



Earl Newcomer, president of the Lancaster County Farmers Association, proudly displays a letter of commendation from Governor Milton Shapp. The congratulatory message was delivered by Secretary of Agriculture Kent Shelhamer, who stopped in at Park City on Monday to see the promotional efforts of the Association. Looking on are state legislator Noah Wenger, left, a farmer from Stevens and member of the Association; and regional Pennsylvania Farmers Association directors Jim Kreider and Helen Wivell. Both are Lancaster Countians. Mrs. Wivell chaired the women's committee which was responsible for putting on the program.

Mall promotion

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Friday evening. An ice cream eating contest is scheduled for today, (October 22.)

In the livestock mall demonstrations on live animals drew crowds of spectators each evening. On Monday a steer was trimmed before a gathering of interested spectators. On Tuesday smaller, more easily managed animals - sheep - were fitted and sheared before crowds of wide-eyed children and their parents.

Wednesday evening the livestock mall was highlighted by a sow and litter, Thursday by a steer, and today with sheep.

In other areas lining one whole mall like a regiment of soldiers were equipment displays set up to give the consumer an idea of the

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investment involved in farming.

Fruit growers and the Future Farmers of America were also represented with displays they had hand-crafted.

Not to be forgotten in the mall promotion were the efforts of the women's committee of the Lancaster County Farmers Association. A total of 11

crafts were demonstrated by these ladies over the span of a week. They also put on food demonstrations and enlisted the aid of the Lancaster County Extension Service for pork cutting demonstrations.

On tap today (October 22) is a food demonstration of 4-H cooking by the Mount Joy Cooking Clubs, as well as omelet demonstrations at 11

a.m. and 1, 2, 4, 6:30 and 8:30 p.m. Then, at 2 p.m. ventriloquist and magician Steve Brubaker will perform. The grand finale will be a sheep shearing demonstration, fashion show, spinning of wool, and entertainment by the Paul Miller Family - "The Singing Millers" - at the center of the mall at 7:30 p.m.

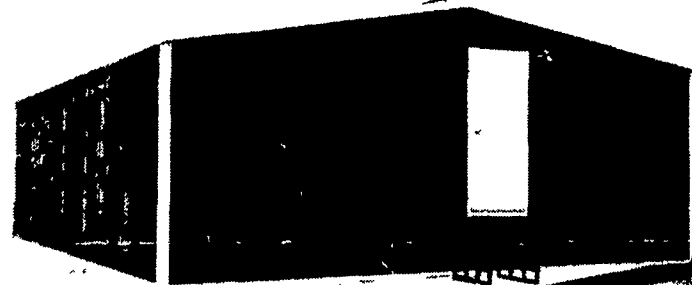


One thing the Lancaster County Farmers Association mall promotion couldn't do without was the "Chicken Man" which delighted many children including Michelle, Stephanie, and Andrea Yost, the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. William Yost. Underneath all the feathers was Jim Hess from Plain and Fancy Egg Ranch.

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