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Ruoss Wins Pig Show At New Holland

Franklin Ruoss, Ephrata R2, topped the all-breed, one class swine show Thursday afternoon, held just outside the swine tent at the New Holland Farmers Fair in New Holland. The grand champion was a 4-H 230-pound Duroc, the same breed that won him the title at the fair last year.

The reserve grand champion hog, a Hampshire, was shown by Robert Fisher, East Earl R1.

The fitting contest went to Ruoss and the Showmanship award went to Fisher.

Associate York County Agent
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Ralph Horchler Is New Pequea Valley Teacher

Ralph Horchler has been named Vocational Agricultural Instructor for the Pequea Valley School District to succeed Henry Givler. As was announced earlier Givler accepted the job of Vocational Agriculture Director for the Lancaster-York area.

A native of Lawrence Coun-



Ralph Horchler

ty. Horchler came to Pequea Valley from a two-year teaching assignment at the New Wilmington High School only 11 miles east of the Ohio state line. He has also managed dairy and beef farms and as an FFA student raised beef cattle and swine. In 1963 Ralph

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Farm Calendar

Sunday, October 8
8 - 14 Fire Prevention Week
12:30 p.m. — 4-H Wildlife Club fossil hunt

Monday, October 9
NEPPCO tour to Lancaster
9 - 15 Open house at NEBA, Tunkhannock
8:00 p.m. — 4-H Ayrshire-Jersey Club meet at Richard B. Lefever, Quarryville R1

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GRAND CHAMPION OF THE 1967 SWINE SHOW at New Holland Farmers Fair, Thursday afternoon, for Franklin Ruoss, Ephrata R2. The champion is a Duroc. L. F. Photo

Co. Poultrymen Add International Touch To Upcoming Banquet

The October 26th annual banquet meeting of the Lancaster County Poultry Association will feature an internationally known guest this year, according to banquet committee spokesman Paul Hiestand.

Members and friends of the association will hear a first hand report on the recent Arab-Israeli conflict from Sidney D. Troy, Lakewood, N. J.

Troy is managing director of Poultry Breeders International. The franchised agency represents the sale of Israel egg and meat line poultry breeding stock in North America.

He has been involved in Zionist activities since before the establishment of the state of Israel. As a volunteer participant in the recent conflict, Troy will give an illustrated talk titled, "Before, During and After The Six-Day War".

Tickets for the banquet may be obtained from any director of the poultry association, or from association secretary Mrs Paul F McGarvey, 379 W. Roseville Rd., Lancaster.

Because of seating limitations at Hostetter's Banquet Hall, Mount Joy, ticket sales will be
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Beef Tour Scheduled For October 19

The annual Lancaster County Livestock Tour will be held Thursday, October 19, starting at 7 a.m. from the Lancaster Shopping Center, according to M. M. Smith, Lancaster County Agent. The bus tour will go to the Philadelphia area, visiting the Acme Market Warehouse in Philadelphia; the Lee Tire Company, Conshohocken; the Morgan Feed Lots at Doylestown and the Kings Ranch, Coatesville R5

Picnic lunch should be taken along and will be eaten in a park. Advanced reservations will need to be made by Monday October 16.

Miss Weaver Wins Three In-A-Row At Beef Show

For the third year in a row, Sheryl Weaver, 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs Lester Weaver, New Holland R2, showed the grand champion baby beef in the New Holland Farmers Fair, held Thursday afternoon at New Holland. The black 4-H Angus later sold for a record price of 78 cents a pound to Melvin Kolb, Willow Road, Lancaster

Reserve grand champion was shown by Linford Martin, 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Martin, East Earl R1. Also showing an Angus, Linford received 40 cents a pound from Ess-Kay Packing of Baltimore

In all, 23 head sold for a total of \$9,023, or an average of \$41.65 per hundredweight, at the sale held in the New Holland Sales Stables immediately following the show.

In the showmanship contest Sheryl was also first, and in fitting her sister Sharon was top.

The list of show placings are:
Herefords: 1, Larry Shreiner, Leola; 2, Karen Smoker, Gordonville R1; 3, Mike Smucker, Ephrata R2; 4, June Shreiner, Leola; 5, Jeffrey Martin, New Holland R1; 6, Jacob Musser Jr., East Earl R1; 7, Randy Buckwalter, New Holland R1; 8, Darlene Herr, New Holland R2.

Angus: 1, Sheryl Weaver; 2, Linford Martin, East Earl R1; 3, Karen High, Leola; 4, Galen Yoder, Elverson R1; 5, Brenda Yoder, Elverson R1; 6, Sharon Weaver, New Holland R1; 7, Clifford Martin, Leola; 8, Jean Martin, Leola; 9, Larry High, Leola; 10, June Smoker, Gordonville R1; 11, Mike Martin, New Holland R1; 12, Dianne Herr, New Holland R2; 13, Robert Fisher, East Earl; 14, Mary Lou Fisher, East Earl; 15, Carl Campbell, New Holland

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FFA Boys To Head For Kansas City Today

Twenty-one Lancaster County FFA boys and their Vo-Ag Instructors from three local schools are scheduled to leave (some as early as 5:30 a.m.) this morning Saturday, October 7, for the National FFA Convention to be held in Kansas City, Missouri from October 10-13. According to Charles E. Ackley, teacher at Ephrata High School, the purpose of the trip is to give the leaders of our local FFA chapters leadership training plus a better understanding of the National FFA organization.

The boys going with Ackley from Ephrata are Eugene Bollinger, Denver R2; Raymond Bollinger, 465 Ridge Avenue, Ephrata; Levi Henly, Reinholds; Jay Smoker, Stevens R1 and Earl Stauffer, Ephrata R1

Going from Elizabethtown High School with Elvin Hess
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THREE TIMES IN A ROW. Sheryl Weaver, 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Weaver, New Holland R1, had the grand champion at the New

Holland Farmers Steer Show for the third time in as many years. The champion was an Angus. Sheryl also won the best showmanship award. L. F. Photo