



John Miller (right), Manheim Central FFA member, admires his new Guernsey calf received from the Jerome Rhodes, Quarryville, herd this week at the Lampeter Fair under the Dairy Breeders' Calf Award program. Looking on is Robert Breneman, Guernsey committee member.

Two FFA Members Get Dairy Calves

Two Lancaster County FFA members were given dairy calves at the Lampeter Fair this week.

Marlin Smoker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smoker, Stevens RD1, received a Holstein calf and John Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arlington Miller, Elm received a Guernsey calf.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Frey, Manheim RD2, donated the Holstein and Jerome Rhoades, Quarryville, donated the Guernsey.



Marlin Smoker (kneeling), Cloister FFA Chapter member, is shown receiving his Holstein calf this week at the Lampeter Fair under the Dairy Breeders' Calf Award program. Looking on are Robert Book (left), Holstein committee chairman, Leola, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Frey, Manheim RD2 donors.

10-Year-Old Wins Big In Ephrata Sheep Show

Elizabeth Herr, 10 years old, took most of the top honors at the Ephrata Fair Sheep Show Thursday.

Her Cheviots were grand champion, reserve grand champion and best pen of three.

To top it off, she was named champion fitter and reserve champion showman.

Young Elizabeth is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Herr, Navon RD2. Her father is a vocational teacher at New Holland and a breeder and promoter of Dorsets.

Thursday was the first time

she had ever shown sheep in competition and this is her first year in the 4-H Baby Beef and Lamb Club.

Dale Sensenig, Ephrata, picked up champion showman honors.

The mediumweight pen-of-three was won by Marty Good. Reinholds also reserve pen-of-three.

Miss Herr was assisted with showing her Cheviots by her younger sister, Barbara, and younger brother, Christian.

Elizabeth said she likes sheep and plans to keep on showing.



Elizabeth Herr, 10, is assisted by her eight-year-old brother Christian in displaying her grand champion and reserve

grand champion sheep at the Ephrata Fair Thursday. The animals are Cheviots.

Smoker is a sophomore at Ephrata High School and a member of the Cloister FFA Chapter. He recently went to Springfield, Mass., to the East States Exposition as a dairy products judge. Marlin earned the trip by placing sixth in dairy products judging at the State FFA Convention.

Holstein committee members making the selection were Robert Book, chairman, Leola, Melvin Eby, Paradise, and Donald Heishey, Manheim.

To be eligible for his award Miller submitted his application through his FFA Chapter to the Guernsey committee. His written application was reviewed, followed by an interview by the committee and selection was made on this basis.

John is a sophomore at Manheim Central. He has shown hogs at the Lancaster County Swine show where his Hampshire placed sixth, showed his dairy calf at the Southeastern FFA Dairy show where his calf placed third and participated as a dairy judge during FFA activities week at Penn State.

New Holland 4-H

Diane Herr
News Reporter

The New Holland 4-H Community club held its monthly meeting at the home of Mary Lou Fisher on September 21. The meeting was opened by President Elvin Lapp. The members gave their progress reports.

A motion was then made to have a Halloween party on October 23. Mrs. Mary Martin said it could be held at her house. A food and recreation committee was appointed.

In the leaders' reports, members were instructed on how to prepare projects for the New Holland Fair and also when to bring them.



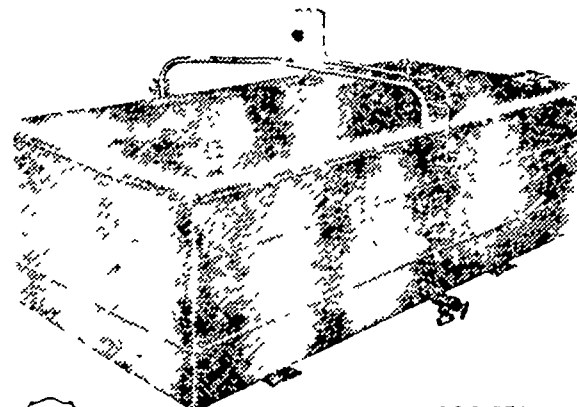
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