Norma Etters, supervisor of Support Operations, brings a wealth of energy to her job at Pa.

Her job duties include overseeing maintenance on all sample route trucks, calculating the driver's payrolls and maintaining the meter-repair area.

Another unique part of her job is being on call 24 hours a day to handle any breakdowns that occur on the truck routes. It is her responsibility to handle the repair of any breakdowns and transport the driver back to the Pa. DHIA headquarters at State College.

Currently there are 83 truck stops spread out through Pennsylvania, New York and New Jersey. Here's how it works.

Technicians gather management information and milk samples while at the member's farm. The technician supplies the member with Westfalia Dairy Plan Reports and transmits the gathered data to Pa. DHIA via phone.

Another part of the technician's responsibility includes delivering milk samples to an appointed truck stop. This truck stop may be at a farm, feed mill, a technician's home or another appointed place.

There are five truck routes that average 15 hours and 500 miles per route. Each route is covered



**Norma Etters** 

three times per week. Each truck is equipped with a refrigerated unit in order to insure good quality samples.

Overall, Norma is responsible for seven employees, this includes five truck drivers, one relief driver who also works at headquarters on different projects, and a mailing person who assists with printing, collating and mailing of the finished reports back to the member-

Norma reflected on the many changes that have taken place over

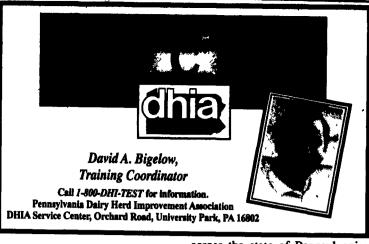
the years. She said she remembers the trucking of samples being changed from UPS to the current system. She can also remember the printing of the records at the Shields Building and being changed over to Pa. DHIA providing its own printing of reports.

Norma has been employed at Pa. DHIA for 10 years. Starting as a part-time employee for three years, she was worked full time for the past seven years.

Norma and her husband, Jerry, have two children, Nicole and Jerry Jr. Some hobbies that Norma enjoys are needlepoint and playing bingo.

Having the ability to transport milk samples quickly through the delivery trucks allows the membership to have an excellent turnaround time.

At Pa. DHIA we feel that this is important to our members. Please feel free to contact Pa. DHIA at 1-800-344-8378, if we can assist with your dairy operation.



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## Average Farm Feed Costs For Handy Reference

To help farmers across the state to have handy reference of commodity input costs in their feeding operations for DHIA record sheets or to develop livestock feed cost data, here's last week's average costs of various ingredients as compiled from regional reports

across the state of Pennsylvania. Remember these are averages so you will need to adjust your figures up or down according to your focation and the quality of your crop.

Corn, No. 2y - 3.00 bu. 5.37 cwt. Wheat, No. 2 - 3.76 bu. 6.28

Barley, No. 3 - 1.58 bu. 3.37

Oats, No. 2 - 1.47 bu. 4.57 cwt. Soybeans, No. 1 - 5.61 bu. 9.37

Ear Corn 71.16 ton 3.56 cwt.

## **Public Auction Register**

Closing Date Monday 5:00 P.M. of each week's publication

#### **AUGUST**

SAT. AUG. 19 - 8:30AM From the home of Sandy Newcomer, 1977 West Emerys Church Rd. RR1, Linden, Pa. Approx. 5½ miles Northwest of Linden along Pine Run Rd. off Rt. 220. Scott Younkin &

SAT. AUG. 19 - 9AM Household, tools, trucks. Held at RR 1 box 696, Glen Rock, Pa, just off Glennville Rd. at the old mud paint, on Hoke Rd. from Glennville take Glennville Rd. W. approx. 3 miles turn left onto Hoke, to auction, or from Maryland Rt. 30, take

Wentz Rd. E. approx. 2% miles, to Glennville Rd. proceed approx. 2 miles, turn right onto Hoke, go to auction. Margie Higgins, owner. Nevin E. Tasto,

SAT. AUG. 19 - 9:30AM Household items, shop equip, guns. For the Max & Tressie Tate Estate, located at the end of N. Atherton St. turn onto Scotia Rd, then make 1st left onto Ghaner Lane and follow to auction on right. Ron J. & Ron S. Gilligan, aucts.

SUN. AUG. 20 - 12:30PM Ron Gilligan will be con-ducting a public auciton for Mr. Edward R. Miller,

located at 510 N. Burrowes St., State College, Pa. Take Rt. 322 to Nittany Lion Inn intersection, turn onto Park Ave. & make first left onto Burrowes. Ron J & Ron S. Gilligan, aucts.

