

4-H NEWS

County Clubs And Instructional Courses To Begin For Area 4-H

4-H SOIL AND WATER SCIENCE PROGRAM

"The most precious natural resource given to man is soil, for without it no life could exist," associate County Agent Winthrop Merriam said this week as he announced that a special program to promote knowledge and understanding of soil and water conservation is being organized in the Stevens-Ephrata-Denver area. The program will feature films, slides, demonstrations, lectures and tours illustrating the correct methods of soil and water conservation and wise use of natural resources. Special project awards will be made at the end of the eight-week series of lessons, he said.

Any young person, between the ages of 9 and 19, may enroll for this course. The first meeting of the group will be held on Friday evening, January 20th at the home of Aaron Stauffer, Ephrata R1. Stauffer's farm is located one-half mile northeast of Route 322, and a half mile south of the Ephrata Day School.

Local leaders for this new project are Aaron Stauffer and Leroy Pfautz, director and associate director, respectively, of the Lancaster County Soil & Water Conservation District. This conservation effort is being offered through the cooperation of the local and state extension service, and the local and state units of the U. S. Soil Conservation Service, Merriam said.

TRACTOR MAINTENANCE CLUB TO FORM

A special 4-H activity on tractor operation and maintenance will be held in the northeast part of Lancaster County starting on Tuesday evening, January 17th. This meeting will be at 7:45 p.m. at the Farmersville Equipment Company in Farmersville.

The program is open to all young persons, between the ages of 9 and 19, and will run for approximately eight weeks. The instruction will feature demonstrations, films and learn-by-doing experiences in the safe operation and maintenance of tractors and other farm machinery. A Driving Contest will be held at the conclusion of the course. Awards will be given for outstanding project work.

Any interested young person in the area may take part in the program by attending the first meeting, according to Winthrop Merriam, Associate County Agent.

CENTRAL AREA TRACTOR CLUB TO BE ORGANIZED

A special 4-H activity on tractor operation and maintenance will be held in the county starting Tuesday evening, January 17th.

"This program is open to all young people between the ages of 9 to 19 and will run for eight consecutive weeks, Associate County Agent Winthrop Merriam reported. The instruction will feature demonstrations, films and learn-by-doing experiences in safe op-

eration and maintenance of tractors and farm machinery. A Driving Contest will be held at the conclusion of the course. Awards will be given for outstanding project work at the roundup event.

The first meeting will be January 17th at 7:30 p.m. at the Landis Brothers Farm Equipment Company on the Manheim Pike. The local leaders for this group are Herbert Royer, Glenn Porter and Christ Brubaker.

All interested young folks are welcome to attend the first meeting and take part in this event, Merriam said. Election of officers, project explanation and program outline will be part of the first meeting activity.

REORGANIZATION OF 4-H LIGHT HORSE CLUB

The Broken Bit 4-H Light Horse and Pony Club, under the leadership of Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Rasser of Stevens R1, will hold its first meeting of the 1967 season on Friday evening, January 20th at the home of Eugene Nessinger, Lincoln Avenue, Reinholds.

New members will be enrolled at this time. The club is one of three currently organized in Lancaster County, which stress proper care and management of pleasure horses, and education on current riding techniques and general horsemanship. Over 4500 4-H members are enrolled throughout Pennsylvania in the Light Horse and Pony project.

The activities of the Broken Bit 4-H Club are centered in Clay, Elizabeth, Warwick and Ephrata townships. Any young person, between the ages of 9 and 19, may join this group by attending the first meeting on January 20th, or by contacting Mrs. Rasser at the above address.

NEPPCO Egg Film Fund Grows

TRENTON, N.J. — Paul F. Osborn, chairman of the NEPPCO Turkey Division has announced that the annual meeting of the Division will be held on Wednesday, March 1st at the Holiday Inn, Gettysburg.

This was the site of last year's gathering which drew a record 130 turkey growers and their friends. Chairman Osborn reports that this year's one-day meeting will feature an information-packed program of topics currently of interest to turkey growers.

Also on the agenda is the Division's annual business meeting and election of members to the executive committee. A luncheon is planned.

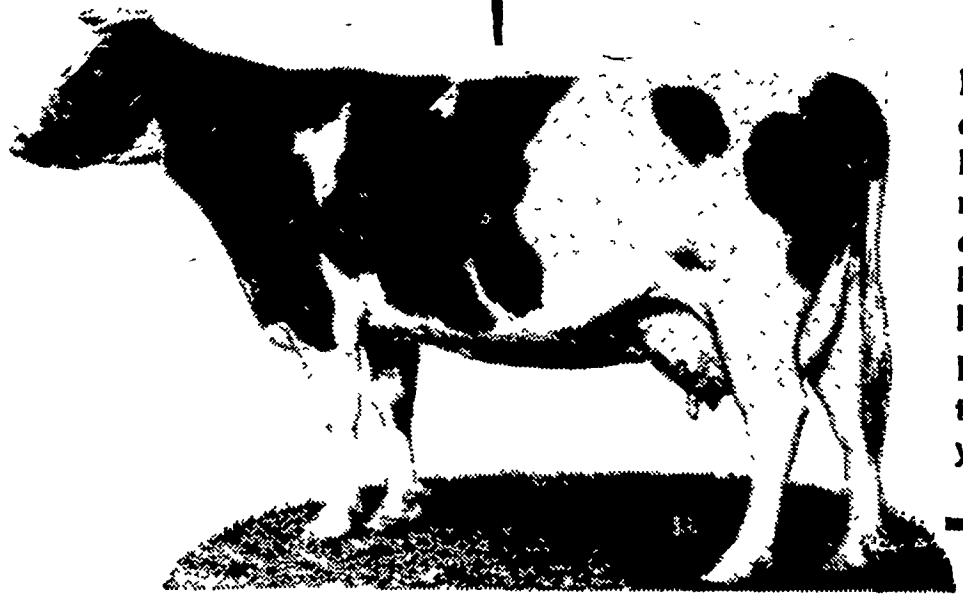
The meeting is open to all turkey growers in the Mid-Atlantic area. Full details will be sent to all Division members in a few weeks, Osborn said. Those growers who are not members of the NEPPCO Turkey Division are urged to write to: NEPPCO, 10 Rutgers Place, Trenton, New Jersey 08618, for information.

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