

# Ephrata Young Farmers honor outstanding members

**MT AIRY** — Installation of new officers and the honoring of outstanding members highlighted the annual banquet of the Ephrata Area Young and Adult Farmer's

Association last Saturday night at the Mt Airy-Durlach Fire Hall. The new slate of officers for the coming year includes Tom Bollinger, president, David

Zimmerman, vice president, Raymond K Burkholder, secretary, Earl G Martin, treasurer, and Allen Ackley, public relations director.

Among those honored in various categories of achievement were Russel Kline, R2 Denver, top herd butterfat average — 701 lbs.

Gerald Martin, R1 Ephrata, top herd milk average, 19,469 lbs.

Paul S Horning, R1 Stevens, high butterfat improvement average — 55-lb increase.

Kerry E Boyd, R5 Ephrata, Outstanding Young Farmer under 30.

Paul S. Horning, Outstanding Young Farmer over 30.

Dan Fox, R 1 Ephrata, Outstanding community Service Award.

Earl G Martin, R2 Ephrata, Active Member Award.

Barry L. Musser, R2 Denver, Outstanding Swine Producer.

James D. Hess, E. Newport Rd., Litz, Outstanding Beef Producer.

Clark Stauffer, R1 Ephrata, Outstanding Poultry Producer.

Ronald Good of the Cloister FFA Chapter, recipient of his American Farmer Degree.

Appreciation awards from the chapter were presented to Mary Jane Graybill, R1 Stevens, Triple-G Farms, Rep Terry Sheetz, Stevens swine producer, and Ira Martin, Ephrata, retiring president.

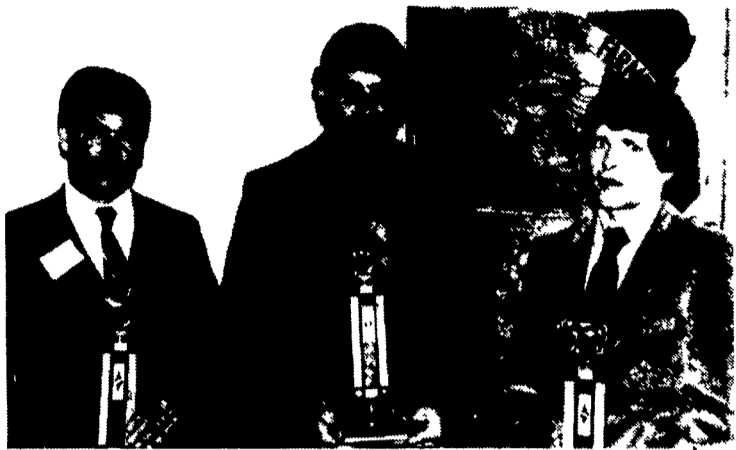
New officers were installed at the banquet by Henry Givler, area vo-ag consultant.

Speaking at the banquet were Tom High, president of the Cloister FFA, and Tom Zartman, of the Ephrata Young Farmers, who has just assumed the presidency of the Pennsylvania Young Farmers.

