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Poultry Assn. Holds Annual Banquet

About 215 producers and allied industry men attended the annual Lancaster County Poultry Association banquet Thursday night at the Plain and Fancy Restaurant, Bird-in-Hand.

Farm Calendar

Saturday, October 16

8 p.m. - Fulton Grange quarterly meeting, Fulton Grange Hall, Oakryn.

Monday, October 18

8 p.m. - Fulton Grange officers and committee meetings, Fulton Grange Hall, Oakryn.

Tuesday, October 19

8 p.m. - Dairy Herd Management educational meeting, Farm and Home Center.

8 p.m. - Farm and Home Foundation board of directors meeting, Farm and Home Center.

8 p.m. - Ephrata Young Farmers monthly meeting, vocational agriculture department, Ephrata High School.

8 p.m. - Manheim Young Farmers meeting, Clarence Keener farm.

Garden Spot Young Farmers meeting, Vo-tech school program.

"The Widening World of Women" Extension seminar, Holiday Inn, King of Prussia, October 19 and 20.

National meeting on Poultry Condemnation, Convention Hall, Ocean City, Md., October 19 - 20.

Thursday, October 21

8:30 a.m. - 4:15 p.m. - Pennsylvania Poultry Business Management seminar, Farm and Home Center.

Friday, October 22

7 p.m. - Lancaster County Farmers Association dinner meeting, Harvest Drive Restaurant, Gordonville.

Saturday, October 23

Annual Horticulture Show, Penn State University, October 23 - 24.

American Breeders Service "Exotic Weekend II," Calgary, Alberta, Canada.

The program included election of four director's to the Association's board.

Voted producer representatives were: J. Harold Esbenschade, Manheim RD2; Aaron S. Glick, Quarryville RD2, and John W. Melhorn, Mount Joy.

Esbenschade, who previously served as a director, replaced Claude Hess, who is stepping down after several years. Glick and Melhorn were re-elected.

The new allied industry

representative is Kenneth Roth, Rheems, succeeding Lorin Weigard.

Jay Irwin, associate Lancaster County ag agent, reviewed the association's activities during the past year, including: four educational meetings in the first half of 1971; two additional meetings coming up, including one from 8:30 a.m. till 4:15 p.m. Thursday, October 21, and another from 9:30 a.m. till 4:30 p.m. November 10; held a tour to

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Poultry Management Seminar Slated

A state-wide Poultry Business Management Seminar will be held at the Farm and Home Center from 8:30 a.m. till 4:15 p.m. Thursday, October 21.

Jay W. Irwin, associate Lancaster County ag agent, said the meeting will feature outstanding speakers with good up-to-date management information. He said there has been considerable interest in the program and a large turnout is being sought.

The morning program, under the direction of Dr. Floyd Hicks, Penn State University poultry science professor, will begin with registration at 8:30 a.m., a brief welcome from Irwin at 9 a.m. and a discussion of "The Employee" by Dr. James S. Holt, Penn State Association ag professor at 9:05 a.m.

Holt's talk will involve the future supply and demand of labor in relation to agriculture, labor quality and turnover, and labor legislation.

At 9:50 a.m., Dr. Richard Keppler, Penn State associate ag professor, will speak on "The Job", including making the job as easy and efficient as possible and guidelines for making the work simpler, including enlisting participation, using employees' ideas, working smarter rather than harder, teaching principles, and allowing time to experiment.

Following a question and answer session at 10:50 a.m., Kermit Birth and Louis Moore, Penn State associate ag professors, will speak at 11:05 a.m. on "The Investment." The discussion will involve determining when it is profitable to

substitute equipment for labor,

Dr. E.I. Robertson, nutritionist with John W. Eshelman & Sons, Lancaster feed firm, will chair the afternoon program beginning with a group lunch at 11:50 a.m. Luncheon speaker on "The Future of the Industry" will be Clifford Stewart, Hyline Poultry Farms, Des Moines, Iowa.

At 1:30 p.m., Luke Bomberger, treasurer, Victor F. Weaver, Inc., New Holland, will speak on "Computer Applications," including a discussion of how the computer is used to assist management in decision making and labor cost control.

