

County Plowing Contest Set For July 23

The Lancaster County Soil and Water District Directors announced plans for the annual County Plowing Contest at their regular meeting at the Farm and Home Center, Monday night.

The contest is set for July 23 at 10:00 a.m., at the farm of Tony Grumelli, Nine Points. A Soil Judging Contest will be featured the same day. Rain date is July 25.

Two other events planned by the District are the County Queen of the Furrow Contest and an Air Show both to be held near the end of June or the beginning of July. Watch for the dates of these events.

In the Queen Contest there are three rules applicable to enter: 1. The girls must be single and between the ages of 16 and 21; 2. The contestants must live in Pennsylvania; and 3. Applicants must register on official entry blanks before June 15.

The Air Show is to be a special day set for anyone who wants to see Lancaster County Conservation Practices from the vantage point of an airplane. Planes will be chartered and interested persons will be invited to go up.

In other business, Soil Stewardship Week was noted to be May 19 to 26 and these cooperators were accepted: Isaac Geib, 103 acres; J. Carl Zander, 142 Elmer Myers, 88; Regina Parker, 13; Perry Copenhauer, 24; Ray Wiley and Robert Flory, 158; Clan Zeiby, 12.



PENN MANOR FFA OFFICERS (left to right) Standing, Dave Kilheffer, treasurer; Charles Hess, chaplain; Abe Fisher, sentinal; Jim Hess, reporter. Seated, John

Martin, vice president; Dick Rohrer, president; Larry Harnish, assistant secretary. Not present for the L. F. Photo was Dave Hoover, secretary.

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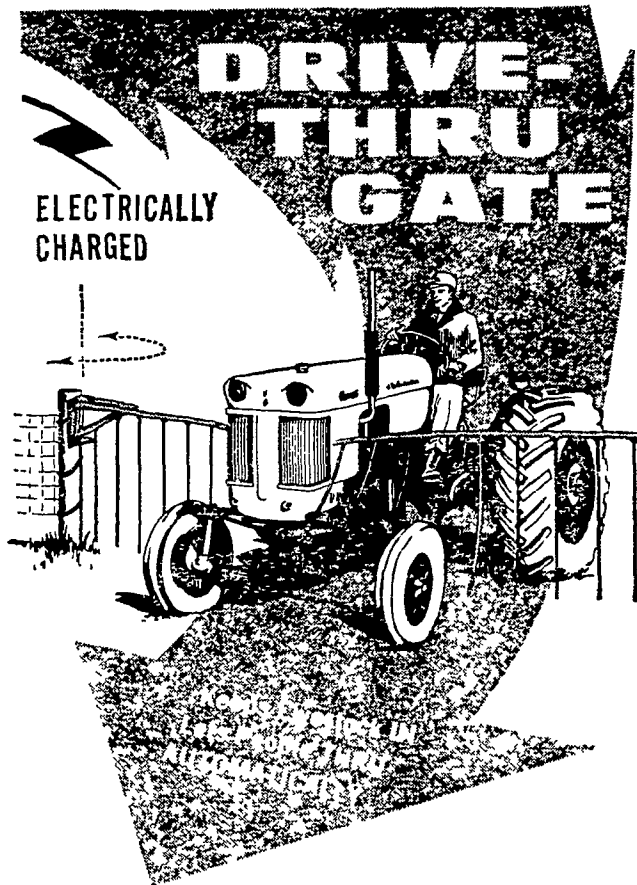
Hawthorne Cow Tops DHIA

A Registered Holstein cow owned by Lester M Hawthorne, Marietta R1, completed the highest 305 day lactation for May '68 according to the Monthly News Letter of the Red Rose Dairy Herd Improvement Association of Lancaster County. Sue produced 19,554 lbs of milk, 811 lbs of butterfat with a 4.1% test. Second high lactation was completed by a Registered Holstein cow owned by D George Beiler, New Providence R1. Iva produced 17,009 lbs of milk, 795 lbs of butterfat with a 4.6% test in 299 days.

The herd of Jonas E Zook, Quarryville R3 had the highest monthly butterfat average. Two herds placed second. The herd of Daniel J Martin, Strasburg

R1, with 140 Registered Holstein cows averaged 1,685 lbs of milk, 66 lbs. of butterfat with a 3.9% test. The herd of Henry E Kettering, Lititz R3, with 448 Registered Holstein cows averaged 1,585 lbs of milk, 66 lbs. of butterfat with a 4.1% test.

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