



CAERNARVON ROSE ELAINE, Very Good 88, foundation of the famous cow family at Blossomelle Farm. Elaine is

still doing well at past 13 years and has lifetime credits of over 154,000 lbs. of milk and 5,488 lbs. of butterfat.

Cow Families

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with her dam, Willow Bends Sweetie classified Very Good twice and at 10 years her udder was classified Excellent fore, rear and teats Sweetie's production includes four records over 615 lbs. of butterfat to 691 Good twice and has records to 13,233 lbs.

The next dam Willow Bends Sandy was twice Very Good with records to 579 lbs of butterfat and the 3rd dam — the family foundation cow — Willow Bends Golden Lily, was classified Very Good twice and has records by 8y 305d 12,042m 513f.

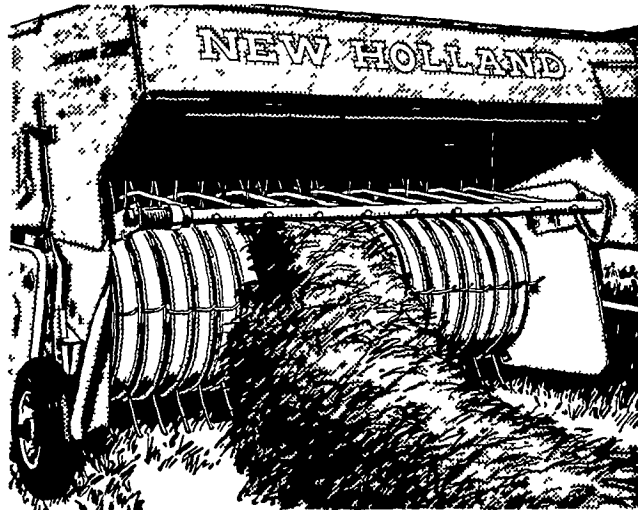
The Lily cow was very strong

in udder and the trait has carried through the family along with over-all strength and smoothness.

The Excellent Shirley has several crosses to Willow Bends

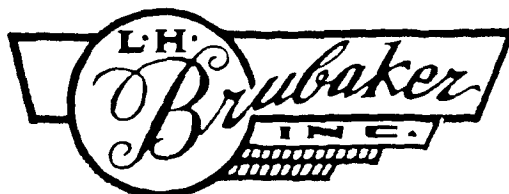
Duke, a home bred sire that is present in the pedigree of all but seven of the cows in the Breneman herd. Ten Duke daughters in the herd as mature cows classified 8 Very Good and 2 Desirable. Shirley was pictured on the front page of Lancaster Farming's March 23, 1968 issue.

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Arthur Wenger

Manheim Grand Champion

The grand champion cow at the Manheim Farm Show last year is a member of Arthur D. Wenger's top cow family. Valley Run Reflection Kitty, Excellent, has records to 17,185 of milk and 628 lbs. of butterfat. She freshened with first calf at 26 months in October 1963 and has freshened in every October since and is due again in October 1968. She never needed a repeat breeding service.

She has three daughters: Nel-da, Good Plus, milking 89.6 lbs. of 4.2% milk in the second month as a three-year-old and has an actual record of 2y 15,326m 670f; Oriole, Good Plus 84 as a two-year-old and making 500 lbs. of butterfat; and Pearl, due with first calf in November.

Kitty's dam is the Very Good 87 Lucifer Echo cow with 15,090 lbs. of milk and 578 lbs. of butterfat and the next dam is the foundation, Very Good, Gold Medal Dam, Valley Run Sovereign Cinder.

Both Kitty and Oriole are due in October to the service of Posch Sovereign Ivanhoe. A great grandson of Cinder is

C. Richard Landis

Grand Lucifer

The grand old Lucifer daughter at the C. Richard Landis Farm, 2308 Horseshoe Road, left a lasting influence. Four Corner's Lucifer Colantha, classified Very Good 87, had a lifetime production of 213,000 lbs. of milk and 7,610 lbs. of butterfat. Her daughter by Jess Pabst Leader, the Martha cow, has individual records to 22,500 lbs. of milk and 850 lbs. of butterfat.

A son has eight daughters in the Four Corner's Herd that are very pleasing and the first one to freshen produced 503 lbs. of butterfat as a two-year-old.

Another foundation cow in the herd is the Excellent 91, daughter of Roeland Reflection Sovereign, Besview Star Marie. Marie is now milking over 100 lbs. of milk a day and has four records over 20,000 lbs. of milk and 838 lbs. of butterfat. Her three-year-old record is 343d 23,419m 985f.

A son by Rosafe Signet from Marie is the present herd sire.

Paul B. Zimmerman

Excellent & Very Good

Full Sisters

The head of the favorite cow (Continued on Page 11)

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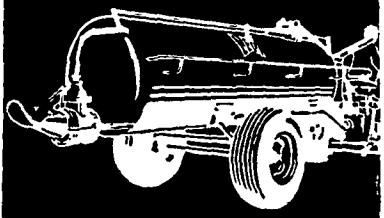
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