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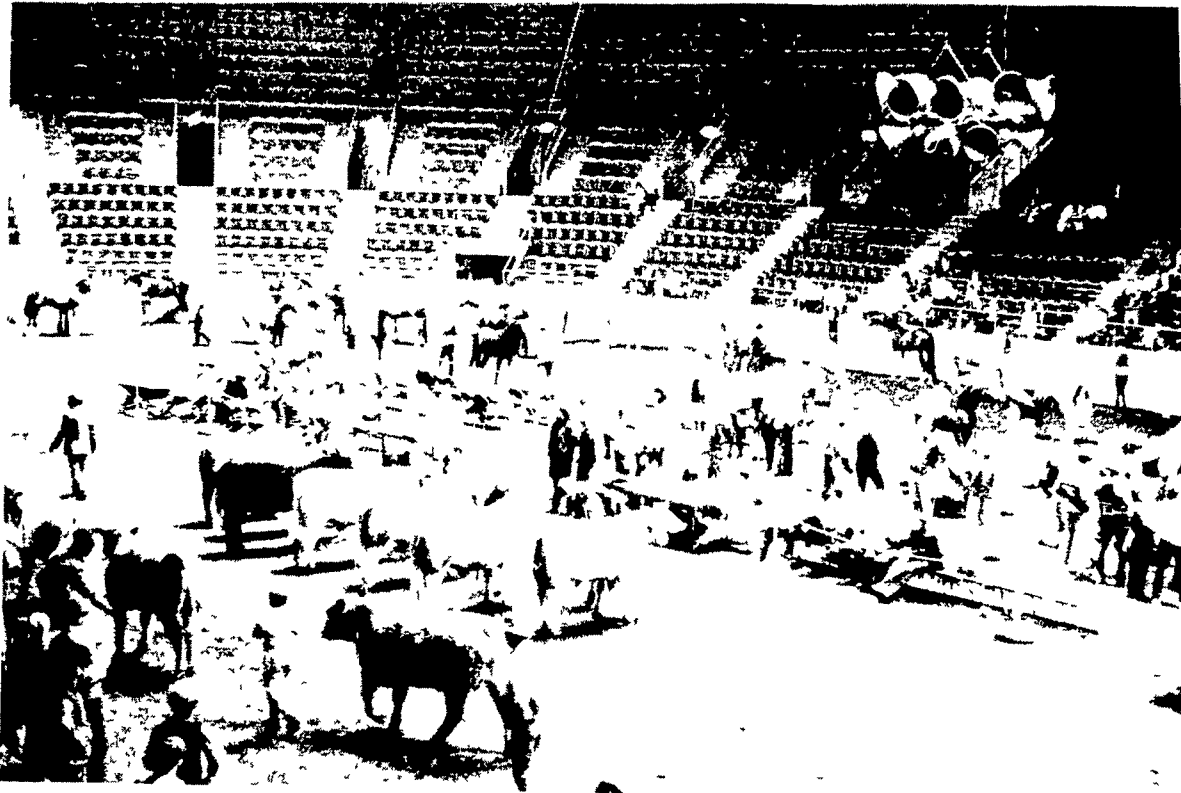
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The big arena at the Harrisburg Farm Show complex was a busy place this week, as the 16th annual Keystone International Livestock Exposition saw owners and handlers exhibit some 4000 different

animals. Monday was one of the busiest days, with Arabian horses being shown on one side of the ring, beef cattle on the other side.

FLB, PCA Directors Reelected

Area members of the Federal Land Bank Association and the Production Credit Association jammed the large banquet room at the Plan 'N Fancy Farm on Thursday for their joint annual meeting.

Wilmer B. Campbell, a PCA director, was toastmaster for the luncheon and also presided over the business meeting. Members listened to reports from the

FLBA and PCA directors, they heard a report from Farm Credit Service manager Carl Brown, and they were entertained by the barbership quartet singing of the Lanco Lads.

Balloting for FLBA directors resulted in re-election wins for Richard B. Lefever and Samuel B. Williams, Jr. Lefever is a dairy farmer from Quarryville R1, while Williams owns and operates a 250 acre farm in Middletown.

