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Frey Cow Sets State Record

A new and higher milk production record in the official herd testing programs of the Holstein-Friesian Association of America has been established for Pennsylvania. The new production class leader is a registered Holstein cow owned by J Mowery Frey & Son, 401 Beaver Valley Pike, Lancaster

Breaking the previous all-time record is Fultonway Ivanhoe Becca with her new record for Senior two-year-olds milked two times daily in the 365-day division of the HIR program. Her official 365-day lactation totaled 21,736 lbs. of milk and 801 lbs of butterfat. "Becca" was bred in the Frey herd. She was sired by Osbornedale Ivanhoe, a bull that has earned a Gold Medal Sire recognition

NFU Pres. Appoints Public Relations Man

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Roger J. Blobaum, 37, former staff assistant to Vice President Humphrey and Senator Gaylord Nelson (D-Wis.), has been named Director of Public Relations of National Farmers Union

President Tony T. Dechant, who announced the appointment Tuesday, said Blobaum will work briefly in NFU's legislative offices in Washington, then take up new duties in Denver in mid-January

Dechant said Blobaum will assist him in all areas of Farmers Union activity and will have primary responsibility for public relations, including the NFU Washington Newsletter and the National Union Farmer

Blobaum was an Associated Press editor before coming to Washington in 1963 to accept a Congressional Fellowship awarded by the American Political Science Association. It provided a year's study of Congress.

He was a Statehouse reporter in 1956-60 for the Associated Press in Madison, Wis., and an editor in the AP's Chicago Bureau for the next three years. Earlier news experience was in Iowa

Blobaum joined Humphrey's staff early in 1964 and later traveled with him as Assistant Press Secretary to the National Democratic Convention and through the 1964 Presidential campaign

As farm adviser and press secretary to Senator Nelson in 1965-66, he helped develop and promote legislation in the farm policy, conservation, pollution, rural development, and Food for Peace areas

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Standby Generators Insure Against Costly Interruptions Of Power

Electric power failures don't often happen, and they usually don't last long. But any interrupted service may mean inconvenience and perhaps a considerable loss of money, especially in today's electrical-dependent, large-scale farming operations.

A standby generator on the farm makes sure important equipment will keep running despite any power failure, points out Tom Williams, rural civil defense specialist at the University of Delaware. Both engine-drive and tractor-drive models are available; either type can be permanently installed or portable. Engine-drive generators are available with manual or automatic starting

Tractor-driven units cost half as much for the same capacity as the engine-drive. Since a tractor is more frequently used, it will probably be easier to start

If a tractor isn't available, the manual start engine-driven generator will be the least expensive alternative. Also, these can usually be put into operation more quickly than tractor driven units, according to Williams

Automatic engine driven generators, in which the unit starts automatically if power fails, are the most expensive. They are used only if the service must not be interrupted for any length of time. The unit must be large enough to start and operate all electrical equipment in use at the time of the failure

An automatic sequence starting system will provide full-load service, Williams says. However, the part-load system is entirely practical for most farms which only need some of the electrical equipment operating at one time. Equipment must be turned on after the generator is operating, and the load is limited to generator capacity.

Restarting an electric motor requires at least three times as much current as running it. With a part load system, it's necessary to start the largest motor first and let it come to speed before connecting other equipment. To figure the generator capacity you will need for an emergency, add up the wattages of all the lights, appliances and motors — including starting wattage — that must operate at one time.

When you're debating whether or not to buy standby generators, balance the installation and maintenance costs of the various systems against the possible loss and inconvenience caused by power failures, Williams advises.

He stresses the importance of consulting with your power supplier before buying or connecting a standby generator.

USE MOLDY CORN SLOWLY

Don't feed moldy corn to breeding swine, says Dwight E. Younkin, extension livestock specialist at Penn State University. However, it can be fed in limited amounts to growing and finishing pigs.

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