

County Exhibitors "Star" at Keystone

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Fred Kaiser, Ellicott, Maryland, won the grand championship in steer truckload competition. John McDowell, Mercer, Mercer County, had the reserve champion load. All animals in the show were Angus, five steers per truck load.

Both top pens were medium weight, 1,051 to 1,200 pounds.

Old Home Manor, Homer City, Indiana County, Pa, showed the top load of lightweight steers.

Five loads were entered in the show. John W Sangrey, Conestoga, Lancaster County, Pa, had the third place load in the medium weight division, and a load entered by Elwood G Buss, Jr., Nazareth, Northampton County, Pa., was fourth.

McDowell's entry had placed second in the class.

In the Hampshire Market Barrow division, Stauffer Homestead Farm, East Earl, won nine placings in all classes, including a pair of second place ribbons, one third place, a fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh.

Millarden Farms, Annville, Lebanon County, exhibited the champion Hampshire Market Barrow Strawbridge and McCleary, Stewartstown, York county, had reserve champion.

Millarden had a clean sweep of the champion and reserve champion pen of three class with grand and reserve champion pens of Hamps. They had four first place standings in market barrow competition, a second, two thirds and several lesser placings.

Oscar W Anderson & Sons, Lehigh, Illinois, won three of four

China market barrow competition.

In addition to winning the grand champion single barrow banner, Anderson showed both grand and reserve champion pens of three barrows.

Anderson last year won the grand championship in the single barrow class.

Arnold Yake & Sons, Cardington, Ohio, won the grand championship in the single-barrow division of the Berkshire market hog show. Reserve champion honors were taken by James Martin, Hempstead, Maryland.

In the pen of three barrow division, both grand and reserve

championships were won by Yake.

Milton A Starman, Quincy, Ill., snared three of four top China market barrow division awards in the Spotted Poland Starman showed the champion Spotted Poland China barrow and won the championship and reserve championship in the pen of three class.

Marvin Ridgeway and Sons, Wabash, Ind., won reserve champion honors in the Spotted Poland China class with a medium weight barrow.

J E Lanus and Son, York won nine placings in the Poland China Market Barrow division. The York county farm exhibited in every weight class of the division.

Eugene G Boeshore, Jones-town, Lebanon county, had a trio of second division placings.

Yorkshire Market Barrows
Park F. Thomas, Beavertown, Snyder County, Yorkshire swine

breeder won the grand championship in the single animal division of the market barrow show.

Winning reserve champion in the singles was Umbrian Farms, Lafayette, New Jersey.

Clair and Bary Flinchbaugh, Felton, York County, Pa, showed the grand champion pen of three Yorkshire barrows and Old Home Manor, Homer City, Indiana County, Pa, took the reserve championship.

The Pennsylvania State University won grand championship honors with its Southdown ram in the 1958 National Southdown Breeders Show, which is being held in conjunction with the Exposition.

The winning animal, a yearling ram named 'Penn State Lad 5701,' was shown by Carroll Shaffner Penn State hepheld.

Reserve champion Southdown ram was shown by James Lightfoot of Woodbury, Connecticut. The ram lamb is named "Lightfoot 5859."

Carroll Shaffner, shepherd for the Pennsylvania State University, showed a Penn State Hampshire wether to the grand championship in individual competition and his son, Terry A Shaffner, exhibited the grand champion pen of three Southdowns wethers.

Penn State's wins were repeats from the first Keystone International last year when the University dominated the show in the market lamb divisions.

Alex McKenzie, Oklahoma, State University, Stillwater, judged the sheep show.

The elder Shaffner also exhibited the champion Southdown ewe,

'Penn State Lady 5718' W R Bowers, Ashtabula, Ohio, had reserve champion with "Southridge 53."

The champion lamb carcass on-rail (butchered) was shown by Warren Squires, of Centerville, Ohio. The slaughtered Southdown wether lamb had won fourth place in the judging of on-foot classes.

Reserve champion lamb carcass, a Hampshire, that had won third place in Monday's judging was shown by Fred Stivers and Son, of Sardinia, Ohio.

James W Lightfoot, of Woodbury, Connecticut won the champion Shropshire ram award with his breeding ram named "F H Vahlsing 578."

Lightfoot also exhibited the champion Shropshire breeding ewe named "F H Vahlsing 605."

William E Levis, owner of the Castalia Farms, Castalia, Ohio, won the top Corriedale sheep award with a champion ram named "W L 1847," in judging at the second annual Pennsylvania Live Stock Exposition in the Farm Show Building.

Lunford Farms, Monterey, Va,

showed the grand champion ram in the Hampshire sheep show of the Pennsylvania National Livestock Exposition. Name of the winner was "Carter Hare," dropped January 1, 1957.

Lunford Farms also showed the champion ewe, "L F 57-20," a yearling.

Lunford Farms also copped the exhibitor's flock award, had the best pen of three ewe lambs, best pen of three yearling ewes, and best pen of three ram lambs.

George W Corion, McCormick, Ohio showed both the grand and reserve champion Chester White market barrow at the Pennsylvania National Livestock Exposition. The grand champion was a heavyweight (221 to 240 pound) and the reserve winner a lightweight (183 to 200 pounds).

Jim Hazlett of Tarentum, Pa. made a clean sweep in the Duroc market swine division. The Allegheny County breeder showed animals that took the individual champion and reserve champion honors in the open weight division and the champion and reserve champion pen of three, any weight.

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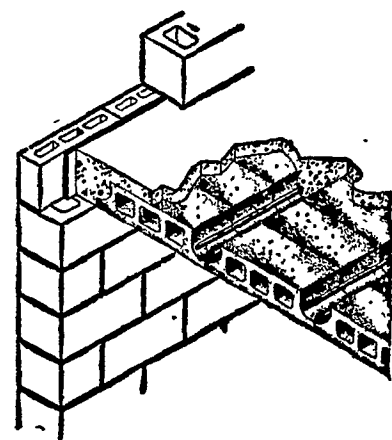
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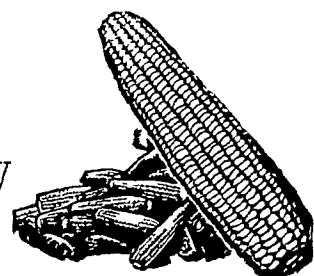
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