County Pig Show

(Continued from Page 6) Bollinger, Denver R2; 6, Jay Fisher; .7, Tom Zartman, Ephrata Ri.

CROSSBREDS

Lightweights — 1, Robert Miller, Lititz R3; 2, Eugene Bollinger; 3, Paul Miller, Litatz R3; 4, Marlin Bollinger.

Mediumweights — 1, Michael pion); 2, Nancy Nestleroth (reserve champion); 3, Paul Miller; 4, Nelson Rohrer; 5, Daniel Brandt, Manheim R4; 6. Robert Miller; 7, Thomas Lefever.

Heavyweights — 1, Michael Hosler; 2, Thomas Lefever; 3, Nelson Rohrer; 4, Richard Buckwalter, Lititz R3; 5, Paul Miller; 6, John Lefever, Manheim R4; 7, Marlin Weaver, Ephrate R1

DUROC-JERSEY

Lightweights — 1, Michael Hosler.

Mediumweights - 1, Frank- Roop. lin Ruoss (breed and grand champion); 2, Nancy Nestle-Groff (champion); 2, John roth.

Heavyweights — 1, Tom Zartman (reserve champion); 2, Linda Porter, Washington Boro R1; 3, Michael Hosler

HAMPSHIRE

Mediumweights — 1, Michael Hosler (champion). Heavyweights - 1, Tom Zart-

Ruoss (reserve champion): 2.

Eugene Bollinger.

man; 2, Linda Porter; 3, Thomas Lefever.

LANDRACE

Lightweight — 1, Donald Bollinger (champion); 2, Tom Zartman (reserve); 3, Eugene Hosler, Manheim R3 (cham- Bollinger; 4, Marlin Bollinger.

> BERKSHIRE Lightweights - 1, Marlin

Bollinger. Mediumweights - 1, Eugene Bollinger (champion); 2, Robert Groff, Peach Bottom (reserve champion); 3, Donald Bollinger.

Heavyweights — 1, Robert Groff.

CHESTER WHITE

Lightweights - 1, John Roop, Christiana R1 (reserve champion).

Mediumweights — 1, John

Heavyweights - 1, Robert Roop.

PEN OF TEN

1, David Leininger, Spotted Poland China; 2, Robe Groff, Berkshire; 3, John Roco, Chester Whites; 4, Nancy Nestle-Lightweights — 1, Franklin roth, Yorkshires



LANCASTER COUNTY fish warden Sam Hall holds a 19-inch Brown trout, the largest fish taken in the shocking program in the area of the newly constructed Speedwell Forge Lake. The fish was released in public waters of the Hammer Creek.

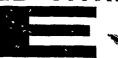
THIS 28-INCH EEL, held by Woodrow Epler, Campbelltown, was shocked in the pool just below the Lebanon Pumping Station dam. Epler, assisting the Fish Commission staff, released the eel, unharmed in waters above the dam breast.

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Cow Numbers

what better in Lancaster County than in the state as a whole. The latest June survey shows we lost about 700 cows since the first of the year, and about 1400 since the first of last year. That represents approximately a two percent reduction in county cow numbers between January 1, 1965 and June, 1966.

The reporting service said that prior to 1964, reduction of cow numbers was more than offset by mcreased production per cow Since that time, however, this no longer holds true, despite the fact that undividual cow production continues its annual increase. Total milk production in the state during the first six months of this year was down about 15 percent from the same penod last year

The survey also showed that the number of commercial herds in the state was continuing its downward trend. In 1950, there were 51,400 commercial herds; in 1955, 45,-700, in 1960, 36,300; and at the beginning of 1966, 25,000 herds The number estimated for June, 1966 was 23,500.

seems apparent from these figures that another: trend, that of increasing herd size, is also still very much in evidence Dairymen in Lancaster County, and in the state, continue to add cows to their herds.

A major factor contributing to the overall declane in cow farms in Pennsylvania, said the reporting service, has been the sustained drought condition, now stretching into the fifth year. Also, the incentive to dispose of uneconomic milk cows due to favorable beef prices continues. Add to these factors the problems of labor shortages and low milk prices, and you've pretty well covered the reasons accounting for declining cow numbers, the Crop Reporting Service concluded.