

# Dairy photo album



## And cats are called curious

**BY DICK ANGLESTEIN**  
LANCASTER — The curiosity of farm cats is legendary.

But dairy animals are no slouches either at sticking their noses into the darndest situations, too.

Just look at some of these photos submitted in the recent Dairy Month Photo Contest.

The curiosity of the cow in the upper left photo is attracting quite a crowd with her new type of headgear.

Perhaps, she plans to engage in a little game of barnyard butting.

Then too, it might be some new OSHA regulation requiring a new kind of protective headgear for all cows being prepared for transport to market.

The cow on the left in the photo appears to be saying:

"Well, this is another fine mess you've gotten yourself into."

And the helpful cow on the right is either trying to help get the new hat off or push it on even farther.

The photo was submitted by Lesley Davis, of Chestnut Lane Farm, Earleville, Md.

The top right photo shows another cow trying to "drum" up a little sympathy for her situation.

Now, I've heard of the western wear craze, including 10-gallon hats, but a 50-gallon hat is showing off just a bit. And she's not even a Texas cow.

This photo was sent in by Chris and Justin Fraser, of R2, Montrose, Pa.

And, as the bottom left photo

shows, it's easier to get things over your head when you're younger.

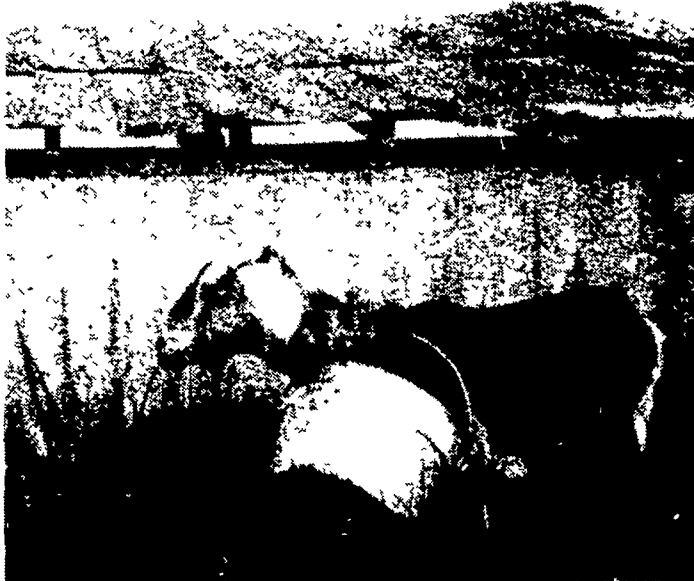
This young heifer, as photographed by Kenneth C. Morrow, R1, Loysville, has a white-walled necklace to show off to all of the other girls in the pasture.

Finally, this Nubian-Alpine cross will likely never go hungry or thirsty.

Wherever she goes, she carries her teed and water bucket with her.

This photo was sent in by Debbie Burkholder, of R2, Denver.

Our thanks to these photographers for sharing their curious moments with us. And an overall thank you to all who entered the recent contest.



## Nat'l Food Safety meeting to be held

NEW YORK, N.Y. — A national seminar on participation by the United States in the Codex Alimentarius Commission will be held September 15 and 16 at the U.S. Department of Agriculture headquarters building in Washington, D.C.

The Codex commission works to develop international food standards that will promote world-wide food safety and international trade in food products, according to

Eddie F. Kimbrell, associate deputy administrator of USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service. The commission was established in 1963 by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations and the World Health Organization.

According to Kimbrell, the purpose of the meeting is to assess the past and future role of the U.S. in the commission and to give the

public the opportunity to learn about the commission.

There are 18 active Codex communities developing standards and the U.S. has officially accepted about 30.

Kimbrell said representatives of USDA, the Department of Health and Human Service's Food and Drug Administration and the FAO would participate in the meeting.

Complete seminar details will be announced later, Kimbrell said.

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