark Glick and V. Art Green.

**Photo highlight
from 1983
Ag Progress**

**Delmarva poultry
talks on Sept. 11**

OCEAN CITY, Md. — Planners of the Delmarva Broiler Housing Seminar and Maryland Servicemen's

Conference have joined forces to produce the 1984 Delmarva Broiler Housing and Flock Supervisors' Conference. The day-long event will take place Sept. 11 at the Carousel Hotel in Ocean City, MD. It is being sponsored by the Delmarva Poultry Industry, Inc., in cooperation with the University of Delaware and University of Maryland.

The morning half of the program, which will begin at 8:30 a.m., will focus on air quality problems in poultry houses. Speakers will discuss: OSHA's position on environmental quality and the broiler producer; possible effects and precautions growers should take; and the effect of air quality on bird performance. A grower will also discuss air quality problems from his perspective. Following these talks there will be presentations on methods of controlling air quality: ammonia control through litter treatment and other practices; ventilation and misting techniques; and the use of air scrubbers to reduce ammonia inside a broiler house.

In the afternoon there will be talks on keeping poultry housing up to date and competitive, plus updates on reoviruses, adenoviruses and avian influenza, and a two-part motivational film. At 4:45 DPI president Jerry Truitt will present the industry's outstanding broiler supervisor awards. The conference will close with a fellowship hour.

Since avian influenza quarantines are still in effect in parts of Pennsylvania and the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia, Delmarva poultry health officials have asked persons from these quarantine areas, as well as individuals who have had recent contact with those areas, not to attend the conference.

Deadline for registration is Aug 31. There will be a \$20 fee to cover lunch and other costs. For further information contact Delaware extension poultry specialist George Chaloupka at (302) 856-5250.

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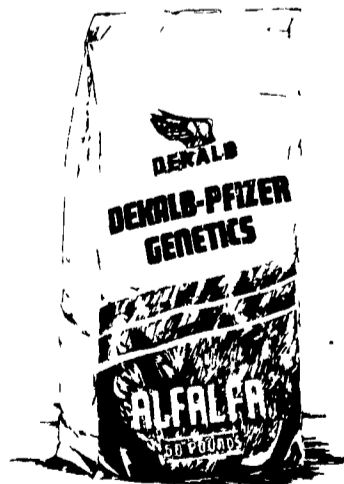


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