

At Lebanon 4-H Horse and Pony Roundup

Pierce sisters take eight blues

BY SHEILA MILLER
LEBANON — Two Lebanon County sisters took home eight blue ribbons at last Thursday's 4-H Horse and Pony Roundup, held here at the Fair Grounds.

Jeanne and Sheri Pierce, R1 Newmanstown, each took firsts in four of the event classes they entered.

Jeanne, 18, rode her 14 year old Quarter Horse mare Sierra for the blues in Western Pleasure Pony and Senior Stock Seat Equitation. The president of the Spur & Bit Club also took first with her horse in Senior Grooming and Showmanship and in the Mare halter class.

Not to be left behind, 13-year-old Sheri Pierce won top honors in the Junior Grooming & Showmanship class and in the Weanling halter class. Riding her 16-year-old Pony of America mare, Speckled Fawn, Sheri was picked by judge Robert Gregory, Lititz, as the first place entry in the Junior Stock Seat Equitation class and by judge Carol Henkel, Quarryville, in Open Trail Pony.

Both of the Pierce girls have been in their 4-H horse club for five years

Another top equestrian in Lebanon County is Jenny Wunderlich, Lebanon Her blue ribbon in the Senior Division Saddle Seat Equitation class earned her the right to compete in the upcoming District Show, the next step in defending her state champion equitation title which she's held for the past three years.

A dedicated horsewoman who earned herself a blue ribbon in Senior Division Hunt Seat Equitation is Ann Ludwick, Palmyra With her arm wrapped under a thick bandage, Ludwick steered her 14-year-old Quarter Horse, Rodney, over the jump course in a style that seemed totally unhampered by the 12 stitches she sported under the wrap



Sheri and Jeanne Pierce, R1 Newmanstown, took home eight blue ribbons at the Lebanon 4-H Horse and Pony Club Roundup last Thursday. Sheri, left, is astride her POA mare, Speckled Fawn and Jeanne is riding her Quarter Horse mare, Sierra.

Said Ludwick, "This is the first time this summer that we've jumped in competition." She explained that she practiced jumping at home since her accident and decided she "might as well try" to enter the class since this was her last year to compete.

Other class results are as follows

OPEN TRAIL PONY

- 1 Sheri Pierce, 2 Jon Boyer; 3. Stacy Peters; 4 Kris Lahn; 5. Lisa Yiengst

OPEN TRAIL HORSE

- 1. Hope Reyner; 2 Stacy Peters; 3. Holly Reyner; 4 Dawn Dohner; 5. Charity Saam.

JR. GROOMING & SHOWMANSHIP

- 1. Sheri Pierce; 2. Megan Burrichter, 3. Murray Frazier, 4. Ann Lansberry, 5 Brenda Miller.

SR. GROOMING & SHOWMANSHIP

- 1. Jeanne Pierce; 2 Holly Reyner, 3 Charity Saam, 4

- Scott Eckenrode; 5. Robin Moulton.

WEANLINGS

- 1. Sheri Pierce; 2. Kathy Roberts.

YEARLINGS

- 1 Murray Frazier; 2 Jeanne Pierce; 3. Dawn Dohner; 4 Margot Leroy; 5 Jerry Boyer

MARES

- 1 Jeanne Pierce; 2. Scott Eckenrode

WESTERN PLEASURE HORSE

- 1. Hope Reyner; 2. Holly Reyner; 3. Charity Saam; 4. Peggy Stoudt, 5 Jesse Hartman.

SADDLE SEAT PLEASURE PONY

- 1 Corbie Underkoffler.

WESTERN PLEASURE PONY

- 1 Jeanne Pierce, 2. Murray Frazier; 3. Sheri Pierce; 4 Jennifer Clark, 5. Jeff Boyer.

WESTERN PLEASURE PONY

- 1 Lisa Yiengst; 2. Jon Boyer; 3. Jennie Wolf, 4. Chris Lahn; 5 Carolyn Raybold

SADDLE SEAT PLEASURE HORSE

- 1 Marta Lipenski; 2 Megan Burrichter; 3 Melanie Lipenski, 4 Shelly Brown; 5 Robert Kane.

JR. HUNT SEAT EQUITATION - NTJ

- 1. Ann Lansberry; 2 Kam Ream

SR. HUNT SEAT EQUITATION - NTJ

- 1. Ginger Sowers; 2. Robin Moulton; 3. Sharon Henney, 4 Pam Ludwick; 5. Pam Lindsey.

JR. STOCK SEAT EQUITATION

- 1 Sheri Pierce, 2 Murray Frazier, 3 Brenda Miller; 4 Lisa Yiengst, 5 Rodney Eckenrode

SR. STOCK SEAT EQUITATION

- 1 Jeanne Pierce, 2 Holly Reyner, 3 Peggy Stoudt, 4 Hope Reyner, 5 Charity Saam

CLOVERLEAF BARREL RACE

- 1 Todd Lubold, 2 Brian Jurell, 3 Kathy Roberts, 4 Carolyn Rabold, 5 Kris Lahn

CLOVERLEAF BARREL RACE

- 1 Charity Saam, 2 Mel

- Keller; 3 Dawn Dohner; 4 Wendy Ream; 5 Robert Shendel.

