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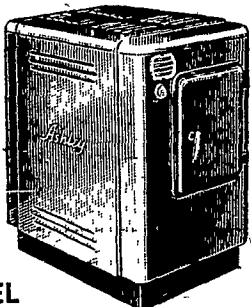


Those driving through Lancaster County countryside often encounter these historic memoirs of a day gone by — the covered bridge. "No name," we were told, this bridge is southwest of Manheim just off the Mount Joy Road.

Endslow Heads Tobacco Board

Harold B. Endslow, R1 Manheim, has been reelected to his fourth term as president of the Lancaster County Tobacco Growers. Other incumbent officers were reelected in the annual Lancaster County Tobacco Show.

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NEW HOLLAND

where exhibits were judged and displayed for the 1956 Farm Show at Harrisburg

Returning with Mr. Endslow are Lloyd Rohrer, R7 Lancaster, vice president; Herbert Royer, R5 Lancaster, secretary, and Paul W. Mannich, R2 Lititz, treasurer.

Ben E. Mann, president of the Lancaster Leaf Tobacco Board of Trade, addressed the group on "Changes Taking Place in the Tobacco Industry." Use of southern and Maryland types of tobacco has moved into a more honored, open practice than it was at one time, as growers discovered the value of southern strains when used locally.

Severe weather conditions during the growing and harvesting season were shown in the displays of tobacco entered for judging and showing at Harrisburg.

By classes, winners were: Filler B, under 26 inches long—1 Park G. Shaubach, R1 Strasburg; 2, Abner C. Brown, East Earl R1; 3, Roy M. Rohrer; 4, Donald L. Swarr, Landisville; 5, J. Arthur Swarr, Landisville.

Fuller B, over 26 inches long—1, Robert R. Shaubach, Paradise; 2, Park G. Shaubach; 3, Paul Nissley, Holtwood R2; 4, Roy M. Rohrer; 5, Bobby Shaubach, Paradise

Park G. Shaubach was the overall Filler B. champion.

Wrapper B, under 26 inches long—1, Robert R. Shaubach; 3, Paul Nissley, Holtwood R2; 4, D. Mark Huber, Lancaster R7; 5, Joseph Eshleman, Holtwood R2

Wrapper B over 26 inches long—1, Park G. Shaubach; 2, Roy M. Rohrer; 3, Jacob C. Stehman, Lancaster R6; 4, Lizzie Snyder, Manheim R4; 5, A. L. Hostetter, Manheim R1.

Park G. Shaubach was overall champion of the wrapper class.

Farm Calendar

JANUARY

Jan. 9-21 - Ice Cream for Plant Men Short Course, Pennsylvania U.

Jan. 14 - Farm Women's Society 18 guests of Society 7, Paradise Elementary School.

Jan. 16 - New Holland Farmers Day Association, Inc. annual banquet, election of officers, 6:30 p. m. American Legion Home.

Jan. 17 - Second Annual Poultry Exchange Meeting, 7:30 p. m., Elementary School, Rohrerstown

Jan. 17 - Potato Growers' meeting, Farm Bureau Auditorium, Lancaster, 7:30 p. m.

Jan. 18 - Society of Farm Women 20, sewing for American Cancer Society, home of Mrs. Thomas Ferguson, Kirkwood.

Jan. 18 - Farm Income Tax Reporting-Social Security Tax Coverage for Farmers, 7:45 p. m. Russellville Grange Hall, 4 mi. north of Oxford

Jan. 20 - New Holland 4-H Baby Beef Council Meeting, James Wolgemuth home, R1 Bareville.

Jan. 21 - Farm Women's Society 2 meeting, Rosetown Restaurant, Manheim.

Jan. 21 - Lancaster County Pomona Grange No. 71, all-day meeting, YWCA, Lancaster, 10:30 a. m.

Jan. 23-27 - Rural Electrification Short Course, Pennsylvania U.

Jan. 23-Feb. 4 - Market Milk Short Course, Pennsylvania U.

Jan. 25 - Society of Farm Women 2, home of Mrs. Oscar Long, R1 Oxford.

Jan. 25 - Rural Homemaker's club meeting at the home of Mrs. Elwood (Emily) Bickness, Frog Hollow Road - Oxford RD.

Jan. 26 - Lancaster County Agricultural Council meeting.

