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Paul King is the newest inductee to the York County Holstein Hall of Fame. King and his wife Kathy spoke at the group's annual meeting about their volunteer work with the New Tribes mission organization.

Paul King Honored To York Holstein Hall Of Fame

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WINTERSTOWN (York Co.) — York County Holstein breeders have honored Paul King by inducting him into the association's Hall of Fame.

King's addition to the York County Holstein Hall of Fame capped the group's annual meeting, held last week at the Winter-

stown Fire Hall. Awarding of the honor followed a slide program presentation by Paul and Kathy King on mission work they took part in earlier this year.

Born in Damascus, Maryland, Paul grew up on the Lesley King and Sons Kingstead Farms. He and Kathy moved their family and herd to the Delta area of York County in 1968, after dairying on

their own in Maryland for seven years.

The Kingway herd was well-known on the local and state show circuit, winning numerous local championships and honors at York shows, and several premier breeder awards at Pennsylvania Farm Show. Kingway also exhibited at the Pennsylvania All-

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Mercner, Bair To Lead State Council

STATE COLLEGE (Centre Co.) — Carol Mercner, Director of Member and Public Relations at Keystone Farm Credit, was recently elected as President of the Pennsylvania Council of Cooperatives. Also newly elected to the Executive Committee is N. Alan Bair, Director of Member and Public Relations for Atlantic

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The Farm Family of the Year Award belongs to the Bill Ammon Family. In the photo, left to right, Bill, Helen, Mike, and Christine Ammon.

Ammon Family Receives Mifflin County Award

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REEDSVILLE (Mifflin Co.) — People like quotes. And everyone has a favorite saying. So when David Schaffer, district conservationist for the Soil Conservation Service, presented his half of "A View of Conservation Activities in Mifflin County" at the joint agricultural banquet held at the Came-

lot Country Restaurant in Reedsville, he couldn't help sharing some of his favorites.

All could relate to Franklin D. Roosevelt's quotes "The nation that destroy's its soil, destroys itself" and "The history of every nation is written in the way it cares for its soil."

The purpose of the banquet was to have Schaffer, along with Harriet Rishel, district manager for the Mifflin County Conservation District, explain the services and duties of the different organizations.

Through slides, those attending the banquet saw, over the years, accomplishments by these associations in conserving Mifflin County's invaluable soil. Schaffer's slides demonstrated before and after effects of soil conserva-

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Year-End DHIA Production Records Released

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STATE COLLEGE (Centre Co.)—Richlawn Sarah Transformer Stella, Ex 91, was reported the highest producer of milk in a lactation in Pennsylvania for the 1991 year ending in September. Owned by Smysers Richlawn Farms in York County, Stella was milked two times per day and had a high of 192 lbs. of milk per day. When her 7y11m lactation was completed, she had the state record of 41,195m 1155f 1189p.

The year-end lactation reports were released this week from the State DHIA office.

Robert and Rodney Smyther run the Richlawn farm. They lead feed the dry cows 7 to 10 days before calving and challenge feed their

cows in early lactation to obtain as high a peak production as possible. Corn silage and haylage are used as roughages. But Robert said it takes all the good management practices together to get a cow to produce at this high level.

The only other two cows over 40,000lbs. of milk were also in the Richlawn herd. Doreen had 40,393lbs. and Fond had 40,026lbs.

A Berks County Holstein had the top protein and fat records in the state. Three-year-old Plushanski Mark Fife ET produced 37,210m 3.5% 1303p 4.5% 1688f for Plushanski Farms at Kutztown in Berks County. A Chief Mark daughter, Fife, VG87, is at Select Embroes in Ohio for flushing. Fife is also No. 5 on the national CTPI list. Four brothers, Clyde, Charles,

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Carol Mercner

Keystone Farm Hosts Governor Casey

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EASTON (Northampton Co.) — Keystone Farm Credit hosted Governor Robert Casey here last Friday. This is the second big event this month that Donald V. Seipt has experienced — the first was receiving the 1991 World Dairy Expo Dairyman of the Year Award in Madison, Wis. The Governor and Mrs. Casey

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When asked to pose for pictures with Keystone Mark Lisa EX92 during a recent tour of Keystone Dairy Farm, Governor Robert Casey quipped, "I don't mind, if the cow doesn't." In the photo, left to right, Casey; Boyd Wolff, state ag secretary; and Donald Seipt, farm owner.

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Standard Time Returns Sunday

This week it's time again to return to Eastern Standard Time from the daylight-saving time in effect throughout the summer months. The exact time for this to happen is 2 a.m. on Sunday morning October 27. So, remember to turn your clocks back one hour before you go to bed on Saturday night.