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Nanette Stauffer



Patricia Bare



Linda Kreider



Susan Kauffman



Charlene Smoker

Lovely Teens Assure Success June 23

Eight Enter Dairy Princess Pageant

The Lancaster County Dairy Princess Committee this week announces the eight contestants for the Lancaster County Dairy Princess Pageant June 23 at the Farm and Home Center.

They are Susan Kauffman, Patricia Bare, Lois Gruber, Charlene Smoker, Nanette Stauffer, Linda Kreider, Donna Hess and Marilyn Kiantz.

The pageant, at which the county's Dairy Princess will be selected, will begin at 6:30 p.m. June 23 with a reception, followed by dinner at 7 p.m.

Tickets are available from Victor Plastow at the extension office and from officers of the various

dairy breed associations or Dairy Princess Committee members.

Mrs. Robert Gregory, Lititz RD1, Princess Committee chairman, this week expressed appreciation for the good response. She said the contestants are all attractive and of about the same age.

She indicated the girls should help assure a successful pageant this year.

The Princess Committee has scheduled a briefing session with the girls and their mothers at the Farm and Home Center at 7:30 p.m. Monday.

The girls are all recent gradu-

ates of local high schools except three, Marilyn, Susan and Lois who will be seniors this fall.

The girls and a brief background sketch of them is as follows:

Miss Susan Kauffman, age 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kauffman, of Elizabethtown RD1 from the Penn-Spring Holstein Farm lists her activities as the

church choir, Lancaster 4-H Club, 4-H Sewing Club, and Elizabethtown High School's Musical Show. She will be a senior at Elizabethtown High.

Miss Patricia Bare, 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bate, 419 Mt. Sidney Road, Witmer, from a Holstein Dairy Farm is a recent graduate of Conestoga Valley High School. A member

of the Stumptown Mennonite Church, she participates in the Mennonite Youth Group, the Conestoga Valley 4-H Sewing Club, 4-H Junior Leader, and the 4-H County Council.

Miss Marilyn B. Kiantz, 16, who will be a senior at Solanco High School, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Kiantz of

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We Begin Green Dragon Livestock, Hay Markets

Lancaster Farming this week introduces the Green Dragon Livestock and hay market at Ephrata.

Larry Loose, auction co-owner, said the auction takes all types of livestock but gradually has built up a particularly good dairy animal business. Bill Rohrbach is co-owner with Loose.

Unfortunately, due to technical difficulties, the Green Dragon market will be one week old. That's because the auction is

held each Friday, the day we go to press.

But interested farmers can catch the market trend from our report and get more recent information by calling the auction.

The Green Dragon market has been the only significant Lancaster County market we have not carried — because of the timing. We pioneered in bringing up-to-date reports to area farmers on the New Holland and Vintage markets, and have always carried the Lancaster market.

The Green Dragon Livestock sales for Friday, May 29, as reported by Walter Rissen, livestock manager, are as follows:

Attendance fair, prices strong for good quality animals 140 head.

One load fresh Canadian cows \$342.50 to \$500 each, springers \$350 to \$625 each.

One load of Good bred heifers, \$300 to 420 each.

One load of Canadian springer cows, \$365 to \$550 each, with one (Continued on Page 16)



Marilyn Krantz



Donna Hess



Lois Gruber

Dairy Month Is Easy Eating Time

Suppose milk were a seasonal specialty like corn-on-the-cob or peaches.

Not so long ago, something very like that was actually the case. Actually, that's the reason June is Dairy Month, instead of November or February.

Oh, yes, milk was available year 'round but as summer approached, cows under the benevolent influence of balmy air and more plentiful grazing increased their milk production to its yearly peak.

Not only was the milk supply

more lavish, so were the other dairy fresh foods made from milk including cottage cheese, butter, sour cream. The Milk Season was deliciously on!

That's why, in 1937, when National Milk Month made its bow, (Continued on Page 9)

We Salute Dairying!

Lancaster Farming this week salutes the area's biggest farm business — dairying.

Not only does dairying play a vital role in the local economy, it contributes much to our nutrition and eating pleasure, both here and nationwide.

Lancaster Farming and the firms whose advertisements appear here salute area dairy farmers and all who play vital roles in the dairy foods industry with this special dairy issue.