

Grand Champion Steer Brings \$50 A Hundred at New Holland Auction

Twenty-five steers sold at New Holland Thursday by members of the New Holland Baby Beef Club averaged \$30.35 a hundredweight. The Grand Champion, a Hereford, was shown by Harold Leaman, 10, son of Mr and Mrs Paul R Leaman, R5 Lancaster, and sold for \$50 a hundred.

The 1,020 pound steer was purchased at the Green Country feeder calf sale at Wayneburg last November. He was fed hay and silage during the winter and then finished on grain this summer.

Leaman says that he plans to use the \$510 to buy another Hereford steer.

Reserve championship went to 13 year old Wesley Mast, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob K. Mast, R2, Elverson. The Angus was named "Max" after County Agent Max M. Smith.

"Max" came from the W. C. Cook herd at Kennett Square. He brought \$33 a hundred at the sale.

This is Mast's fourth year in the beef club. He plans to show another steer that he has at the county round-up this fall with an eye to going to Farm Show.

Here, by breeds and in order of their placings, are the weights, sales prices and buyers of the animals sold.

Hereford

Harold Leaman, 1,020, \$50, purchased by Walter B. Leaman & Son for D. B. Flory & Son, Lawn. Vernon Good, East Earl, 1,080, \$28.50, Armor & Co. Reading. Emma Mast, R2 Elverson, 1,054, \$28, Highway Food Market, Reading. Donald Groff, R1 Bareville, 975, \$30, New Holland Meat

Market Nelson Hoover, Leacock, 1,145, \$30.50, Emery Hoover, Frytown Anna Pearl Lapp, R1, Bareville, 1,105, \$29.50, Chester Specker.

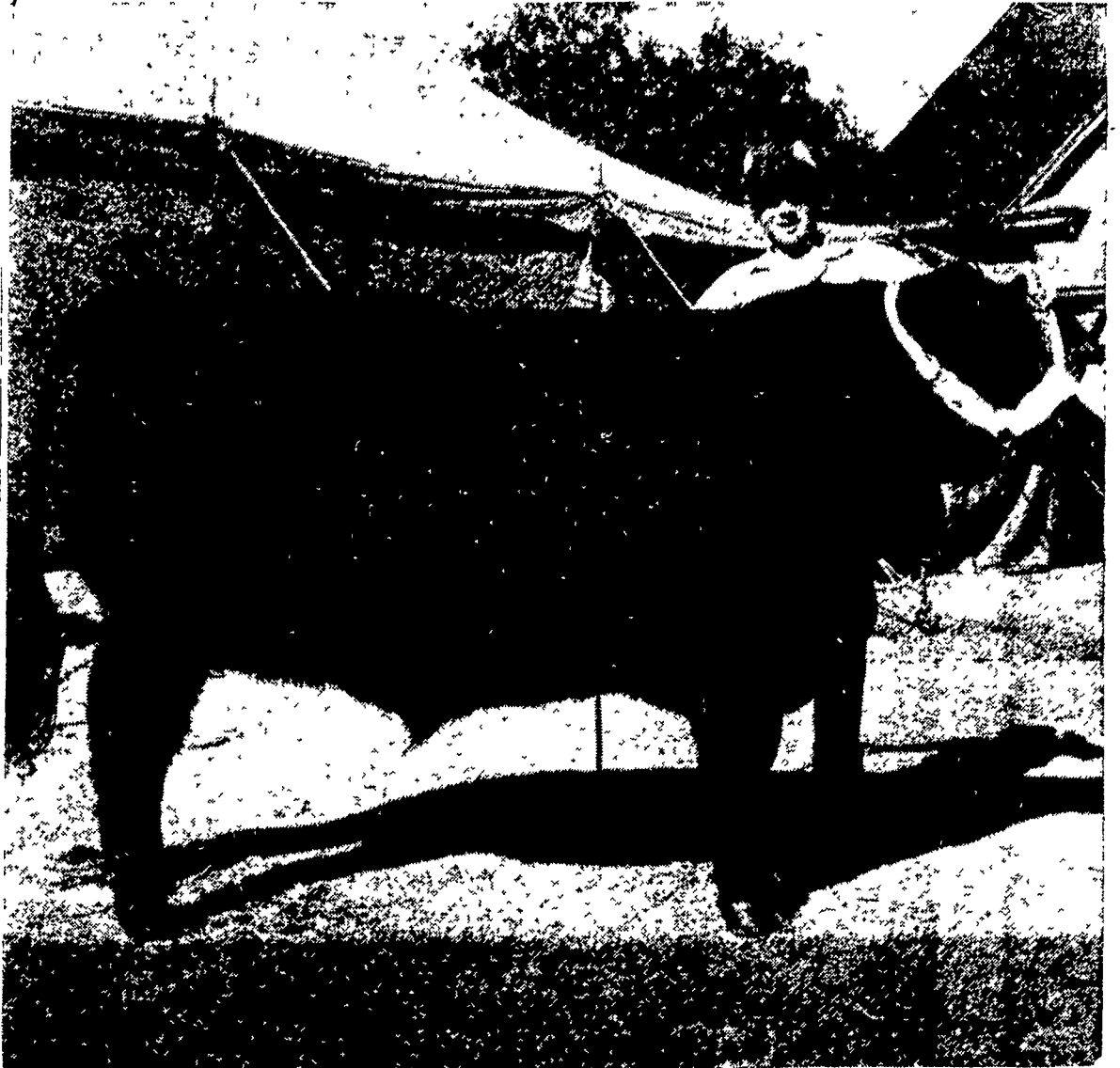
Verna Lapp, R1, Ronks, 1,265, \$29, Piersol, Philadelphia. Leon Weaver, R1 New Holland, 1,055, \$28.50, Crystal Restaurant, Reading. John Leaman, R1 Bird-in-Hand, 1,015, \$28.50, Hill & Dale Farms, Coatesville. James Hertzler, R2 Elverson, 970, \$30.50, Pezner Bros., Ashland.

