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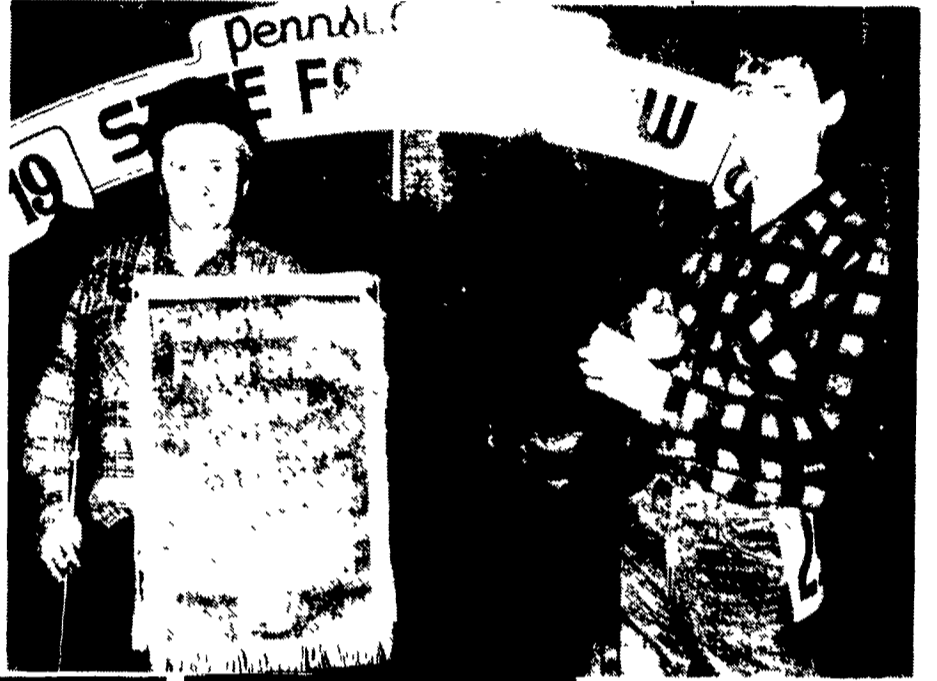
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Extravaganza Par Excellence

HARRISBURG — To a standing ovation the Governor and Ginny Thornburgh and Secretary of Agriculture Richard Grubb and his wife Barbara entered the large arena in a luxurious carriage pulled by two gleaming black draft horses to open the 71st Pennsylvania Farm Show last Sunday. From then on it was an extravaganza par excellence as hundreds of shows, events, meetings and exhibitions took center stage as the week progressed. In the center photo, Thornburgh makes it milk in front of 5,000 people.

In the holstein dairy cattle judging, Tom McCauley of Elizabethtown, Lancaster County (upper left photo) won grand champion and senior champion honors in both the open and junior shows with Queen Star Sexy. C. E. Hubert III (left) of New Cumberland, Cumberland County had the reserve champions, grand and senior in both shows with Kowraygon Creek Linnan Jean. Pennsylvania Dairy Princess Pam Kindig did the honors.

In the 4-H Baby Beel Show (upper right photo) Mike Messick, Middletown, Dauphin County won his second consecutive grand championship. Mike's father, Maylin, shared the honors in the photo.

The entire Strausbaugh family of York County shared in the excitement when nine-year old Jeff captured the champion market lamb banner. In the (center left) photo they are from left, Alicia, Chris, Jeff and Greg.

Shown in the (center right) photo is the new State Star Farmer named at the FFA convention at the Forum Auditorium, Tom Arrowsmith (right) of the Solanco FFA, Lancaster County won the top state FFA award. Making the presentation is eastern regional Vice President George Metzler.

(Above right) A new state corn record of 281.6 bushels per acre in the ear corn regular harvest class with Doebler's 75X was made by Larry Baron (third left), Luzerne County; Donna Grey (left), Linda Baron and Dr. Al Turgeon, Penn State University agronomy department head, share the photo.

(Lower left) the Pennsylvania State Poultry Queen Noel King from Adams County poses with the best large pullet at the Farm Show. This winner was shown by Behney and Miller in Myerstown.

These stories and more are waiting for you throughout this issue of Lancaster Farming. We hope you enjoy the sights as here recorded.

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