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THURST-DIXIE PRETTY POSES with her owner, Ralph Edwin Harnish II at the show after being named Grand Champion Female Ayrshire of the show. The 14-month-old heifer to five grand championships, six junior championships, a senior championship, and seven first place class ribbons. Dixie has yet to be beaten in class. —LF PHOTO

County Show Exhibitors Bring Home The Ribbons

Lancaster County exhibitors proved their right to claim the title Garden Spot for their home base this week as they carried off a goodly portion of the blue and some of the purple rosettes in the hotly contested judging events at the state farm show this week.

Grand championship awards in the livestock divisions went to Ralph Edwin Harnish, Christiana R1, for his Ayrshire Heifer and to Glenn Foreman, Manheim R4, for his Angus steer. Masonic Homes Farms showed the Grand Champion Ayrshire Bull. Reserve awards were picked up by Fred Hess of Bareville R1 with his fat Hampshire Lamb, and C.

Warren Leininger, Denver, showed his junior spring spotted Poland China Gilt to the reserve spot in that breed.

The only exhibitor of breeding sheep from the county, Mrs. Milton Morgen, of 1916 New Holland Pike, won red ribbons with her young Suffolk ram and ewe and a blue ribbon with her pen of three lambs.

In the crops division, Lancaster county exhibitors virtually made a clean sweep of the tobacco judging. Paul Trimble, Quarryville R1, took first place for the second consecutive year, in the 4-H corn competition, while David M. Landis took first (Turn to page 12)

Author Speaks

'Open Space and Urban Sprawl'

"Open Space and Urban Sprawl" is the title of the address which will be delivered by William H. Whyte, Jr., Associate Editor of Fortune Magazine, at a forum sponsored by the Conestoga Valley Association on January 18.

Local government and farm officials will join with

Mr. White in discussing some of the problems facing areas of industrial and domestic housing development when the forum convenes at 8:00 p.m. in the Armstrong Auditorium.

Summations of the local problems will be given by (Turn to page 9)

Don't forget the Chicken Barbecue at Poultry Center today! Delicious Golden Brown Halves of Chicken cooked over outdoor charcoal fires and wrapped in foil. At 5 p.m. at the Poultry Center, Roseville and the 230 by-pass. First come — first served.

County Hatchery Owner Addresses State Session

The problem of poultry raisers lies in surplus production, Martin Musser, Mt. Joy poultryman, said at the 1960 Pennsylvania Farm Show held this week at Harrisburg.

There need only be a few percentage points of surplus

to demoralize the market, he said. For every one percent of surplus, there is a drop of several percent in price.

Speaking on "The Bank's Relation to Poultry Farming," Musser, who is a suc- (Turn to page 12)

4-H Baby Beef Title Returned To Lancaster Co.

Glen Foreman, 18, Manheim, R4, who won the grand championship in 4-H Baby Beeves at the 1957 Farm Show repeated with "Rex II", 980 pound Angus. His second grand championship steer was named for "Rex", his winner three years ago, also an Angus. "Rex II" was bred by Mark Hosler, Manheim R3.

Foreman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Foreman, and a senior in Manheim Central High School, has been feeding 4-H steers for eight years and has shown at three Farm Shows. "Rex II" weighed 435 pounds when Foreman started feeding him November 23, 1958. (Turn to page 10)

Rose DHIA Plans Banquet

The Rose Dairy Herd Association has selected the speaker for the annual banquet which will be held in Hostetter's Hall, Mount Joy on Friday evening January 15.

The speaker is Mr. Earl D. Diller, president of Warners, Inc. of York. Mr. Diller has often been selected as a world traveler and has visited forty countries and has (Turn to page 10)

Calendar

8 — 7:30 p.m. - 4-H tractor at Lancaster Farm Equip-

9 — Open Space and Urban Sprawl forum at Armstrong's Auditorium. William Whyte, Jr., speaker.

9 — 7:30 p.m. - 4-H tractor club at Matz Farm Equipment.

10 — 1:30 p.m. - Wide Fruit meeting at Lancaster County Bureau, Diller-

11 — Disease and specialists from the county will be present.

11 — Meeting of (Turn to page 12)



PROMENADE ALL AROUND THE RING as the square dance team from the Fulton Grange won a blue ribbon in competition on Tuesday evening. Square dancers are right to left, Cathy Gilbert, Christiana; Clair Murphy, Peach Bottom; Beverly Styer, Drumore; Earle Gilbert, Christiana; Nancy Jane Groff, Greene; Gerhard Neustadter, Holtwood R1; Dottie Black, Peach Bottom; and Stanley Stauffer, Quarryville R1. Alternate on the team but not shown was Karol Styer, Drumore. Two other teams from the senior extension club in the county won red ribbons in the contest. All three teams were in the mixed age division. —LF PHOTO

FIVE-DAY WEATHER FORECAST

Saturday - Wednesday

Temperatures for the next five days will average about 2 degrees below normal. Normal temperatures for this time of year range from a low of 25 at night to 40 in the afternoon. Colder over the weekend, warmer Monday, colder Tuesday or Wednesday. Rain or snow likely on Monday and again on Wednesday. Precipitation during the past week was .37 inch of rain, freezing rain, sleet, and snow on the 12th and 13th, and the rain on Friday bringing the total to over .6 inch for the week.