Angus

Wesley Mast, R2 Elverson 1,145, \$33, Crystal Restaurant, Reading, Kenneth Lapp, R1 Ronks, 1,120, \$30.50, Mrs Ben Mellinger, Smoketown. Betty Good, R1 East Earl, 1,130, \$29, White House Market, Reading. Paul Mast, R2 Elverson, 1,000, \$30 George Breiner, Wernersville. Richard Leaman, R5 Lancaster, 910, \$30, George Breiner. Kenneth Groff, R5 Lancaster, 1,000, \$30.50, George Breiner. Kenneth Hertzler, R2 Elverson, 1,050, \$30, George Breiner. Walter Kurtz, Morgantown, 975, \$29, Angelica Stores, Angelica.

Carl Weaver R1 New Holland, 1,050, \$29, Highway Food Market. Dale Leaman, R1 Bird-in-Hand, 970, \$29.50, John Wortluff, Wernersville. Robert Groff, R1 Bareville, 1,110, \$30, Baum Bros, R1 Lansdale. Rodella Kurtz, Morgantown, 970, \$29.50, Carl Venezia, Nornstown. J. David Lapp, R1 Bareville, 1,065, \$29, K&D Food Stores Inc., Reading. James Wolgemuth, R1 Bareville, 975, \$28.50, Armor & Co.

Most of the sales made in the Reading area were bid in by buy-



IT TOOK FOUR YEARS TO DO IT, but Wesley Mast, 13, R2 Elverson, finally got in the purple this year at New Holland by having reserve champion. His father,

Jacob K. Mast, is a leader of the New Holland Club; but did not select this steer for Wesley. (LF Photo)

ers for Armor & Co., Reading.

In the swine shown at New Holland, a pair of Chester Whites belonging to Roy Mentzer, R2 New Holland, took the Grand Championship. Reserve championship was won by Thomas Kock, R1 Denver. They, too, were Chester Whites.

A pair of Spotted Poland Chinas

were third and fourth were a pair of Landrace. The third and fourth place pens were shown by Eddie Shaeffer, R2 New Holland, and Robert Hoover, R1 New Holland.

Also showing swine were Dale Herr, R1 New Holland, Yorkshires, Allen McQuate, R1 Bareville, Durocs; and Kathy Stauffer,

R1 New Holland, Spotted Poland Chinas.

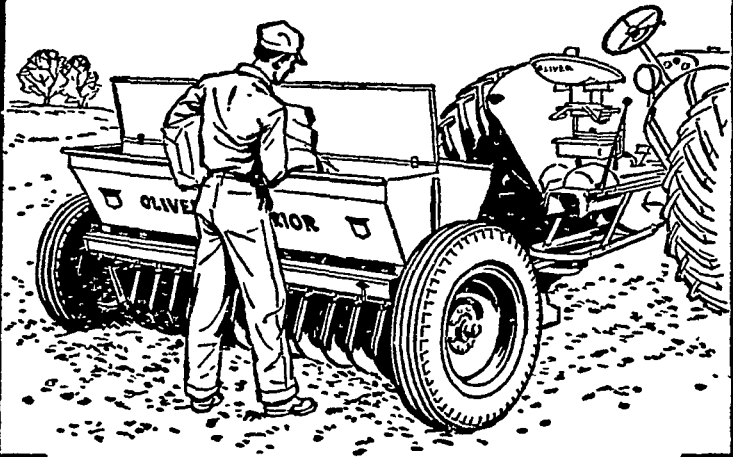
In the showing contest for the baby beef club, J. David Lapp was first, second was Paul Mast and Anna Pearl Lapp was third.

In the fitting contest Paul Mast was first, followed by Vernon Good and Harold Leaman.

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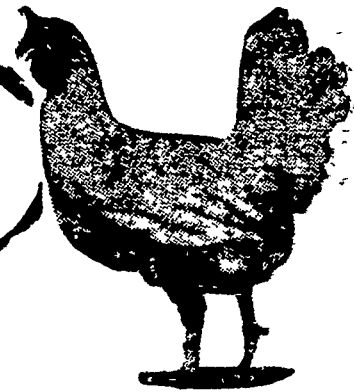
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