



THE CLOISTER FFA CHAPTER was named Region II winner in the State Farm and Home Safety Program last week, at the State FFA Convention held at Penn State. The chapter will now compete for the National FFA Safety award to be pre-

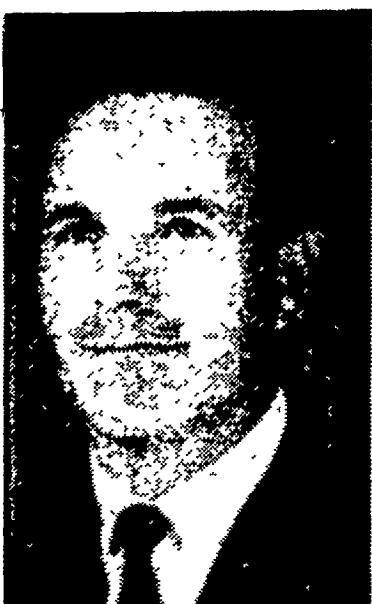
sented at the National Convention in Oct. (1st row), left to right, Jay Smoker, Earl Stauffer, Leonard Sensenig, Eugene Bollinger. (2nd row), Lowell Sensenig, Galen Hackman, David Harting, Jeff Pfautz.

Edwin Sauder Is Named Atlantic Supervisor

Edwin Sauder has been named Field Supervisor for the Northwest Area served by Atlantic Breeders Cooperative, according to Roger Emig, Director of Service. The appointment was effective July 1.

Sauder's responsibilities include the coordination and direction of sales and service work through 22 Technicians from eight branch offices. The Northwest area includes Clearfield, Jefferson, Clarion, Venango, Mercer, Forest, Warren, Crawford, and Erie Counties.

While serving as Technician in Lancaster County for 14 years, he has performed 42,568 first services and assisted with managing the Lancaster branch operations. Sauder excelled in Technician sales and service performance and won several "most valuable employee" awards. In



Edwin Sauder

1966, he received the National Association of Animal Breeders recognition for 35,000 first services completed. He is also a

• Milk Federation

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ized under provisions of federal law which authorize dairy cooperatives to have marketing agencies in common, and the basic purpose of the Federation will be to gain for both dairy farmers and consumers in the three markets involved a consistent supply of good, wholesome milk and dairy products at prices which are fair to the farmer and the public alike.

graduate of the Dale Carnegie Sales Course.

Ed and his wife, Janet, have a son, Donald, 13 years old, and a daughter, Lisa, 10. They will reside near Emlenton in southern Venango County.

He has served on the official board for the Leola United Methodist Church, and was Cubmaster for a local scouting troop.

State Price Level Advances

Increasing prices for all commodities except grains and hay pushed the June Index of Prices Received by Pennsylvania Farmers up 6 points (2 percent), according to the Pennsylvania Crop Reporting Service.

The index of prices received for livestock and livestock products was up 4 points—with increases for most products in the index. Meat animals registered a 3 point gain, as a result of a 70 cent rise in hog prices. All other meat animal prices were lower, with the exception of slaughter cows which were unchanged. Steer and heifer price, at \$25.10 per cwt., were down 30 cents. Calves and lambs both dropped a dollar to \$33.60 and \$25.50 respectively.

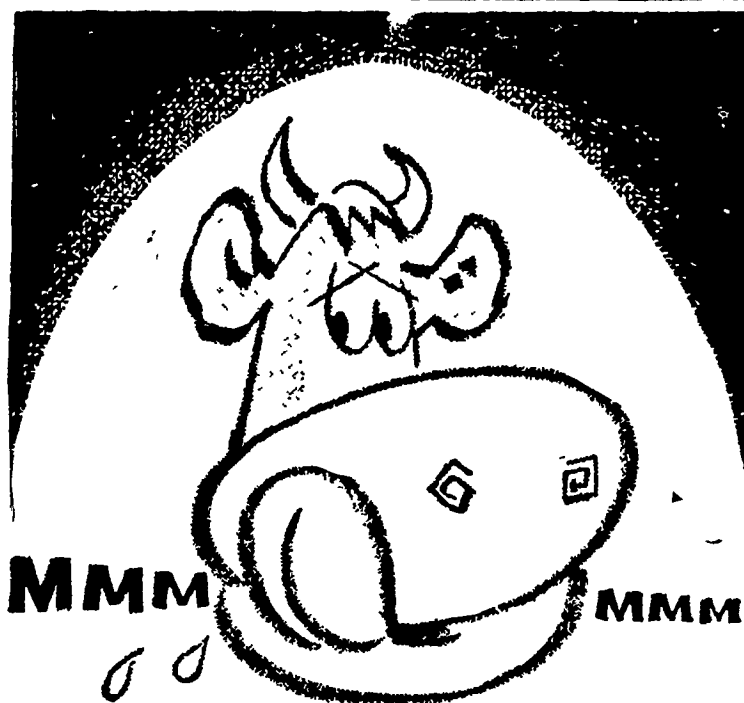
Grain and hay prices averaged slightly lower, primarily a re-

sult of slipping hay prices which were \$2.00 a ton below the previous month. Corn and oats were unchanged at \$1.19 and \$.83 respectively. Wheat dropped 3 cents to \$1.22, while bailey fell 6 cents to \$.92 per bushel. June potato price was \$3.25—an increase of 60 cents from May.

The preliminary estimate of June milk price, at \$5.70 per cwt., is unchanged from the previous month. Poultry and egg prices were up sharply, a result of a 3 cent increase in egg prices. Broilers and roaster prices gained a half cent to 17 cents per pound, while other chicken prices were unchanged.

The prices received index for all farm products, a measure of the change in prices received by farmers, was 257 percent of its 1910-14=100 percent base. This compares with 251 the previous month and 250 for June 1967.

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