Following a question and answer period at 2:15, Dr. Wesley Kriebel, Penn State associate ag professor, will speak on "Pick Up and Delivery Routing for Maximum Efficiency," including how computer programs can aid in developing the most efficient routing. Questions and answers are scheduled for 3:30 p.m. with adjournment at 4:15 p.m.

Advance registration is being requested by Tuesday, October 19 in order to make luncheon arrangements. Registration fee, including luncheon, is \$5. Registration can be made through Irwin at 1383 Arcadia Road, Lancaster, Pa. 17601.

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First of 3 Dairy Meetings Set Tuesday Night

The first of three important dairy management meetings will be held at the Farm and Home Center at 8 p.m. Tuesday, October 19.

Donald L. Ace, Penn State University dairy Extension, will speak on "Calf and Cow Management" including calf raising and milking herd management.

Max Smith, Lancaster County ag agent, and N. Alan Bair, assistant county agent, are urging dairymen to attend the meetings.

They said, "We are particularly interested in reaching dairymen with herd averages under 450 pounds of butterfat.

With increased knowledge of good feeding and herd management practices, we feel that many dairymen can increase their profits. We hope that you will be able to accept this opportunity of permitting us to help you improve your returns from your dairy operation."

Smith explained that while it takes good animals to reach the highest production levels, use of the right management procedures can usually result in major improvements with low producing herds.

Increasing production usually requires a combination of improved breeding schedules to cut down on the number of dry cows and the length of time they are

dry; feeding a more balanced ration; improving crop management to develop a better quality of feed; improving the handling of cows; improving milking schedules and techniques.

These are some of the types of issues which will be discussed at the three meetings and most farmers should be able to pick suggestions which can be used on the farm to result in more efficient milk production, Smith said.

Meetings are also scheduled for Tuesday, October 26 and Tuesday, November 2 with Penn State dairy Extension personnel speaking at the Farm and Home Center beginning at 8 p.m.



Enos Heisey introduces his slide presentation on "Agriculture in Africa" at the Lancaster County Poultry Association banquet, while Stanley Musselman, toastmaster, makes some notes

Ki Hyung Yoo Receives Cattle for South Korea

Ki Hyung Yoo, the Korean visitor who spent about four weeks visiting in Lancaster County has represented his country recently in special ceremonies at the Dwight D. Eisenhower Farm near Gettysburg.

Mrs. Eisenhower presented a registered Angus bull to the American Korean Foundation (AKF) and a bred Angus heifer donated by the Adams County 4-H Clubs for shipment to Korea to help upgrade Dorea's beef cattle production.

The cattle are the first part of the Eisenhower Agriculture Program founded by the AKF recognition of what the former president did for South Korea.

The name of the bull is being officially changed to AKF

Eisenhower and he will be kept at the Sosa Farm in South Korea, but will be offered to co-ops around the country to be bred artificially to native South Korean cows. The heifer will also remain at the farm to become the nucleus of a registered Angus herd there.

Yoo, AKF youth specialist of Sousa, South Korea, is a leading 4-H official in Korea. While in Lancaster County for about four weeks in August and September, Yoo divided his time as guests of the Glenn Porter family, Washington Boro RD1, and the James Hess family, Quarryville RD2.

Yoo is slated to continue his study of U.S. agriculture and youth programs until November, when he will return to South Korea.

Local 4-H Girl Cited at National Contest

The Pennsylvania 4-H dairy judging team placed fifth in competition with 32 other state teams this week at the 4-H National Dairy Judging Contest in Columbus, Ohio.

Two of the four members, all girls, of the Pennsylvania team were from Lancaster County.

Raelene Harbold, Elizabethtown RD1, placed fifth

nationally in individual scoring. She placed second in reasons given for her judgments.

Other members of the state team were: Sue Kauffman, Elizabethtown RD1, Lancaster County Dairy Princess, Ginger Siegrist, Franklin County, and Shirley Thompson, York County.

The state team was selected on the basis of top scores in the state 4-H dairy judging contest.