Jan. 28 - Farm Society No. 5 meeting, at home of Mrs. Edith Longenecker, Manheim RD 1.

Jan. 28 - The Friendly Farmers Club meeting, at the James Wood home, Nottingham.

Jan. 30, 31-Feb. 1 - Annual Conference for Fertilizer and Lime Salesmen, Pennsylvania State University.

Jan. 30-Feb. 11 - DHIA Supervisory Training, Pennsylvania U.

FEBRUARY

Feb 1-29 - Dairy Farming Short Course, Pennsylvania U.

Feb. 1-29 - Livestock Farming Short Course, Pennsylvania U.

Feb 2 - Society of Farm Women 2, home of Mrs. Joseph Best, R2, Kirkwood.

Feb. 7 - Board of Directors Meeting, Lancaster County Farmers Assn., Fred Sollenberger home, Narvon

Feb. 22 - Annual Meeting, Lancaster County District of Southeastern Pennsylvania Artificial Breeding Cooperative, Landisville Fire Hall, 7:30 p. m.

Feb 27-29 - Sheepmen's Short Course, Pennsylvania U.

MARCH

March 5-9 - Feed Dealers and Millers' Short Course, Pennsylvania U.

March 6-8 - Beef Cattle Herdsmen's Short Course, Pennsylvania U.

March 12-16 - Grassland Farming Short Course, Pennsylvania U.

Binder, under 26 inches long—1, Park G. Shaubach; 2, Lizzie Snyder, Manheim R4; 3, Roy M. Rohrer; 4, Larry Nissley, Holtwood R2; 5, Abner C. Brown.

Roy M. Rohrer was overall champion of the binder class.

Binder, over 26 inches long—1, Roy M. Rohrer; 2, Bobby Shaubach, Paradise; 3, Park G. Shaubach; 4, Robert R. Shaubach; 5, Jacob C. Stehman.

Red Rose Dairy Herd Testing Results Listed

A total of 1,615 cows in 79 herds participated in the Dec. 1955 "Owner-Sampler" cow-testing supervised by the Red Rose Dairy Herd Improvement Association of Lancaster County, according to Carl Diller, Refton, cow tester.

Seventy-nine herds were represented

Winners of the class herd production averages of 35 lbs of butterfat or higher included:

1 John M. Huber, Jr., R6 Lancaster, 12 Holstein and Guernsey cows, 1074 lbs milk, 433 butterfat, 2, J. Ammon Kreider, R4 Lebanon, 37 Holstein and Guernsey, 1218 lbs milk, 420 butterfat; 3, Herbert and Rhelda Royer, R5 Lancaster, 14 Holstein and Guernsey, 1039 lbs milk, 412 butterfat; 4, Henry B. Leaman, R4 Lancaster, 12 Holstein and Guernsey, 850 lbs milk, 40.1 butterfat; 5, H. Richard Hershey, R1 Manheim, 15 Holstein and Guernsey, 993 lbs milk, 36.0 butterfat.

High individual cows listed were 1. Howard S. Erb, R1 Man-

Guernsey Cow Makes Record For Breneman

PETERBOROUGH, N. H. — A registered Guernsey cow, Willow Bend's Barbara, owned by John A. Breneman, Willow Street, Pa., has completed a production record of 9,263 lbs of milk and 500 lbs of fat, according to the American Guernsey Cattle Club.

This production, made in the AGCC's Herd Improvement Registry, is equal to 4400 quarts of high-quality milk. "Barbara" was an eight-year-old, and was milked two times daily for 305 days while on test.

heim, "Dolly," Holstein, freshened Dec. 2, 1558 lbs milk, 58% test, 90.4 butterfat; 2, Gingrich and Snively, R4 Lebanon, "No. 8," Holstein, freshened Sept. 28, 1869 lbs milk, 4.6 test, 86.0 lbs butterfat; 3, Henry B. Leaman, R4 Lancaster, "Jenny," registered Holstein, freshened Oct. 22, 2012 lbs milk, 4.3 test, 85.5 butterfat; 4, Arthur D. Wenger, R1 Bareville, "Stella," Holstein, freshened Dec. 6, 2210 lbs milk, 4.3 test, 84.4 butterfat, and 5, Hostetter and Hess, R1 Washington Boro, "Cindy," registered Holstein, freshened Nov. 29, 1539 lbs milk, 5.2 test, 80.0 lbs butterfat.

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