

LEXINGTON, KY., Operator loads new steel curing frames onto farm wagons. This was part of the "Tobacco Mechanization Field Day" held by the USDA and the University of Kentucky. Using the frames, tobacco can stay in the field longer, wilt in the sun and

wind, and be housed at the growers convenience. Tobacco is handled only once — when it is placed on the frames. This reduces leaf loss, about 280 pounds per acre according to 1967 tests by the University of Kentucky.

4-H Livestock Team Wins At Virginia

Lancaster's senior 4-H livestock judging team, named state champions last month at Penn State, defeated champion teams from six other states over last weekend.

The county team judged Saturday at the Virginia State Fair and defeated entries from the host state, North Carolina, Indiana, Tennessee, Maryland, and South Carolina.

Four youths were entered for each team, with the top three scorers representing their respective states in the competition at Richmond.

Mike Smucker, Ephrata R2, was the second high scorer among the 28 boys and girls. He tallied 511 points out of a possible 550

Richard Buckwalter, Lititz R3, was the high scorer in swine judging, with 198 points out of a possible 200. The Pennsylvania team was the high scorer in swine judging.

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District 10 4-H Horse Show Winners

The District 10 4-H Horse and Pony Show was held last Saturday at Ludwig's Corner Horse Show Grounds in Chester County.

The Lancaster County winners are as follows:

Nancy Henkel, Strasburg R1, was 1st in Hunter Seat Equitation, Junior Division and 2nd in Working Hunter Ponies

Shirley Craig, Nottingham R2 was 1st in Pole Bending and 2nd in Clover Leaf Barrel Race

Nancy Weber, Millersville, was 1st in Saddle Seat Equitation and 2nd in English Pleasure.

Other first placings were Cathy Reinhold, Columbia R2 in the Western Pleasure, Steve Mitchell, Refton in the Western Reining, Randy John Glick, Bareville, in the Open Trail and Thomas Hamill, Mt Joy R1, in

Pennsylvania Poultry Federation Announces New Executive Director

Walter E. Wheelock, President, Pennsylvania Poultry Federation announces that, at a recent board of directors meeting held in their offices at 2430 N Second St., Harrisburg, the board unanimously approved the recommendation of the execu-

tive committee of the hiring of Homer J Bicksler to fill the new position of Executive Director

The establishing of the new position in the Federation resulted from an eight month study as to how the Federation can better serve the Pennsylvania poultry industry

Pennsylvania has a diversified poultry production, it includes a large production of market (table) eggs, hatching eggs, broilers, turkeys and game birds. Currently some of these specialized areas have very effective "trade" associations

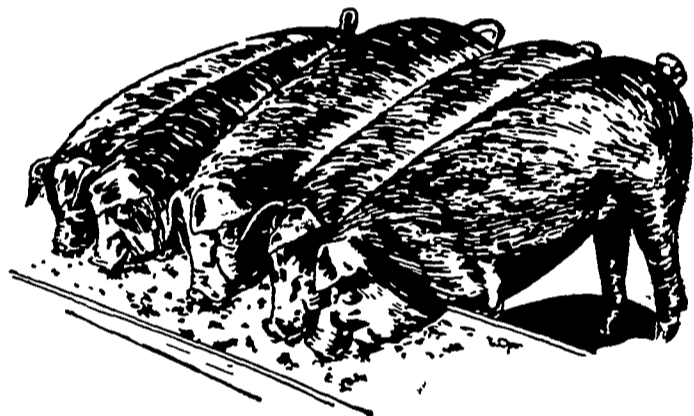
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the Saddle Seat Equitation, Junior Division.

Second place was won by Kirk Bussell, Manheim R1 in the Stock Seat Equitation, Junior Division and Bob Hershey, Manheim in Pole Bending

All winners will compete in the State Show to be held in Harrisburg November 15 and 16

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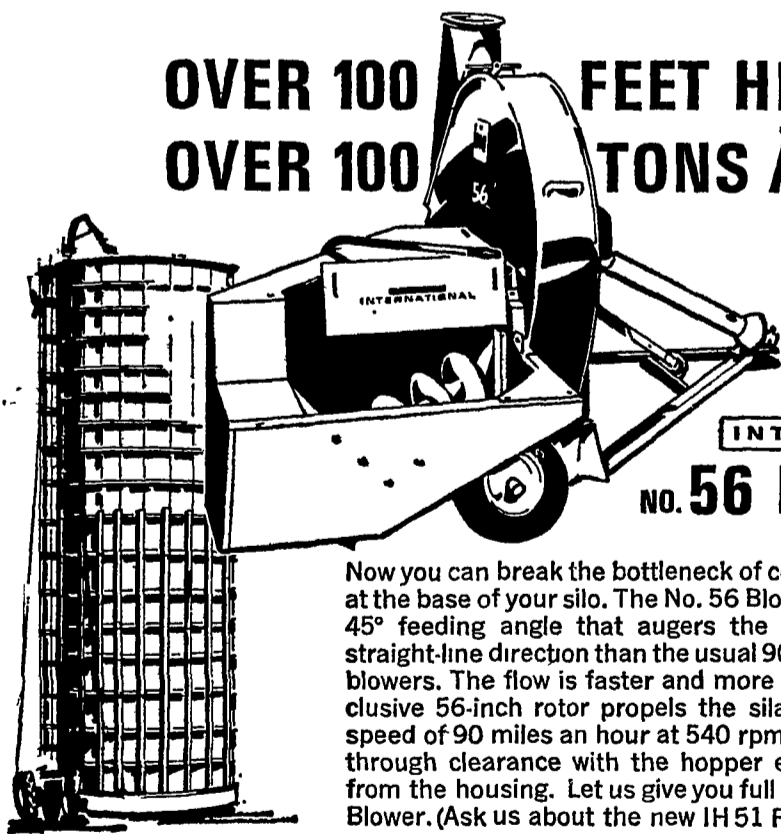
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