

Lebanon Co. farmer wins state alfalfa contest

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using Dekalb 127 Brand alfalfa.

Runner-up was Daniel C. Schrack, Loganton. He produced 7.97 tons of hay equivalent; 3,139 pounds of protein; and 8,920 pounds of total digestible nutrients per acre.

In third place was Dotterer Farms, of Mill Hall R2, with 7.63 tons of hay equivalent; 3,105 pounds of protein; and 8,673 pounds of total digestible nutrients per acre.

Fourth place winner was James E. Rider, Warriors

Mark. He produced 7.32 tons of hay equivalent; 2,749 pounds of protein; and 8,025 pounds of total digestible nutrients per acre.

Two Franklin County farmers tied for fifth place in the contest. Winners were Harold Gayman, of RD2, Waynesboro; and Stone-Hart Farms, of RD1, St. Thomas.

Gayman produced 7.06 tons of hay equivalent; 2,775 pounds of protein; and 7,868 pounds of total digestible nutrients per acre.

Stone-Hart Farms production was 7.03 pounds of hay equivalent; 2,775 pounds of protein; and 7,939 pounds of total digestible nutrients per acre.

Dr. Baylor notes that 52 farmers completed the program.



Winners of the 1978 State Alfalfa Growers Contest from left are: I. Hershey Bare, Lebanon R2, champion; Daniel C. Schrack, Loganton, runner-up; Ralph Dotterer, Mill Hall R2, third place; James E. Rider, Warriors Mark, fourth place; and Harold Gayman, Waynesboro R2, tie for fifth place. The other fifth place winner, Stone-Hart Farms, Franklin County, was not present for the awards ceremony. At right is Dr. John E. Baylor, Penn State Extension agronomist.

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During the regular firearms deer season, the only species that may be lawfully hunted are deer and migratory game birds which are still "in season." Raccoons may also be hunted between sunset and one-half hour before sunrise during the firearms deer seasons.

The ban on hunting most species in deer seasons started in 1974. It is designed to prevent shooters from hunting for a second deer after having taken their first whitetail.

Hunters are reminded that they may not shoot at random during the deer seasons.

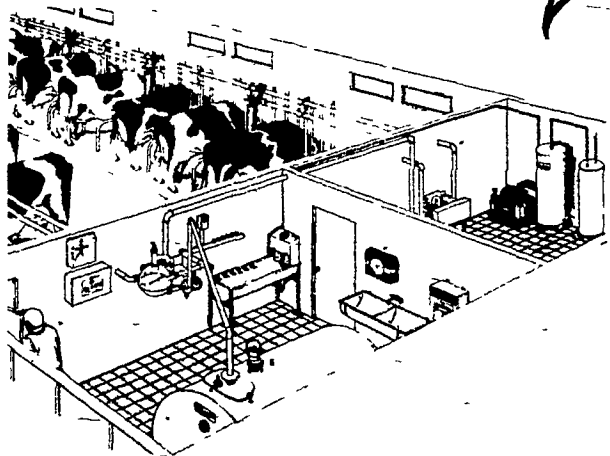
It is unlawful, during any big game season, to shoot at any mark or target other than legal birds or animals, except at a properly constructed target located within 200 yards of the hunting camp or headquarters of the shooter.

4-H horse and pony club to hold banquet

LANCASTER - The annual Lancaster County 4-H Horse and Pony Club recognition banquet will be held on Saturday, December 2, 6:30 p.m. at the Lancaster Farm and Home Center.

The cost is \$3 per person. Awards, door prizes, and a magic show will be the featured attractions. Reservations should be made by November 27 by calling Extension Agent Jay Irwin at 717-394-6851.

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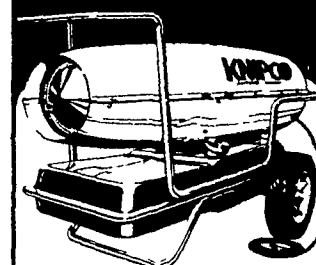
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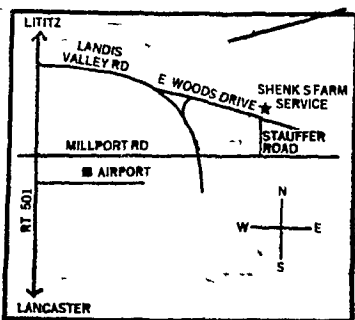
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