

# Fulton Grange to hold open house Monday, April 28

OAKRYN — The regular meeting of Fulton Grange No. 66 was held recently at Oakryn.

The youth committee held their game night in March with a good attendance and

an Easter egg hunt for Grange children was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Holloway III, Peach Bottom.

The Women's Activities committee will have charge

of the annual roast turkey supper which will be held Saturday, from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Grange Hall.

Articles for the State Grange sewing contest must

be in by April 30. Anyone interested in the contest should contact Mrs. Charles Wallace as soon as possible. There are several categories and nice prizes are offered. Doris Brown, Pomona

Lecturer, announced that the spring meeting of Lancaster County Pomona Grange No. 71 will be held at White Horse Fire Hall Saturday, April 26 at 8 p.m. Dr. Thomas Regan will speak on Preventative Care Of The Teeth And What To Do In An Emergency.

Fulton Grange bowling team is planning to participate in the State Grange regional elimination.

Roger Small showed colored slides of the 1978 ice jam on the Susquehanna River. He gave a day-by-day account of the anxieties the power company experienced with the Safe Harbor and

Holtwood plants in particular. Many of the pictures were taken from a helicopter, others from vantage points along the river and from on top of the power plants. Millions of dollars damage was inflicted upon the power plants, transmission lines and to private property owners.

Fulton Grange will hold Open House Monday, April 28, 8 p.m. when the public is invited. H.H. Haverstick will be the speaker and farmers, in particular, are urged to attend to hear his proposal to exempt farmland from inheritance, capital gains and property transfer tax.

## Sheiss tops Eastern National Hog Show

TIMONIUM, Md. — Eric Sheiss of Chambersburg, showed the grand champion market hog in the live competition at the Eastern National Livestock Spring Hog Show at Hagerstown, Maryland.

The 215 pound Duroc barrow was bred on the Sheiss family's home farm near Chambersburg.

Eric also showed the grand champion barrow in the carcass evaluation contest of 4-H & FFA pigs. His barrow weighed 205 pounds, was 32.25 inches long, had 6.03 square inches of loin eye and just over one inch of backfat.

Dan and Dawn Hoff of Manchester, Maryland, showed the grand champion Futurity barrow. The Hoff's barrow went on test weighing 69 pounds and weighed 280 pounds at the end of the 120 day test period. The barrow was over 32 inches long and had 6.47 square inches of loin eye.

John Wildesen, Manager of the Eastern National Livestock Show said, "The barrow was easily the best of over 90 barrows that were in the test group. He finished a full four points ahead of the next pig and sometimes a few tenths of a point will separate the barrows."

Over 200 hogs from four states were in competition at the 1980 Eastern National Livestock Show Spring Hog



Eric Sheiss, Chambersburg, showed the grand champion barrow on foot at the 1980 Eastern National Livestock Show Spring Hog Show. Presenting the rosette is Karen Martin, Maryland's Pork Queen.

Show.

Persons interested in entering the 1980 Production Tested Barrow show may contact John Wildesen, Manager, Eastern National Livestock Show, at the State Fair Grounds in Timonium, Maryland, 21093, for entry

blanks and rules and regulations.

This contest is for barrow pigs that weigh between 45 and 70 pounds. They will be fed at a central test station starting in June and will be shown live at the Eastern National Livestock Show on

## York 4-H Beef Club sees slides

YORK — The York County 4-H Beef Club held their meeting recently at the 4-H Center.

Christine Shive gave a report on the upcoming Spring Preview Show, which is to be held on May 31 at the York Fairgrounds. Any member needing an entry blank for the show should

contact the 4-H Office. Entries are due on April 26.

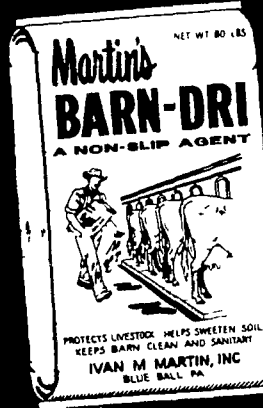
The Little "I" is going to be held on April 26 at 8:30 a.m. at the Penn State campus. This is a great opportunity to see good fitting and showmanship of beef, sheep, swine, and horses.

Our April program was Mac McGuiggan from the Carnation Albers Feed Company. He presented a slide presentation on selecting, fitting, and showing beef cattle. He also provided cattle equipment for door prizes. Reported by Christine Shive.

Saturday, September 27th, and then carcass evaluated with the final score based on growth, visual score and carcass merit.

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