



Among the young ladies who were recognized at the Pennsylvania Holstein Association's annual convention last week were, left to right: Cynthia Shirey, 19, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Shirey, Maple View Farm, Beavertown; Patricia LeVan 19, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford

LeVan, Winding Brook Farm, Milton; Melanie Alsdorf, 16, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Alsdorf, A-Jay Farm, Spartansburg; and Sharon Troutman, 20, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Troutman, Oakenbound Holstein Farm, Richland.

Pa. Holstein breeders recognized

STATE COLLEGE — Over 1000 members and guests attended last week's Pennsylvania Holstein Association convention, held here at the Sheraton Penn State Inn. Highlights included a record-setting sale in a glamorous ballroom, recognition of outstanding achievements among both adults and junior members, and an election of new officers. The sale is featured separately elsewhere in this edition of Lancaster Farming.

The three-day convention was hosted by the Association's Central District clubs of Bedford, Blair, Centre, Clinton,

Huntingdon, Juniata, Lycoming, Mifflin, Northumberland-Montour, Snyder and Union. Fred Strouse, Centre Hall, served as convention chairman.

The Association's Hall of Fame recognitions were presented to P.D. Jones, State College, former herdsman for the Penn State University dairy herds, and to Hubert S. Miller of Myerstown, a long-time, successful Holstein breeder. Picture plaques honoring both men will be displayed at the Association office in State College.

Recognized for membership service achievements were: Ken-

neth Mowry, Roaring Springs; J. Milton Corle, Martinsburg; James Burdette, Mercersburg; Stanley Burkholder, George Cashell, Roy Cordell & Harold F. Crider, Chambersburg; John L. Gilliland, Warriors Mark; Loren Zimmerman, East Earl; Laszlo Mozes, Greenville; Michael Fulmer, Nazareth; Leonard Miller, Friedens; Harold Robson, Jr., Mansfield; and Luke J. Pasco, Washington.

County Holstein clubs receiving recognitions were: Franklin County - most new members; McKean County - highest percentage of renewals; and Northampton County, Huntingdon County

and McKean County for highest activity index. County clubs recognized for having reached their 1978 membership goal were: Admas, Blair, Clinton, Fayette, McKean, Northumberland-Montour, Schuylkill, and Bedford.

The winners of the Pennsylvania Distinguished Junior Member Contest were Patricia LeVan, Milton; and Thomas Hartle, Bellefonte. They were selected from a group of eight finalists that also included Melanie Alsdorf, Spartansburg; Paul Knight, Arville; Stephen Marshall,

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Distinguished junior Holstein breeders are, left to right, Stephen Marshall, Jeffrey Miller, Paul Knight, and Tom Hartle. Hartle, the son of Mr. and

Mrs. Joseph Hartle, Bellefonte, was the overall winner in the Distinguished Junior Member Contest for young men.

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