J. Homer Graybill and Elvin Hess, Jr., were reelected to their posts as directors of the Production Credit Association. Graybill owns a 67-acre farm in Manheim R3. Hess has a 92-acre dairy farm in Strasburg R1.

Dairy Meets Rescheduled

Scheduling problems have forced shuffling of Lancaster County dairy management meetings, according to Alan Bair, assistant county agent.

Dr. Sam Guss had been scheduled for a Nov. 2 speech on dairy cattle diseases, but the date was changed to Nov. 21.

Richard S. Adams was to conduct a meeting on Nov. 14 to discuss vitamin-mineral formulation, forage testing and feeding. That session has been moved back to December 7.

Expert Says . . .

"Changes Ahead in Animal Agriculture"

"There will be lots of opportunity in the years ahead, especially for animal agriculture. But there will be problems, too," Dr. William Pope told the Pennsylvania Livestock and Allied Industries Association this week.

Pope is assistant dean at Texas A&M's College of Agriculture, and was the featured speaker at the association's first annual dinner meeting on Wednesday night at the Penn Harris Motor Inn in Camp Hill.

As one example of the growth of animal agriculture, Pope said that in Texas alone, livestock income was twice as much as income from crops. Not too many years ago, he said, crops accounted for more money than animals.

Pope's slide illustrated talk was concerned with the challenges the livestock industry has met in the past as well as those it will meet in the future.

"One of the things we've got to realize is that there's a different kind of consumer today," Pope said. "Women buy 75 percent of the food sold in the U.S., and they just don't realize the producer's problems. Her mother or grandmother might have lived on a farm, but today's housewife may never even have visited a farm. All she knows about food is what she sees in the supermarket."

Consumers don't realize, Pope went on, all that farmers do for them. He cited figures which show that American farmers

provide food for 600 million meals a day, at a cost of about 40 cents
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Walter Dunlap, Jr.

Dunlap To Head PLAIA

Walter M. Dunlap, Jr., 1410 Ridge Road, Lancaster, was elected president of the Pennsylvania Livestock and Allied Industries Association at an association dinner meeting on Wednesday night.

Dunlap has long been an active member of the association. He retired in 1970 from Walter M. Dunlap & Sons, Inc., although he remains as a member of the board of directors. He is also on the board of Lancaster Stockyards, Inc.

Conservation Photo Winners Announced

Elizabethtown High School students captured four out of the seven prizes awarded in the first annual photo contest sponsored by the Lancaster County Conservation District.

Mark Gutshall, 230 E. Plum St., Elizabethtown, won a \$50 first prize in the contest's "Beautiful Scenes" category for a close-up color photo of a morning glory. Brad Morris, 643 Hampden Rd., Elizabethtown, took the \$50 top prize in the "Unightly Scenes" category for a photo entitled "Sunset on Junk."

Other winners in the "Beautiful" category were: second place (\$25), Had Walmer, 110 Meadowbrook Lane, Elizabethtown; third (\$10), Thomas Sensenig, 757 N. Reservoir St., Lancaster; honorable mention (\$5), Heidi Linn, 195 Stanley Ave., Landisville.

Other winners for 'unightly

scenes were: second place, (\$25) Edward Seitz, 515 Ridge View Ave., Elizabethtown; third (\$10), James Baer, 221 Orlon St., New Holland.

Henry Hackman, executive assistant for the Lancaster County Conservation District, said the contest was conducted from May to October of this year, and that all county high schools were invited to participate. In all, Hackman said, there were 17 entries received.

Hackman also pointed out that the reason the contest was conducted was to make young people more aware of environmental problems.

Farm Calendar

Sunday, November 12
22nd annual Pennsylvania
Farmers Association

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Four of the seven winners in a conservation photo contest came from Elizabethtown. The contest was held for the first time this year by the Lancaster County Conservation District. The winners

are, from left to right, Heidi Linn, Landisville; Mark Gutshall, Had Walmer, Brad Morris, and Edward Seitz, all from Elizabethtown; Thomas Sensenig, Lancaster, and James Baer, New Holland.