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FFA Hog Show Set For Aug. 1st

Future Farmers from Lancaster County's nine high school vocational agriculture departments will show and sell some 351 animals at the annual FFA hog show August

According to FFA advisor Clair Zerby, the contest will start promptly at 8 am. at the Lancaster Stock Yards. It will feature type judging, plus fitting and showmanship competition. with trophies to be do-nated by Eby's Mill, Lititz

At last year's show, Bob Fisher, Grasslands Chapter, nearly enjoyed a clean sweep. He had the individual grand and reserve champions; the champion Pen of Three; and the fitting title - winning ribbons and trophies for five firsts, one second and one third plac-

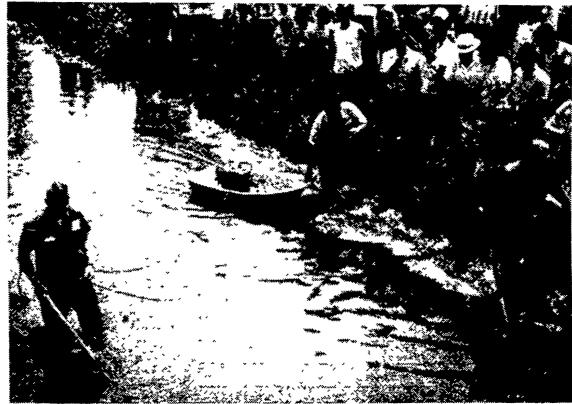
Henry Gruber, of A & B Packing Co., Allentown, will again serve as judge, Zerby noted.

CHAPTER RIVALRY

The Cloister FFA Chapter is expected to press hard toward

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Conservation Field Day Features Fish And Youth



SPECTATORS LINE THE BANK regaining possession of a re- of Indian Run to watch the fish shocktating plaque which goes each ing demonstration put on by State Fish year to the chapter whose Commission personnel at Tuesday's Lancaster County Conservation Field

Day. Fish warden Sam Hall, left, sweeps the water with one electrically-charged ing stream - populations for loop as does his fellow worker at right. quantity, size, and kinds of The power source is towed along behind fish present, Hall added. L. F. Photo in a small plastic boat.

Fish Shocked, Pig Chased, And Skills Tested

Fish in Indian Run found fish warden Sam Hall's demonstration shocking Tuesday at the County Conservation Field Day which, of course, was the main ıdea

Hall and associates staged two demonstrations for the crowd estimated at close to 300 people Fish were stunned by the electric charge put into the water, and momentarily floated to the surface. "The greater their body surface, the faster the charge affects them,' Hall explained, pointing out the large suckers and carpbut no trout-floating on the small stream's surface Hall further explained that the electruc charge is kept at a lievel that does no permanent damage to the fish; they recover rapidly and swim away. The technique is a great help to (Continued on Page 6)

Yost Wins Plowing Title In County Competition

Ivan Yost, Narvon R2, became the county's new contour plowing champion Tuesday, upsetting defending champ Marvin Zimmerman, East Earl R1, by a slim four-point margin in the event sponsored annually by the Lancaster County Soil & Water Conservation District In his first county plowing match last year, Yost finished in a second-place dead heat

with John Campbell of New Holland. This year, he maneuvered his Faimall 656 tractor with a semi-mounted four-bottom plow expertly enough to (Continued on Page 7)

Calendai

July 31 - 7:30 p.m., Kick off rally for Farm & Home Fund workers from southern part of county at Strasburg Fire Hall; northern workers will hold a rally Aug. 1st at the

Lititz Rec. Center. August 1 - 7:30 a.m., Lancaster County Poultry Assn. annual tour, leaves from Lancaster Shopping Center. - 8 am., Annual FFA Swine

Stock Yards. 9 a.m., County 4-H Dairy DHIA Director-Tester Roundup Holstein groups

Show & Sale at Lancaster

vilion. Marietta R1.

Roundup, Guernsey, Ayr- Victor Plastow.

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FEW SEATS-STILL OPEN FOR POULTRY TOUR

"Anyone who had meant to reserve a seat for the Lancaster County Poultry Assn. annual tour and didn't get around to it before last Wednesday's deadline, may still be in time," notes tour committee chairman John Jacob Oberholtzer.

A few seats are still available on the second bus, and if enough people indicate interest a third bus will be added for Tuesday's tour (August 1), Oberholtzer states.

Stops are scheduled for the Pennsylvania Random Sample Turkey Test at Hershey Estates, the Hershey Chocolate Co., Grimes Poultry Processing Plant, Fredericksburg, and Whitmoyer Laboratories, Inc., Myerstown. The tour will leave from the Lancaster Shopping Center at 7:30 a.m.

Anyone wishing to be included is advised to telephone Oberholtzer TODAY at Leola, 656-9147. Bus fare is \$1.25.

only, at Guernsey Sale Pa. Meeting Set Aug. 7th

Directors of the Red Rose August 2 - 8:30 a.m., Red Rose Dairy Herd Improvement As-4-H Baby Beef Club tour, be sociation have scheduled a gins at J. Harold Frey farm, joint meeting with association supervisors for August 7th, at - 9 a.m., County 4-H Dairy 7:45 pm., according to advisor

Ranck Rated Top Judge At County Holstein Assn. Annual Field Day

by Everett Newswanger,

Staff Reporter A registered Holstein breed-type judging at the annual the annual challenge trophy er from Ronks R1 took top Lancaster County Holstein

out-scored all contestants in in the men's division. He won

Field Day held on the Amos Rutt Farm, Quarcyville R2.

Parke Ranck, with 283.3-of a possible 300 points, had the top awards Wednesday, when he overall score as well as the best (Continued on Page 7)



WINNERS AT THE HOLSTEIN FIELD DAY. (l. to r.) Parke Ranck, Ronks, Mrs. Robert Kauffman, Elizabethtown and Patricia Eby, Gordon-

ville. Three hundred dairymen and friends attended the all-day affair held Wednesday at the Ames Rutt Farm, Quarryville R2. L. F. Photo