

Winners Range from Eastern Coast To Texas in Timonium Exposition

By LF Staff Reporter

TIMONIUM, Md — Winners of the 1956 Eastern National Livestock Exposition which closed here recently could not be easily pinpointed geographically. Entries from all over the nation were found competing in one of the toughest bits of competition offered at this show which gained greater prestige than ever this season.

Jack Turner, Fort Worth, Texas, found 165 head of Herefords from which to name a handful of winners from 70 bulls, 95 females. The former secretary of the American Hereford Association finally selected BW Royal Duke 45th, a two-year-old bull entered by Birdwood Farms, Charlottesville, Va, as champion. His sire was 1949 Eastern National champion, and he himself was twice champion at the Atlantic Rural Exposition in Richmond, Va.

Reserve To Nebraskans

Reserve champion Hereford bull was a Nebraska entry, shown by Ovid E. Kuhlmann, North Platte, the polled Gold Co-Pilot by Gold Mine. One of the strongest exhibitors, who won several firsts in classes but not championships, was G. Harold King, Jr., of King Herefords, Canton, Miss. Four blue ribbons were awarded King Herefords, with their TR Zato Heir 74th junior and senior get-of-sire winning top rank.

Winning female champion was the summer yearling, MCC Dominetta 62nd, entered by McCormick Farms, Medina, Ohio, with Caw Plantation, Orangeburg, N. C., winning reserve on Larrv Annette 69th, a daughter of MW Larry Domino 160th.

Pennsylvania Scores

In Polled Herefords, a Pennsylvania entry was outstanding. The summer yearling, PS Choice Larry, bred at Pennsylvania State University, won the purple. By Hillcrest Larry 9th, he was out of PSC Lady Domino, and is owned by Penn State, J. C. Burket and E. C. Bothwell of Gettysburg.

Double E Ranch, Senatobia, Miss., was tapped by Judge Al E. Dailow, Oklahoma A & M College, Stillwater, as winner in the female division, on the summer yearling EER Victor Duchess 18th by EER Victor Duke Reserve bull was shown by Mr and Mrs C. E. Knowlton, Bellefontaine, Ohio, CLK Larry Domino 133rd, and reserve champion female was from Falklands Farm, Schelsburg, Pa., BPF Pat Adv. Domino Premier exhibitor award went to Circle M Ranch, Senatobia, Miss.

Otto Nobis prominent Davenport Iowa Angus breeder, judged the show of "Blacks," which proved one of the most outstanding in Eastern National history.

From 75 bulls, he selected the senior yearling shown by Ankony and Holmby Farms, Randolph, Pa., Ankonian 32129th as grand champion Reserve went to Ankonian OB 13th. In females, leading the 119 entries was Blue Blood Lady 6th of Rippy, shown by Heckmere's Highlands, Valencia, Pa.

Topping the Shorthorn show were Corn Belt entries, the grand championship bull won by Leveledale Critic, consistent winner of Mathers Bros., Mason City, Ill. Leveledale Caesar was reserve, also shown by Mathers. Best female was Mathers' Leveledale Augusta Lass, a two-year-old, and reserve was the junior yearling HFF Gypsy Maid 2nd, shown by B. Hollis Hanson, Connorsville, Ind.

Mail Carriers, on Duty 40 Years, to Retire January 1

Serving as a rural mail carrier 40½ years, Wilson H. Duck of New Holland will retire Dec. 31, and devote his time to his hobby, cleaning and refinishing antique furniture.

Born near Akron, he will be 70 years old Dec. 24. He was with New Holland Machine Co. between 1904 and 1917, then served on the route south of New Holland the past 20 years, to Mount Tabor, Ellsworth's store, Mount Airy and the east of New Holland.

Bible Comment:

Beatitudes Are a Way Of Life

THE first portion of the Sermon on the Mount contains the Beatitudes and the words of Jesus concerning spiritual values and relationships, for those who would follow the ways of the Kingdom of Heaven.

The prevalent beatitudes of our modern world are very different from the Beatitudes of the Sermon on the Mount.

These secular beatitudes of the life surrounding us say:

"Blessed are the efficient and the self-sufficient—Blessed are the strong—Blessed are the self-assertive—Blessed are the rich and the successful—Blessed are those who are free from trouble. . . and so on.

Was Jesus right when He put the blessings His way?

"Blessed are the meek; Blessed are the poor in spirit; Blessed are the pure in heart; Blessed are they that mourn; Blessed are the persecuted; Blessed are those who hunger after righteousness."

These things do not seem to have much to do with the welfare of today's world. Yet, the more we reflect on them, the more we must realize that our very welfare depends on Jesus' Beatitudes.

Take out of a nation all the unselfish, all the kind and considerate, all who are sympathetic and helpful.

Cancel out all who place their values above all self interest and profit.

What do you have left but the morally and spiritually bankrupt?

Without a leavening of those who live by the Beatitudes, what a world we would live in!

Champ Hereford Female, Timonium



There's a reason for the smiles, for McCormick Farms' MCC Dominetta 62nd has just been crowned champion female of the strong Hereford show at the Eastern National Livestock Exposition in Timonium, Md. The Medina, Ohio owners here receive their ribbon from J. D. (Doug) Gay, Jr. (center), past president of the American Hereford Association, and owner of Brook View Farms, Pine Grove, Ky., just outside Lexington — (Lancaster Farming Photo)

Handel Messiah At Elizabethtown College Sunday

One of the highlights of the Christmas Season is always Handel's "Messiah" to be offered next Sunday afternoon in the Elizabethtown College Auditorium.

Pirol Nevill W. Fisher, head of the college music department, will conduct combined choirs from the Eastern District Church of the Brethren and the 100-voice Elizabethtown College Chorus.

Accompaniment will be by Mrs. Miriam Carper Frey of Palmyra at the organ and Mrs. Hazel Guyer, Myerstown, at the piano.

Soloists include Mrs. Louise Lamb, soprano, Lancaster; Mrs. Elizabeth Shirk Rodgers, contralto, Hanover; Harold Bucher, tenor, Palmyra; and Marlin Brightbill, baritone, North Manchester, Ind., a former Lebanon resident.

Yet while he was a rural mail carrier, Mr. Duck enjoyed the tribulations and enjoyments of farming, operating a 30-acre farm from 1919 to 1936.

He was married April 3, 1907, to Miss Emma Grace Sollenberger. They have three children, Edward S. and Mrs. Mildred G. Parker at home, and Wilson, Jr., of New Holland.



PUZZLE — How did barber Alphonse Secinero of Iron Mountain, Mich., spend his time over a recent weekend? Hint: He didn't attend an Elk's convention.

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