Omaha Cattle

March 7

Weekly 51 - Cattle · Compared with last weeks close - closing prices Slaughter Steers and Heifers 1.00-1.25 higher. Cows 2.00-2.50 higher. Bulls strong, instances 1.00 higher.

Four day receipts 16,900 as compared 17,600 previous week and 15,700 a year ago. Slaughter Steers approximately 47 percent weeks total, Heifers 32 percent, Cows 12 percent and Feeders for Friday auction 8 percent.

STEERS: Two loads Choice and Prime 1068-1263 lbs. yield grade 3-4 36.75, a moderate volume Choice and Prime 1127-1335. lbs. yield grade 2-4 36.15-36.50. Choice 975-1400 lbs. yield grade 2-4 35.00-36.25, Mixed Good and Choice 950-1250 lbs. 34.50-35.00, occasionally 35.25. Good 31.00-34.50, yield grade 2-3 Holsteins 31.00-31.25. Standard and Low-Good 29.50-31.00.

Average cost Slaughter Steers first three days 34.84 average weight 1144 lbs. as compared 33.43 and 1116 lbs. previous week and 43.83 and 1151 lbs. a year ago.

HEIFERS: Several loads Choice and Prime 997-1075 lbs. vield grade 3-4 35.00-35.25, load 1129 lbs. 35.50 at midweek. Choice 850-1050 lbs. yield grade 2-4 34.00-35.00. Mixed Good and Choice 800-975 lbs. 33.00-



The Lancaster County Vocational **Agriculture Teachers Association** elected a new slate of officers at a recent meeting to serve for 1975. James Kerr, (seated, left), Brownstown and Willow Street Vo-Tech Schools, was named president.

Utility and

34.25. Good 29.00-33.00. Small

lots Standard and Good 27.50-

Commercial 18.50-21.00, few

Utility 21.50-22.00. Canner

and Cutter 15.00-18.50, Mixed

Cutter and Utility 18.75-19.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 & 2

1400-2000 lbs. 20.00-23.00, few

Shelly Canner 12.00-14.00.

yield grade 1 24.00-25.00.

Ronald Althoff, also seated, Solanco, was elected FFA advisor. Standing. president.

Central Tractor 4-H Club

Members of the Central 4-H Tractor Club met recently for their seventh weekly meeting at Landis Bros. Implement Company.

Wayne Erb, president, presided at the business meeting with Dale Musser calling the roll.

The club voted to go on several field trips which will include touring the Caterpillar Company.

A demonstration of reflexes in working with machinery was given by Ronald Nolt. The meeting was adjourned following group work sessions.

Carl Thomas **News Reporter**

HIGH YIELD HIGH QUALITY

left to right, are: Charles Ackley, Ephrata, treasurer; Michael Burton, Penn Manor, secretary; Gerald Phillips, Pequea Valley, vice-

Buck Pullers Hold Banquet

Some 131 tractor pullers, fans and agribusiness people were on hand last Saturday night for the first annual Buck Tractor Pulls banquet. The event was held in Lancaster County at the Rawlinsville Fire Hall.

The highlight of the evening was the presentation of 48 trophies by Elwood Funk to pullers who had captured the top three place in each class at the Buck last summer. Funk is president of the Buck Tractor Pulls.

Trophies were presented to the following individuals, who are listed by class in the order of their placing.

5000-lb. Open: Clarence Keener, Jr., Dale Smoker and Glenn Darnell.

7000-lb. Open: Lester Richard Zim-Landis, merman and Clarence Keener, Jr.

9000-lb. Open: Lester Landis, Richard Zimmerman and Harry Griest. 7000-lb. Super Stock - Mark Stauffer, Marlin Brubaker

and Tom Savage. 9000-lb. Super Stock - Ed Horman, Harry Griest and

12,000-lb. Super Stock - Ed Horman, Harry Griest and Michael Wright.

7000-lb. Modified - Lester Landis, Clarence Keener. Jr., and Richard Zimmerman.

9000-lb. Modified - Lester Landis, Richard Zimmerman and Clifton Budd.

Mini-Farm Coop Meet

An organizational meeting of mini-farmers will be held Friday at 8 p.m. in the conference room of the Lancaster Coca Cola Bottling plant on the Manheim Pike. Those attending the meeting will discuss the formation of a cooperative organization whose purpose would be to buy bulk quantities of farm supplies for small landowners not necessarily engaged in commercial agriculture.

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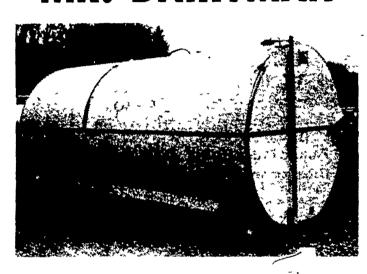
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