

And lectures against crossbred boars

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Berkshire — Dennis Grumbine, Myerstown, grand champion; C. D. Winebark and Sons, R1 Rochester Mills, reserve. The Grumbine gilt, one of the best in its breed ever to come to Farm Show, later brought a record \$885 in the Berkshire sale. The previous breed record was \$750 set in 1960.

Chester White — James T. Parlett, R2 Airville, had both the grand and reserve.

Duroc — Dave Holloway, R1 New Freedom, had the grand champion and Calvin Lazarus and Son of Whitehall showed the reserve. A Duroc breeder, Judge Shaffer obviously favored the Holloway gilt, commenting how she floated over the concrete. The gilt's dam

raised 45 pigs in four litters so there's proven production in her pedigree. It was Holloway's first grand champ in six years at Farm Show and marked the continuing progress of another top-notch young Duroc breeder in the industry.

Hampshire — Blue Mt. View Farms, R3 Annville, had both the grand and reserve.

Landrace — Barbara Mummert, Seven Valleys, showed the grand champion and the reserve was exhibited by Jay Blatt, R2 Annville.

Poland China — Barbara McConnell, Volant, showed the grand and reserve.

Spotted Swine — Another of the double winners with both grand

and reserve was Russell Kegg, R1 Bedford. In his third year of showing, it was his first top placing. Kegg also had the best pen of feeder pigs in the Lancaster Stockyards Show last year.

Yorkshire — Tim Heagy, Lebanon, exhibited the grand champion and the reserve was shown by Calvin Lazarus and Son, Whitehall.

Shaffer liked the York grand champion.

"If you paint her red, I'd take her home," he commented.

And he leaned heavily toward the grand champion Berkshire and the Duroc.

Grumbine's Berks was only a few days away from her due date and was obviously heavy with pigs.

And Holloway's Duroc, that later brought \$1,025 in the breed sale, was held up as an example of what gilts should look like — feminine but with natural stoutness. She's a litter mate to the reserve champion boar at KILE.

By county, Lebanon and York had three grand champs and Lawrence and Bedford had one each.

In addition to mobility, Judge Shaffer stressed the need for necks on the gilts. He obviously didn't like neckless hogs whose heads go right into their shoulders like a linebacker or defensive tackle in football.

And he also wanted a lot of their tails up higher.

He likes power in his pigs but he wants those females to look like ladies, too.

"You not only play great football in Pennsylvania (Penn State), but you raise good hogs, too," Shaffer said.

"You breeders must be honest with yourself and have pride.

"We don't need those crossbred boars.

"The biggest problem in purebred circles is the reluctance to make changes.

"Progress must be made."

Results of the Bred Gilt Show:

LANDRACE
January Gilt
1, 2 Jay Blatt, R2, Annville, 3 Barbara Mummert, Seven Valleys

February Gilt
1, 2 Barbara Mummert, 3 Russ Cassel R2, Annville

March Gilt
1 Harlan R Wessner, R2, New Tripoli
Grand Champion
1 Barbara Mummert
Reserve Grand Champion
1 Jay Blatt

POLAND CHINA
January Gilt
1, 2 Harlan R Wessner, R2, New Tripoli
February Gilt
1, Barbara McConnell, Volant, 2 Denton J Griest, R1, Abbottstown, 3 Harlan R Wessner
Grand Champion
Barbara McConnell
Reserve Grand Champion
Barbara McConnell

CHESTER WHITE
January Gilt
1, 3 James T Parlett, R2, Airville, 2 Rodger Bankert, R3, Hanover
February Gilt
1 James T Parlett
March Gilt
1 James T. Parlett; 2 Charles E Griest, R1, Abbottstown
Grand Champion
James T Parlett
Reserve Grand Champion
James T Parlett

BERKSHIRE
January Gilt
1, 2 C D Winebark & Sons, R1, Rochester Mills, 3 Arnie Cornbower, R1, New Freedom
February Gilt
1, 2 Dennis L Grumbine, Myerstown, 3 C D Winebark & Sons
March Gilt
1, C D Winebark & Sons, 2, 3 Dennis L Grumbine
Grand Champion
Dennis L Grumbine
Reserve Grand Champion
C D Winebark & Sons

HAMPSHIRE
January Gilt
1, 2, 3 Blue Mt View Farms, R3, Annville
March Gilt
1, 3 Jeff & Rod McLonn, R2, W Alexander; 2 Blue Mt View Farms
Grand Champion
1 Blue Mt View Farms
Reserve Grand Champion
1 Blue Mt View Farms

DUROC
January Gilt
1 Calvin H Lazarus & Sons, Whitehall, 2 Rodger Bankert, R3, Hanover; 3, David O Holloway, R1, New Freedom



John Mummert, R1 Seven Valleys, with the grand champion Landrace gilt.



Dave Holloway, R1 New Freedom, with the grand champion Duroc gilt.



Grand Champion Duroc gilt from Dave Holloway, right, R1 New Freedom, goes to Rodger Bankert & Sons, center, R3 Hanover, for \$1,025 at Monday sale. At left is J. Luther Snyder, Deputy State Ag Secretary.

February Gilt
1 Calvin H Lazarus & Sons, 2 Denise McConaughy, R1, Smicksburg, 3 Bruce H Smith, Washington
March Gilt
1 David C Holloway, 2 Calvin H Lazarus & Sons, 3 Lawrence Arnold, Lebanon
Grand Champion
1 David C Holloway
Reserve Grand Champion
Calvin H Lazarus & Sons

SPOTTED SWINE
January Gilt
1 Russell E Kegg, R1, Bedford, 2, 3 Leslie & Lazarus Bros, R1, Germansville
February Gilt
1 Russell E Kegg, 2 Leslie & Lazarus Bros, 3 James T Parlett, R2, Airville
March Gilt
1 Steve Trostle, R2, Red Lion, 2 Gary Homan & Daughters, R2, Centre Hall, 3 Leslie & Lazarus Bros
Grand Champion
Russell E Kegg
Reserve Grand Champion
Russell E Kegg

February Gilt
1 Calvin H Lazarus & Sons, 2 Denise McConaughy, R1, Smicksburg, 3 Bruce H Smith, Washington
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1 David C Holloway, 2 Calvin H Lazarus & Sons, 3 Lawrence Arnold, Lebanon
Grand Champion
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Charles Bomgardner, Blue Mt. View Farms, R3 Annville, with grand champion Hampshire gilt.



James T. Parlett, R2 Airville, with the grand champion Chester White gilt.



Barbara McConnell, Volant, with the grand champion Poland China gilt.