

Few Violations In Food Laws In Phila. Strike

Special teams of food inspectors, milk sanitarians and veterinarians sent into Philadelphia during the recent truckers' strike to augment regular forces in protecting consumers against unwholesome food products, found very few violations, State Secretary of Agriculture Leland H. Bull noted after reviewing inspection reports.

"In general, Philadelphia area food handlers and retail merchants should be commended for their interest in protecting consumers," Secretary Bull said.

"From the hundreds of inspections made at retail and wholesale establishments, only eleven violations of the food laws were recorded. In each of these instances, immediate correction was made by the elimination from sale of those products.

"Many merchants voluntarily 'dumped' products unfit for human consumption at considerable cost to their businesses," Secretary Bull noted. "These and other food handlers also acted quickly to divert perishable foods in transit to other cities."

According to District Manager Morris Huntzinger, of the Department of Agriculture, who arranged for the Philadelphia area action, by teams of inspectors, the greatest loss to food handlers was probably in the disposal of fresh sea foods.

Charles E. Derr, who coordinated and supervised the stepped-up inspection program, said milk sanitarians found no violations because milk trucks were permitted to move to the distribution points.

Huntzinger said the teams of inspectors moved into Philadelphia on the second day of the strike, continued their operations through the follow-

ing weekend, and terminated their special work late last week when trucks got back on regular schedule.

American Dairy Princess Named

A 19-year-old Tallahassee, Florida, dairy farm girl is the 1965-66 American Dairy Princess, Miss Susanne Bradford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Bradford, was one of 28 state dairy princess winners who competed for the title.

Miss Bradford, who succeeds Miss Wilma Lea Blevins of Harrison, Arkansas, is the 11th American Dairy Princess. She will become an employee of the American Dairy Association, the farmer-financed milk and dairy foods promotion organization. During her reign she will travel through-

out the United States to appear before many different groups to talk about the merits of dairy foods in the American diet.

The new princess is 5 ft. 4½ inches tall, weighs 115 pounds, has brown hair and blue eyes. She has completed two years of study at the Florida State University where her scholastic record has won her a place on the Dean's list. She has won numerous honors in both high school and college. She also won the Tallahassee Junior Miss contest.

Her parents own a 679 acre farm 17 miles from Tallahassee. They have 150 milk cows on the farm and sell over 900,000 pounds of milk annually. In addition to her farm experience, Miss Bradford has been close to Florida agriculture through her summer work with the Florida Department of Agriculture as a typist and general office worker.

4-H Queens

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ert H. Bushong, Columbia R2; Barbara Hershey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Hershey, Litzitz R2; and Pat Breneman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Merle Breneman, Mount Joy R2.

Junior Queen finalists are: Cheryl McSparran, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald H. McSparran, Drumore; Donna Hess, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Hess, Jr., Strasburg R1; Jean Haberstroh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Haberstroh, Mount Joy R1; Linda Ober, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Ray Ober, 532 Petersburg Rd., Lancaster; and Karen High, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey High, 346 East Main St., Bareville.

These finalists will meet again next Thursday night, 7-8 p.m., at Long Park. They will be judged on appearance, poise, personality, and posture. They will each present

a short talk on "What 4-H Means to Me."

The winners in each class, junior and senior, will be crowned by last year's queens — Carol Hess, Senior Queen; Christine Rutt, Junior Queen.

GATE TIP

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