POLE BENDING

- 1. Todd Lubold; 2. Kathy Roberts; 3. Brian Jurell, 4 Jenny Hartman; 5. Kris Lahn.

POLE BENDING

- 1. Dawn Dohner; 2. Bobby Shendel; 3. Charity Saam; 4 Mel Keller; 5. Tami Toner

4-H OPEN PLEASURE

- 1. Sharon Saam; 2. Jenny Daullary; 3. Benjy Greenfield

JR. HUNT SEAT EQUITATION

- 1. Carla Ditzler

WORKING HUNTER PONY

- 1. Margot Leroy, 2 Carla Ditzler

WORKING HUNTER HORSE

- 1 Pam Ludwick.

WESTERN RIDING

- 1 Murray Frazier, 2. Sheri Pierce, 3. Charity Saam; 4. Peggy Stoudt, 5. Tami Toner.

PLEASURE PAIRS

- 1 Carla Ditzler, Robin Moulton; 2. Murray Frazier, Robin Clark; 3. Mel Keller, Dawn Dohner; 4. Pam Ludwick, Dawn Myers, 5. Kris Lahn, Leshe Hummer

TRAIL PONY

- 1. Sheri Pierce; 2 Jon Boyer; 3. Stacy Peters; 4. Kris Lahn, 5 Lisa Yiengst

JR. SADDLE SEAT EQUITATION

- 1. Shelly Brown, 2. Megan Burrichter; 3. Robert Kane

SR. SADDLE SEAT EQUITATION

- 1 Jenny Wunderlich, 2 Melanie Lipenski; 3 Marta Lipenski, 4. Corbie Underkoffler

HUNTER PONY UNDER SADDLE

- 1 Ann Lansberry, 2 Carla Ditzler, 3 Margot Leroy

HUNTER HORSE UNDER SADDLE

- 1 Robin Moulton, 2 Dawn Myers, 3 Ginger Sowers, 4 Pam Ludwick, 5 Sharon Kenney

PLEASURE PONY DRIVING

- 1 Brian Jurell, 2 Corbie Underkoffler, 3 Benjy Greenfield, 4 Jon Boyer

COUNTY TEAM

- 1 Carla Ditzler, Robin Moulton, Dawn Myers



Shelly Brown and "Andy" took first place in the Junior Saddle Seat Equitation Class — a first for Shelly.



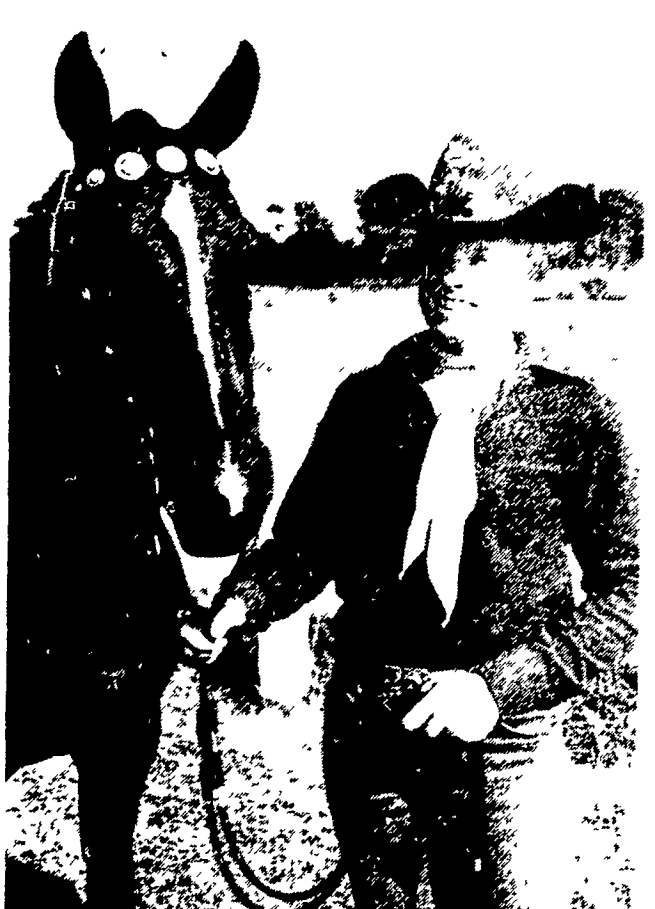
Jenny Wunderlich, a 5-year member of the North Cornwall Trailblazers, rode her 3-year-old American Saddlebred gelding, Starhearts Hoosier Spirit, to a blue ribbon in Senior Saddle Seat Equitation.



Ginger Sowers, R4 Lebanon, rode her crossbred Quarter Horse mare, "Whisper," for a first place ribbon in Senior Hunt Seat Equitation. The daughter of Mr. & Mrs. John Sowers, Ginger has been a member of Hoof & Horns Club for 2 years.



Pam Ludwick and "Rodney" came in first place in the Working Hunter Horse class.



First place in Western Riding went to Murray Frazier, Lebanon and her 7-year-old Arabian mare, "Miss Kel Arabie" Frazier is a 4-year member of the Saddle Slappers club