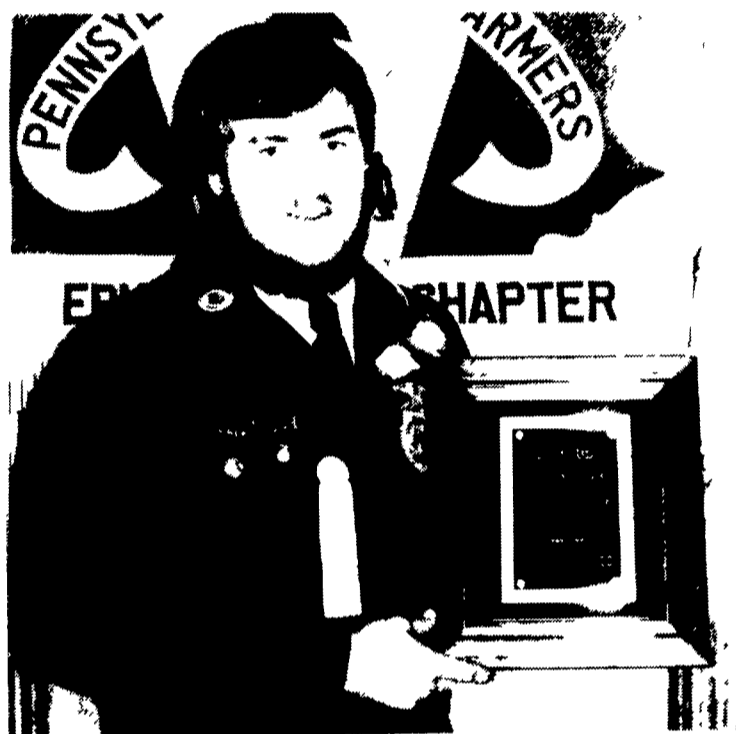
The banquet program included a film and presentation by Carl Graybill, of the State Game Commission, on Pennsylvania's Bald Eagle Recovery Program, which is trying to re-establish the birds in the Susquehanna and Delaware River Basins.



Trio of award winners among Ephrata Young Farmers are, from the left, Kerry Boyd, Outstanding Young Farmer Under 30; Gerald Martin, top herd milk average; and Paul S. Horning, Outstanding Young Farmer Over 30 and top average herd butterfat increase.



Top producers among Ephrata Young Farmers include, from the left, Clark Stauffer, poultry, Barry L. Musser, swine; and James D. Hess, beef.

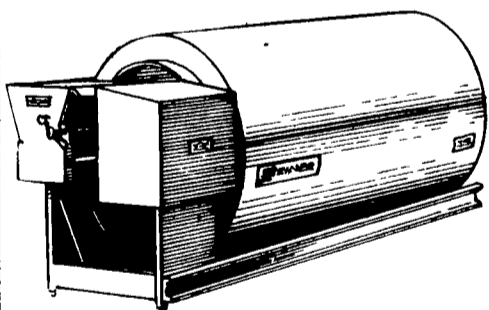


Ronald Good received plaque from Ephrata Young Farmers for receiving his American Farmer Degree in FFA.



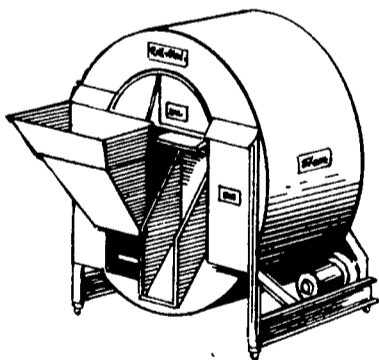
Outstanding Community Service honoree among Ephrata Young Farmers is Dan Fox, left; while Earl G. Martin was honored with Active Member Award.

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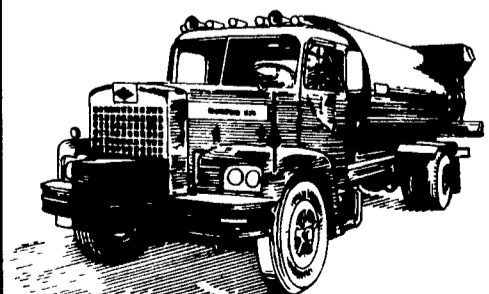
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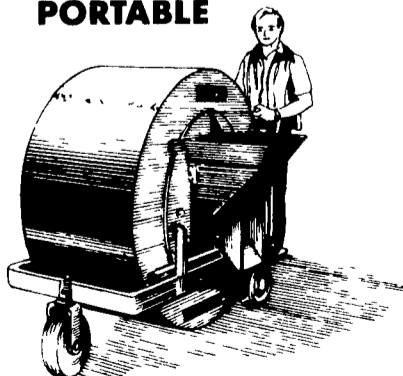
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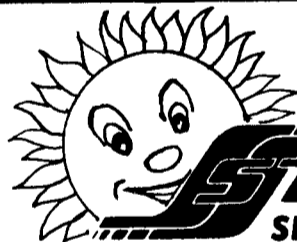


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