

County Hatchery

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Successful Lancaster county farmer and director of the Unsuccessful Lancaster county farmer and director of the Union Nat'l Bank, addressed the Penna Poultry Association. He said "there is no use kidding ourselves about the future." Farm prices probably are not going to average much better than between 75 and 80 per cent of parity for 1960, he added.

"If the situation during the years 1960 to 1965 parallel the recent past in over-all economy, there probably will be continued surplus of stocks and a continued imbalance between production and consumption."

He anticipates integration in the poultry business will continue but points out that it is up to the poultrymen themselves to whether it will be private firms, farmers cooperatives or big farmers who will do the job.

However, he doubts that egg production will move to a few intensely developed areas, as has happened with broilers. The poultry farm, as it is known in Lancaster county, will continue to be an important factor in the poultry industry, even though the size of the poultry unit may be larger in the future than it has been in the past.

Musser concluded that the solution to the problem of the farm surplus rests with gradual reduction in the amount of support for farm crops during the next few years

Mrs Milton Eberly, Elizabethtown R3, was elected Director of the Society of Farm Women of Pennsylvania.

County Show

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in the 10 ear hybrid dent open class for a repeat win. Daniel Brubaker, Ephrata R1, led the scoring in the vegetable division by collecting five blue ribbons. County orchardists collected seven blue ribbons for apple exhibits with Masonic Home Farms accounting for five of the top awards.

Ralph Gamber, State St, Lancaster led county beekeepers to a total of five blues, as the collective county exhibit, completed by Gamber, was named top state award.

Students of Vocational Home making at Lititz won 14 ribbons for their projects in home improvement, food and clothing.

In the open classes in the home making department, Mrs. Daniel A. Brubaker, of Ephrata led the parade with 10 ribbons of the 56 won

by county homemakers.

Following is a partial list of the winners of County exhibitors.

VOCATIONAL CORN

1. Harold Lynn Hess, Intercourse; 3. Abram Harnish, Lancaster R6; 4. Samuel L. Metzler, Holtwood R1; 8. Merium Kreider, Willow Street R1.

4-H CORN

Southeastern Counties — 1. Paul D Trimble, Quarryville R1; 2. Billy Hackman, E-town R3; 3. Donald B. Trimble, Quarryville R1; 4. Gerald Hess, Washington Boro; 5. Gordon Shive, York County.

MILK

Farmers whose milk scored 92 per cent or higher: Melvin R. Stoltzfus, Ronks R1 and Howard D. Wagner, Quarryville R2.

Dairies whose milk scored 92 per cent or better. Queen Dairies Inc, Lancaster and Turkey Hill Dairy,

Farm Calendar

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Nurserymen, greenskeepers and custom sprayers at the Farm Bureau Auditorium. Dr. Carlton Taylor from PSU is speaker.

7:30 p.m. — Disease and insect pests and their control on farm crops. Meeting with extension specialists from the state university at Singer's display room at Ronks.

7.30 — D.H. I. A. banquet. Red Rose Dairy Herd Im-

provement Association at Hostetter's Banquet. Hall Mount Joy.

January 21, 7:30 p.m.—Annual meeting and reading of the constitution of the Lancaster County leader's council, Farm Bureau Auditorium, Dillerville road, Lancaster.

9:30 a.m. Lancaster County Vegetable Growers meeting at Hostetter's hall, Mount Joy.

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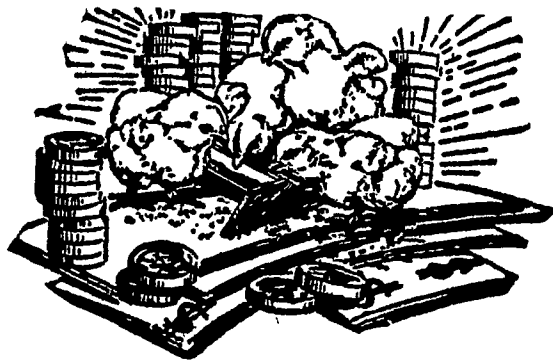
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