

Pa. Forage-Dairy Day seeks exhibitors.

Dairymen: mark your calendar for July 19

HERSHEY — Dairymen across Pennsylvania can mark their calendars for a new and informative event that's designed to sharpen their feeding skills. The date to mark is Tuesday, July 19.

"Pennsylvania Forage and Dairy Day," as the event is called, will concentrate on forage production, handling, and feeding. Organizers of the one-day activities envision a variety of educational exhibits ranging from actual field demonstrations, crop comparisons, nutrient analysis, feed values, DHIA record-keeping, and much more.

The Pennsylvania Holstein Association and Pennsylvania Forage and Grassland Council are at the forefront of organizing the unique event. Co-chairmen are John Rodgers, of Plum Bottom Farm, Reedsville; and Al Dugan,

**Red Rose Alliance
to meet Thursday**

BLUE BALL — The Red Rose Alliance, Inc. will hold a general meeting on Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at the Blue Ball Fire Hall.

Discussing the subject of recycling will be guest speaker, Richard Brown, president of Lancaster Environmental Action Federation.

of the Milton Hershey School Farms, Hershey. John Baylor, recently retired agronomist from Penn State, serves on the organizing committee in an ex-officio capacity. Other members of the organizing committee include:

Richard Adams, dairy nutritionist at Penn State; Nelson Gotwalt from the ag communications department at Penn State; Richard Hann, supervisor of the Milton Hershey School Farms; Joe Hartle, Centre County dairyman; Richard Hill from the U.S. Regional Pasture Research Laboratory at Penn State; John

Irtle, representing the seed industry; Dieter Krieg, Farmshine editor; Bill Nichol, executive secretary of the Pennsylvania Holstein Association; Ray Pruss from the DHIA office at Penn State; John Shenk, noted research agronomist who specializes in forage analysis at Penn State; Bill Stringer, Centre County dairyman and agronomist; and Albert Vigilante, from the Milton Hershey School Farms.

Organizers of "Pennsylvania Forage and Dairy Day" emphasize that the event will in no way conflict or compete with Ag

Progress Days, the annual ag extravaganza that attracts tens of thousands of visitors to Penn State's research farm during August. Forage and Dairy Day will concentrate on educational exhibits and demonstrations designed to make dairymen more aware of the potential of forages. The purpose is to make forage production more efficient while bringing utilization close to optimum levels. The day's activities will follow forages "from field to cow."

Forages will be harvested during the day, analyzed at the site and

then fed to a cow. Predictions, equations, etc. will be discussed during the demonstration, planners say.

Numerous other demonstrations will be going on throughout the day which visitors can examine at their leisure. All activities will relate closely to feeding and production.

Firms and organizations which are closely allied to forage production and feeding are invited to participate in this new event. To inquire about exhibit spaces, contact John C. Irtle, 962 Rayme Drive, Lancaster, Pa. 17601. Phone: (717) 898-8690.

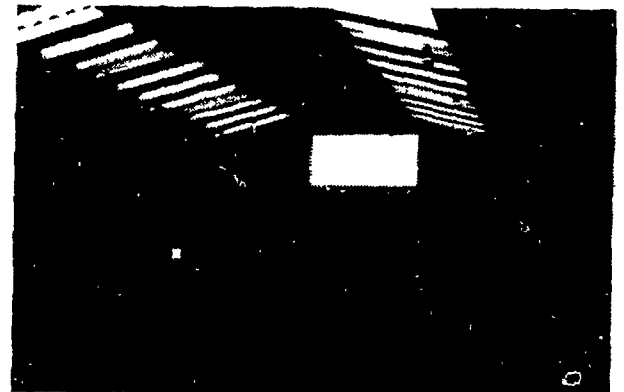
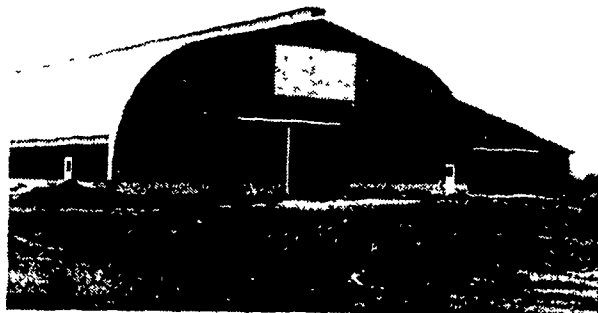
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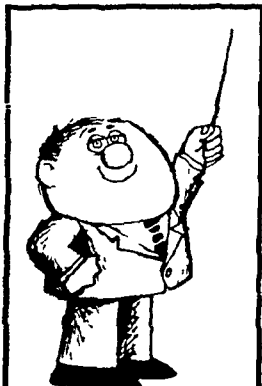
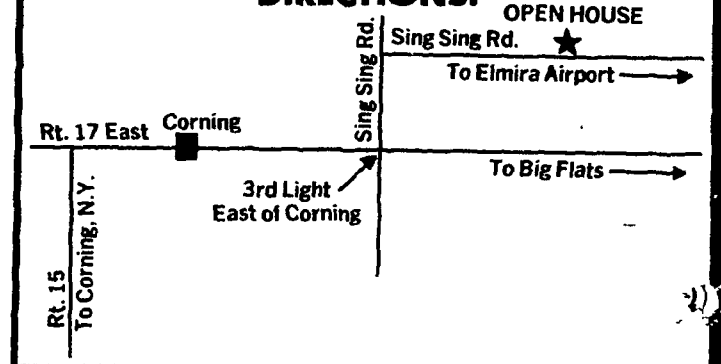
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