

Lampeter

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was exhibited by 11-year-old Christian.

Robert Strauss, Ephrata RD1, had the grand champion pen of three market lambs. Barbara Herr took the reserve grand champion pen of lambs ribbon.

Others winners in the various breed classes are:

Carcass lambs — Barbara Herr, second; Robert Strauss, third; Elizabeth Herr, fourth; Jennifer Polley, Narvon RD1, fifth.

Cheviot — Jennifer Polley, first.

Dorset — Barbara Herr, first and second; Luke Showalter, Akron, third and fourth; Calvin Sauder, Ephrata RD2, fifth and sixth.

Dorset Pen — Barbara Herr, first; Calvin Sauder, second; Luke Showalter, third.

Hampshire — Robert Strauss, first and third; Elizabeth Herr, second and fifth; Gary Eberly, Denver RD2, fourth and sixth.

Hampshire Pen — Robert Strauss, first; Elizabeth Herr, second; Gary Eberly, third; Melvin Weiler, Stevens RD1, fourth. Shropshire — Christian Herr, first and second, also pen.

Southdown — Steve Strauss, Ephrata RD1, first and second, also pen.

Suffolk — Barbara Herr, second; Christian Herr, third; Robert Strauss, fourth.

Corriedale — Daryl Sensenig, East Earl RD1, first.

Thursday night, a crowd

gathered to watch 15-year-old J. Ronald Zimmerman walk away with the grand champion trophy in the Baby Beef Show. Zimmerman's winning entry was a 20-month-old heavyweight Angus that tipped the scale at 1200 pounds. The veteran 4-H'er is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Zimmerman, Ephrata RD1.

Ron's younger sister, Judy, 12, also did well at the show taking the breed championship in the Hereford breed.

Reserve champion for the show was won by Kerry Boyd's crossbred entry. Kerry, Ephrata, also captured breed title with his heavyweight entry.

Judging the steer show was Conrad Grove, herdsman for Soleil Farms, Downingtown.

In Thursday afternoon's Junior Hog Show, Russel Kline, one of the county's consistent ribbon winners, showed the grand champion hog.

His entry, a 215-pound Duroc, was the top pick in a field of about 50 hogs.

Russel, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Kline, Reinholds, earlier this week had the grand champion Holstein at the Pennsylvania Junior Dairy Show.

The reserve grand champion of the show was taken by Mike Grube's entry, a 205-pound Crossbred. Mike resides at Lititz RD1.

Kerry Boyd, Ephrata RD1, took top honors in both the junior showmanship and junior fitting contest. Kline took the senior showmanship award while Dale

Martin, Stevens RD1, took the senior fitting event.

The results of Thursday's steer and hog shows are as follows:

STEER SHOW

Lightweight Angus — Rodney Frey, Marietta, first; Larry Frey, Marietta, second; Anne Martin, Narvon, third; Brenda Wenger, Stevens, fourth; Terry Frey, Marietta, fifth.

Heavyweight Angus — Ronald Zimmerman, Ephrata, first; Ronald Martin, Narvon, second; Bill Martin, New Holland, third; Tony Martin, New Holland, fourth.

Lightweight Crossbred — Linda High, Lancaster, first; Nancy Wenger, Stevens, second; Jeff Martin, New Holland, third; Sharon Wissler, Ephrata, fourth; Russel Kline, Reinholds, fifth; Clifford Sweigart, Mount Joy, sixth; Robert Strauss, Ephrata, seventh.

Heavyweight Crossbred — Kerry Boyd, Ephrata, first; Mike Martin, New Holland, second; Gary Eberly, Denver, third; Richard Yuninger, Marietta,

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fourth; Clark Stauffer, Ephrata, fifth; Shirley Stauffer, Ephrata, sixth; Anthony Eberly, Denver, seventh.

Lightweight Hereford — Judy Zimmerman, Ephrata, first; Steve Gehman, Stevens, second; Betty Reiff, Lititz, third; Nancy Yuninger, Marietta, fourth.

Heavyweight Hereford — Linda Martin, Narvon, first; Dennis Nissley, Mount Joy, second; Wayne Huyard, Leola, third

HOG SHOW

Chester White — Richard Bollinger, Lititz RD1, champion.

Duroc — Russel Kline, champion; Clark Stauffer, Ephrata RD1, reserve champion.

Hampshire — Clark Stauffer, champion, reserve champion.

Poland China — Kerry Boyd, champion.

Yorkshire — Nelson Weaver, Ephrata RD1, champion; Mike Grube, Lititz RD1, reserve champion.

Landrace — Dale Martin,

Stevens RD1, champion; James Felpel, Ephrata RD2, reserve champion.

Crossbreed — Mike Grube, champion; Clark Stauffer, reserve champion.

Farm Calendar

Saturday, September 29
60th Annual Horticulture Show, Penn State, September 29-30.

Sunday, September 30
10 a.m. — Bits and Bradoon 4-H Club Horse Show.

Monday, October 1
1:30 p.m. — Soybean Field Day, Penn State Research Farm, Landisville.

7 p.m. — Lancaster County Conservation District Annual Planning meeting, Farm and Home Center.

8 p.m. — Lancaster County Poultry Association meeting, Farm and Home Center.

Tuesday, October 2
Lancaster County Farmers Association meeting, Farm and Home Center.
LCVATA meeting, Ephrata High School.

Wednesday, October 3
Manheim Community Farm Show, October 3-5.
New Holland Farmers Fair, October 3-6.

12th National Broiler Housing Seminar, University of Delaware Substation, Georgetown, Del.

Saturday, October 6
8 p.m. — Fulton Grange Hay Ride; meet, Clifford Holloway farm near Wakefield.

FARM TRENDS (Continued From Page 1)

There's a lot of pressure now being exerted in Washington to ease the supply problem.

Many factors in the bleak outlook can't be changed. There's a shortage of rail cars. Fertilizer production facilities, running now at peak capacity, can't keep up with demand, and new plants aren't expected to increase available supply much before 1975. Higher grain prices, especially for wheat, have created an explosive demand for fertilizer on fields that were once left unfertilized. And natural gas, a raw material in the manufacture of nitrogen fertilizer, is in short supply.

Many experts are advising farmers to stock up and hold on to their fertilizer supplies because they might not be able to buy any when they most need it.

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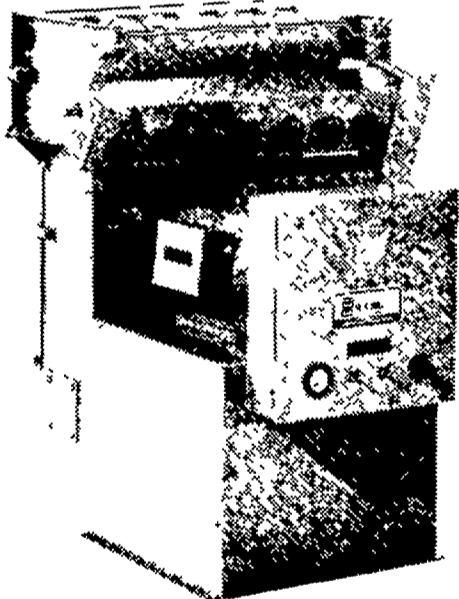
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