

ABC honors dairymen

DOVER — Five York County dairymen were honored for having high producing herds this past year at the seventeenth annual District 6 Meeting for Atlantic Breeders Cooperative members held February 19 at Dover Fire Hall.

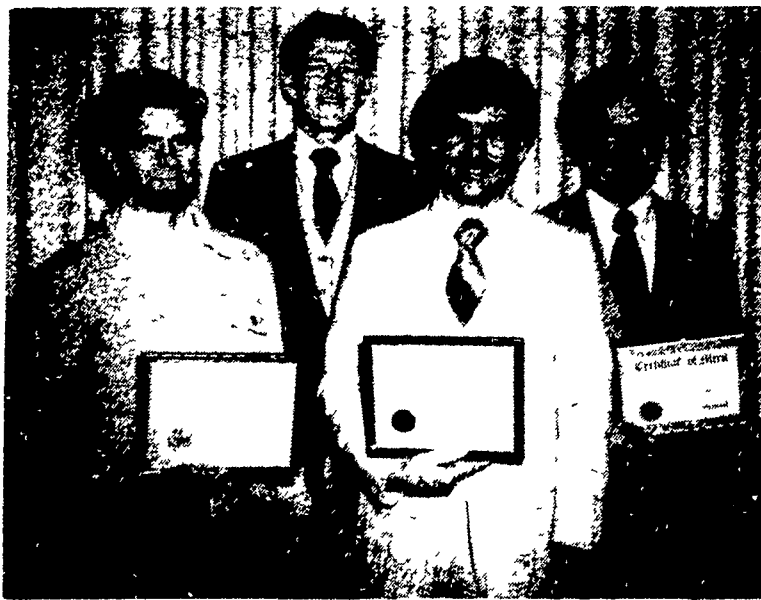
Receiving Certificates of Merit for having top Dairy Herd Improvement Association averages were Wayne Mummert (72 OH cows, 17,490M, 640F), Herman Stebbins-Sinking Spring Farm (65 OH cows, 17,670M, 691F), Lynn Wolf (46 OH cows, 20,017M, 703F), Rodney Smyser-Smyser's Richlawn Farms (72 OH cows, 20,470M, 769F), and Wayne Myers (53 OH cows, 17,683M, 681F).

All herds were at least 15 percent above the state average for milk or butterfat production last year while at least two-thirds of the cows in these herds are progeny of Atlantic sires. Awards were presented by Bob Keller, Atlantic's Field Supervisor for this area.

BLUE BALL — Four northern Lancaster County dairymen were honored for having high producing herds this past year at the seventeenth annual District 1 Meeting for Atlantic Breeders Cooperative members held February 19 at Blue Ball.

Receiving Certificates of Merit for having top Dairy Herd Improvement Association averages were Ivan Stoltzfus (47 OH cows, 17,111M, 634F), Earl Landis (50 OH cows, 18,679M, 638F), Norman Hershey-Springarden Farm (82 OH cows, 18,015M, 647F), and Gerald Martin (48 OH cows, 17,586M, 643F).

All Herds were at least 15 per-



ABC honored four dairymen from northern Lancaster County for herd achievement. They are (left to right) Ivan Stoltzfus, Earl Landis, Norman Hershey, and Gerald Martin.

cent above the state average for milk or butterfat production last year, while at least two-thirds of the cows in these herds are progeny of Atlantic sires. Awards were presented by C.P. Brantley, Atlantic's Field Supervisor for this area.

District 4 Director Clyde Martin of East Earl, Pa., informed members that 1980 was the most successful business year in Atlantic's history. Service Technicians provided more than 300,000 services, and semen sales increased to direct-herd breeders and through distributors. Patronage dividends will be mailed to all members who used the Cooperative's services last year.

A narrated slide program

presented by management representative N. Alan Bair, Lancaster, covered the topics of proper sire selection, good conception, and finances of the organization.



Receiving awards from ABC in York County are (left to right) Lynn Wolf, Wayne Mummert, Rodney Smyser, Herman Stebbins, and Wayne Myers.

Members present voted for District representatives for the coming year. Election results will be announced in the next issue of

the Cooperative's monthly newsletter, since more than one meeting is held in most of Atlantic's 16 Districts.

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