

Pa. Man President Of Meat Association

In the election of officers and directors of the American Meat Science Assn., Dr. John D. Shirk, The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, Pa., succeeded Dr. R. B. Sleeth, Armour Food Research Division, Oak Brook, Ill., as President. Dr. James D. Kemp, University of Kentucky, Lexington, Ky., was elected President-Elect and Dr. Gary Smith, Texas

A&M took over the reins as Chairman of the 1975 Reciprocal Meat Conference. Dr. William C. Sherman, National Live Stock & Meat Board, Chicago, was re-elected Secy-Treas.

The election took place during the business meeting of the 27th Annual Reciprocal Meat Conference held on the campus of Texas A&M University. Next

year's Conference is scheduled for the University of Missouri, Columbia, Mo.

Three new Directors were also elected: Dr. Larry L. Borchert, Oscar Mayer & Co., Madison, Wis.; Dr. Anthony Kotula, U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, Beltsville, Md., and Dr. Robert A. Merkel, Michigan State University, East Lansing, Mich. They succeed Dr. James A. Christian, University of Georgia, Athens, Ga.; Dr. F. C. Parrish, Jr., Iowa State University and F. W. Tauber, Union Carbide, Chicago, Ill.

The other three Directors, whose terms did not expire this year, include the new R.M.C. Chairman, Dr. Smith of Texas A&M; Dr. Steve Zobrisky, U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, Washington, D.C., and Dr. William Kramlich, Hillshire Farm Co., New London, Wis.

The American Meat Science Assn. has a membership of 443 meat scientists from throughout the United States and 13 foreign countries.



Kenneth Pierce and Luke Heagy met with Congressman Eshleman of the 16th District during the National

FFA Conference in Washington recently.

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Area Youth Attend National Conference

Two members of the Little Dutchmen FFA Chapter of

Annville-Cleona attended a National FFA Conference in Washington, D.C. recently.

Kenneth Pierce and Luke Heagy attended the conference in order to improve their leadership skills, develop an understanding of the national heritage and prepare FFA members for more effective leadership roles in their chapters and community.

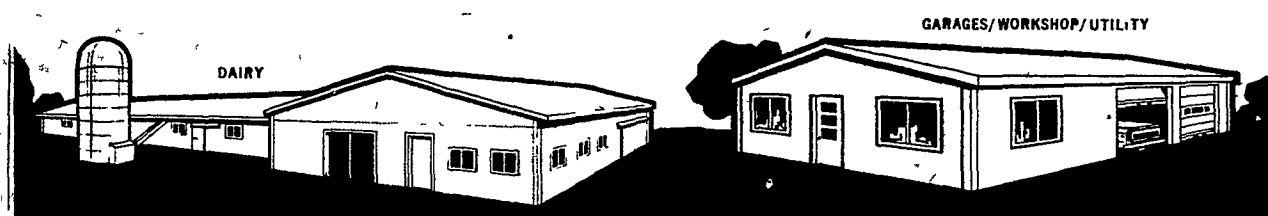
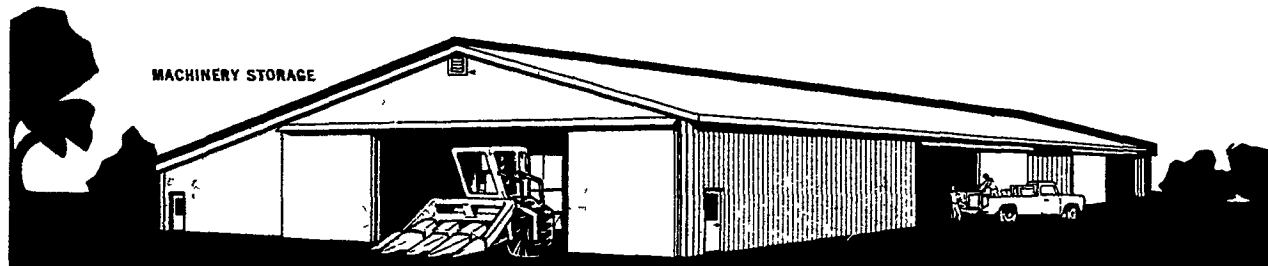
The conference was also a forum for the exchange of FFA Chapter Activity ideas among members from across the nation.

Besides the training sessions, the area youth visited Mt. Vernon, the National Archives, Arlington National Cemetery and several other historic

monuments around the Capitol.

Heagy, 17, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Heagy of Lebanon and Pierce, 16, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Pierce, Palmyra

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