

Eastern Pa. 4-H steer, lamb champs picked

ALLENTOWN — The grand champion steer was exhibited by Andy Wagner, Northampton County, weighing 1238 pounds at the Bucks, Carbon, Lehigh, Montgomery, Northampton and Schuylkill Eastern Pennsylvania 4-H Beef and Lamb Sale, Saturday, Nov. 19, at the Allentown Fairgrounds. The buyer, Danny George of George's Foodliner, Bethlehem, paid 2.65 per pound.

Seth Gruber, Lehigh County, showed the reserve grand champion steer weighing 1258 pounds and was sold for \$2.60 per pound. The buyer was Bill Martin of Greensboro, Nc.

The champion light weight steer weighing 976 pounds sold for \$1.05 per pound and was bought by Charles Mackenzie, Allentown. The steer was exhibited by Phil McMahon, Montgomery County. Dwaine Schultz, Northampton County, showed the reserve light weight Champion steer, weighing 1011 pounds and was purchased by Danny George, George's Foodliner, for 85 cents per pound.

The champion medium weight steer weighing 1106 pounds sold for 85 cents per pound and was bought by Danny George, George's Foodliner. The steer was exhibited by Lori Cesanek, Northampton County. Debra Krause, Lehigh County, showed the reserve medium weight champion steer, weighing 1180 pounds and was purchased by Al Schaedel, Allentown, for 90 cents per pound.

The grand champion individual lamb, weighing 113 pounds was sold at \$2.20 per pound to Denny George, George's Foodliner. It was owned by Dwaine Schultz. The

Grand Champion Pair of Lambs, exhibited by Andy Wagner, was purchased by Danny George. The Pair of Lambs weighed 190 pounds and sold at \$1.70 per pound.

Andy Wagner showed the reserve grand champion lamb and was sold to Danny George at \$1.20 per pound. The lamb weighed 122 pounds. The reserve grand champion pair of lambs, shown by David Schultz, Northampton County, weighing 213 pounds was purchased by Rose Valley Farm, New Tripoli, for \$1.05 per pound. The champion light weight lamb was purchased by Harold Fabian, Northampton Farm Bureau, Tatamy, for \$1.05 per pound. The lamb weighed 102 pounds and was exhibited by Lori Cesanek, Northampton County. The reserve light weight champion lamb, weighing 103 pounds was sold at 90 cents per pound to Kerby Farms, Zionsville. It was owned by Mark Lazarus, Lehigh County. The Reserve Medium Weight Champion lamb, weighing 110 pounds was sold at \$1.20 per pound to Agway, Inc., Allentown. It was owned by Joshua Grim, Lehigh County.

The reserve heavy weight champion lamb, weighing 124 pounds was sold at 90 cents per pound to Rose Valley Farm, New Tripoli. It was owned by Lewis Trexler, Lehigh County.

The sale, as was the show on Friday, was conducted by the Agricultural Extension Service, with the County Agents of the six counties in charge.

Other buyers at the sale were Citizens National Bank of Slatington, Agrico CPS, Pork Chop

Hill Farms, Jim and Ann Burns, Russ and Carol Bryant, Gerald P. McMahon, Peters Bros. Meat Market, Inc., John Almer, Lee Wagner, John Skrip, Jr., Charles Schneck, Paul Hower, Ronald Haller, Daniel Palmer, David Schultz, Lazarus Farm Market, Jim Udell, Berks-Lehigh Valley Farm Credit Service, Mrs. C.T. Fuller, Peter Krall, John Scholl, Herring Bros., Nelson Cole, Dave Dunbar, P&J Enterprises, Inc., Danber Farms, Earinger Bros. Meats, Bill Harris (A&B), Albright's Mill (A&B), Paul Gibson (A&B), A&B Packing Co., Gillespie Electric, Witstan's Butcher Shop, Ontelaunee Lions Club (Lester Loch), Bill Martin, Warren Loch, Gunther Heussman, Frank Soldridge III, Farm Bureau (Mr. Marriott), Perkiomenville Livestock (Robert Landis), The Warner Group Mass. Mutual Life, Bob Skrip (Pheasant Run Farms), Marsteller Grain, George V. Seiple & Sons and Hartman's Roofing.

Average price per pound of the steers with the Grand Champion included was 89 cents per pound, without the top two, the average was 76 cents per pound. Last year's averages were \$1.00 and 92 cents.

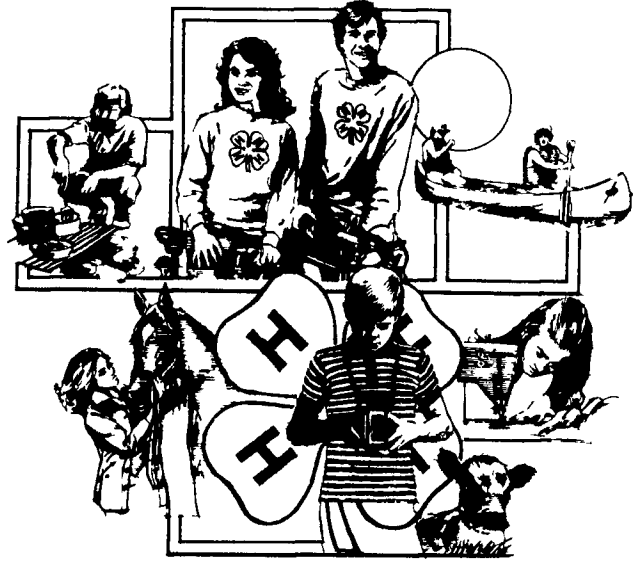
Average price per pound for the lambs with the Grand Champion included was 79 cents per pound, without the top four, the average was 74 cents per pound. Last year's averages were 87 and 85 cents.

