

Grain Breakfast

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the tick usually is found on leaf litter or low branches in brushy, wooded areas. Jacobs says people should watch out for these ticks, but they shouldn't be afraid to go out and enjoy their parks and outdoor facilities this summer.

Lyme disease can cause a variety of symptoms, including rash, fever, stiff neck, muscle aches and headaches.

Left untreated, victims can suffer facial palsy, arthritis and even paralysis.

The disease can be treated successfully with antibiotics. Forty percent of reported Lyme disease occur in children under the age of nine, according to Jacobs.

There are several steps you can take to reduce your risk of coming into contact with a deer tick.

If you are planning to be in an area where ticks might live, Jacobs recommends that you wear light-colored clothing so you can more easily detect the dark-colored tick.

Wear long pants tucked into socks and use tick repellent on your skin and clothes.

Inspecting your clothes and body carefully when you go back inside is a final precaution.

Jacobs also advises pet owners

to inspect their animals if they have been in a high-risk area. On dogs and cats, ticks often are found around the face and ears. Many shampoos, sprays and dusts are available to eliminate ticks on pets.

Tick collars are less effective, but are helpful as a repellent.

If you find a tick on a person or animal, remove it by carefully grasping it at the mouthparts with a pair of fine point forceps and firmly pulling it off.

You can minimize the risk of Lyme disease at home by making an inhospitable habitat for ticks and their hosts. Clear as much brush and high grass as possible, remove wood and brush piles where mice and other tick hosts might nest and, if practical, increase the distance from your house to the interface between your yard and woods.

Several pesticides are available to eliminate ticks. Follow label instructions carefully when using chemicals.

How do you find out if deer ticks are prevalent in your area? Jacobs says you can call your local health department and ask whether any cases of Lyme disease have been reported locally.

There are a couple of ways you

30 YEARS AGO THIS WEEK

-Nestled along the east bank of the Conestoga Creek just south of Millersville is the 120 acre farm operated by Mr. Jay Landis and their three sons.

The farmstead, almost hidden from traffic on Wabank Road, is

can check for ticks on your property.

Jacobs recommends "flagging" or "dragging", both of which involve attaching a piece of light-colored cloth to a 40-inch length of broomstick and rubbing it across brush or high grass, checking for ticks every 30 to 45 seconds.

Take any tick you find, dead or alive, to the Penn State Cooperative Extension Office in your county for identification.

Penn State's College of Agriculture offers a video on Lyme disease titled "Outsmarting the Deer Tick". For more information on the video and other Lyme disease topics, contact your county extension office.

neat, clean and well care for. Buildings in excellent repair and painted a gleaming white are set off by well trimmed lawns and carefully pruned shrubbery.

As you drive toward the picturesque farmstead, you think this must be a show place where most of the time is spent keeping the grounds in order, but you soon find out this is a real dairy farm.

With corn planted and first cutting of hay made, Jay Landis, president of the Red Rose Dairy Herd Improvement Association, took a breather this week to show us around his barn and grounds. All the work is done by Mr. and Mrs. Landis with an occasional assist from a 17 year-old neighbor student. The three Landis sons are eight, five and two years old.

-Clarence Bauman, president of the Lancaster County chapter as well as the Garden Spot Chapter Future Farmers of America, was named county winner in the statewide Production Credit and National Farm Loan records con-

test Monday by James C. Fink, state FFA adviser.

The contest is based on the farming program evaluation and is judged on farm finance and production records.

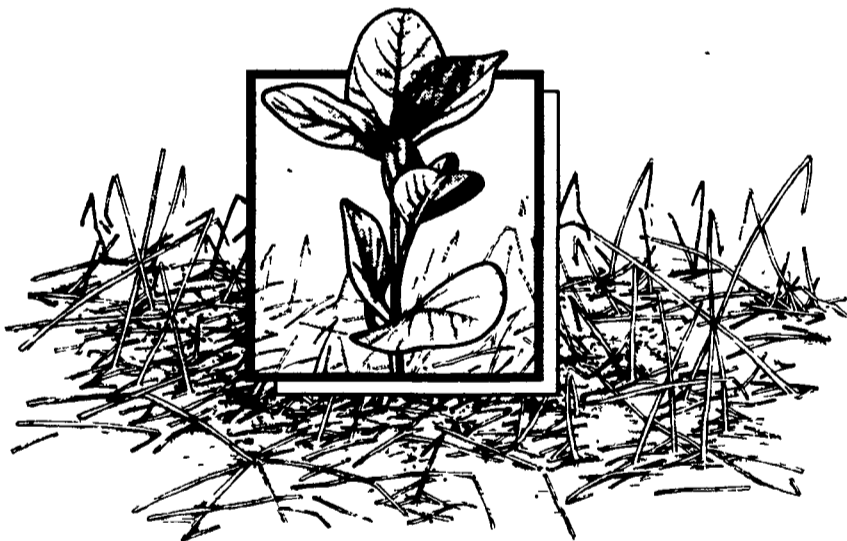
State winner was Larry Herr of South Lebanon High School. The Lancaster District winner was Ronald Buffington of Upper Dauphin school. Bauman, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Bauman, Lancaster R7 and a student of Lampeter-Strasburg High School, received a \$5 award.

-Corn is up on most Lancaster County farms, but the color is poor. Most farmers feel that the light color is due to the cool temperatures and will be overcome with a few days of warm weather. Some fields have been given first cultivations.

Hay and silage making is well under way in the Garden Spot with many farmers, who did not spray alfalfa fields last fall, trying to salvage the crop without spraying.

Fragmentary reports of low temperatures on the mornings of May 30 and 31 indicate possible freeze damage to fruit and vegetable crops in northwestern and north central counties, the Pennsylvania Crop Reporting Service said this week.

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