

Keystone Expo Area Winners

The 16th Keystone International Livestock Exposition closed last Friday at the Farm Show building amid the usual declarations of "bigger and better than ever before." It was.

With more than 125 champions and literally hundreds of first-in-the-class blue ribbons it is difficult to pick out the most singular triumph but certainly Bedford County must be standing a little taller.

It was also Pennsylvania's best finish among the beef breeding classes being able to come up with only a couple of reserve grand championships in the other breeds. Falkland Farm also showed the champion heifer calf, reserve junior bull and the best six head.

Breeding swine continues to be the state forte at the Keystone International where they garnered six of the seven premier exhibitor titles and produced 11 of the 14 champion boars and gilts. The complete list follows:

Chester White — James T. Parlett, Arville, York County, boar and exhibitor, Boyd Bros., Broque York County, gilt.

Duroc — Clyde McConaughy & Son, Smicksburg, Indiana County boar gilt and exhibitor.

Hampshire — Strawbridge & McCleary, Stewartstown, York County, boar gilt and exhibitor.

Poland China — Richard P. Sholley, Jonestown, Lebanon County boar and exhibitor.

Spotted Swine — Sholley, boar and exhibitor, Denton L. Griest, Abbottstown, Adams County, gilt.

Pennsylvania sheep raisers

and all of the other states entered were lost in a flurry of ribbons that headed toward Ohio. Pennsylvania State University was the lone premier exhibitor in the state out of judging that covered 11 breeds. PSU scored in the Southdowns where they also showed the champion ram. Mrs. Milton K. Morgan, 1916 New Holland Pike, Lancaster County, exhibited the champion Suffolk ram.

In carcass classes Pennsylvania came out of the on-foot judging with the grand champion barrows, a Yorkshire-cross entered by Reno Thomas. That didn't serve the on-rail evaluation but a lamb carcass entered by H. Thomas Van Wagner, Dauphin, moved up from fourth-place in the live judging to the grand championship carcass wethers.

This is not strictly a red meat show as judging of horses was involved in six days and nights of the week-long Livestock Exposition.

Pennsylvania State University won the intercollegiate division

and the state champion team second in the 4-H division of the Northeast Regional Horse Judging Contest. The Pennsylvania team is from Cumberland County.

Open breeding and performance classes were also staged for Quarter horses, Arabians and Appaloosas.

The livestock exposition closed with the Pennsylvania State 4-H Horse Show.

Area winners and their categories included:

Steers
Carcass Steers on Rail, Summer Yearling Angus — Octoraro Farm, Nottingham, third.

Pens of Five Feeder Steers, Angus — Walter S. Laird, Dover, second.

Pens of Five Feeder Steers, Hereford — F. Malcolm Wright, Abbottstown, first.

Angus Breeding Cattle, Late Junior Yearling Heifers — John W. Holloway, West Chester.

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Heifer — James Wilson, T. Glen Rock, third.
Angus Late Senior Yearling
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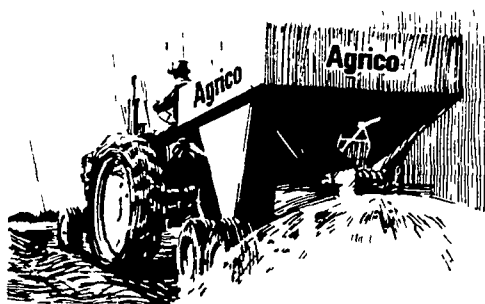
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