

Reiff, Quanbeck Take Titles At Solanco Sheep Show

BY PAT PURCELL
QUARRYVILLE (Lancaster)
 — It was a real heavyweight bout in the market lamb showing at the Solanco Fair Wednesday afternoon as the young exhibitors vied for the eye of the judge during the market lamb competition.

Debbie Seibert, vocational-agricultural teacher from Man-

hiem, judged the youth sheep show and also the fitting and showmanship competition. Seibert eyed the heavyweight market lamb animals for a long time before making her final placements.

When the sawdust settled from the parade of champions from the lightweight, middleweight and heavyweight classes, the two

heavyweight champions were center ring.

From Strasburg it was Lyndon Reiff's Hampshire wearing the he grand champion rosette. Heidi Quanbeck's Suffolk, which placed second in its class, was awarded the reserve grand championship.

Ted Herr was named champion fitter and Donna MacCauley was named champion showman.

Results of the show:

Solanco Fair Sheep Show
Champion Fitter
 Ted Herr
Reserve Champion Fitter
 Donna MacCauley
Sheep Fitting
Senior Class

1. Donna MacCauley, 2. Lyndon Reiff, Heidi Quanbeck

Junior Class

1. Ted Herr, 2. Chad Musser, 3. Lisa Reiff.

Champion Fitter

Ted Herr

Reserve Champion Fitter

Donna MacCauley

Showmanship

Champion Showman

Donna MacCauley

Reserve Champion Showman

Lisa Reiff

Senior

1. Donna MacCauley, 2. Curt Barrett, 3. Lyndon Reiff

Junior

1. Ted Herr, 2. Lisa Reiff, 3. Chad Musser



The Solanco Fair grand champion market lamb honor went to the Hampshire owned by Lyndon Reiff from Strasburg.



Heidi Quanbeck from Columbia was taken by surprise when Solanco market lamb judge, Debbie Seibert, gave her Suffolk the nod for the reserve grand champion title.

Shearing Symposium Slated

DENVER, Colo. — Nationally-known shearing and wool experts will be featured at a National Shearing Symposium to be held October 28-29 at the National Western Stock Show Grounds in Denver, Colo. The National Wool Growers Association, in cooperation with the American Sheep Producers Council, will sponsor the event under the Pack It With Pride program.

The program will feature all steps of wool production, from the proper management of sheep for clean, quality fleeces, through shearing techniques, wool preparation, grading and packaging. Topics will also include shearing facilities, wool core testing and

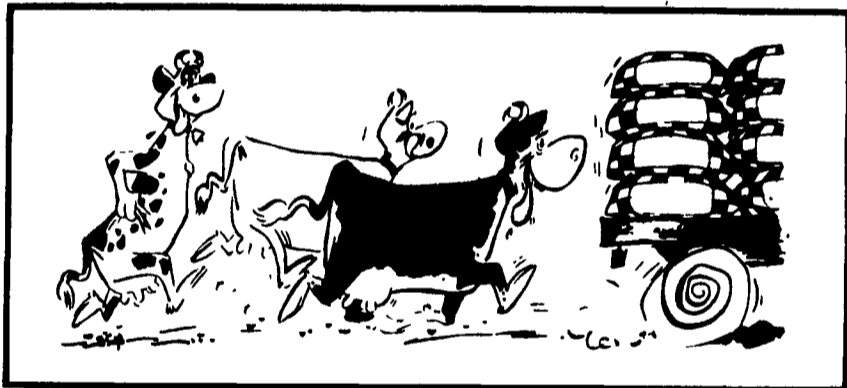
objective measure, contracting for shearers and the problems, future and marketing of American wool.

Speakers include advanced shearers, shearing contractors, wool warehouse managers and extension personnel. A trade show will feature major manufacturers of shearing and wool equipment, bringing the newest and best of equipment and supplies for wool growers.

A \$50 registration fee will cover meals during the symposium and a copy of the proceedings. Registration forms are available through the NWGA, 10 Lakeside Lane, Suite 200, Denver, CO 80212; (303) 455-0991.

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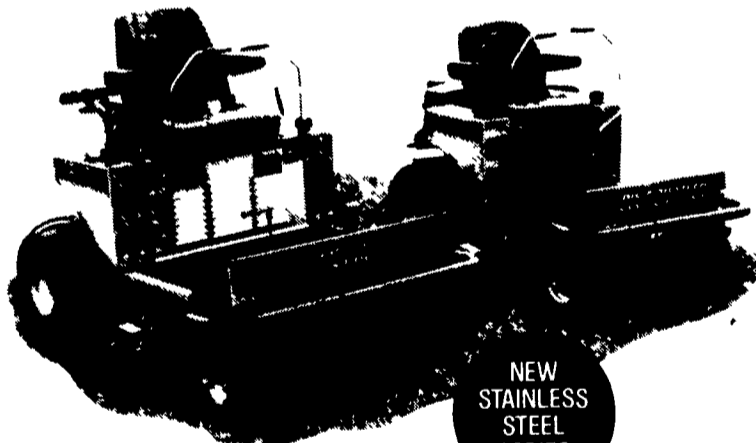
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