



Darren Stoner, of Stoner's Hi-Jos in Mercersburg, Pennsylvania (center), was the winner of a registered Holstein heifer calf and \$50 at the Franklin County Dairy Day. Pictured left to right: Ed Meyers of Meyers Brothers Dairy, Darren Stoner, and Robert Meyers, Jr., of Meyers Brothers.

York Farm Credit Awards Calf

YORK (York Co.) — York Farm Credit, ACA showed its appreciation to all Franklin County dairy farmers by giving away a registered Holstein heifer calf plus \$50 at the recently held Franklin County extension Dairy Day.

Darren Stoner, of Stoner's Hi-Jos, in Mercersburg, Pennsylvania, was chosen the winner of the calf among 250 dairy farmers in attendance.

The calf was purchased by Farm Credit from Meyers Brothers Dairy, a well-known St. Thomas dairy farm.

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Improved Identification Of Bull

DEFOREST, Wis.— To increase accuracy of bull I.D. verification and to assist inseminators with recording the information after insemination is complete, American Breeders Service is now preparing all semen straws on a new jet printer.

With this new equipment, all bull information is printed on one line.

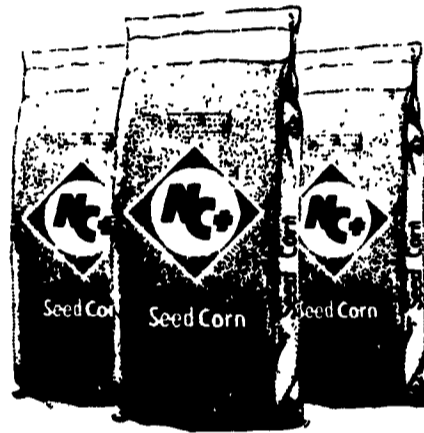
"There are two main advantages to the new jet-printed

straws," said Bill Murphy, manager of labs. "With all information on a single line, the inseminator no longer needs to twist and turn the straw to find the information necessary for good record keeping. The information is also easier to read through the used sheath and/or sleeve."

In addition, the two most important pieces of information for an inseminator, the bull code and collection numbers, are now together at the top of the straw.



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