The total sales of the 31 steers in the sale were \$31,174.46. The total sales of the 88 lambs in the sale were \$7,546.05.

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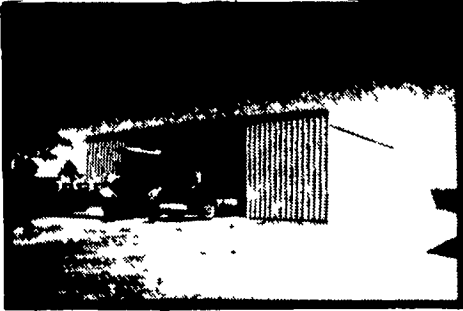
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Heavy Light
1 Dwaine Schultz, Nazareth, Northampton County, Reserve Light Weight Champion, 2 Jane Sikorski, Emmaus, Lehigh County, 3 P J Kulp Colleagueville, Montgomery County
Light Medium
1 Lori Cesanek, Northampton, Northampton County, Medium Weight Champion, 2 Glen Wuchter, Northampton, Northampton County, 3 Jeff Poliskewicz, Bangor, Northampton County
Heavy Medium
1 Debra Krause, Slatington, Lehigh County, Reserve Medium Weight Champion, 2 Steve McMahon, Green Lane, Montgomery County, 3 Frank Fragito, Slatington, Lehigh County
Light Heavy
1 Andy Wagner, Bethlehem, Northampton County Heavy Weight Champion & Grand Champion 2 Seth Gruber, New Tripoli Lehigh County Reserve & Heavy Weight Champion & Reserve Grand Champion, 3 Willi Wilson Mertz town, Lehigh County
Heavy Heavy
1 John Skrip III, Breinigsville, Lehigh County, 2 Bonnie Wessner, New Tripoli, Lehigh County, 3 Gavin Grim, Mertztown, Lehigh County
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Light Light
Sheri Lazarus, Germansville, Lehigh County, 2 April Lazarus, Germansville, Lehigh County, 3 Nicole Trexler, Germansville, Lehigh County

Light Heavy
1 Lori Cesanek, Northampton, Northampton County Light Weight Champion 2 Mark Lazarus Germansville, Lehigh County Reserve Light Weight Champion, 3 Kevin Rainert Slatington Lehigh County
Medium Light
1 Joshua Grim, Breinigsville, Lehigh County, Reserve Medium Weight Champion, 2 Jessica Stevens, Doylestown, Bucks County, 3 Geoffrey Harvey, Pipersville, Bucks County
Medium Heavy
1 Dwaine Schultz, Nazareth, Northampton County, Medium Weight Champion & Grand Champion, 2 David Schultz, Nazareth, Northampton County, 3 Ruth Grim, Breinigsville, Lehigh County
Heavy Light
1 Andy Wagner, Bethlehem, Northampton County, Heavy Weight Champion & Reserve Grand Champion, 2 Lewis Trexler, Germansville, Lehigh County, 3 Marie Palmer, Bangor, Northampton County
Heavy Heavy
1 Kathy Moss Perkasio Bucks County 2 Willard Strouse, Pen Argyl Northampton County 3 Arthur Yoder, Doylestown, Bucks County
Light Weight Pairs
1 Andy Wagner Bethlehem, Northampton County, Champion Pair, 2 Scott Lazarus, Germansville, Lehigh County
Heavy Weight Pairs
1 David Schultz, Nazareth, Northampton County, Reserve Champion Pair 2 Ruth Grim, Breinigsville, Lehigh County, 3 Lewis Trexler, Germansville, Lehigh County

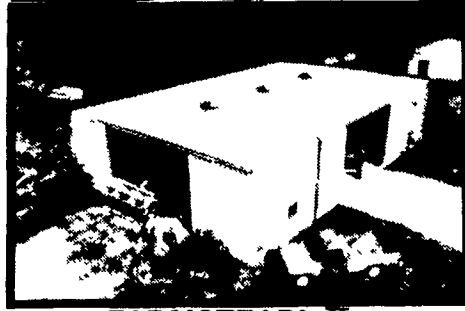


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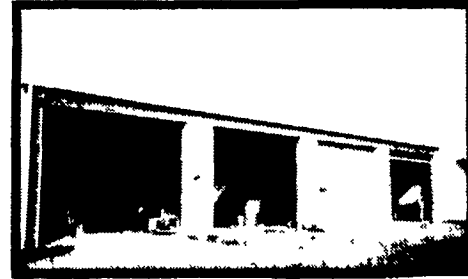
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