

# Solanco FFA Receives Honors

The Solanco FFA Parliamentary Procedure Team traveled to New Holland on Wednesday, March 12, to compete in the Lancaster County FFA Parliamentary Procedure Contest. Tom Jackson, President; and presiding Chairman, Gordon Herr; and Bruce Kreider, led their team to a stunning victory. Other members of the team were: Tim Smeltz, Vice-President; Ken Tucker, Treasurer; Lee Landis, secretary; Merle Ressler, Reporter; and Dewey

Atkins, chaplain. On April 14, the team will compete in the Area Contest, at Brownstown Vo-tech. Also traveling to New Holland Wednesday, were Jeff Rutt and Randy Ranck from Solanco. They were competing in the Lancaster County FFA Senior Public Speaking Contest. Jeff placed second with a speech titled "Production at a Profit." Randy placed fifth with "World Hunger". Out of the ten contestants which participated in the contest, the top three speakers will

# Order 4 Milk Price Up 4¢

The February uniform price for federal Order 4 base milk increased 4 cents from the previous month. Excess milk showed an increase of 4 cents also, according to Andrew Marvin, Ephrata, fieldman for Inter-State Milk Producers Cooperative. In comparison to Feb. levels one year ago, base milk was down 72 cents and excess down 10 cents. The base milk price was \$8.98,

advance to the Area Public Speaking Contest, on April 14 at Brownstown.

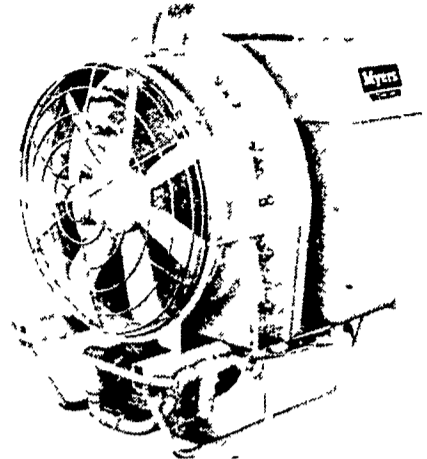
Jeff Rutt  
Chapter Reporter

the excess price was \$6.90, and the butterfat differential was 7.8 cents for February. The weighted average price for the market was reduced by 77 cents compared to Feb., 1974.

A total of 366 million pounds of producer milk was pooled in Feb. of which 63.06 percent was sold as Class I, showing a decrease of 1.65 percent of deliveries made in Jan., and a 0.16 percent decrease under Feb. a year ago. 7561 Order 4 producers provided 13 million pounds per day to dealers during Feb., averaging 1731 pounds per farm per day. Total value of producer milk was set at \$31,470,011.47 for the month.

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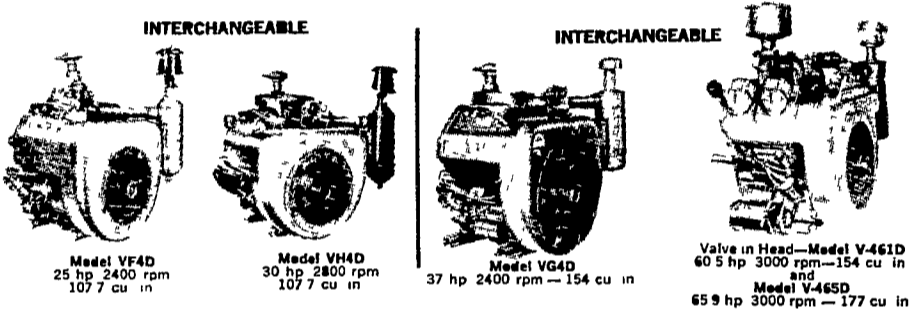
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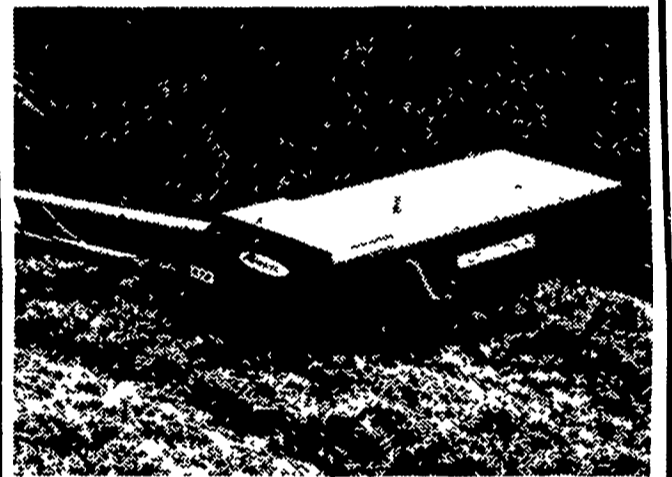
## Penn Manor 4-H Club

The Penn Manor Community 4-H Club will hold a reorganizational meeting on Tuesday, March 25 at 8:00 p.m. in the Ann Letort School. Youths from 8-19 are invited to join. There will be six educational meetings throughout the summer and fall. For more information contact one of the local leaders: Mrs. John Thomas at 872-5646 or Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Charles at 872-7389.



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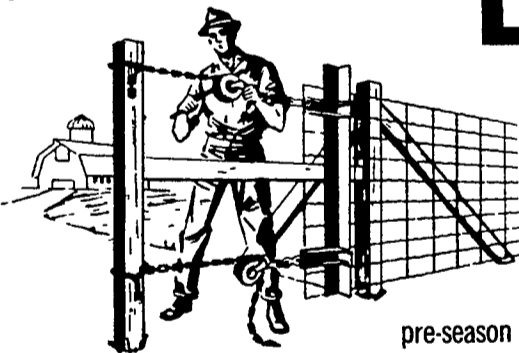
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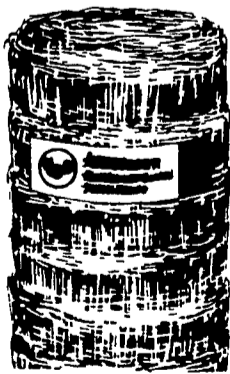
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