Smyser heads York Holstein

YORK - Rodney Smyser, R1, East Berlin, heads the York Holstein Association as president following recent reorganization and planning meetings held by the county club.

Assisting Smyser are vice-president Leroy Bupp, R2 Seven Valleys, and secretary-treasurer Martin Heaps, R1 Fawn Grove. Tom Boyer, Biesecker Road, York, is state director.

Events sponsored by the club get underway in March with a barn meeting and calf sale. Smyser's Richlawn Farms will host the March 6 barn meeting. Focus of the afternoon program is on dry cow management, with the opportunity to observe the Smyser family's recently-constructed dry cow and maternity barn addition.

York's Holstein breeders team with their Adams County neighbors for the sixth annual Adams-York Calfarama sale on March 20. Approximately 50 selected calves, many highly suitable for use in 4-H and FFA project work, will go on the auction block at the York Fairgound's horticulture building.

The fairgrounds is also the site for the annual black and white show, scheduled to run in conjunction with the county 4-H roundup. Tentative date for the open class Holstein judging is July

Other planned activities include a bush trip in early April, summer picnic hosted at the George Knight family's Woodbine Farms and the annual banquet in October at Church Blymire's near Dallastown.

Committee chairmen for the year are Doug Cope, sales; Tom Stein, breed activities; Sue Beshore, junior activities and

representative to county milk promotion committee; Joyce Bupp, publicity; Tom Boyer, membership and tour; Shirley Trimmer, advertising; Charles Rauhauser, banquet; Heaps, picnic; and show, J. Donnell Taylor. - J.B.



York Holstein officers include, from the left, seated, Martin Heaps, Rodney Smyser and Leroy Bupp; standing, Tom Boyer, Dale Dahl, J. Donnell Taylor, Jeff Wolgemuth, Tom Stein and Sue Beshore.



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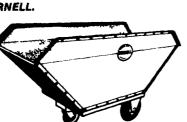
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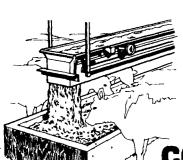
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