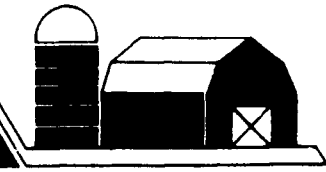


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a statewide convention of FFA members and faculty advisors. King was singled out for his continued active support of vocational agriculture programs in the state's public high schools.

King, who lives on his family's dairy farm in Schuylerville, N.Y., has four sons who have been active members of FFA.

"FFA provides an exceptional training ground for future farm leaders. The future success of our agriculture economy depends greatly on current FFA members. I'm very proud to receive this honor," King said.

ored May 14 for outstanding service by the New York State Chapter of Future Farmers of America.

The presentation took place at the Perry Central School as part of

PERRY, N.Y. — Edgar A. King, manager of cooperative development and public relations with the Regional Cooperative Marketing Agency Inc., was hon-

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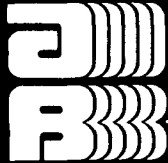
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Beef Preview And Jackpot Show Set

BY BETH GRAY

Bedford Co. Correspondent
BEDFORD — Four-H Club and FFA members from across Pennsylvania and Maryland are being invited to compete in the Beef Preview and Jackpot Show at the fairgrounds here June 25. Top honors will include \$500 for grand champion steer and \$150 for grand champion heifer.

Previously aimed at youths from the six-county central Pennsylvania area, the show "is really trying to enlarge this year," stressed Bedford County Agent Susan Fox. Last year's event drew 75 competitors. C. J. Furlong of Alum Bank RD 1 is chairman, with assistance from county 4-H leaders and FFA advisors.

Steers will be divided into classes according to hip height. Judging will be based on the prospective outcome of the steers at market readiness. The grand champion will receive, in addition to \$500, a trophy; the reserve champion will be awarded \$250 and a trophy. Five placings in each class will

receive cash prizes.

The female show will be judged by breed, with age classes designated if sufficient numbers are entered, Fox said. The reserve champion female will be awarded \$125.

Animals may be taken to the fairgrounds between 2 p.m. June 24 and 8 a.m. June 25. A clipping and fitting demonstration will be staged June 24 at 7 p.m. A dance for participants will follow in the 4-H Building on the grounds.

Cattle will be processed after 8 a.m. on June 25, with judging of females to begin at 12:30 p.m., followed by steer judging, then a fitting and showmanship contest.

Prizes are being funded by donations and a \$15 per head entry fee. Entries, which must be submitted by June 15, may be obtained by contacting the Bedford County Cooperative Extension Service, Courthouse Annex, Bedford, PA 15559; C. J. Furlong, RD 1, Alum Bank, PA 15521, or David Miller, RD 2, Bedford, PA 15522.

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WESTMINSTER, MD — Maple Lawn Farm (C. E. Iager and Son), Fulton, Maryland, had the herd with the highest average for the month of March, according to figures just released by the Carroll-Baltimore Dairy Herd Improvement Association.

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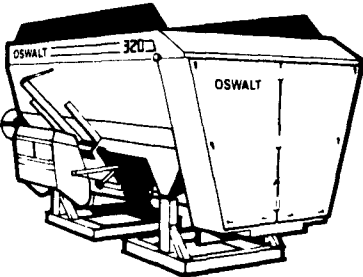
1st - Maple Lawn Farm (C. E. Iager and Son), No. Cows - 161, Milk - 20,318, Fat - 754; 2nd - Del-Myr Farm (Roger and Jeff Myers), No. Cows - 67, Milk - 20,360, Fat - 748; 3rd - Joe Schwartzbeck, No. Cows - 135, Milk - 19,599, Fat - 736; 4th - Windsor Manor Farm (Jason and Donna Myers), No. Cows - 59, Milk - 19,781, Fat - 735; 5th - D. Richard Flickinger, No. Cows - 57, Milk - 18,576, Fat - 730; 6th - Rose Croft, Ltd. (Gary Derr and Brad Garst), No. Cows - 100, Milk - 19,757, Fat - 729; 7th - Edrich Farm, No. Cows - 146, Milk - 21,189, Fat - 723; 8th - Marlin Hoff, No. Cows - 388, Milk - 19,681, Fat - 718; 9th - Robert Prigel, No. Cows - 88, Milk - 18,270, Fat - 716; 10th - Harry Roach III, No. Cows - 111, Milk - 19,089, Fat - 706.

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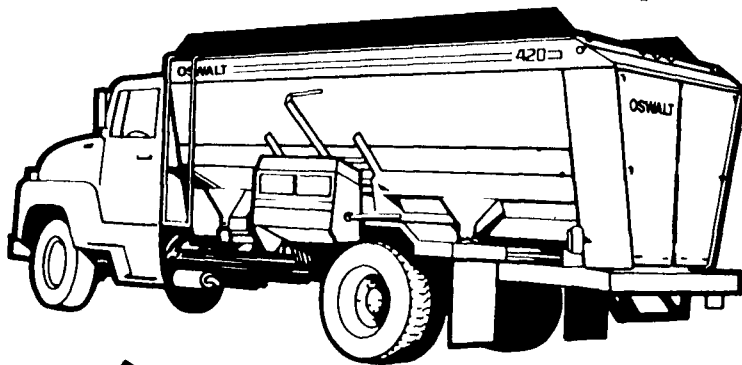
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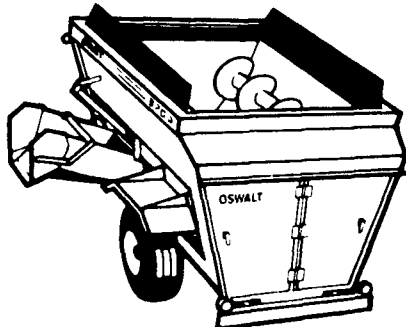
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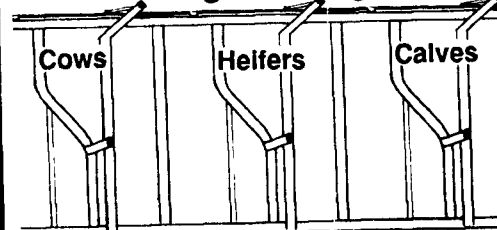
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