

John E. Esh Herd Has High Average In Red Rose DHIA

John E. Esh, Gordonville R1, won a gold rosette for high herd average in the Red Rose Dairy Herd Improvement Association during 1963.

The award was presented Thursday at the association's annual meeting and banquet in the Host Motel, Lancaster.

The Esh herd of 22 registered Holsteins led the parade of 12 county herds winning gold rosettes for averages of over 600 pounds of butterfat per cow during the testing year.

The high herd had an average of 687 pounds of butterfat and 18,539 pounds of milk.

Averages of the other herds winning gold rosettes were as follows: Furry H. Frey, 1343 Gypsy Hill Road, 36 registered and grade Holsteins, 16,801 pounds of milk and 649 pounds of fat; Dan S. Stoltzfus, Mount Joy R1, 22 registered and grade Holsteins, 16,790 pounds of milk and 639 pounds of fat; Ivan G. Martin, Ephrata R1, 21 registered and grade Holsteins, 15,384 pounds of milk and 625 pounds of fat; Jacob K. Stoltzfus, Honey Brook R1, 24 registered Holsteins, 16,875 pounds of milk and 623 pounds of fat; Christ K. Lapp and Son, Gap R2, 33 registered Holsteins, 14,700

● Poultry Auction

(Continued from Page 1) they would market their contract broilers through private treaty with a processor.

Directors said that in the face of this development they "couldn't justify continuing the exchange auction." The final auction is scheduled for January 30.

In a statement Wednesday night, the association board said the exchange "had served the poultry industry well during its nine-year period of operation."

"We believe the auction has made a real contribution to the local poultry industry and we deeply regret the lack of support made our action necessary."

Directors said the poultry center, built at a cost of \$65,000 in 1957, would continue to serve as headquarters for the county association.

Much of the money to construct the poultry association headquarters, site of the weekly auction, was contributed by local sponsors.

A spokesman for the board said the association would continue to occupy the center, "at least until such a time as the Lancaster County Agricultural Center is built."

The association two years ago recommended selling the poultry center and renting offices in the proposed farm and home center when the structure was built.

In other business directors elected Charles M. Texter, 514 W. Walnut St., Lancaster, president of the board.

Texter, sales manager for Hubbard Farms, Inc., Lancaster, succeeded Daniel K. Good, Columbia R1 poultry processor.

The new president was elected to a three-year term on the association's board of directors Monday night at the annual meeting.

Other officers elected during a reorganization meeting at the Lancaster Poultry Center, 340 W. Roseville Rd., were John Copenhaver, Elizabethtown, vice president; Carl Harnish, Lancaster R6, secretary, and Aaron J. Brubaker, 1836 Marlette Pike, Elizabethtown, treasurer.

pounds of milk and 617 pounds of fat.

Also, Vincent H. Hoover, New Providence R1, 19 registered Holsteins, 15,578 lbs of milk and 615 pounds of fat; Amos B. Lapp, Gordonville R1, 28 registered and grade Holsteins, 16,190 pounds of milk and 614 pounds of fat; Samuel A. Dum, 2191 Greystone Road, East Petersburg, 25 registered Holsteins, 15,636 pounds of milk and 607 pounds of fat; Stanley G. Greiner, Manheim R4, 21 registered and grade Holsteins, 15,642 pounds of milk and 606 pounds of fat; Eli M. Kauffman, Elverson R1, 25 registered Holsteins, 15,507 pounds of milk and 603 pounds of fat; and Elam B. Beiler, Gordonville R1, 34 registered and grade Holsteins, 14,641

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BREED WINNERS

High county herds in the other breeds were, Guernsey, Raymond and Louise Witmer, Willow Street R1, 46 cows, 11,751 pounds of milk and 594 pounds of fat, mixed breeds, John M. Harnish, Elizabethtown R1, 35 cows, 14,833 pounds of milk and 591 pounds of fat; Jersey (tie), William J. Aaron, Quarryville R1, 38 cows, 12,957 pounds of milk and 511 pounds of fat, and Robert W. Ulrich, Quarryville R1, 44 cows, 9,196 pounds of milk and 511 pounds of fat. Ayrshire, Eli N. Martin, Stevens R1, 31 cows, 11,763 pounds of milk and 490 pounds of fat.

Herbert Gilmore, state DHIA fieldman, told the group that state milk and butterfat averages in 1963 were the highest in history. He said that the 157,000 cows completing records averaged 11,993 pounds of milk and 470 pounds of

butterfat. This is just twice the average of 235 pounds of fat for the first DHIA testing year in Pennsylvania.

He said 134 herds in the state had over 600 pound averages and three had more than 700 pounds, and "I think production is going to continue to increase." A total of 184 county herds made over 500 lbs. Eight new directors were announced by president Jason Weaver. New directors and their associations were 2. Kenneth Shoemaker, Kirkwood R1; 3. Victor Conger, 212 Pitney Road, Lancaster, 5, Curtis Aker, Quarryville R1, 8, Robert Breneman, Stras-

burg R1; 11. Clair Quarryville R2; 14. Kreider, Quarryville; Harry Breneman, Quarryville R2, and 9, Lerov Narvon R2.

Woodlot Safety E. P. Farrand, forester at Penn State, farmers to be extra careful to prevent injury while working farm woodlots this winter. Sure axe handles are solidly mounted, shut motor of the power chainsaw when filling with gas, and use proper technique of falling trees.

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Farmalls 400, 300, 350, 240, 350D, "H", "M", Super A, Model "C" Cub; Allis Chalmers WD, Backhoe with front end loader, Super MTA, 450 Diesel and 450 Gas, T-340 Crawler with loader and numerous models of other makes.

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