Dr. Ziegler to be Honored at Little International Exposition

The 55th Little International Livestock Exposition to be held April 29 at Pennsylvania State University will be dedicated to Dr. John H. Ziegler Jr, associate professor of meat science.

The exposition is sponsored annually by the Block and Bridle Club, a student organization. Club members are honoring Dr. Ziegler for his enthusiastic support of Block and Bridle Club

Dr. Ziegler devotes considerable time to teaching and advising students as well as participating in research dealing with the evaluation of meat

animal carcasses emanating from genetic, nutritional and management projects.

Ziegler has been active throughout the years on committees of the College of Agriculture concerning curriculums for undergraduate majors in animal industry, animal science, and food science. He served on many carcass show

committees and is author and coauthor of numerous scientific and popular articles dealing with meats and meat animal production.

Events of the Little International will be held April 29 in the ice pavilion at University Park Some 130 students will be competing in judging of cattle, sheep, hogs and horses

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Initial plans for the summer picnic have been announced by Vivian Stauffer, Ephrata The picnic will be held at 7 p m July 29 at the Lampeter Fair Grounds. Further deails will be announced as the date approaches

Membership secretary Nathan Stoltzfus announced that the Lancaster County Farmers Association membership now stands at 1,110 Statewide, membership in the Farm Bureau is approaching 15,500.

Livestock marketing survey forms will soon be mailed to all members beef producers, according to secretary James Martin, Strasburg. The forms, which will determine desire for the Association to assist in the purchase of feeder cattle, should be returned as soon as possible. Martin requests 100 per cent

Ivan Yost, insurance committee, announced the unexpected resignation of salesman Wilbur Sollenberger. Sollenberger, who was recently honored for outstanding sales, will continue to service accounts until April 25.

The insurance committee said no replacement has been named and all problems should be directed to the committee after Aprıl 25

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