Kutztown area schools hold FFA grain contests

KUTZTOWN, Pa. Thirteen members from six Kutztown Area FFA chapters participated in the Berks County FFA Field Corn and Small Grain Contests held at the Kutztown Area High School on November 16.

Field corn was judged separately according to quality and yield with the following results:

QUALITY 1. Norman Manbeck, Conrad Weiser: 2. Robert Yanoz, Oley; 3. Fred Adam,

Hamburg; 3. Nick Sat-tazahn, Tulpehocken; 5. George Sattazahn, Tulpehocken; 5. Tom Kirk, Twin Valley; 7. David Dietrich, Kutztown, 7. Ken Sanner, Kutztown; Howard Griest III, Twin



One of the activities that was held as part of Cumberland County's Farm City Week festivities last week was a banquet in which 15 Carlisle Chamber of Commerce couples hosted 15 farm couples. Some of the people involved were: (left to right) Lucy Yorlets, first alternate Cumberland County dairy princess; Bob

Heckman, chairman of the Carlisle Area Chamber of Commerce Agriculture committee; Peggy Staub, 1976 Cumberland County dairy princess and 1976 Pennsylvania State dairy princess, and Robert Metalonis, president of the Carlisle Area Chamber of Commerce.

Valley; 9. Tim Kleinsmith, Kutztown

YIELD 1. George Sattazahn; 2. Nick Sattazahn, 3. Tom Kirk, 4. Alfred Adam, Hamburg; 5. Robert Yanos, 6. Norm Manbeck 7. Chris Bear, Kutztown; 8. Howard Griest III, 9. Ken Sanner, 10. Tim Kleinsmith, 11. David Dietrich.

SMALL GRAINS

Winners in the small grains were: Wheat, division Alfred Adam; Oats division II - Alfred Adam, first, Ken Sanner, second; Hay, division I Ken Sanner. first in clover and first in alfalfa; division II Alfred Adam, first, and Ken Sanner, second; Division III -Ken Sanner; and division IV, Michele Gladney, Kutztown.



One study showed that horses fed an all hay ration required 3.6 pounds of water per one pound of dry hay, whereas those fed a combination of hay and grain required 2.9 pounds of water per pound of ration. It was also found that the water intake did not correlate with the protein content of the ration, but it did with the ash (mineral matter) and cell wall contents of the ration.

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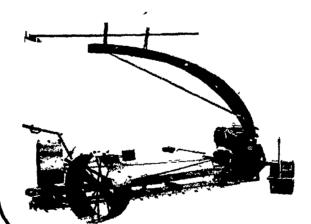
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