

# Decisions up to local people, ASCS banquet-goers are told

LEBANON - The Lebanon County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS) Committee held its annual banquet recently at the Mt. Zion Fire Hall. John Stick of Lebanon R2, was awarded a 10 year service award for his participation on the ASC County Committee. Stick had to retire from the committee because of a recent congressional decision that a committeeman may not

serve more than three consecutive terms of three years each. He was known for being outspoken for the conservation of farmland and for his work in preserving our nations natural resources. The award winner served most of the ten years as chairman.

Even though Stick had to retire from ASCS he will still actively maintain his farming operation near Fredericksburg.

Also receiving an award was Earl Kurtz of Newmanstown for serving 15 years with ASCS. Kurtz had to retire because of an age requirement.

Leroy Blouch of Jonestown was presented a Certificate of Election for being elected as the new member of the County Committee for a three year term. He was elected to serve as chairman.



Receiving awards at the recent year service award. Leroy Blouch, right, was elected chairman of the Lebanon County ASC banquet were, left to right, Earl Kurtz, 15-year service award, and John Stick, 10-

The main speaker for the evening was Richard Arnold Pennay, State ASC Office Conservation Specialist.

This being the bicentennial year, Pennay spoke on the "200 Years of Agricultural Progress" in the United States.

He pointed out that lime and chemical fertilizers were responsible for the development of agriculture in this country and that through the liming program provided by the U.S. government was the beginning of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service. In the early days of this country nine out of ten people were farmers. Today three out of one hundred are farmers but as Pennay quickly stated, "because of the technical advances, agriculture is still one of the leading industries of this nation."

Pennay pointed out that the early education leaders of this country were instrumental in developing agriculture. They were agronomists in that they studied crop rotation, liming practices and drainage problems. They were inventors in developing a seed drill, moldboards for plows

and even a threshing machine. Even our educated farmers of today can produce a surplus of food for ourselves with exports available to other nations. What is going to happen to agriculture in the next 200 years?, Pennay asked the group of 75 in attendance. "We have to be concerned with land development and our conservation problems," he quickly answered. "It is up to our local people," our county ASC Committeemen and farmers to consider our food problems of tomorrow.

Let us never forget that the cultivation of the earth is the most important labor of man.

DANIEL WEBSTER

WILLOW BROOK  
**FARM DISPERSAL**  
(James L. & Elizabeth Christie, Watertown, Conn., Owners)  
**97 REGISTERED GUERNSEYS 97**  
**TUESDAY APRIL 27, 1976 11:30 A.M. TUESDAY**  
At the Ass'n. Sales Pavilion, 6 Miles East of Lancaster.  
50 COWS - 10 BRED HEIFERS  
37 CALVES & YEARLINGS  
R.H.A. - 12,186 Lb. M - 4.5 Percent - 555 Lb. F  
39 Head Classified - 1-76, 1-EX (In Sale) 17 - VG, 19-D  
The "Excellent" Cow (E.90.5), due 4-2-76 - 15,034 Lb M 674 Lb F  
4 Yrs 347 das - 2x Her daughter, a Yearling, also in sale  
In Sale, 10 daus. in milk - 16 Bred Heifers and Yearlings, 9 more in calf to "Chedco Nonas Prince" First 9 daughters all Classified above the line in January 1976.  
This is one of the better herds in New England  
Sole Managed By:  
**PA. GUERNSEY BREEDERS' ASS'N**  
P.O. Box 458  
Camp Hill, PA 17011  
AND THE  
**MERRYMAN COMPANY**, Sparks, Md. 21152

**OUR OWN ANNUAL FARM FEEDER STEER & HEIFER SALE**  
**SATURDAY, MAY 1, 1976**  
At 1:00 P.M.  
At our Troxelville Farm.  
**OFFERING 80 HEAD**  
About 50 percent Steer Calves  
All Steers castrated.  
All Cattle polled or dehorned.  
All bred & raised on our farm.  
All sired by French bred Charolais bull.  
Excellent recorded Charolais heifers. Health charts of heifers.  
Club calf quality steers.  
Write or Phone for Brochure:  
Dan Baker  
Lester Klingler, Auctioneers  
Reno H. Thomas  
Park F. Thomas  
Mark L. Stehr  
Reno H. Thomas, Sales Manager  
Beavertown, PA 17813  
PH: 717-658-5821, 7007 or 6544  
Lunch available by  
UCC Church Women

**PUBLIC AUCTION**  
**TUESDAY, APR. 27, 1976**  
5:30 P.M. Sharp  
Location - At Ventures in Plastic Co., 245 Park Ave., Lancaster, PA behind Galbach's Furniture Store.  
**MACHINERY & TOOLS**  
16" Crescent table saw, 5 h.p. motor, 5 h.p. air compressor, 3 infrared heaters, 4 ton press clicking machine, Plastic-Vac forming machine, Auto-Vac thermo-forming machine, Arbor presses, Sherman Shur-Vac, chain hoists, electric drills, router, sanders, sandpaper, rolls & sheets of plastic, scrap iron & aluminum, tempered glass, metal shelving, lumber, vises, angle irons, air conditioners, new & used tires all sizes, time clock, large fire proof safe, adding machine, flood lights, water cooler, typewriter, plus 100's of other items.  
Terms - Cash.  
Owners,  
**Ventures in Plastic**  
Auctioneer:  
Ronald Funk  
R1 Paradise, PA  
717-442-4279

