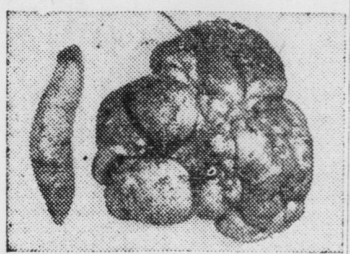




Sweet Potato Variety Good Starch Source

Large Yield Makes It A Profitable Farm Crop

By W. J. DRYDEN
The sweet potato is fast taking its place as the main source of starch. This is largely due to the fact that starch can be produced or extracted easily from sweet potatoes and of the large volume that can be produced per acre.



Starch potato, right, and ordinary yam at left. The yam weighs a pound and a half, the starch potato weighs more than 7 pounds, some grow as much as 18 pounds.

every item of commerce — from cream puffs to dynamite. In the wastelands of the Florida Everglades, the United States Sugar corporation is carrying on vast operations in the producing and manufacture of sweet potato starch. They now have requirements for 40 freight cars of sweet potatoes daily.

The starch sweet potato is a special variety developed and tested for years. It grows as large as a man's head and contain a much higher starch content than the table varieties. The yields are from 500 to 700 bushels per acre.

Improved Machinery Picking Machines

Feather pickers for big production work improves quality.



This automatic rubber finger picking machine will remove many of the feathers from the birds after they pass out of the scalders; it is a product of E. J. Albright company, Chicago.

Bloat Superstitions Fallen by Wayside

Many of the old notions about bloat have fallen by the wayside, in the wake of recent research, according to the American Veterinary Medical association. For example, bloat in sheep and cattle results from greater accumulation, not excessive production, of gases.

Also headed for the discard is the belief that death is caused by intense pressures exerted by gases within the paunch. Instead, scientific research shows that it is practically impossible to kill animals through such pressure.



There is no better way to boost your business than by local newspaper advertising.

The Affairs At Florin For Past Week

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at the Town Hall on Tuesday evening. The Scripture was read by Anita Myers. The Scouts are grateful to the citizens of Florin in helping to make their paper drive a success.

Mrs. James Wagner and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Foltz, of Lancaster, visited Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Kaufman on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Nye and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Eshleman at Emigsville, York Co. on Sunday.

Mrs. Blanche Graveno and son Arthur and Miss Mabel Shetter spent Saturday at Harrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schlegelmilch entertained these guests on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schlegelmilch of Hersheytown, who celebrated their twentieth wedding anniversary; Mr. and Mrs. Schlothauer, of Lancaster and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wickenheiser, of Harrisburg, and Mrs. Mary Lehman and Ephraim Arndt Jr., of Elizabethtown.

The following called on Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Musselman on Sunday: Mrs. Tacie Hinkle, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shimp and son, Fred Jr., and Geraldine and Charles Kamm, of Harrisburg, and Rev. and Mrs. Young, of New Cumberland.

Mortuary Record In This Section

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street, Florin, died at her home at 4 a. m. Tuesday after an illness of four months.

She was born in York county, a daughter of the late John and Maria Stumm Weiser, and was a member of Trinity Lutheran church here. Besides her husband she is survived by one son, John W., at home; one daughter, Maria, wife of the Rev. Roy Forney, Florin; also two grandchildren; three sisters, Emma, wife of Elam Myers; Mrs. Katherine Gingrich; and Daisy, wife of Abe Eisenberger, all of this borough; and one brother, Paul Weiser of Florin.

The funeral will be held from the Nissley funeral home here on Friday afternoon with interment in the Camp Hill cemetery at Florin.

War Departm't

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arrangement, with an old-type tractor wheel guide and a disc coupled to the bar about three feet ahead of the front tractor wheels.

Masten tried his device this Spring on a large scale on part of his 16,000 acres of farms. On one 420 acre field, he said he cut man-hours from 1,180 in 1945 to 35 this Spring. Tractor hours were reduced from 985 to 429. Labor costs cut from \$590 to \$17.50. He used three tractors last year, and one this year, reducing equipment costs from \$7,605 to \$2,924.

The tractor was operated day and night and required only one night servicing.

Masten said that a single tractor equipped with one of the drives can plow 25 acres in 24 hours. One man riding a tractor or truck can keep four tractors in operation in the same field at once he said.

He said the device can be of financial benefit to both large and small operators.

Recently he demonstrated the self-driving tractor to 100 farmers, newspapermen, county agents, business men and vocational agriculture students.

Masten is a successful farmer, for several years producing more cotton and grain than any other individual farmer in Texas.

MAYTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Houseal, entertained last Sunday at their home in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Foltz and Mr. and Mrs. John Bender. Mrs. Foltz, the former Roberta Arnold, is a sister of Mrs. Houseal and Mrs. Becker is a niece of both Mr. and Mrs. Houseal. There were 41 guests present from York, Elizabethtown, Mount Joy and Maytown.

RAMBLED AROUND ALL NIGHT
When the barn yard opened, 25 steers on the Noah Landis farm in Landis Valley, wandered around all night. They were found near Manheim ten miles away and trucked back home.



New Columbia Sheep—Made-to-Order Breed

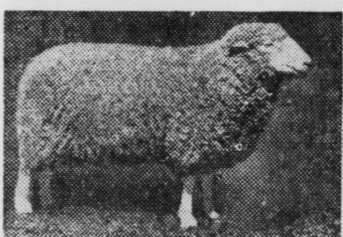
Developed for Dual-Purpose Requirements

The need for a breed of sheep that would produce both wool and meat efficiently resulted in work being undertaken by the USDA about 1912 to find such a breed.

The result of years of extensive work was the introduction of the Columbia sheep, which combined the most desirable characteristics of the Lincoln and Rambouillet. The breed was more than a quarter of a century being developed.

The breed as developed to such a point that it has its own registry organization, the Columbia Sheep Breeders' association. It is primarily a range sheep but is being used to a moderate extent in farming areas.

Columbia sheep are free from wool-blindness and skinfolds. The body is long, but is symmetrically proportioned with a good balance between width and depth. In 12



An Idaho Columbia ram showing the desirable characteristics of this newer breed.

months a typical Columbia ewe grows a fleece weighing about 12 pounds, which contains approximately 50 per cent clean wool about 3 1/2 inches long.

New Corn Ear Worm Control Recommended

A new contact insecticide has recently been developed for the control of corn ear worm on sweet corn and hybrid seed corn, as a substitute for pyrethrum.

The spray is a liquid solution of styrene dibromide in a mineral oil and is applied to the corn silks as soon as their ends appear brown. It is necessary to treat more than once as all ears do not show brown at the same time. The spray is applied with a hand applicator which measures a 20 drop dosage from a half pint container.

Feather Fabric Will Add to Farm Income



The washed, stretched and dried fibers are wound on spools.

America's poultry industry can produce 35 million men's suits annually. A new feather fabric that looks like wool but is warmer, softer and lighter, has been developed by USDA specialists.

Feather protein is converted into fiber by treating the feathers with a reducing agent and a special type of wetting agent, or detergent, in water solution, then forcing the resulting spinning solution, or "dope," through the tiny holes of a spinnerette into an acid-and-salt solution that sets the streams of dope into fibers. The fibers are then stretched and dried and treated to remove the detergent so that the regenerated protein is left in true fiber form.

It is not expected that feather fabrics, due to small volume available, will ever prove a serious economic threat to cotton or wool, nevertheless feathers do offer additional revenue for the poultryman, and will compete more with higher priced fabrics.

Cultivation Increases Bermuda Grass Yields

Oklahoma experiments have proved that disking the grass sod of bermuda lightly every other year will cause an increase in yield of about 26 per cent. The tests were made on a thin or poor stand of grass.

It was found that bermuda would respond to heavier disking than the common native grass. Tillage seemed to prevent the grasses from dying in the center of the clumps.

Everybody in this locality reads The Bulletin—that's why its advertisers get such excellent results.

Sale Register

If you want a notice on your sale inserted in this register weekly from now until day of sale, ABSOLUTELY FREE, send or phone us your sale date and when you are ready to let us print your bills. That's the cheapest advertising you can get

Saturday, Apr. 13—On the premises on the road leading from Mount Joy to Mastersonville near Becker's Service Station at Becker's Bridge, 5 acres of land, 2 1/2 story farm house, barn and garage, also household goods by Edwin P. Eby. A. K. Miller, Auct. 4

Good Friday, April 19—Annual Community sale, 200 head of live stock, baby chicks, farm implements, etc. by C. S. Frank & Bro. Aldinger and Wagner, Aucts. Sale at 12:30 p. m.

Friday Evening, April 19 at six o'clock on the premises in the village of Florin, entire lot of household goods by Mrs. Jacob Y. Kline. Also at the same time and place some household goods by Henry Strickler. Dupes, auct. See advertisement.

Good Friday, April 19—At their place of business near Mt. Joy, cows, hogs, poultry, implements, furniture, fruit, etc. by C. S. Frank and Bro. Wagner, auct.

