Del Val Dean Named to NACTA Post

DOYLESTOWN – John C. Mertz, Doylestown, was named Eastern Regional Director-elect of the National Association of Colleges and Teachers of Agriculture at the annual conference, held June 15-18 at Ridgetown College of Agricultural Technology, Ridgetown, Ontario, Canada.

Dr. Mertz is Dean of Academic Affairs at Delaware Valley College in Doylestown, where he also teaches Genetics and Biological Science. For one year, Mertz will assist current Regional Director, John Brand of the University of Connecticut, then he will serve a twoyear term in that post. As such, he is a member of the National Executive Committee of NACTA.

At the recent conference, Mertz headed the Resolutions Committee, which drafted formal action for the association, and served as chairman pro tem of the Teacher Recognitions and Awards Committee. He is now chairman of that committee.

NACTA offers 15 major awards

Youth To Attend Forestry Camp

LEBANON — Duane Sweigart, a member of the Lebanon County Wildlife Club, attended the Pennsylvania Youth Forestry Camp at Stone Valley this week. He received a scholarship sponsored by Walter H. Weaber Sons, Inc., Lebanon, and the Lebanon County 4-H Development Fund.

Youth Forestry Camp offers young people an opportunity to learn about forest resources. The camp serves as an introduction to basic forest management skills, the forest products industry and careers in the field of forest resources.

The highlight of the program is a field trip to a forest products industry and a timber harvesting operation.

Campers must have a scholarship to attend.

Lebanon 4-H Benefit Sale



Co-chairman of this year's Lebanon County 4-H Auction, Sean McKinney, left, Larry Groff, right, and Mike Firestine, seated on horse, all of Lebanon Valley National Bank, are gearing up for the annual event to be held at the Lebanon Fairgrounds July 31 at 7:30 p.m. Among the several hundred items to be sold is the standard-bred horse pictures above. The horse was donated by Reuben Stoltzfus of Myerstown. Other sale items include a John Deere pedal tractor, a 24inch circular barn fan, various hog equipment and toy implements.

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to teachers of agriculture who excell in their jobs. The Awards Committee solicits nominations and submits dossiers for consideration. Past recipients from Delaware Valley College are Dr. David Blumenfield, professor of Horticulture, and Dr. Julian Prundeanu, professor of Agronomy.

Mertz's duties over the coming three years will include developing membership in NACTA. Currently, membership totals approximately 1,100 from across North America, with 13 DelVal faculty included in that figure.

DelVal hosted the national

conference at the Bucks County campus in 1981. The June 1987 gathering will take place at the University of Missouri in Columbia.

Mertz is an alumnus of Delaward Valley College, Class of 1962. After completing doctoral studies at the University of Illinois, he returned to the College as a member of the faculty in 1967.

Lebanon Area Fair proudly features the LEBANON COUNTY 4-H AUCTION Thursday, July 31st 7:30 P.M.

And Parking ITEMS CONTRIBUTED AS OF TUESDAY, JULY 15th \$75 Gift Certificate, 1 Portable Gas Grill, 1 Case - 24 Qt. Super Prem Motor Oil, 5 - #20 Cylinder Refills (Certificates), Portable Air Compressor, 4 Garden Seeders, 12 Gal. Masonary Stain, 12 qt. Concrete Bonding, 12 Chain Saw Covers, 3 Foggers, 2 Powders, 3 Sprays, 24" Ceiling Fan, 1 Battery, Light Ham, 1 Flashlight, 1 Pr. Men's Slippers, 1 Toy Case International Tractor, 1 Basic Car Care Book, 110 Picce Rachet Set, 2 Cases of Oul, 1 - 2 Gallon Thermos, 500 lbs. Horse Feed - Will Deliver, 1 Teddy Bear, 2 Cases of Soda, 1 Jigsaw Puzzle, 2 Cans of Anti-Glare Window Tint, 1 Bible, 1 Walkman, 1 - \$10.00 Gift Certificate, Hog Equipment, 1 Certificate for a Large Bilzzard, 1 Carton of Cereal, 1 Carton of Egg Noodles, Certificate for 1 Adult, 1 Child (86 Season), 2 Hats, 1 Case of Soda, 9 Breakfast Gift Certificates, Twm Cooking Unit, 3 Gym Bags, Garden & House Plants, 1 Pr Grass Shears, 1 Pr Rose Chppers, 1 Pedal Tractor, 1 Toy Baler, 1 Toy Tractor, Certificate For 4 Green Fees/2 Carts, 10 Hats, Water Color Pantungs, 2 Tickets to Atlantic Cty, 1 Case of Figurines, 1 \$5.00 Gift Certificate, 2 Certificates - 0ii/Lube/Filter Change, Certificates - 2 House Family Dinners, 3 Ladies Wallets, 1 Uttery Set, Jeans, 1 Fire Extinguisher, 1 Truck Load of Stone (18 Ton) with free delivery in 10 mle radius of fairgrounds or \$1.00/mle over the 10 mile radius, 1 TV Video Game, 1 Tow Rope, 6 Dry Chemical Fire Extinguishers, 2 Sea Breeze Dush Sets, 2 Passes 1966 Season, 2 Baskets of Peaches, 1 Basket of Apples, Certificate for 1 Honda Jacket, 1 Gal. J Laudd Soap, 1 Can Hand Cleanser, 2 Halters, 5 Gal of Motor Oil, Mistic Tube Grease, Oil Filters, 1 Case Earthware Mugs, 1 Shovel, 1 Bag of Dog Food - Purna Dealers Pride, 1 Pair Binoculars, 1 Small Toy 5 Bottom Plow, Tul Plow - Toy, 1 \$10.00 Certificate Towards Tire Purchase, 1 Gift Certificate, 10 - \$10 O Gift Certificates, 1 Gallon Paint (Val 18 96), 1 Hunter/School Bag, 3 Hats, Driveway Sealer, 1 Gallon Windshield

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