



LINDA WELK shown in her regal attire as the new Lancaster County Dairy Princess shortly after she was crowned at the Princess Pageant staged at the Host Motel last Saturday evening

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● **Linda Welk**

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 ter of very proud parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Leroy Welk, Strasburg R1. The Welks operate a 65-acre dairy farm and are presently milking about 17 head.

In reviewing her recent triumph, Linda felt she had enjoyed a certain advantage in being called upon last — the girls are entered in the county contest in alphabetical order. She was thus able to observe the other contestants and vary her performance accordingly.

The candidates and their quality he would probably

mothers were briefed on required clothing and other details at a tea which preceded the contest. On Saturday, the contestants lunched with the three judges, and were questioned on their dairy farm background and work experience. That evening they attended the banquet and pageant. During the competition, the girls were given a list of six character qualities and told to use one of these to describe what they would look for in choosing a husband. Linda chose "sincerity" as the most important trait explaining that if he had this

have most of the others. And "sincerity" describes this Princess very well!

Linda has had an active 4-H career and held offices in the 4-H Baby Beef and Holstein Clubs. She was commencement speaker at her graduation from Lampeter-Strasburg High School, and was active in many school clubs and organizations. In her 4-H projects she has raised registered Holstein calves. She currently has seven females — three milking; one bull; and is raising an Angus calf to show at Lampeter Fair and at the Red Rose Roundup at Lancaster.

Her off-the-farm work experience includes two and one-half years as a dairy bar attendant at Martin's Dairy — working summers and weekends. She is presently employed as a stenographer by Educators Mutual Life Insurance Co.

Although Lancaster County has never come closer to the state Dairy Princess title than runner-up, Mrs. Royer pre-

dicts that Linda will give the other Pennsylvania contestants some real competition when they meet later this month.

If you're near a television set on Tuesday, July 6, tune to Channel 8 at noontime. Linda will be interviewed on the Joan Klein Show.

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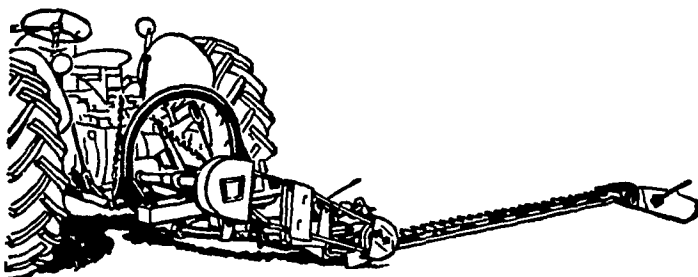
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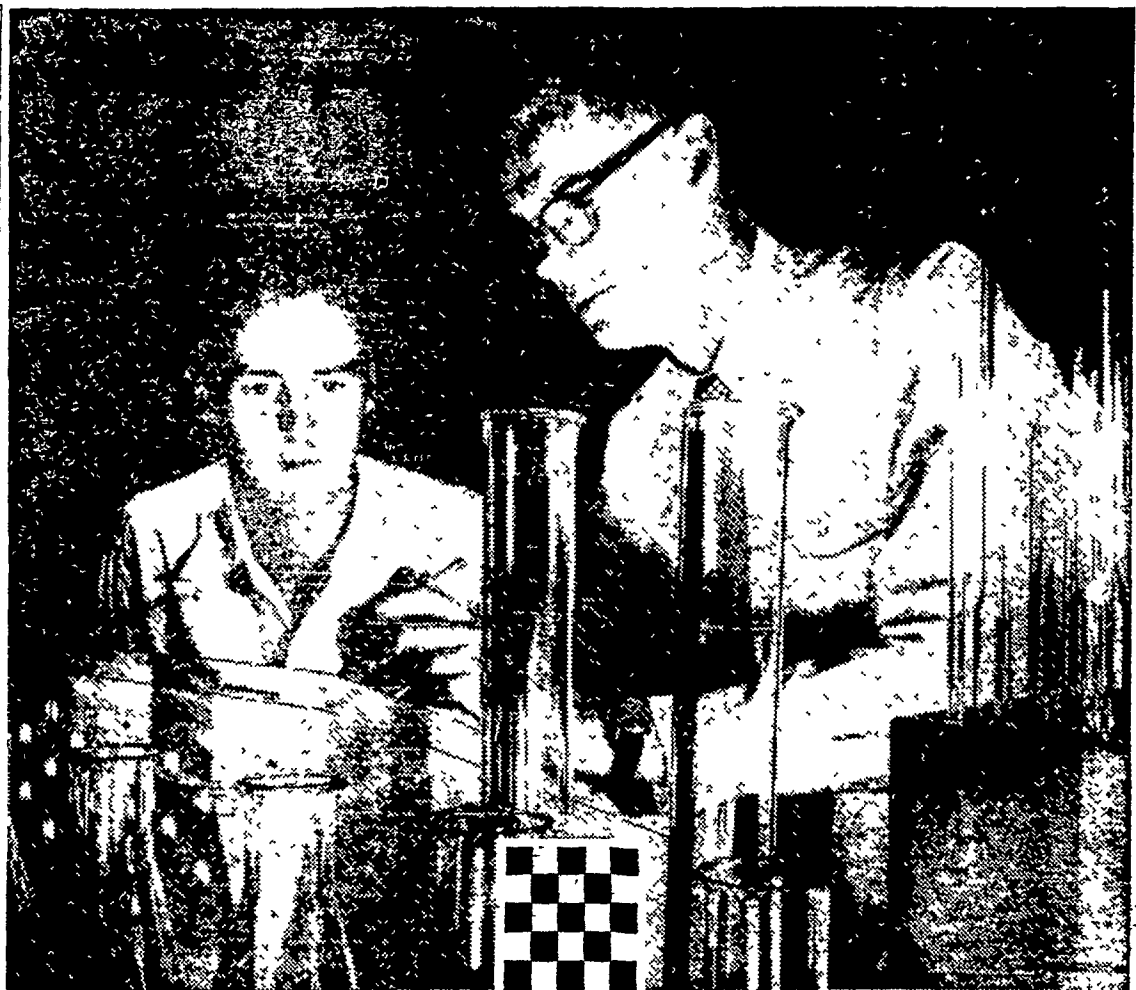
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