

## Meats Take One Quarter Of Food Dollar

The Nation's meat industry is the largest food business in the world, says Mrs. Sandra M. Eaton, associate extension home economist, Chester County.

Americans spent \$16 billion for beef, pork, veal, and lamb in 1961. That's about one-fourth of all moneyspent for food during the year, and averages about \$277 for each family.

Despite rising costs meat is still a good buy, she points out. In the early 1920's, the annual meat bill amounted to about \$34 for each person and bought 134 pounds of meat. By 1961, the meat bill, at about \$90 for each person, was almost three times as high, and bought 161 pounds of meat.

Even more important to the family budget is that only 4.5 per cent of the take-home pay was needed to buy meat in 1961. Forty years ago the meat bill required 6.7 per cent of the take-home pay.

The percentage of income spent on meat declined because incomes are higher than they were four decades ago. Also, today's farmer can raise more hogs, beef cattle, and sheep with considerably less time and labor. Better farm management, greater use of machinery, and improved foods help the farmer to produce more meat for consumers at a reasonable price.

### • Have You Heard?

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Look carefully when backing your car from the garage or driveway.

Dispose of all trash, rubbish, discarded furniture, papers, and worn-out appliances.

### Why Have Press Cloths?

The main purpose of a press cloth is to protect fabrics from direct heat of the iron and provide needed moisture for some fabrics.

You need press cloths when pressing details on the right side of garments made from some fabrics.

A good press cloth is smooth, seamless, lintless and free from sizing. Choose wool cheesecloth, muslin drill or a commercial cloth. A good all-purpose press cloth is a square yard of fine quality cheesecloth used single or double.

### This An That

Lighting experts remind us not to use lighted valances in rooms with low ceilings. Instead use lighted wall-to-wall cornice mounted at the ceiling. This makes the ceiling appear higher.

Enhance your savory dinner stew with a topping of perky parsley pinwheels. Roll out biscuit dough to a rectangle, brush dough with melted butter, sprinkle with chopped parsley, roll like jelly roll, and cut into slices. Place slices cut side up on top of hot stew and bake until crusty brown.

A recent survey that had to do with breakfast foods and habits reveals that a man who eats a satisfying breakfast is likely to be a man successful in his work and attached to his home and family. With these facts in mind, why not try to make breakfasts in your home more appetizing and more appealing? Homemade muffins will be a special treat and you'll find other hot breads lend variety and interest to this first meal of the day.

## Six Winners To State 4-H Horse Show

Six members of Lancaster County's two 4-H Light horse and pony clubs won the right to ride in nine classes in state competition at the district show last Saturday.

The show at Ludwig's Corners, Chester County, was an elimination for the state competition November 5 in Harrisburg during the Pennsylvania Livestock Exposition. First and second place winners in district competition will be eli-

gible to enter the state finals.

Miss Barbara Shoemaker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bus Shoemaker, Quarryville R2, was top county winner with three first place ribbons. The fifteen year old horsewoman was champion in the pole bending, western reining and clover leaf race classes. She also won a third ribbon in a Western Pleasure class.

Michael Shoemaker, Barbara's brother, and Gerald Wagner, also of Quarryville R2, were the only other countians to win first place ribbons. Second place winners who will be eligible for state competition include Fred Shaub, Quarryville R2, Mary Anna Brinkley, Quarryville R3, and Harold Groff, Manheim R2.

## Co. Dairymen Win Ribbons In State Show

Local breeders of Holstein cattle won six placings in the state Black and White show last week at the Farm Show building in Harrisburg.

The only first place award coming to the county was in a dam-daughter class which was won by Herbert and Rhonda Royer, 2025 Oregon Pike, Lancaster.

Melvin Peifer, Willow Street won a sixth place ribbon in the junior heifer calf class. In the junior yearling heifer class J. Mowery Frey, Jr., 1717 Hans Herr Drive, Lancaster took a third place ribbon, and

Robert E. Pepple, Oxford R1, brought home a seventh award.

J. Robert Hess, Strasburg R1, won a third award with a two year old heifer (never fresh), while Averril Lindell Royer, 2025 Oregon Pike, won fifth with her two year old heifer.

Grand champion female was the aged cow of Paul and Lucille Fissel of Biglerville. An aged bull won the championship for Howard Weiss of Myerstown.

### Winter Wheat

Redcoat, Pennoll, Seneca and Dual are the recommended winter wheat varieties for Penna., says Elmer C. Pifer, Penn State extension agronomist.

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