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GRAND CHAMPION DAIRY ANIMALS at the Manheim Farm Show are exhibited by their owners, l to r, Judy Ann Flory, Lititz R2, Ayrshire, and John Shelly, Manheim R1, Holstein. L. F. Photo

Shelly, Flory Divide Manheim Dairy Awards

Glenlap Sir Roburke Sarah, a seven-year-old Holstein cow from the herd of John Shelly, Manheim R1, was backed up by three stablemates on her march to the grand championship Thursday at the Manheim Farm Show.

Thirteen-year-old Judy Ann Flory, Lititz R2, showed her four-year-old 4-H Ayrshire cow to the championship in that breed. The win was the third consecutive grand championship for Florydale Beautena at the Manheim show. During her last lactation she produced

11,343 pounds of milk and 434 pounds of butterfat. She was bred in the herd of Lloyd and Maxine Flory Judy's parents, and was Judy's first 4-H project heifer.

The Shelly cow was also named senior champion and best uddered cow in the show. She stood second in her class at Manheim last year, but was best uddered cow at that show. She has over 200 pounds of butterfat for the first two tests in her present lactation, and produced 670 pounds of butterfat in more than 17,000 pounds of milk during her last lactation. She was purchased as an open heifer from the herd of Christ Lapp, Oxford.

All four cows competing for

senior championship in the Holstein division, were from the Shelly herd.

Earl Stauffer, Ephrata R1, showed his Holstein junior yearling to the junior championship, and Sandra Eshleman took the Ayrshire junior title with a senior calf.

Following are the other placings in the show.

AYRSHIRES

Junior bull calf — 1, Judy Ann Flory, Lititz R2.

Junior calf — 1, Donna Eshleman, Elizabethtown R1.

Senior calf — 1, Sandra Eshleman, Elizabethtown R1 (Junior Champion); 2, Ken-

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County Boys Attend Nat'l FFA Conclave

Twenty seven Future Farmers from Lancaster County will attend the national FFA convention in Kansas City next week.

Five of the blue jacketed farm boys will go as state officers, two as American farmers, seven as state winners of the parliamentary procedure contest, ten as chapter delegates, and three as state winners in livestock judging.

Largest contingents will be going from Solanco and New Holland High Schools with nine from each. Four boys will be going from Pequea Valley three from Penn Manor, and one each from Donegal and Lampeter Strasburg.

Following is a list of the boys by schools.

Solanco

Donald Trimble, American farmer Degree; Robert Wenger, state officer; Larry Trout, Charles Craig III, Kenneth Whiteside, William Ulrich, John Frey, Jay Ranck, and R.

Gamelands Tour To Be Tomorrow

Sportsmen and others interested in the outdoors have been invited to tour the state gamelands at Mount Gretna tomorrow, according to Steve Mace, game protector.

Tours will begin at 1 p.m. tomorrow, Oct 6, from the Pinch Road near Mount Gretna. Signs will be erected to direct. (Continued on Page 11)

Co. ASCS Office Moves In Dec.

The county office of the U.S. Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Service will move out of downtown Lancaster on December 1, it was learned this week.

Miss Dorothy Neel, ASCS office manager, said several

Freeman Pledges Probe Of Milk 'Juggling' Charge

Secretary of Agriculture, Orville L. Freeman pledged an investigation of alleged "juggling" by milk handlers under federal orders after an impassioned comment by a New Jersey Dairyman Tuesday at Harrisburg.

Speaking at one of a series of "Report and Review" meetings in the Zembo Mosque, Secretary Freeman said, "If there is any monkey business going on in a Federal Milk Marketing Order area, I will send somebody up to take a look at it."

The statement followed an excited attack on the handling of milk in the South Jersey area, and the allegation that most of the so-called milk surplus is on paper only.

Calling Federal Orders, "A license for handlers to steal the farmers' milk" an unidentified dairyman said dealers ship milk back and forth between plants to create a "paper surplus" which results in a lower Class I utilization percentage and consequently a lower blend price.

In an interview after the meeting, Pennsylvania Secre-

tary of Agriculture, Lee Bull, confirmed that there has been some "juggling" of milk within the orders both "in the east and in the west".

Bull said his department is supplying personnel to aid the state Justice Department in investigations of reports and rumors of mishandling by milk dealers.

However, Lin Huber, newly appointed chairman of the Pennsylvania Milk Control (Continued on Page 4)

Cloisters FFA Wins Judging At Lampeter

Cloister Chapter Future Farmers of America won their second consecutive county FFA judging trophy at Lampeter Fair with an average of 568.5 out of a possible 800 points.

The Ephrata boys outpointed their nearest rivals, Grasslands Chapter, also runners up last year, by a margin of 32.8 points per boy.

In individual scoring, Roy Bowman, New Holland R1, scored top points with 664.5. Runner up was Thomas Zartman, Ephrata R1 with 663.8. The boys judged four classes of dairy, two of beef, one of hogs and one of poultry.

Edward Redcay, Reinholds R1 was top dairy judge with 347 points, while Roy Musser, East Earl R1, had 382.3 points to top the livestock division.

Following are the results compiled at a meeting of the county vocational agriculture teachers at Solanco Thursday night. Elizabethtown Chapter totals were incomplete. Results will be printed next week.

DAIRY

1. Edward Redcay, Reinholds R1, Cloister 347; 2. Roy Bowman, New Holland R1, Grasslands 332.9; 3. Melvin Sauder, Manheim R.D., Manheim 326.5; 4. Thomas Zartman, Ephrata R1, Cloisters 326; 5. Donald Diem, Stevens R1, Cloisters 322.6; 6. David Merkey, Stevens R1, Cloisters 321.8; 7. Earl Wenger, Quarryville R1, Solanco 320.1; 8. Benjamin Nolt, Manheim R.D., Manheim 317.6; 9. Daniel Say- (Continued on Page 12)

FIVE-DAY WEATHER FORECAST

Near normal temperatures are expected during the next five days. Normal temperatures for this time of year range from 48 at night to 70 in the afternoon. Precipitation is expected to total more than a half inch falling as scattered showers during the middle of the period and as rain near the end of the period.

Farm Calendar

Oct. 6 — 1-5 p.m. — Tour of Mount Gretna State Game Lands.

Oct. 7 — 8 p.m. — County 4-H leaders council meets at the Farm Bureau Cooperative building, Dillerville Pike.

Oct. 8, 9, 10 — Northeastern Poultry Producers Council (NEPPCO) show in Harrisburg.

Oct. 8, 9, 10 — Greenhouse operators and florists short course at The Pennsylvania State University.

Oct. 8 — 7:30 p.m. — Watershed meeting sponsored by Soil Conservation District at Senseng's Market, Rt. 322 west of Ephrata.

Oct. 9 — 8 p.m. — Enrollment meeting for Red Rose Baby Beef and Lamb club, in Rohrerstown Elementary School.

Oct. 9, 10, 11 — National Future Farmers of America convention in Kansas City.

Oct. 11 — 7:30 p.m. — Boots and Saddles 4-H horse and pony club meets at the