WED. AUG. 23 - Holstein Herd Dispersal, New Hol-land Sales Stables.

THURS, AUG. 24 - 9AM Machinery, lumber, air tools & supplies, misc. 2190 Pequea Lane, Lanc., Pa. Rt. 30 E., turn right on 896 S. to Strasburg, turn right on 741, left on Lampeter Rd., left on Penn Grant Rd. and right on Pequea Lane. By M.B. Glick Co., Inc Mel Hoover, auct.

THURS. AUG. 24 - 1 PM New Holland Sales Stables Beef Sale. Bushhill Farms, 70 Head Hereford Cattle Bushhill Farms, owners. Represented by John

SAT. AUG. 26 - 9:45PM Repossession Sale, Aprox 200 Repos & off lease vehicles. Keystone Public Auto Exchange.

SAT. AUG. 26 - 10AM Campus Billiards & Ferrario Amusements, Inc. 510 Lackawanna Ave., Scranton, Pa. Col. Steve Sitar,

SAT. AUG. 26 - 10:30AM Rosetree Média School District, Media, Pa, Dela-ware Co. 18 HP Snapper tractor, adding & copy machine, tape recorder, viewmasters, display case, filing & storage calbnets, book shelves, desks & chairs, projectors, tables and more. North on Rt. 1, past Granite Run Mall, straight on Baltimore Pike into Media. Left on Monroe St. George H. Wilson, auct.

TUES. AUG. 29 - 9.30AM St. Anne Area Farmers Consignment Auction, 7200 E 5000 S Rd. St Anne, II. 2 miles N. of St Anne, Illinois on Rte 1 then 1/4 mile W or 7 miles E. of Kankakee, Illinois on Rt. 17, then 5 miles S. on Rt. 1 and 1/4 mile west. Combines, pickers, tractors, loader tractors, misc. tractors, semi trailers, corn heads, grain platforms, row crop heads, forage equip., discs, misc, tires. Jim Humphrey, Roland Rosen-boom, Sam Kerr, Don Bra-ham, Eugene Tomaszewski, Bill Decker, aucts

TUES. AUG. 29 - 7:30PM Somerset County Monthly Dairy Cattle Auction at Weigle's Buying Station. From Somerset Pa take Rt. 31 east 9 mi. to auction barnon left. From Bedford, PA go west on Rt. 30 to Rt. 96 S. to Rt. 31 est 18 mi, to auction barn on right. Tom Kolb & Sons, manager. Trout

## Mon., Aug. 28, 1995 5:00 P.M. LOCATION: LEONARDS AUCTION COM-

PANY, 6 MILES NORTH OF I-81 ON RTS 11-15 DUNCANNON, PA.

