Wayne County DHIA Votes On Merger



Standing in the center, Jim Woodmansee Sr., of Jericho Dairy, Lake Como, receives an award for having the cow with the highest lifetime butterfat production among Wayne County DHIA members. Presenting the award are Ellis Dix, left, and Dave Soden.

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HONESDALE (Wayne Co.)-The 64th Annual Meeting of the



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ULTRAFLO OUT-PERFORMS CHAIN 45 Million Birds In 5 Years Prove It

Chore-Time's ULTRAFLO[®] feeder for layers, pullets and breeders

We have probably been too modest up to now about the merits of our new generation ULTRAFLO® cage feeder vs. the old style chain feeders some of our competitors are still trying to sell you. In fact, the only negative comments about our feeder come from our competition, not our customers. So we would like to point out the bare facts:

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FEED SAVINGS: On-farm results show a feed savings of $\frac{1}{2}$ Ib. per 100 birds per day – over \$10,000 per year savings on a 100,000-bird house. Year after year

TROUBLE-FREE DESIGN: Our feeder has only two moving parts - the one-piece auger plus each drive wheel; their chain has more. Our corners are heavy 12 ga. zinc plated tubing for long life; their corners have a reputation for trouble and short life. PROVEN DESIGN: Over 45 million birds are already on our feeder worldwide. Also, it was proven in 5 years of on-farm testing before introduction.

EASY ADAPTABILITY: Ours adapts easily to existing cage systems you may already have. Or choose from our wide selection of cage styles.

5-YEAR WARRANTY: Ours gives you a 5-year warranty on auger and trough. Theirs doesn't. In fact, their dealers derive a large percentage of their income from parts sales Ours don't.

MICROPROCESSOR CONTROL: Our control lets you program feeding time to the second, to match the exact time of one circuit. Control number of feedings, time of each feeding - also 10-second "Stimulation Cycles" between feedings, to minimize separation, and improve vour birds' feed intake.



HI-GRADING OF FEED: Our auger travels at 80 FPM so birds are limited from eating until it stops; birds will hi-grade feed from chain feeders, causing uneven nutrition.

REMIXING FEED: Our auger slowly revolves, remixing old and new feed; theirs leaves most old feed to get stale.

amounts of energy costs since it's easier to propel and runs only half as long as theirs.

Wayne County Dairy Herd Improvement Association (DHIA) was held recently at the Fireside Restaurant with approximately 100 people in attendance.

One of the highlights of this meeting was the announcement and presentation of awards for the 1989-1990 Wayne County DHIA testing year.

High herd award for milk, butterfat and protein production went to Kevin and Gerarda Burleigh, R.D. 1 Pleasant Mount. The herd of 46 Registered Holsteins produced an average of 21,584 pounds of milk, 779 pounds of butterfat and 700 pounds of protein per cow for the 1989-1990 testing year.

Other herds that averaged 750 pounds of butterfat and/or 650 pounds or more of protein were:

• Charles P. Dennis Jr., Honesdale - 54 registered and grade Holsteins that produced an average of 20,709 pounds of milk, 762 pounds of butterfat and 686 pounds of protein per cow.

• Rowe Brothers, Honesdale -97 Registered Holsteins that produced an average of 18,603 pounds of milk, 766 pounds of butterfat and 593 pounds of protein per cow.

Other production awards included:

High Cow for Milk Production-"Edith", 29,345 pounds of milk, owned by Paul Harrison and Sons, Moscow.

High Cow for Butterfat Production- "Venus", 1,065 pounds of butterfat, owned by Rowe Brothers, Honesdale.

High Cow for Protein Production - "Audrey", 960 pounds of protein, owned by Charles P. Dennis Jr., Honesdale.

High Lifetime Cow for Milk Production - "Terry", 14 lactations, 238,757 pounds of milk, owned by D. Ellis Dix, Pleasant Mount.

High Lifetime Cow for Butterfat Production - "Liza", 10 lactations, 9,349 pounds of butterfat, owned by Jericho Dairy, Lake Como.

High Lifetime Cow for Protein Production - "Salina", 9 lactations, 5,403 pounds of protein, owned by Clearfield Farms, Honesdale.

High Quality Milk Award -James Slocum, Susquehanna, with (Turn to Page A39)