**PUBLIC AUCTION**  
**SATURDAY, MAY 8, 1976**  
At 9:30 A.M.  
2 miles South of Berrysburg; 2 miles North of Elizabethville; 1/2 mile West of Route 225 (watch for auction sign at Camp Grove).  
**FARM EQUIPMENT**  
(3) Tractors: John Deere 2520D with 750 hrs., J.D. 2010, J.D. Model-B, good rubber on all tractors; J.D. 3-16" and 3-14" Plows; Int. 540 Manure Spreader, like new; N.H. 460 Haybine; N.H. 402 Haycrimper; N.I. 7' Mower; Ford 906 Rotary Cutter; N.H. 66 PTO Baler; J.D. 894A Rake; Oliver No. 4 mounted 2-row Corn-picker; Woods Bros. Corn Picker; J.D. 246 2-row Corn Planter; Oliver 12 disk Grain Drill; Oliver No. 26 16 x 7 Grain Drill; Wagon with Gravity-flow Grain Box; (2) Flat Bed Wagons; Mulkey Bale & Grain Elevator; 2 and 3 bottom Trailer Plows; 10' Tractor Harrow; 4-section Harrow; 8' Disk; 9' Cultipacker; Arps 6' Utility Blade rear mount; Electric Seeder; Cultivator for 'B' Tractor; Heat Houser; Cab for Cub Cadet Tractor; Dump Rake; Weed Sprayers; Small Trailer; Hydraulic Cylinders; 270 gal. Fuel Tank & Pump; Johnson Portable Air Compressor; Horse Plows & Cultivator; Baler Twine; Feed Cart; Wheelbarrows; Surge Milker Unit; Strainer; DeLaval Vacuum Pump with 1 h.p. Motor; Girton 150 gal. Milk Tank (no compressor); Stewart Clippers; Bolins 5 h.p. Roto Tiller; Rotary Lawn Mower; Fencing; Snow Fence; Barbwire; Electric Fence; Toledo Meat Saw 1 h.p.; Butcher Kettles; Meat Grinder; Sausage Stuffer; Meat Hooks & Spreaders; Scalding Trough; Trailer Cords; Log Chains; Screw Jack; Chicken Crates & Feeders; Water Tank; Burlap Bags; Cow Chains; Tubs; Hand & Garden Tools; Set Russel Jennings Bits; Grinder; 2-hole Corn Sheller; Tin Roofing; Hog Feeder; Dehorner & saw; many other items not listed.  
**HOUSEHOLD ITEMS**  
Love Seat; Sofabed; Chair; China Cabinet; Metal Bed; Bureau; various size rugs; Oak Extension Tables; Oak Chairs; Washstand; Utility Cabinets; Platform Rockers; Gossip Bench; Library Table; Aquarium; Window Fan; 30 gal. Gas Water Heater; Wringer Washer; Barbecue Grill; Electric Heater; Broiler Oven; Deep Fryer; Porch Swing & Chairs; Tubs; Statues; Peacock Feathers; Other items.  
**ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES**  
Roll-top Desk; Wooden Ice Box; Blanket Chest; Cradle; Rope Bed; Columbian Kitchen Coal Range; Metal Bed and Brass Trim; Highchair; Wash Bowls & Pitchers; Cupboard; Glass Butter Churn; Butter Bowl & Mold; Boston; Plank and Cane Seated Rockers; Stand with Claw Feet; Picture Frames; Battery Radios; Meat Bench; Fork; Ladies; Lantern; Cast Iron Bucket; Irons; Copper Boiler & Teakettle; Decanters; Depression & Pressed Glass Dishes; Huckster Scale; Crocks; Milk Cans; Horse Collars; Cast Iron Seat; Wooden Pulleys; Single Trees; other items.  
Owners  
**MARK E. ENGLE & ELEANOR A. ENGLE**  
George N. Deibert, Auctioneer  
717-425-3313  
LUNCH AVAILABLE  
Owners have sold farm! Most of the farm equipment was purchased new by the owners and is in good condition. Make plans now to attend this sale.  
Order of sale: Tools, Farm Equipment, Antiques, Household Items.

**PUBLIC AUCTION**  
Lakeside, PA Lathrop Twp. Susq. Co.  
Having sold our farm, will sell the following. Located 5 miles E. of Dimock or Springville, on the macadam road leading to Nicholson.  
**SATURDAY, MAY 1, 1976**  
11:00 A.M. D.S.T. Rain or shine  
**HOUSEHOLD & ANTIQUES: 11:00 A.M.**  
Grain Cradle, pitcher pump, crocks, copper boiler, black planes, beam bore & bits, oak table leaves, fruit jars, picture frames, books, ass't. dishes, chairs, chests, blacksmith tools, lge. ass't. small tools, ice saw, log binder, pipe & die set, pipe cutter, wrenches, potato hiller, 1 horse cultivator, forks, shovels, beam scales, platform scales, block & tackle, 800 lb. Safe, saw blade, apt. gas range, wardrobe, 8 pc. dining room suite, 5 pc. breakfast set, 2 pc. living room suite, sofa, Emerson piano & stool, R.C.A. TV set, etc.  
1:30 P.M.  
John Deere 620 Tractor w-P.S. - L.P.T.O., 3 pt. hitch, lights A-1, snow plow, J.D. 3 section Tractor harrow, J.D. model 24T - Baler w-kicker, 24 ft. Skinner mow elevator, I.H.C. Baler or silage wagon, J.D. side rake, New Holland 477 haybine - like new, 16 ft. float, tractor chains, wash vats, feed carts, 5 baler twine and many other articles not mentioned.  
**3,000 BALES - REAL GOOD EARLY CUT MIXED HAY**  
**500 BALES HEIFER HAY**  
306 acre farm for sale by private treaty. One third tillable pasture, timber, a lake site, stone quarry, lge. comfortable modern home, new 110 x 36 barn. Call M. L. Bunnell.  
Owners  
**Herbert & Irwin Wilkins**  
Hop Bottom RD- PA  
M. L. Bunnell, Auctioneer  
Springville, PA Ph. 965-2375  
Lunch served