Saturday, April 27—On the premises in Lane Twp., one-half mile south of Herr's Ice Plant on the David E. Herr farm. Full line of household goods by Fannie K. Herr. Ed. F. Funk, auct.

Saturday, May 4—Second Annual Spring Community sale at Beverly Twin Market and Livestock Exchange along old Hershey and Elizabethtown road. Merchandise, implements, livestock, etc. by G. K. Wagner.

Saturday, May 11, hog sale at Beverly Twin Market and Livestock Exchange, by G. K. Wagner.

Ascension Day and Decoration Day Community Sale, May 30, at Beverly Twin Market and Livestock Exchange—stock, implements, hogs, poultry, supplies, furniture and tools by G. K. Wagner.

LANDISVILLE

The Honor Roll for the third six weeks period in East Hempfield Twp. high school follows.

Distinguished Honor Roll: Seniors: Ruth Barkle Juniors: Lois Baker, Sophomores, Theresa Mohler, Susanne Supplee, Loretta Sweitzer, and Dorothy Metzler. Freshmen, Richard Bachman, William Halde-man.

Secondary Honor Roll: Seniors, Richard Brubaker, Vernon Charles, Dorothy Forney, Nancy Herr, Betty

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2nd ANNUAL SPRING COMMUNITY SALE

BEVERLY TWIN MARKET and Live Stock Exchange
G. K. Wagner, Proprietor R. D. 2 Elizabethtown Phone 291-R-2

Saturday, May 4, 1946
On Old Hershey Pike Two (2) Miles from E-Town; Eight (8) Miles from Hershey.

For everybody to sell any surplus goods you may have, so Mr. Farmer and Dealers be sure and let me know what you have to sell on this Sale and Tuesday, April 23rd, so I can advertise same for you. All kinds of Farm Machinery, Tractors, Pick-up Balers, Wagons, Binders, Tractor Plows, Corn Pickers, Furniture, Tools, new Paints, Horses, Mules, Cows, Heifers, Bulls, Sheep, Goats, and Hogs. Write or Call on Phone, we sold over \$52,000.00 worth on the last Community Sale, which was held Saturday, March 30th. Over 100 farmers and other people sold Tractors, all kind of Machinery, Furniture and Livestock, from all over the State. Give me a ring if you have anything to put on this sale.

Jane Rohrer, Geraldine Kilne, Joe Memma, Nancy Peifer, Jim Reaspome, Mary E. Stauffer.
Juniors: Betty Bard, Ezra Herman, Paul Myers, Jay Wenger, Bertha Doerr, Nancy Forney, Thelda Kreider, Vera Shenk.
Sophomores: Jack Longenecker, Ann Louise Shenk, Mary Wissler, Jessie Covert, Pauline Miller, Chester Schoenberger.

Freshmen: Carl Denlinger, Arlene Gingrich, Elaine Gingrich, Kenneth Miller, June Mumma, Joanne Nolt, Helen Swarr, Mary Wenger, Sally Zerphey, Laura Zimmerman, Martha Gingrich, Janet Leaman, Betty Jane Rankin, James Shuman.

IRONVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Berntheisel celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary and entertained the following people at their home on Saturday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Garber and children, Bobby and Betty, John Fox, Sr. and son, John, Jr. and Mrs. Lizzie Von Stetten and daughter, Anna.

The Otterbein Guild, Miss Sara Jane Mumma, will meet in the U. B. Church on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Snyder visited Prof. and Mrs. Harry Nye of Hunting, Pa. on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ulrich and daughter, Marian, spent the weekend with relatives in Palmyra, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kauffman and Mr. and Mrs. O. I. Brooks spent Sunday in Jonestown, Pa. visiting friends.

Ephraim Fornoff spent the week end in Buffalo, N. Y. where he took part in a bowling tournament.

The Ironville Fire Company will meet Monday evening at 8:00 p. m., April 15, in the school house. Earl Albright will preside during the business session.

Mrs. Robert Wagner fell down a flight of steps at her home and was admitted to the Columbia Hospital.

25 Joined The

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sonville Wednesday evening with M. M. Smith, assistant county agent, in general charge. Sixteen farm boys and girls of the district were enrolled at this initial meeting. The next meeting is planned for the same place the evening of May 15.

Other officers elected:
Vice president, Elvin Snavey, Manheim R2; secretary, Allegra Kreiner, Elizabethtown R3; treasurer, Richard Hossler, Manheim R2; song leader, Faye Kreiner, Elizabethtown R3; game leader, Richard Shenberger, Manheim R2; and news reporter, Kenneth Ober, Manheim R2.