**PUBLIC AUCTION** 

Personal Property Moved from a Harrisburg Resident, Sale Ordered by Alice Carnathan, and Others. Outside Line Starting at 5:00 Sharp, Consisting of Household Goods. Box Lots, Sump Pumps, Garden Tools, 19" Elec Mower Like New, Everyday Items Found in Garages... Inside Following: Super Collection of Hull Pottery, Northwood Carnival Vase, Lg. Limoges Bowls, 9 Piece Set Opalescent Gold Trim Berry Set, Other Opalescent, Lg. Custard Glass Shell Compote, Signed Northwood Gold Handled Pichard Pedistol Bowl, Nippon S&C, 3 Piece Childs Nursery Rhyme Dishes Signed Roma, Lg. Ruby Glass Picture Atlantic City, Lg. Heisey Glass Basket, Jewel & Shell Water Pitcher, Super Blue & White Crock w/Handle, Ornate Sterling Dresser Mirror, 5 Pc. Sterling Dresser Set w/Cut Glass Powder Jars, Weller Vases, Venition Glass, Blue Satin Glass Basket, Cruits — 1 Cut, Majolica Salt Glaze Basket, Fancy Figurines, Oil Lamps, Fancy Gold Leaf Metal Mantel Clock, Sq. Cast Iron Griswold Skillet, Pocket & Hunting Knives, Wrist Watches, Coin Silver Pocket Watch, Costume Jewelry, Army Uniforms WW2 w/Patches, Depression & Pattern Glass, Kitchenware, Nice Collection of Walnut & Gold Leaf Picture Frames, 100's of Glassware & Misc. Items, Lg. Dog Race Bar Room Game, Old Toys Consisting of: 2 Wooden Pull Toys, Metal Ohio Art Tin Well Pump, 1950's Childs Riding Fire Pumper, Early Red Petal Tractor & Others, Pr Brass & Copper Coach Lamps, Postcard Album, Furniture: 44" Time Clock by International Time Co. in Oak Case, Drop Front Queen Anne Desk w/Flower Inlay, Fancy Oak Dresser, Mah. Princess Dresser Claw Feet w/Oval Mirror, 7 Piece Super Decorated Suite w/Broken Arch Top, 3 Pc. Walnut 30's Bed Rm. Suit, 5 Pc. Mah Bed Rm. Suit, Vanity w/Pop-Up Mirror, 2 Deco Vanitys, 3 Pc. Parlor Suit w/Ball Claw Feet, Oak Sideboard, 5 Pc. Deco Chrome Dinette Set, Early Adrian Xray Shoe Fitter Machine for the Advanced Collector, Cedar Chest, Early Trundle Rope Bed in Ole Red, Early Spool Rope Bed, 4 Poster Spool Bed, Brass Bed, Early Walnut Cradle, Inlain Walnut Sofa Table, Oak Twist Leg Table, Super Hi-Back Oak & Leather Office Chair, 9x12 Rugs, Unusual Walnut Liquor Cabinet from the 30's Shaped like a Baby Grand 46' tall x 33' wide, Other Dressers, Vanitys, Stands, Floor Lamps, Etc. Join Us for a Fun Evening, Don't Miss This Sale for Lots of Great Small Collectibles.

TERMS: Cash Good PA. Check. No Out of State Checks. Not Responsible for Accidents. Food Served on Premises

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Carl Ocker #AU24251 Cindy Fenton #AA2309L Doug Leonard #AA2385L Real Estate - Crops

**Tractors - Farm Equipment** 

PUBLIC AUCTION 20 ACRE FARM M/L

**SAT., SEPT. 30, 1995** 

**Auction Time 10:00 AM** 

Real Estate 12:00 Noon Directions: From Ephrata take route 322 East through Hinkletown, turn right on Farmersville Road (at Martin's Bike Shop) go 1/2 mile to property on right. Earl Township, Lancaster County, Pa. 558 EAST FARMERSVILLE ROAD

21/2 STORY HOUSE Downstairs: includes large eat-in kitchen with cabinets, large living room, family room, wash house, enclosed porch. **Upstairs:** has 4 bedrooms, large walk-in closet, attic access. Full basement.

**BANK BARN** 

Large steer pen and box stalls on lower level with attached 12'x22' block buggy shed, cemented barn

#### **OTHER FEATURES**

- \* Fully scaffolded Barn \*4 Acre hanging capacity
- \* 14x60 stave silo
- \*18 Acres tillable
- \* mature shade well water \* 30'x60' implement shed \* lots of road frontage TO BE OFFERED AS 2 SEPARATE TRACTS

**TRACT #1** includes buildings with approx. 2 acres TRACT #2 includes 18 acre field across Farmersville Road

#1 and #2 will also be offered together NOTE: Total acreage zoned Ag. Tract #2 may have possibilities for a poultry facility and or building lot. Contact Earl Twp. with any questions concerning zoning. Sellers will have a new survey done if tract 1 and 2 are sold separately.

OPEN HOUSE: Saturdays September 9th and 16th, 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM. Or by appointment. For assistance to obtain financing or transportation to see the farm contact Aaron Martin Auct. at (717) 733-3511.

TERMS: 10% down payment day of auction, balance at final settlement on or before February 15, 1996. ATTORNEY: Michael P. Kane

**Auction By** John N. & Elsie Z. Zimmerman **Food By Fairmont School** 



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# **ABSOLUTE PUBLIC SALE 38 ACRE FARM**

**Agricultural District** 21/2 Story Brick Two Unit Dwelling w/Frame Addition

Bank Barn & Misc Outbuildings Thurs., Sept. 14, 1995

at 7:00 PM

LOC: 235 Shultz Road in Pequea Twp., Lancaster Co., PA **Between Millwood Road & Rte 324** 

New Danville, PA PROPERTY INSPECTIONS: Sat.'s Aug. 26, Sept. 2 & 9 from 10:00 am until 12:00 Noon or phone (717) 464-3541.

Sale with a starting bid of \$200,000.

Frank T. Meyer, Jr. Estate

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