

Indiana Livestock

Homer City, PA

Thursday, February 11, 1993

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CATTLE 205. STEERS: HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 81.00, CHOICE 78.40-79.50, SELECT 72.00-75.00, SELECT & CHOICE HOLSTEINS 69.00. HEIFERS. CHOICE 82.50, SELECT 79.00-87.00.

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BULLOCKS: CHOICE 72.00, SELECT 64.50.

BULLS: YIELD GRADE NO. 1 59.00-62.00.

FEEDER CALVES: FRAMES: SMALL 91.00, MEDIUM 75.00, LARGE 84.00.

CALVES: 120. CHOICE 92.00, GOOD 85.00-90.00, STANDARD & GOOD 50 LBS. 45.00, 70 LBS. 65.00, HOLSTEIN BULLS #1 100-120 LBS. 192.00, #2 90-110 LBS. 160.00-185.00, HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 100 LBS. 170.00.

HOGS 180. B&G US NO. 1-2 240 LBS. 44.60, US NO. 1-2 220-250 LBS. 42.00-43.50, SOWS US NO. 1-3 350 LBS. 34.00-36.50, BOARS 31.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 14. US NO. 1-3, 35-50 LBS. 28.00 PER HEAD.

SHEEP: 12. H. CHOICE 110 LBS. 74.00.

GOATS: 77. LARGE 75.00, MEDIUM 50.00, SMALL 35.00.

Atlantic Locals Hear Quality Rules Discussed

EVERETT NEWSWANGER

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— An official of Atlantic Dairy Cooperative (ADC) told dairy farmers they must always keep in mind that they are producing a food for consumption and suggested that they not put milk in the tank from which they would not want their family to drink.

Don Breiner, field and lab services manager, was the featured speaker at the ADC dinner meeting Thursday for the Donegal and Lititz locals. Breiner enumerated various points that can cause large deductions in score on the farm sanitary inspection program. Since everyone in a bulk tank unit loses certification if individual farms draw down the total score, it is imperative that every farm meet the standards.

Items on the score sheet in which dairy persons can lose a large number of points include:

- The milk house. If the milk house is not clean and neat, it is a reflection on the total operation.
- The milking equipment. Everything milk touches must be squeaky clean. Equipment must be



Awards were presented by Rhelda Royer, director. In the photo from left, Amos Conley and Earl Landis, quality awards; Royer; and John B. Groff, 25 Year Award.

smooth and sanitized. You can't sanitize a rough surface; therefore, you lose 10 points just on these two items.

• Cows must have clean flanks and udders. You can't produce clean milk any other way.

• Medicines must be properly labeled and properly stored. Many of the requirements are consumer-driven.

"Many people feel that a number of items on the inspection sheet have very little or nothing to do

with producing milk, and therefore should not be included in an inspection, rating, or spot-check," Breiner said. "But producing milk does not only include the quality of the milk produced. Conditions in

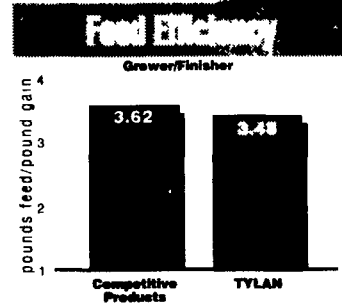
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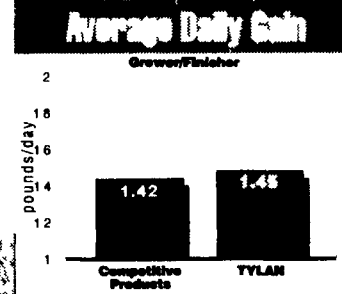
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1990s On-farm demos

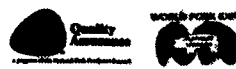


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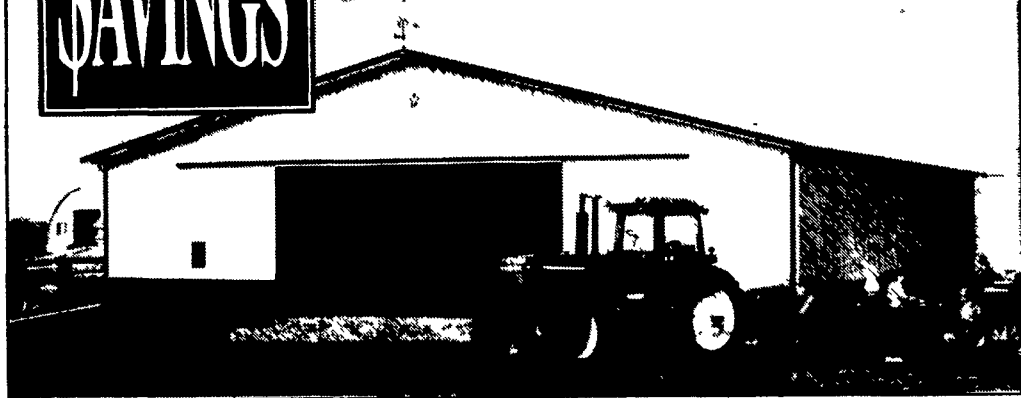
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