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STATE CHAMPIONS IN THE FFA PARLIAMENTARY Procedure Contest Penn State this week were the members of the Grassland Chapter at New Holland. They are, seated, left to right, Nelson Wert, New Holland R1; Kenneth Martin, Denver R1; Leon Weaver, New Holland R1, and Fred Nolt, New Holland. Standing, left to right, Roy Musser, East Earl R1; Clyde Wissler, New Holland R1; John Campbell, New Holland, and Walter Musser, Narvon R1.

L. F. Photo.

County Future Farmers Win 26 State Awards

Twenty-six awards were won by Lancaster County Future Farmers of America at the annual State FFA Week on the Pennsylvania State University campus which concluded yesterday.

The state championship for parliamentary procedure went to a team from Garden Spot High School, New Holland, which included Ken Martin, Clyde Wissler, Fred Nolt, Walter Musser, Leon Weaver, Nelson Wert, John Campbell and Roy Musser. Their teacher-coaches are Robert Herr and Gene Daugherty. Their prize will be a trip in or near Pennsylvania.

Gold medals in Farm Mechanics, in which 129 contestants took part, were won by Jay Herr, Lampeter-Strasburg, and Wilmer Shertzer, of Penn Manor. Other winners in the

same division were Philip Ehrhart, Warwick, silver medal, Paul R Weaver, Ephrata, and James Nolt, Donegal, bronze medals, Donald Herr, Lampeter-Strasburg, honorable mention.

Another gold medalist was James Esbenshade, Solanco, who placed first over 22 contestants in tractor operation and maintenance. He will compete in the State Farm Show.

William J Shirk and Robert Mohler, both of Garden Spot, were gold medal winners in the land judging contest, in

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Wivell And Weaver Named 4-H Leaders

Harry Weaver, New Holland and Virginia Wivell, Columbia R1, were elected co-leaders of the joint Lancaster County 4-H Council at the county 4-H convention Monday.

Weaver, representing the New Holland 4-H Baby Beef Club, was named president of the council's agricultural unit. A 1963 graduate of Garden Spot High School, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Weaver.

Wivell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wivell, will be the home economics director. She was a delegate of

the Elizabethtown-Donegal 4-H Community Club and a June graduate of Donegal High School.

The Council, composed of 20 members elected by community and commodity 4-H delegates, coordinates the 4-H youth program in Lancaster County. The election convention was held at the Lancaster Poultry Center, 430 W Roseville Rd.

Other officers elected for the agricultural unit are James Houser, Lampeter, vice president, Carol Hess, Strasburg R1, secretary, Jerry Snadei, Ephrata.

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Small Grains Field Day Thurs.

Seed certification procedures, research on farm crops and pest control will feature a Small Grains Field Day program 1-3:30 p.m., Thursday, at Southeastern Field Research Laboratory near Landisville.

Henry F. Nixon, director of the Bureau of Plant Industry, Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture, will discuss seed certification, a BPI program.

Mac A. Campbell, State College, of USDA plant pest control, will report on pest control and plant quarantine, Federal-State cooperative programs.

Harold G. Marshall, R. P. Pfeifer and E. C. Pifer from the University, will explain research developments.

Three Future Farmers Elected To State Office



KENNETH MARTIN

Three Lancaster County Future Farmers were elected to state FFA offices yesterday at the association's annual convention on the Penn State Campus.

President of the Keystone Association of Future Farmers of America is Kenneth Martin, New Holland, of Garden Spot High School.

Vice President of Region II is Roy Slaymaker of Lampeter-Strasburg High School.

Elected Secretary is Harold Brubaker of Donegal High School.



ROY SLAYMAKER



HAROLD BRUBAKER

FIVE-DAY WEATHER FORECAST

Temperatures during the next five days are expected to average 2 to 6 degrees above normal. Warm weather Saturday, cooler Sunday, warming again Monday and Tuesday and cool Wednesday. Precipitation may total up to 1/2 to 3/4 inch with the likelihood of showers early Saturday morning and mostly again about Tuesday.

Colorado 4-H Club Members Visit Here

A group of 21 4-H Club members and five chaperones from Larimer County, Colorado, arrived in Lancaster County yesterday to visit points of interest in Lancaster County. They will stay in homes of local 4-H members.

The 4-H County Council of

Farm Calendar

June 22 — 9 a.m. — Landisville Salunea 4-H sewing club meet at Hempfield High School.

June 23 — 11 a.m. — National television and Radio Broadcasters meet at New Holland Machine Company.

June 24 — Dairy Princess Contest at the Host Motel.

June 25 — Donegal Home Economics 4-H meets at the Donegal Presbyterian Church.

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Milk Production Up 8 Percent

Daily milk production in Pennsylvania during May averaged 27.74 pounds per cow. The Pennsylvania Crop Reporting Service said this was 8 percent above April, 1 percent above May, 1963, and 11 percent more than the 1958-62 average.

May is the peak or flush month. For the first five months of 1964 daily output per cow has been averaging from one-fourth to two-thirds of a pound more than in the comparable period in 1963.

Milk produced on Pennsylvania farms during May totaled 707 million pounds, 12 percent more than in April but 2 percent below May of last year. May production was 4 percent above the 1958-62 average.

The May estimate of 822,000 milk cows on Pennsylvania farms is down 2,000 from April, 30,000 from May, 1963, and 63,000 below the 1958-62 average.

Lancaster has planned several events to include all the guests and hosts able to attend.

Today they will tour the Amish section by bus, leaving the Conestoga Valley High School, Horse Shoe Road, at 8:30 a.m. and returning about noon or shortly thereafter. Saturday evening at 8 they will attend a get acquainted party at the home of Clyde Wivell, Columbia R1 off the Marietta Pike, west of Silver Springs. There will be square dancing and ice cream.

Monday, June 22, at 6 p.m., a swimming party and picnic will be held in New Holland Park. Local members are to bring their own hot-dogs or hamburgers (etc.) Drinks and watermelon will be furnished.

Other than these events, no organized activities are planned. The remainder of the time will be spent according

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