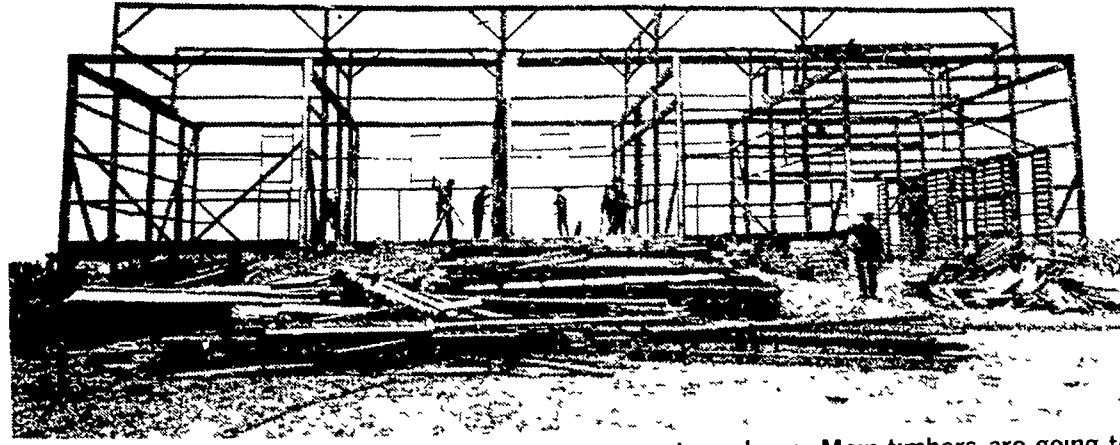


Barn razing held



A barn razing, not raising, was held Thursday near Brunnerville to remove an old structure. The barn was taken down to make room in a new housing development, but it will

see continued use. Main timbers are going to Oxford, Chester County, to be reassembled. Crew leader John S. Blank, Leola, said the extra boards will be sold off.



Lancaster SCD to meet March 19

INTERCOURSE — The Lancaster County Conservation District's Annual Banquet will be held on March 19, 1981 at 6:30 p.m. at Harvest Drive Restaurant, Intercourse.

Following a family style dinner and musical entertainment, presentation of the "Outstanding Conservation Cooperator" and "Stormwater Management" Awards will be made.

The speaker will be John R. Sheaffer, who is President of Sheaffer and Roland, Inc., Chicago, Illinois. The title of his speech will be "On-Farm Energy Production: An Idea Whose Time Has Come."

His firm is involved in environmental planning and engineering, solar energy, and resources management.

A native of Lancaster County, (his family owns Sheaffer Meats, Lancaster), Sheaffer and his firm have been involved in many agricultural, municipal, and energy-related problems including solid waste management, flooding, water conservation, and manure management.

Sheaffer and Roland designed the methane systems at the Mason-



Dixon Farm, Gettysburg, where biogas is produced from manure, and is used to run an engine and generator, producing electricity.

Tickets for the Banquet are \$7 and can be purchased from any Conservation District Director or by calling the Lancaster County Conservation District at 717/299-5361.

Grange hires PR director

HARRISBURG — Charles E. Wismer, Jr., Master of the Pennsylvania State Grange, has announced that Linda Boyer of Palmyra has joined the Grange staff as Public Relations Director, effective Monday.

She replaces former director David Weinstock. Weinstock has married and moved to Lansing, Michigan to write for "Michigan Farmer" magazine.

Boyer graduated with distinction from Penn State, earning a bachelor's degree in journalism. As a student, she wrote for The Daily Collegian student newspaper and was active in Sigma Delta Chi, Society of Professional Jour-

nalists, and Alpha Phi social sorority.

She was selected for Kappa Tau Alpha, an honor society for journalism majors, and Golden Key National Honor Society.

Prior to joining the Grange staff, Boyer interned in the Campus Relations Office of Penn State's Capital Campus and served as a volunteer writer and public relations assistant in Penn State University's News Bureau.

Wismer commented Boyer was well-qualified for the position.

"She has a lot of good ideas for promoting the Grange, and I think she will be an asset to the organization," he said.

Livestock market and auction news

Western Maryland Livestock

Westminster, Md.
Tuesday, February 24

Report supplied by auction
BUYER COWS Good run! \$1.00 higher! High Yield 47.75-49.85, Standard & Utility 43.50-47.50. Canners 41.50-43.50, Shelly 41.00. Down Bulls Few Good 1400 lbs 54.00-58.00. Steers Bulk Choice 2-4 s 59.50-61.50, Individual to 66.50. Heifers Few Choice 2-4 s 57.50-59.50, 3-4 s 52.00-57.00.
BUYER HOGS Good run - 50 cents lower. US #1 & 2 215-240 lbs 42.50-43.60, US #1-3 215-260 lbs 41.85-42.35, 170-190 lbs 34.50-36.50. Sows US 1&2 39.00-41.00, US 2& 35.00-38.50. Boats 400-600 lbs to 33.60.
VEAL CALVES Mostly steady. Good & Choice 95.00-106.00, Standard 75.00-90.00. Stocky & Thin 50.00-70.00. Killers 80-100 lbs

62.00-69.00, Weak & Rough 62.00 Down

CALVES RETURNED TO FARM Bulls \$5 lower. Holstein Heifers Bulk 95-130 lbs 95.00-120.00, Heifers few 95-115 lbs 110.00-147.50, Holstein Bulls Bulk 95-115 lbs 90.00-103.00. Beef Type few 80-110 lbs 70.00-85.00.

LAMBS 1 Choice Spring lamb 80 lbs at 69.00

STOCK CATTLE Good run - prices steady. Steers Choice 300-450 lbs 70.00-80.00, 450-650 lbs 62.00-70.00, Good 400-700 lbs 52.00-62.00. Heifers Choice 300-450 lbs 58.00-65.00, Good 300-500 lbs 52.00-58.00. Bulls Choice 400-550 lbs 68.00-75.00, Good 350-600 lbs 58.00-68.00.

PIGS AND SHOATS Good demand, higher prices. By the Head 15-30 lbs 13.00-21.00, 30-60 lbs 20.00-30.00, By the Lb 100-170 lbs 29.00-39.00, St Boars few 155-200 lbs 31.00-45.00.



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