Top animals reach \$3000 at Blair Holstein Sale

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MARTINSBURG — The Blair County Holstein Club held its annual sale on Friday, July 26, at the Morrisons Cove Memorial Park. A good crowd turned out to see 39 quality dairy animals presented for bids.

The Blair County consignments averaged \$1283, and the two top animals of the sale each went for

\$3000.

Bransdale Farms of Tyrone consigned Bransdale Valiant Raquel-ET. This 3-year-old S-W-D Valiant daughter is scored GP-83. On her two-year-old record she produced 17,460 pounds of milk and 656 pounds of fat with a 3.8 percent test. Steve Pheasant of Martinsburg put the \$3000 bid on Raquel.

Jay L. and Kirk A. Hillegass of

Berlin consigned the other animal that sold for \$3000 Hillmont Bell Trista is a two-year-old daughter of Carlin-M Ivanhoe Bell. She is due in September to Cal-Clark Board Chairman. Tom Henderson purchased this heifer.

The third high selling animal was consigned by Donald Hoover of Martinsburg. Gra-Don Ivan Eva is a Wagnercrest Ivanhoe Astronaut daughter and is due in December to Lemaz Pawnee Memorial. Don's brother, Steve Hoover, of Fidelity Holsteins bought her for \$2500.

Fidelity Holsteins consigned the fourth high selling animal. Glee-Hi Chief Milky is a Skyhurst Top Chief daughter. On her two-year record she produced nearly 16,000 pounds of milk and 507 pounds of fat. Chris Alan Reasy bought this young cow for **\$**2050.

Landsdown Bell Fiddle-Twin was the fifth high selling animal. This Carlin-M Ivanhoe Bell daughter will freshen for the first time in September to Knolltop Recker's Ace. Paul and David Countryman consigned this heifer and Jay Metzker of Duncansville bought her for \$1800.

Inter-State sponsors youth to attend AIC

SOUTHAMPTON – Inter-State Milk Producers' Cooperative is sponsoring six youth to attend the 58th annual meeting of the American Institute of Cooperation, July 29 to Aug. 1 at Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kan.

The six youth, all sons or daughters of Inter-State members, will represent the cooperative at the National Institute on Cooperative Education. Their selection was based on an activities report and participation at the Pennsylvania Association of Farmer Cooperatives Summer Institute held earlier this month at Juniata College.

Representing Inter-State are: Bill Blank, R1 Parkesburg; Susan Kaye Fisher, R1 McVeytown; Michael C. Hershey, Gordonville; Kathy Sollenberger, R1 Williamsburg; David Hudson, R1 Milton, Del.; and Linda Pool, Mickletown, N.J.

A student at Octorara High School, Blank is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elam R. Blank. He is student advisor of his FFA Chapter and is treasurer of the Chester County FFA Champter. He is a member of the National Honor Society, the National Distinguished High School Students Society and the Mennonite Youth Fellowship group.

Fisher, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Fisher, attends Mt. Union Senior High School. She is active in the Captain Jack FFA

sylvania's June egg production

totaled 381 million three percent

above June 1984, according to the

Pennsylvania Crop and Livestock

Reporting Service. The average

number of layers on hand during

June 1985 was 17.8 million com-

pared with 17.4 million on hand a

year ago. Egg production per 100

layers was 2,146 compared with

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Chapter and serves as an officer. She is a member of the Future Business Leaders of America, the Girls Athletic Association and the Atkinson Mills Church youth group and bell choir. She is also president of her local 4-H Club.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman L Hershey, Hershey attends Pequea Valley High School and is vice president of the FFA Chapter. He is a member of the varsity club, the varsity soccer team and the junior varsity basketball team. He is also a member of the Calvary Monument Bible Church youth group, the Pa. Wild Turkey Federation and the Pa. Junior Holstein Association.

Sollenberger, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Sollenberger, attends Williamsburg High School. She is an officer of her FFA Chapter and competes on the dairy judging team. She is a member of the high school band and chorus and is a reporter for the Buccaneer, the school's paper. She is also a member of the Blair County 4-H Baby Beef Club.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hudson Jr., Hudson attends Cape Henlopen High School and is a member of the band and Honor Society. He is a 4-H member and participates in dairy and agriculture activities. He also competes in team roping contests and is a member of the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association, the Eastern Shore Ropers Association and the

Egg output up

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2,137 for June 1984.

2,137 for June 1964. The nation's laying flocks produced 55 billion eggs during June, the same as a year ago. The total number of layers during June averaged 269 million, down three percent from a year ago. Egg production per 100 layers was 2,034 compared with 1,999 eggs in June, 1984.

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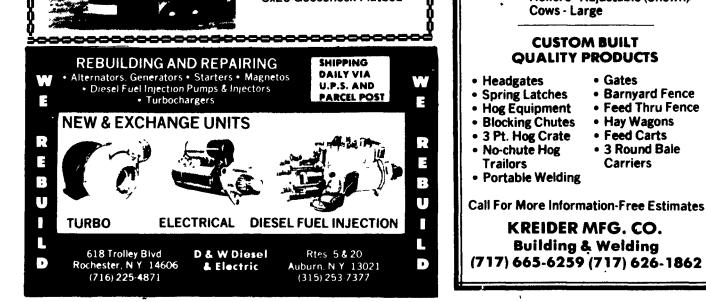
A student at Woodstown High School, Pool is the daughter of Mr and Mrs. E. Owen Pool. She is vice president of her FFA Chapter and participates on the dairy products judging team. Named the New Jersey FFA Member of the Year, she is also a member of the Varsity softball and hockey teams and is a 4-H dairy and cooking club member.

The American Institute of Cooperation, based in Washington, D.C., sponsors the National Institute on Cooperative Education to explain the role of cooperatives in today's business world. The theme for this year's conference, "Strategies for Strength," focuses on strategies planned and designed to keep cooperatives strong, efficient and innovative.



John Burket, Scott Fisher (buyer's representative), and Rich Chesney admire one of the top selling animals at the Blair County Holstein Sale. In the box are Warren Bender, pedigrees; Sheila Biddle, Blair County Dairy Princess; and Art Kling, auctioneer.





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