

Tioga County holds junior livestock sale

WHITNEYVILLE — The First Annual Youth Livestock Sale was held on Saturday, August 16 at the Tioga County Fairgrounds.

Brian Zerby, owner of the Champion Market Steer, a 1030-pound Simmental Crossbred, received \$1.35 per pound from the high bidder, Farm Credit Association of Wellsboro.

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Bank of Mansfield paid a record of \$2.55 per pound for the 1980 Champion Market Hog, a 265-pound Duroc bred and owned by Stephanie Kocher of Mansfield.

Cowanesque Valley Livestock Market, Knoxville purchased the Grand Champion Market Lamb, a Hampshire weighing 135 pounds, bred by Carolair Farms and owned by Judy

Zerby of Knoxville for \$3 per pound.

Purchaser of the Reserve Champion Market Steer, a Hereford owned by Becky Painter of Elkland was Parthemer and Watkins, who will soon be opening a new dairy operation in the Mansfield area. Mr Parthemer and Watkins paid \$1 per pound for the 1035-pound steer.

The Reserve Champion Market Lamb, a Dorset weighing 105 pounds owned by Brian Zerby sold for \$1.50 per pound to Boom & Painter of Westfield, Pa.

Other successful bidders at the Junior Livestock Sale were: SWINE: Mansfield Electric & Supply Co.; Troy Sales; Dale Gee of Tioga; Richard Churchill of Elkland and John Beard of Knoxville. SHEEP: H & W. Livestock of

Vanderbilt, Pa.; The Real Estaters of Wellsboro; Knoxville Agway; and Wellsboro Agway. STEERS: Conwanesque Valley Livestock and Troy Sales.

The high bidder for the overall sale was Production Credit of Wellsboro with \$1390.50, followed by Cowanesque Valley Livestock Market of Knoxville with \$1280. H. & W Livestock of Vanderbilt, purchased the largest number of animals at the 1980 Junior Sale. The overall sale averaged \$7477.00 with hogs averaging \$236.90, lambs \$142.43; and steers \$920.93, including the champions.

Auctioneer for the sale was Clyde Beard, owner-operator of the Cowanesque Valley Livestock Market.



Simmental cross brought the Champion Steer honors in Tioga County to Brian Zerby, Knoxville. Purchaser is Dale Colegrove, of Farm Production Credit.



Reserve Champion Swine in Tioga County is shown by Stephanie Kocher, Mansfield. It was bought by Darryl Harper, of H & W Livestock.

Hearing on changes to New England milk order

NEW YORK, N.Y. — A public hearing will be held September 9 on proposed amendments to the New England federal milk marketing order, it was announced today by an official of the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Herbert L. Forest, dairy official with the Agricultural Marketing Service, said the hearing will convene at 9:30 a.m. at the Holiday Inn, 30 Worcester Road, Framingham, Mass. Dairy farmers, dairy cooperatives, milk handlers, consumer organizations and private

citizens may testify at the hearing and may cross-examine witnesses.

Principal cities in the New England milk order area include Boston, Mass., Hartford, Conn., and Providence, R.I., Forest said. Milk marketing orders set minimum prices that handlers pay dairy farmers for their milk. They do not set the price consumers pay for milk at retail outlets.

Forest said the key proposals to be heard would revise the pricing structure under the order by reflecting increased hauling costs in

the location adjustments for determination of zone prices at milk plants. Other issues to be heard are proposals concerning pool supply qualification, diversion limits, and the classification of butterfat shrinkage and overage.

The proposals were made by the Association of New

England Milk Dealers, Green Mountain Cooperative Federation, Inc., and National Farmers Organization. Additional proposals were submitted by the Association of Rhode Island Milk Dealers, Moser Farms Dairy Inc., and the Massachusetts Milk Control Commission.



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