Steam power

on display



Amos Stauffer

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antique car and carriage show, and a pony club rendezvous.

For the plow exhibit, R&T is inviting anyone with old walking plows to bring them along for display.

An "Old Fiddlers Contest" is one of the feature events for Friday evening. New on the program, R&T says the venture may become a permanent part of activities in years to come if it is successful this year. Following the fiddlers contest there'll be a slide show either outdoors or under roof, depending on the weather.

While some of the activities such as carriage and antique automobile parade may be hampered by poor weather, R&T organizers expect that most of the activities will go on as scheduled. The Kinzer Fire Company will be providing food for both days. The menu on Saturday will feature a chicken barbeque, according to The Whistle, while on Friday there'll be plenty of homemade soup.

The Rough and Tumble Engineers, says President Stauffer, represent the interests of anyone "who has threshing dust in his blood." Stauffer, a man who appreciates fine engineering, confesses to having both threshing dust and Diesel fuel in his veins. Acquaintances know him for his interest and dedication to R&T activities, as well as his achievements in tractor pulling contests. He is president of Stauffer Diesel, Inc. and head of a family which has won national acclaim in tractor pulling contests. Stauffer and his sons all drive Deutz tractors and have won several national trophies.

The Rough and Tumble organization is open to all interested persons, regardless of residence in or outside of Pennsylvania. Membership dues are \$5 annually, and includes free admission to all R&T events. Coming up on the remainder of the 1978 schedule are the following events:

Whistle Blow on July 3 is an old-fashioned Independence

Counties in Maryland seeking dairy princess

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in their annual dairy princes cess pageant set for June 2 at the Towson Plaza Shopping Mall, here.

Comment time extended for Pennsylvania-Ohio milk order

NEW YORK, N.Y. - Dairy farmers and other interested persons have an additional 10 days, until May 17, to file exceptions to a U.S. Department of Agriculture decision recommending proposed changes to the Eastern Ohio-Western Pennsylvania federal milk marketing order.

Herbert L. Forest, dairy official with USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS), said a request to USDA for extending the comment deadline was made by a

group of handlers in the Pittsburgh area.

The recommended decision includes proposed changes in payment procedures and pooling requirements. It also recommended adding presently unregulated areas in the Ohio counties of Ashland, Lorain, and Medina to the order's marketing area.

Comments may be submitted in four copies to the Hearing Clerk, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250.

The crowning of the dairy princess will climax an afternoon exhibition put on by local 4-H members to promote the use of dairy products. The program begins at 3 p.m.

An entrant for the pageant must meet the following requirements: she must maintain residency within the territorial boundaries of Maryland; within the last four years the candidate must have lived on a dairy farm where milk is produced or have carried or be currently carrying a 4-H or FFA dairy foods and/or dairy animal project (except dairy goats and dairy steers); the candidate may enter the area contest only in the area where her family maintains residency; applicant must have parents' consent if under 18 years of age; she must be a high school graduate or a risipsenior as of October 1 of contest year, she must be single and never married; must be of good moral character; and must be able to attend the state pageant training seminar early in July.

The princess will be the spokeswoman for the county's dairy industry. As first lady of the area's milk promotion, she will take part in fairs, parades, school visits, civic events, and various displays at supermarkets and shopping malls.

Deadline for entering the contest is May 15. Information and applications are available from Mrs. J. Nelson Amos of Harford County; Mrs. Sally Gill, 692-5602; Mrs. Linda Armacost, 374-6318; Mrs. Ruth Arracey, 357-8896; or Mrs. Joan Tracey, 472-4656, Baltimore County.

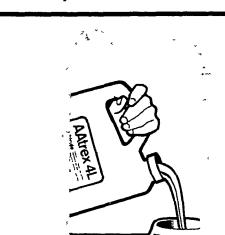
Day celebration with activities beginning at 10 a.m. and ending at 9 p.m. with fireworks by steam engine. There'll also be "plenty of noise making and a picnic basket auction at noon. A softball hitting contest and cakewalk follow later in the porgram. Details can be secured by writing to James Conte at Box 9, Kinzer, Pa. 17535.

On August 16-19 Rough and Tumble will hold the 30th annual Threshermen's Reunion. It's an event which brings out an assortment of steam tractors, old threshing machines, and other antique machinery which lift feelings of nostalgia to new heights.

October 14 is Enshine-O-Rama Day, also known to R&T members as "Oktoberfest." Two weeks later, on October 28, the group will hold its annual banquet.

Rough and Tumble maintains a permanent museum along Route 30, near Kinzer, east of Lancaster.

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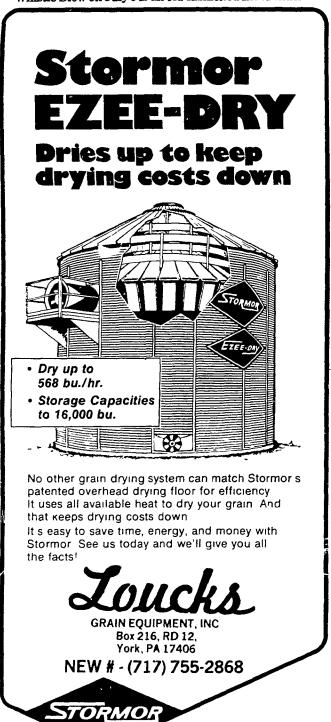


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