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**JUNIOR CHAMPION** — Mary Ellen Kettering, Lititz R3, showed Henket Appollo Ellen, a senior yearling, to junior champion honors Wednesday, at

the Southeastern District Black and White Show held at Hershey. Seventy-four entries from Lancaster competed in the all-day show.

## County Holstein Showmen Stage Comeback At S.E. District Meet

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**HERSHEY** — Lancaster County captured the County Herd title, Junior Champion, Premier Exhibitor Award, Junior Get of Sire, first-place junior yearling, first-place dry cow and first-place three-year-old cow here Wednesday, in what must be described as a very successful day at the Southeastern Pennsylvania District Black and White Show.

To climax the all-day affair, held at the Sports Stadium, J. Mowery Frey, Jr., 401 Beaver Valley Pike, Lancaster; J. Robert Hess, Strasburg R1; Mary Allen Kettering, Lititz R3; and Robert Kauffman, Elizabethtown R1 put together six blue ribbon county animals to best

## Weather Break Aids Field Work

**HARRISBURG** — Pennsylvania farmers took advantage of the recent dry weather — the first in two months — to do some catching up on field work. It was the best weather for haymaking in several weeks and farmers tried to get as much hay as possible into their barns.

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## Farm Calendar

August 28 — 28-30, NEPPCO Turkey Tour to North Carolina area.  
— 1 p.m., County FFA Star Farmer interviews at Penn Manor High School.  
— 8 p.m., Manheim Adult Farmer meeting to clarify 1967-68 program, at Manheim Central High School.  
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all others. According to judge Richard Keene, "They had the advantage of udders."  
Mary Ellen Kettering, 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kettering, took top individual honors when her home-bred Henket Apollo Ellen heifer won the junior champion rosette. The tall senior yearling, standing higher than most cows in the show, is a Hilltop Apollo Ivanhoe daughter.

Another county teenage girl, Susan Kauffman, 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kauffman, took a share of the honors when her Pennsprings Bill Topper was picked first in the Junior Yearling Heifer Class Topper, a daughter of the home herd sire, Lockway Lucifer Bill Ivanhoe, joined three sisters later in the day to give the Kauffman family the first-place Junior Get of Sire.

And Oliverdale Inspiration Terry, owned by Hess and Kauffman, showed first in the  
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## Dechant Blames City Riots On Mass Migration

Mass migration to the cities caused by low farm income and neglect of rural communities was blamed this week for this summer's city riots by Tony T. Dechant, national president of Farmers Union.

He told a banquet audience at the Arkansas Farmers Union convention that this rural upheaval had sent 15 million people into the cities since 1950, creating public service and social problems city ad-  
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## Day-Haul Farm Labor Now Available Here

Day-haul farm labor became available in the area this week, according to Bernard V. Kelly, manager of the Lancaster office of the State Employment Service.

Kelly said his office is cooperating with county farmers in conducting day-haul programs to help meet harvesting  
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## Eight FFA Boys Vie For County Star Farmer Title

On Monday, August 28th, at 1 p.m., eight of Lancaster County's most outstanding Future Farmers will compete for the title of County Star Farmer for 1967.

Meeting at Penn Manor High School, the boys will be interviewed by three judges, and their records will be examined. Such factors as displayed leadership, project strength, and other activities will be weighed by the judges in choosing a successor to last year's Star Farmer Robert Weaver of Strasburg R1. All of the boys are holders of the Red Rose Degree, the highest county FFA award.

Judging the competition will be: Richard Murr, coordinator of the Vo-Tech program; Jay W. Irwin, assistant county vice president, Lancaster Coun-

ty Farmers National Bank. **EIGHT SCHOOLS** The following boys will represent eight of Lancaster County's nine vo-ag chapters in the Star Farmer competition:

**Howett Seiverling**, 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold L. Seiverling of Lititz R1, is a senior at Warwick High School. In addition to being president of his local FFA chapter for the past two years, he is serving as president of the county chapter. Although his farming interests center around dairy, he carries projects in laying hens and has an acre of tobacco.

An honor student at Warwick, Seiverling is described by his vo-ag teacher Clair Zeron by as "a natural leader and well-respected by all his teachers."

