16-Lancaster Farming, Saturday, July 29, 1978



Junior and senior showmanship champions were Barbara Herr and Steven Strauss. Miss Herr won the junior division championship and Strauss took the senior division title.



Larry Mullen, left, entered the champion hog in the carcass on-rail competition of the Lancaster County FFA hog show. Craig Harnish, right, entered the reserve champion.

# Good shows

(Continued from Page 1) that this was the first time Tom ever showed a hog.

Tuesday was also a good day for Kerry Boyd, Ephrata R5. Although none of Boyd's 12 hogs took grand champion, he did have the lightweight champion, the medium weight reserve champion, and both the champion and reserve champion heavyweight animals. The champion heavyweight then went on to be named the reserve champion of the entire show. Along with Boyd's four champions, he took home five first-place and two second-place ribbons out of the 13 weight classes. Boyd also found satisfaction in showing the champion pen of

10 Although he had three breed champions in the 1974 FFA show Boyd considered Tuesday as "definitely the best day of my life for showing hogs."

Good's grand champion hog was out of a York/Landrace sow and a Duroc boar as were four of the five hogs he entered in Tuesday's competition. The gilt was less than five months old and was the seventh pig to farrow in the new house. "It's a real fast growing pig," Good pointed out. was afraid it wouldn't make weight so I pushed it." When asked how he managed to do so well in his first year, the easy-going youth smiled and modestly replied, "The pigs won the show, I didn't.' Boyd's 240 pound reserve champion was a Chester White/Duroc crossbred. The breeder was Tony Folker of Pork Chop Farm, New Holland R2 The animal was purchased at the New Holland Annual FFA Feeder Pig Show and Sale held in April. This year Boyd and his wife Deborah, who he credits with much of his success, put a lot of extra work into the hogs. "This year I decided to see if putting the extra money into top quality stock would make any dif-



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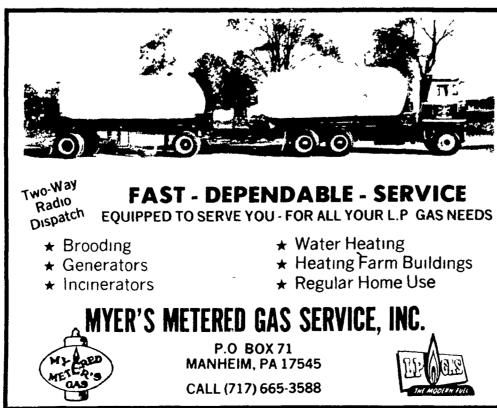
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Receiving their awards for winning the junior and senior fitting contests are brother and sister Barbara and Chris Herr. Chris won in the senior division and Barbara in the junior. Ed Snavely, left, represents Pennfield Feeds who sponsored the trophies.



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