

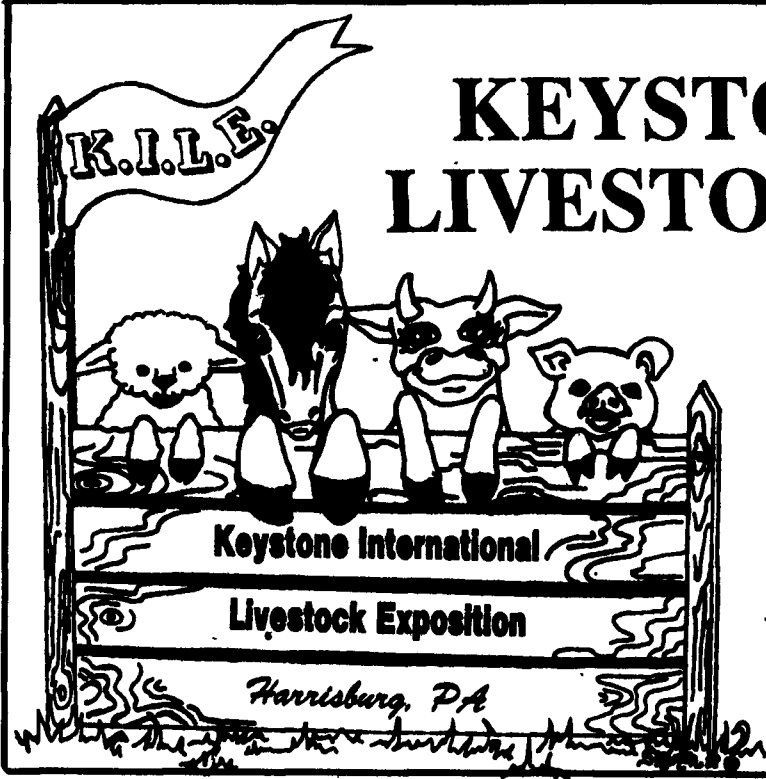
KEYSTONE INTERNATIONAL LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION NEWS

FARM SHOW COMPLEX, HARRISBURG, PA

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KILE Qualifies For North American Six-Horse Classic Series

HARRISBURG (Dauphin Co.) — In 1993, over 200 six-horse hitchers were entered in the 45 qualifying shows across the United States and Canada. The Keystone International Livestock Exhibition is again a qualifying show for the 1993 year. Prize money will be awarded at the KILE Show.

The North American Six-Horse Hitch Classic Series is the ultimate driving event in the heavy horse world. The Keystone International Livestock Exposition has been chosen as one of 45 recognized Qualifying shows on the Classic Series Show circuit. Each year all across America, six-horse hitches perform at state fairs and agricultur-

al exhibitions to accumulate points for their region and beyond competing at Qualifying Shows spread across Canada and the United States. The competition builds to a climax at the end of the year when the high-point hitchers are invited to compete in the final competition, the Classic Series. The winner of the Classic Series All Breed Trophy is considered by many to be the best six-horse hitch in the world.

The stated goals for the Classic Series are "to increase the number of draft hitches on the show circuit" and to "increase public awareness of the sport of driving heavies, thereby expanding development of the draft breed industry". Thirteen Six-Horse Hitches will be in the ring at one time for the competition.

The Hitches competing include: Pennwood Percherons of PA, Live Oak Planation Clydesdales of FLA, John Schwab of PA, Ro-Lin-On Clydesdales of PA, Grandview Clydesdales of PA, Grandview Clydesdales of IN, Richard Bartlett of NY, Aaron Lundy of NY, Rovenolt's Stables of PA, Sterling Farms of MI, J.P. Farm of IL, and the sport of driving draft horses is continuing to grow and find favor with audiences across the continent. The Classic Series competition offers incentives for exhibitors and encourage breeders of quality hitch horses.

The stylish driving horses seen in the ring today are the result of countless hours of preparation and care that culminate in the brilliant performances you will witness during this Classic Series Qualifying Show Competition.

The real winner of the Classic Six-Horse Hitch Series is the spectator. The show will be held on Saturday evening, October 2, 1993 in the large arean of the Farm Show Complex. The competition will be held in conjunction with the popular "Challenge of the Breeds" Competition. A total of 325 draft horses are entered.

The Keystone International Livestock Exposition will be held September 30-October 4, at the Farm Show Complex in Harrisburg, PA.



John Cole's Pennwoods Percherons demonstrate the six-horse hitch. The North American classic series is part of KILE.

Denlinger Named To Livestock Hall Of Fame

HARRISBURG (Dauphin Co.) — In a ceremony at the 37th annual Keystone International Livestock Exposition (KILE), Dr. Everett Denlinger, a lifetime resident of Lancaster County, who devoted a lifetime of service to Animal Agriculture in Pennsylvania, will be named 1993 Livestock Man of the Year and his picture will be hung in the Livestock Hall of Fame. The public is invited to honor Dr. Denlinger at a ceremony at 4:00 in the Small Arena of the Farm Show Complex.

Dr. Denlinger was born on a farm in Kinzer in 1915. He married Martha A. Wenger in 1937 and they have one daughter, Linda Lee. He received his pre-veterinary training at Franklin and Marshall and received a degree in veterinary medicine from the University of Pennsylvania in 1947. Upon graduation, he worked for a time at Southeastern Artificial Breeders Association (now Atlantic Breeders Coop). He established a large animal practice in 1949 and served the livestock industry of Lancaster County until 1967. In 1968, Dr. Denlinger joined the Bureau of Animal Industry. In 1972, he was appointed Chief of the Bureau, where he instituted many programs including Equine Infectious Anemia testing and Hog Cholera Free Status for the Commonwealth. Through his efforts, the Poultry Health Division of the Bureau was established.

He has been a member of the United States Animal Health Association, Northeastern United States Animal Health Association, Pennsylvania Equine Council, Pen-

sylvania Mastitis Council, Health Committee for the Farm Show, Pennsylvania how Cholera Advisors Council, State Salmonella Committee, Pennsylvania Livestock Association, Pennsylvania Cattlemans Association and Pennsylvania Beef Council.

Dr. Denlinger has previously been recognized for his achievements by the Pennsylvania Veterinary Medical Association. The Pennsylvania Pork Council, The Pennsylvania Dairy & Allied Industries Association and the Pennsylvania Cattlemans Association.

He has been involved with the Pennsylvania Livestock Association since the early 60's. He has served the association in many leadership roles. He has served as "Sunday" Chairman of the Food Booth at the Farm Show for many years and most recently has been chairman of the Animal Health Committee and active on the Board of Directors.

Dr. Denlinger is presently employed on a part-time basis at the Penn National Race Track as State Veterinarian.

According to Pete Krall, Chairman of the PLA Selection committee, criteria for this prestigious award are:

A person's contribution to the livestock industry in general and how the nominee has contributed to the Pennsylvania Livestock Association. Involvement of the individual in his community also plays a key role in the selection process.

The award presentation will take place during the Opening Ceremonies on Thursday, September 30, 1993.



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