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## Bollinger, 4-H Hog Show Champ

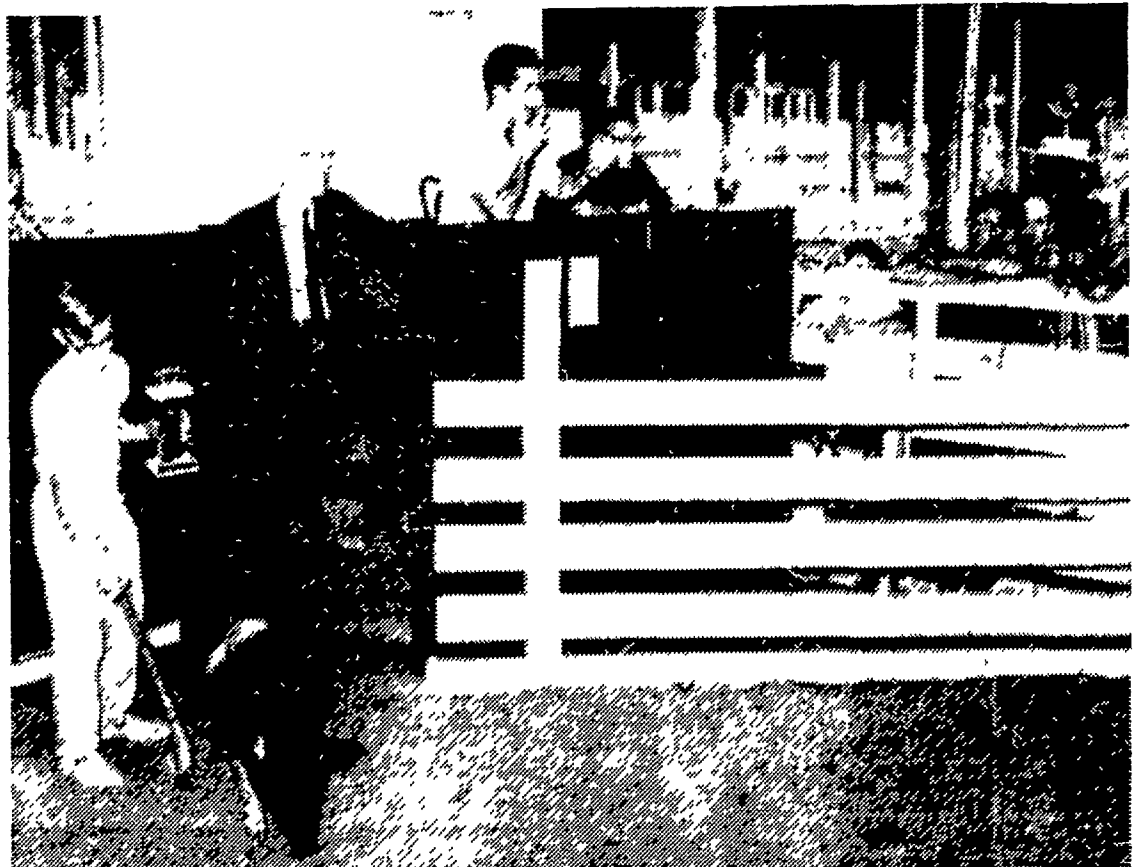
by Everett Newswanger  
Staff Reporter

The grand champion Hampshire pig at the annual Lancaster County 4-H Swine Show and Sale Tuesday, brought two dollars per hundredweight more than last year's champion when Penn Packing Co., Philadelphia paid 62 cents a pound for the black and white-banded sale-starter. Donald Bollinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bollinger, Denver R2, was the exhibitor and seller of the champion gilt.

The average price of the sale (including the champions) was 22.32 cents a pound. The 169 head averaged 217 pounds and brought total receipts of \$3,195.69.

Reserve grand champion — a Duroc — was shown by last year's winner Franklin Ruoss, Ephrata R2, and brought 43 cents a pound.

Walter Dunlap & Sons, Inc., of the Lancaster Livestock Exchange managed the sale; Wil-  
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"AH QUARTER AND-AH-HALF, AND-AH-HALF, SEVENTY-FIVE . . ." The auctioneer's song could be heard Tuesday afternoon at the Lancaster Union Stockyards as the 169 entries consigned to the 4-H Club Pig Show and Sale were sold for an average price of

\$22.32 per hundredweight. In the action photo above, David Bollinger works his grand champion Hampshire in front of the buyers. A few minutes later the prize pig was sold for 62 cents a pound. (l to r) Bollinger, James Dunlap, Wilbur Hosler and Walter Dunlap, Jr.