

Sheep champions

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ewes and only keeps a few rams on the farm for breeding and showing purposes.

Mellott also exhibited the reserve champion ewe, while Ben and Mary Bow, R1 Annville, showed the reserve champion ram.

In the Rambouillet show, all the grand and reserve grand champion honors were earned by Kenneth T. Moore of R2 Rome, Bradford County.

The homebred champion ram was a fall ram lamb which won the reserve champion title at the national show in Louisville, Ky., this past year. Also homebred, the Moore's ewe lamb champion was awarded champion ewe at Louisville.

With the help of their daughter, Doris Powell, the Moores raise over 300 head of sheep including

the Rambouillet, Dorset, Hampshire and Shropshire breeds. Doris said their Rambouillet sheep show well and "are probably the best as far as showing."

The Merino grand and reserve grand champion honors were shared by Lewis P. Crouse, of R1 Graysville, and Barbara and Charles Platt, of 905 Belmont Road, Gettysburg.

Crouse, of Greene County, won the grand champion ram title with his February 1983 lamb. He also earned reserve champion ewe honors.

Crouse's winners came from his herd of 70 sheep which he raises on his parent's, Howard and Edith Crouse, farm in Graysville. In addition to the Merino breed, Suffolk, colored black sheep and commercial Suffolks are also raised.

Charles and Barbara Platt, of Adams County, earned the grand champion ewe and the reserve champion ram titles. The champion ewe was a fall lamb bred by the Platts. Its sire was grand champion at the Farm Show last year.

Raising Merino sheep for seven years, the Platts currently own 101 ewes and rams. This was the third consecutive year that they have had champions at the Farm Show.

Listed below are the top three winners in each class:

- Class - Corriedale**
1 To 2 year Ram
1 Jay H & Thomas J Runkle Spring Mills 2 Kathy Weaver Everett 3 Emil Mellott & Son Needmore
- Under 1 year Ram**
1 Emil Mellott & Son 2 & 3 Ben C & Mary Bow Annville
- 2 Ram Lambs**
1 Emil Mellott & Son, 2 Charles McCrae Mohnton 3 Ben C & Mary Bow
- Champion Ram**
Emil Mellott & Son
- Reserve Champion Ram**
Ben C & Mary Bow
- 1 To 2 year Ewe**
1 & 2 Charles McCrae 3 Emil Mellott & Son
- Under 1 year Ewe**
1 Charles McCrae 2 Emil Mellott & Son 3 Ben C & Mary Bow
- 2 Ewe Lambs**
1 Ben C & Mary Bow 2 Emil Mellott & Son 3 Charles McCrae
- Champion Ewe**
Charles McCrae
- Reserve Champion Ewe**
Emil Mellott & Son
- Breeders Young Flock**
1 Emil Mellott & Son 2 Ben C & Mary Bow 3 Jay H & Thomas J Runkle
- Pen Of Lambs**
1 Emil Mellott & Son 2 Charles McCrae 3 Ben C & Mary Bow
- Get Of Sire**
1 Emil Mellott & Son 2 Ben C & Mary Bow 3 Jay H & Thomas J Runkle
- Flock**
1 Emil Mellott & Son 2 Charles McCrae 3 Jay H & Thomas J Runkle
- CLASS - RAMBOUILLET**
1 to 2 Year Ram
1 2 Kenneth T Moore 3 Less Lazarus
- Under 1 Year Ram**
1 2 Kenneth T Moore 3 Less Lazarus
- 2 Ram Lambs**
1 Kenneth T Moore 2 Less Lazarus 3 Emil Mellott
- Champion Ram**
Kenneth T Moore
- Reserve Champion**
Kenneth T Moore
- 1 to 2 Year Ewe**
1 2 Kenneth T Moore 3 Emil Mellott
- Under 1 Year Ewe**
1 2 Kenneth T Moore 3 Less Lazarus
- 2 Ewe Lambs**
1 Kenneth T Moore 2 Less Lazarus 3 Dr James Witt
- Champion Ewe**
Kenneth T Moore



Standing proud as the Corriedale champion ram is this winner owned by Emil Mellott of Needmore.

- Reserve Champion Ewe**
Kenneth T Moore
- Breeders Young Flock**
1 Kenneth T Moore 2 Less Lazarus 3 Emil Mellott
- Pen Of Lambs**
1 Kenneth T Moore 2 Less Lazarus 3 Emil Mellott
- Get Of Sire**
1 Kenneth T Moore 2 Less Lazarus 3 Emil Mellott
- Flock**
1 Kenneth T Moore 2 Emil Mellott 3 Less Lazarus
- Class-Merino**
1 to 2-year ram
1 Richard McConnell, Fredericktown 2 Kelly McConnell Fredericktown, 3 George Hunter Stoneboro
- Under 1 year Ram**
1 Lewis P Crouse Graysville, 2 Charles & Barbara Platt Gettysburg, 3 Lewis P Crouse
- 2 Ram Lambs**
1 Lewis P Crouse Graysville, 2 Charles & Barbara Platt 3 Kelly G McConnell Fredericktown

- Champion Ram**
Lewis P Crouse
- Reserve Champion Ram**
1 Charles & Barbara Platt
- 1 To 2 year Ewe**
1 & 2 Lewis P Crouse, 3 George Hunter
- Under 1 year Ewe**
1 Charles & Barbara Platt, 2 Lewis P Crouse 3 George Hunter
- 2 Ewe Lambs**
1 George Hunter 2 Charles & Barbara Platt 3 Lewis P Crouse
- Champion Ewe**
Charles & Barbara Platt
- Reserve Champion Ewe**
Lewis P Crouse
- BREEDERS YOUNG FLOCK**
1 Charles & Barbara Platt, 2 Lewis P Crouse 3 George Hunter
- Pen Of Lambs**
1 Lewis P Crouse, 2 Charles & Barbara Platt 3 George Hunter
- Get Of Sire**
1 Lewis P Crouse 2 Charles & Barbara Platt 3 George Hunter
- Flock**
1 Lewis P Crouse 2 George Hunter 3 Kelly G McConnell

Sheep breed champs

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competition at Farm Show for the past few years.

