

Bred gilts paraded through small arena sales

FARM SHOW — Bred gilts by the score were paraded through the small arena on Monday and Tuesday.

Sale for four breeds were held on Monday.

The grand champion Poland China gilt, consigned by Barbara J. McCornell, Volant, was sold to Ed Huntzberger, R5 Elizabethtown, for \$350. The reserve champion in the breed, consigned by Keith McConnell, of Volant, was sold to Robert Mikesell, of Marion Center, for \$225.

The Poland China sale totaled \$1715.04, with eight head averaging \$214.38.

The grand champion Berkshire gilt, consigned by Clayton Winebark and Sons, of Rochester Mills, was also sold to Ed Huntzberger for \$620. The reserve champion, also consigned by the Winebarks, was sold to Mikesell for \$430.

The Berkshire sale total was \$5480, with 22 head

averaging \$249.09.

In the Chester Whites, the grand champion was consigned by James Parlett, of Airville, and sold to Bambi and Kama Homan, of Centre Hall, for \$275. The reserve champion, also consigned by Parlett, was sold to Conrad E. Stupp Jr., of Paulsboro, N.J., for \$200.

The Chester White sale total was \$2,555 with 15 head averaging \$170.33.

The grand champion Duroc gilt, consigned by Glenn O. Ebersole, of Duncannon, was sold to Lawrence Arnold, of Lebanon, for \$820. The reserve champion Duroc, consigned by Sweigard's Durocs, of Halifax, was sold to Smith Hog Farm, of Washington, Pa.

A total of 36 gilts were sold in the Duroc sale, averaging \$282.77, for a total of \$10,180. The first 10 head averaged \$420 and the first 20 head went for an average of

\$346.50.

The grand champion gilt in the Hampshire sale, consigned by Terry L. Bennecoit and Son, R2, Kutztown, was sold for \$280 to William E. Brown, R1 Hershey. The reserve champion, consigned by Carl H. Rabenold, R2, Kutztown, was sold for \$210 to William H. Lyons, R3, Saltsburg.

The Hampshire sale on Tuesday totaled \$2190, with 12 head averaging \$182.50.

The grand champion Landrace gilt, consigned by Barbara Mummert, of Tunnel Hill Farm, Seven Valleys, was sold to William and Michael Lyons, R3, Saltsburg. The reserve champion, consigned by Reno H. Thomas, R1, Beavertown, was sold for \$525 to Mitch Rogers, Mayville, N.Y.

The Hampshire sale total was \$5400, with 19 head averaging \$284.21.

In the Yorkshire bred gilt sale, the grand champion, consigned by Calvin H. Lazarus & Sons, of Whitehall, was sold to William Tyner for \$620. Her granddam was the 1978 Farm Show gilt champion and brought \$875.

The reserve champion, also consigned by Lazarus, was sold to Delaware Valley College for \$300.

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Shown with the grand champion Berkshire bred gilt are the buyer, left, Ed Huntzberger, of R5, Elizabethtown, and the consignor, Clayton Winebark, of Rochester Mills. Huntzberger bought six head, including the Poland China grand champ.

Lazarus brought only \$20 less than the grand champion and twice the amount paid for the reserve champion. The gilt was sold to Smith Hog Farm, of Washington, for \$600.

Show names blues in potatoes, hay

FARM SHOW — Jeffrey Schwartz of R1, Hegins, Schuylkill County, won the grand championship in open class potato judging competition at the 65th Farm Show.

Charles Martin of R2, Willow Street, Lancaster County, captured the championship in vocational classes.

The heaviest potato, weighing two pounds, three and one-half ounces, as exhibited by Sherwood Geiger of Monoclay Drive, Bath, Northampton County.

Duane and Betty Shuman of R8, Bloomsburg, Columbia County, exhibited the grand champion hay sample at the 65th Farm Show.

Their entry was a field cured later cutting of alfalfa.

The reserve champion, a field cured alfalfa-grass mixture, was exhibited by Balmer Brothers of R2, Manheim, Lancaster County.

POTATO AWARD LIST

White Skin Varieties
1 Calvin Geiger Schnecksville 2 Hans Fritz Locke Haven 3 Herbert P. Geiger

Danielsville 4 Sonia Geiger Schnecksville 5 Gene Boehert Chalort

Red Skin Varieties
1 Jeff Schwartz Hegins 2 Sherwood P. Geiger Bath 3 Kathleen L. Geiger Bath 4 Kashubski Farms Drums

Champion Class
1 Jeff Swartz Hegins

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1 Jeffery Schwartz Hegins 2 Jeff Burkholder Washington Boro 3 David Payback Reynoldsville

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1 Jeff Schwartz Hegins

Heaviest
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Glenn O. Ebersole, of Duncannon, who consigned the grand champion Duroc bred gilt, is congratulated by Penrose Hallowell, state ag secretary. This was the first Farm Show for Ebersole as an exhibitor since FFA showing in 1967.

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