

# Plowing Contest Winners at Conservation Field Day

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Daniel Rohrer, Manheim RD1, took first place honors.

Taking second was Ken Hackman, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hackman, Ephrata RD1.

Junior division members are



Clark Stauffer  
4-H Tractor Winner

not eligible for the state contest.

### Land Judging Contest

In the land judging contest, Delmar Weaver, East Earl RD1, took first place. In second was Dale Groff, Litz RD4, and third was Clark Stauffer. A trophy is presented to the first place winner. Fifteen were in the contest.

More than 25 pieces of farm equipment, including tractors, manure spreaders, back hoe loader, new electric mower, harvester and windrower were on display.

Aaron Stauffer, conservation district chairman, said attendance was good. The weather was sunny, hot and humid.

Two different flights were available to show Lancaster County land and conservation practices from the air.

### 'A Black Year'

In brief comments, Stauffer said this year has been "a black year for Lancaster County conservation."

He said there has been a tremendous loss of soil this year from the heavy water runoff. The loss has been compounded



Winners of the plowing contests with their prizes at the Conservation District Field Day are; from left: Frank Burkhart, Lancaster; Marvin Zimmerman, East Earl RD1, and Richard G. Groff, Litz

RD3. They are eligible for state competition August 26. It was later announced that Ivan Yost, Christiana RD1, not shown, will be eligible for the state.

by the move toward more corn acreage, he said.

Stauffer said local creeks have been blown and this color represents lost soil for farmers

## Carol Staman Attends National FHA Meeting



Delmar Weaver  
Land Judging Winner

Carol Louise Staman has returned from New York where she attended the national meeting of Future Homemakers of America at the New York Hilton, July 13-17.

Carol is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Y. Staman, Shawnee Farm, Box 63, Columbia.

While at the meeting Carol participated in the "Funtastic" and as a voting delegate. She is a member of the Hempfield Chapter of FHA and is currently a state officer.

Carol was one of 1,500 FHA delegates representing a national membership of 600,000 high school home economics students.

She reports that it was an exciting week packed with workshops, discussion groups, outstanding speakers, fun time, an evening at Radio City Music Hall, and a chance to make a lot of new friends from all across the country.

"The meeting theme was FHA's Dare of the Decade" Carol reported, "and we were given many ideas for accomplishing the objective To Promote Communication for the Enrichment of Human Relationships. We heard from leaders in the education field, held idea swap sessions and attended career seminars.

"Of course, the election and installation of our 12 new national officers is a thrilling event. It was even more thrilling when our own Ruth Ann Hockenbroch of Richfield was elected President of the National FHA.

"Being selected as a delegate to attend this national meeting was a wonderful experience and a great honor for me and I am grateful for having had the opportunity."

### Horse Accident Fatal

Judith Lorraine Carr, 17, died at Coatesville General Hospital Monday after her horse bolted and dragged her along the ground for about a quarter of a mile.

She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd R. Carr, 3290 Manor Road, Coatesville.

### 4-H Sewing Club

Several members of the Garden Spot 4-H Sewing Club received awards for excellence in construction following a fashion show Monday evening.

Betsy Best took first in the start stitching project group, with Connie Bensinger second. First in the cotton skirt division was Kim Martin and second was Lisa Adams. Sleeveless dress winners were Jean Seitzinger, first, and Anita Stauffer, second.

First in the school dress category was Cindy Chalfont and second was Tammy Sensenig.

Ann Williams took first in the wool skirt division, with Evie Adams taking second. Miss Halls won first in the free lance category and Jan Hunsicker, second.

The special awards were presented by Mrs. Roy Hooper, leader, who received a gift from the girls for her outstanding service to the club and community.

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