Adult local leaders were named as follows: Corn project, Samuel Wanner, Manheim R3; Pig feeding, Herman Kreiner, Elizabethtown R3 and Garden project, Mrs. Robert Hess, Manheim R2.

Everybody reads newspapers but NOT everybody reads circular advertising left on their door step.

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G. K. Wagner Prop. Phone 291-R-2 R. D. 2 Elizabethtown, Pa.

On old Hershey pike, 2 miles from Elizabethtown, 8 miles from Hershey.

We have the Chicks now for you every week Monday nights, and all day Tuesdays and Thursday nights, and all day Fridays, all season, B. Rox, W. Rox, New Hampshire Reds, Rock Hampshire Cross, Red Rock Cross, White Giants, White, Black, Brown and Buff Leghorns, Black Minorcas, Mottled Anconas, Sexed Pullet or Cockerels on order. All prices right, see or call us before you buy. Give us a ring. All breeders blood tested. Every Wednesday, 1000 Turkey Polts \$35.00 per hundred. Write for Price List, we also ship Parcel Post.

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PUBLIC SALE

2 Building Lots & Household Goods
FRIDAY, APRIL 19, 1946

The undersigned will sell at public sale on the premises in the Village of Florin, Lanc. Co. Penna the following to wit:

TWO BUILDING LOTS

each 40x200 ft., fronting along the highway
HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Bedroom suite, spring and mattress; old fashioned chairs, Extension kitchen table, metal utility cabinet, small kitchen table, couch, Singer sewing machine, (excellent condition); smoking stand, bridge lamp, four chest, kerosene stove and baker, (3 burner); curtain stretcher, picture frames, baby high chair, 3 double blankets, shawls, double woolen blanket shawls, rug, size 9x12; scatter rugs, 100-piece dinner set of dishes, glassware, many other dishes, cooking utensils, pots and pans, books, small bible, 135 years old; bed spreads, feather pillows, feather cushions, table cloth and napkins, doilies, towels, comforter slips, fruit jars, step ladder, rake, shovel, snow shovel, cabbage cutter, broom, kitchen stool, ironing board, electric bread toaster, crimping iron.

Sale to commence at six o'clock p. m. when terms and conditions will be made known by

MRS. JACOB Y. KLINE

At the same time and place the following: 9-piece wainut dining room suite, 3-piece Bird's Eye Maple bedroom suite, davenport table, end table, library table, rocking chairs, kitchen chairs, 9x12 Congoleum rug, scatter rugs, smoking cabinet, magazine rack, taborettes, clothes tree, bridge & table lamps, pictures, mirrors, Canary & breeding cage, clothes dryer, porch set, porch rockers, fernery, glider, dishes, cooking utensils, galvanized tubs, grass scythe, chick feeders & fountain, brooder stove, 3-gallon sprayer.

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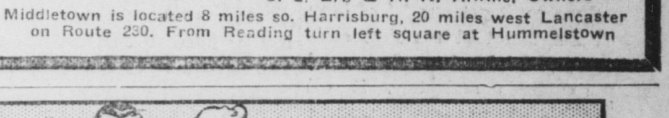
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At Middletown, Pa.
Starting Promptly at 10 o'clock
ON MONDAY, APRIL 15, 1946
All Are Accredited and Certified to Blood

We are the largest importers of Canadians in the U. S. All cattle owned and selected by us personally NO CONSIGNMENTS or COMMISSION CATTLE Have About 50 HEAD of VACCINATED HEIFERS Bred and Yearling. A few VACCINATED COWS All cattle shipped in Box and Express Cars, attendants in charge.

EVERY ANIMAL DOUBLY INOCULATED
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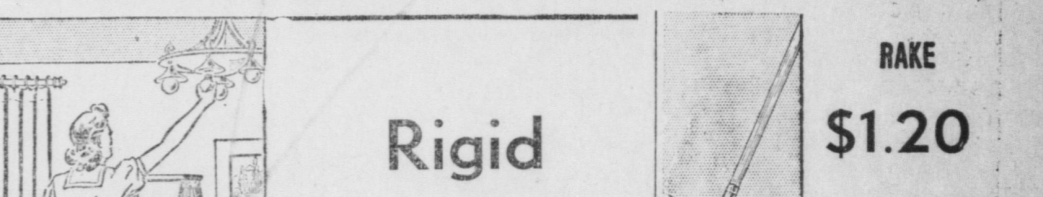
Wisconsin 11 o'clock sharp, Canadians 12:30
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