

## 51 Enter Rough and Tumble Tractor Pull

Some 51 farmers entered their tractors in the third tractor pulling contest of the Rough and Tumble Museum, Kinzer, last Saturday.

Dan Brubaker, Museum president, said the weather and ground conditions were ideal and that the number of contestants increased from previous contests. He also reported about 800 paid admissions to the Museum's fund raising event.

The competition was divided

into five classes, according to tractor weight.

Ivan Yost won both the 9,000 and 15,000 pound classes, although it took a tie pull-off to beat Ed Greenleaf in the 15,000 pound class.

Yost was also second in the 12,000 pound class to Lester Hauck.

John Stauffer won the 5,000 pound class and Nelson Sangry the 7,000 pound class.

Top four winners in each

category and the make of tractor they used is as follows:

5,000 pound class — John Stauffer, Deutz, first; Harold Stauffer, Deutz, second; Paul Campbell, Allis Chalmers, third; Steve Luthecker, Case, fourth.

7,000 pound class — Nelson Sangry, International Harvester, first; Jim Brubaker, Allis Chalmers, second; Clement Stauffer, Deutz, third; Ed Weaver, Massey Ferguson, fourth.

9,000 pound class — Ivan Yost, International Harvester, first; Vernon Yoder, John Deere, second; Martin Greenleaf, Case, third; Mark Stauffer, Deutz, fourth.

12,000 pound class — Lester Hauck, International Harvester 1456, first; Ivan Yost, International Harvester 856, second; Paul Campbell, Allis Chalmers 210, third; Carl Hurst, John Deere 4020, fourth.

15,000 pound class — Ivan Yost, International Harvester 856, first; Ed Greenleaf, Case 1170, second; Lester Hauck, International Harvester 1456, third; Harold Frey, John Deere 4320, fourth.

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## State Grange Plans Annual Event

Proposals that, if enacted, could influence social, economic and governmental affairs throughout the state are now being prepared by the 60,000-member Pennsylvania State Grange for consideration at its 99th annual meeting October 25-28 at Somerset, A. Wayne Readinger, master, said recently.

These proposals, now in the drafting stage, will be submitted by many of the 623 subordinate and 56 pomona units in 65 counties.

Readinger said they may number over 100 and that topics to be covered will embrace the whole range of traditional Grange concerns in alert citizenship, wholesome family life, improved farm income, preservation of prime agricultural land, pollution control, taxation, and the efficient administration of government at all levels.

The convention program, Readinger indicated, will be patterned after the 98th meeting last fall at Meadville, and those of other recent successful sessions in Lewistown, But-

ler and Gettysburg. First ever held in Somerset, the convention will have the backing of state and pomona officials of that area, Somerset county's seven local granges with nearly 600 members, the Somerset Pomona grange, county officials, and business and civic leaders.

Glenn Handwork, Somerset, RD5, pomona master who is chairman of local arrangements, said ample housing will be available to accommodate some 2,500 or more delegates and guests. Working closely with him will be Mr. and Mrs. William H. Ringler, Berlin RD1, state deputy and state junior deputy; Miss Mildred M. Shultz, Somerset, state lecturer, and others.

### Misnamed Months

The last four months are misnamed. September, October, November and December, meaning 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th, got those names because the old Roman year started March 1, and the months were named after the Latin numerals.

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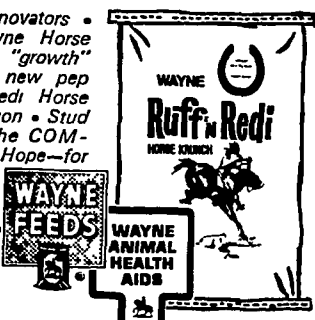
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## Poultry Federation Says 'No' to Sisk Bill 7597

The executive committee of the Pennsylvania Poultry Federation has unanimously recommended against adoption of the Sisk Bill 7597.

The committee explained that, despite the present plight of many poultrymen, it was felt that the Sisk Bill in its present form does not offer the proper solutions to the problems. The committee agreed to notify the trade press, representatives in Congress and in the House

Agricultural Committee of its decision.

Homer Bicksler, Federation executive secretary, said the Sisk bill sets up a collective bargaining board to take over marketing and price establishing of farm commodities. While the farmer would vote his approval before it would become effective, the farmer would have to comply once it was set up.

In other business, Hendrick

Wentink, Federation secretary, and past chairman of the fund raising banquet committee, was authorized to find a speaker for the January 12 banquet in the Penn Harris Motor Inn at Camp Hill. Robert Shelly, Federation president, indicated he will announce the banquet committee in the near future.

Bicksler gave a brief report on food booth plans for the Poultry Festival at Hershey which is held in conjunction with Dutch Days, August 24-29 and the Ag Progress Days which will be held on the College Farms, August 31 through September 2.

## Parties Help Health Center

Fulton Orange sponsored progressive parties to aid the Southern Lancaster County Family Health Center equipment fund are in full swing.

This center is to open October 1 at Quarryville.

The following have held parties which have netted \$208 to date: Mr. and Mrs. C. G. McSparan, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Steinberg, Mr. and Mrs. William Douts, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Krei-

der, Mr. and Mrs. Gyles Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Maule, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Stauffer Jr., Kenneth Alexander and Arlene Wiggins, Mr. and Mrs. J. Everett Kreider, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Eager, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Trimble, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kauffman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reath, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Fryberger.

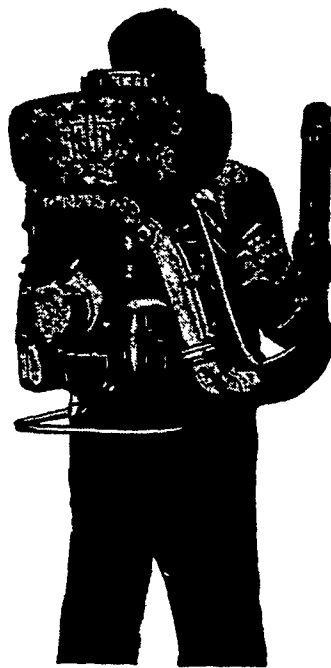
There were also donations amounting to \$22.

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