The Shropshire show saw WEY Shropshires of Berks county taking home the Champion Ram and Ewe awards. The Reserve Champion Ram was shown by Dave Harpster of Centre County.

The Suffolk classes were large and included high quality stock well down the line. The Champion Suffolk Ram was shown by William Maccauley of Chester County. Paul Leader of York county took home Reserve Champion Ram and Champion Ewe honors. Barb McConnell of Volant completed the winner's circle with her Reserve Champion Ewe.

- SOUTHDOWN**
1 To 2 Yr Ram
1 Gerald & Barbara Rohrer Quarryville 2 James H & Mrs Shearer Mountville 3 Gerald & Barbara Rohrer
- Under 1 Yr Ram**
1 Gerald & Barbara Rohrer 2 David L Harpster Boalsburg 3 Lehigh Co FFA Schnecksville
- 2 Ram Lambs**
1 David L Harpster 2 Gerald & Barbara Rohrer 3 Lehigh Co FFA
- Champion Ram**
Gerald & Barbara Rohrer
- Reserve Champion Ram**
Gerald & Barbara Rohrer
- 1 To 2 Yr Ewe**
1 Gerald & Barbara Rohrer 2 James H & Mrs

- Shearer 3 Gerald & Barbara Rohrer
- Under 1 Yr Ewe**
1 & 2 Gerald & Barbara Rohrer 3 Lehigh Co FFA
- Under 1 Yr Ewe**
Suzan E Falvey
- Southdown 2 Ewe Lambs**
1 Gerald & Barbara Rohrer 2 Lehigh Co FFA 3 David L Harpster
- Champion Ewe**
1 Gerald & Barbara Rohrer
- Reserve Champion Ewe**
1 Gerald & Barbara Rohrer
- Breeders Young Flock**
1 David L Harpster
- Pen Of Lambs**
1 Gerald & Barbara 2 Lehigh Co FFA 3 David L Harpster
- Get Of Sire**
1 David L Harpster 2 Lehigh Co FFA
- Flock**
1 Gerald & Barbara Rohrer 2 James H & Mrs Shearer 3 Lehigh Co FFA
- CHEVIOT**
1 To 2 Yr Ram
1 Kenneth T Moore Jr Rome 2 Herbert H & Mrs Rudy PA Furnace 3 George Swartz N Bloomfield
- Under 1 Yr Ram**
1 Kenneth T Moore Jr 2 Kenneth T Moore Jr 3 Erdenheim Farm Lafayette Hill
- 2 Ram Lambs**
1 Kenneth T Moore Jr 2 Erdenheim Farm Jeff & Andy Mellott Needmore
- Champion Ram**
Kenneth T Moore Jr
- Reserve Champion Ram**
Kenneth T Moore Jr
- 1 To 2 Yr Ewe**
1 & 2 Kenneth T Moore Jr 3 Herbert H & Mrs Rudy
- Under 1 Yr Ewe**
1 & 2 Kenneth T Moore Jr 3 Erdenheim Farm
- 2 Ewe Lambs**
1 Kenneth T Moore Jr 2 Erdenheim Farm 3 Herbert H & Mrs Rudy

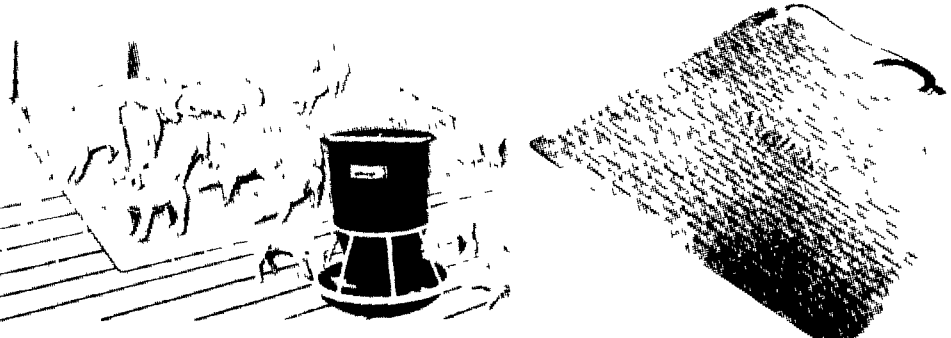
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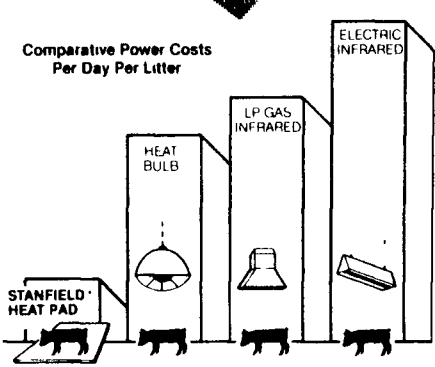
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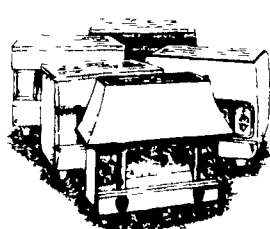
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