

# Dairy Royalty Assume Responsibilities Across The State

## Clearfield County Dairy Princess

**LOU ANN GOOD**  
Lancaster Farming Staff

**BRISBIN** (Clearfield Co.) — Clearfield County Dairy Princess Haley Sankey served as a dairy maid in 1987. She enjoyed promoting the dairy industry, so this year she returned as a contestant for the county dairy princess title on June 25.

Haley said that her aunt influenced her to become active in the dairy industry.

A senior at Moshannon Valley

High School, Haley participates in the ecology club, student council, Tri-M, and is a drum major. She is a lay leader at her church.

After graduation, Haley plans to attend college to study environmental engineering.

Haley is the daughter of Barbara and Ricky Sankey.

Alternate Kimberly Ann Turik will assist Haley in promotional duties. Kim is a junior at Lock Haven College where she is majoring in animal science.

Kim is a 4-H leader volunteer, a Bible School teacher. She works part time at a fast food restaurant and milks cows on a friend's farm.

Kim's parents are Patricia and David Turik of Drifting.



Yvonne Remick  
Elk Co. Dairy Princess

## Elk County Dairy Princess

**ST. MARY'S** (Elk Co.) — Yvonne Remick wears the Elk County Dairy Princess crown. The 17-year-old is the daughter of Marvin and Bethann Remick.

Although Yvonne doesn't live on a farm, she spends many hours at her aunt and uncle's V-Bell Farm.

Yvonne is a recent graduate of St. Mary's High School, where she

was active in band, chorus, and prom committee. She works as an office worker and candy striper, but plans to enter Edinboro College in the fall to pursue degrees in special education and psychology.

She is active in sewing, cooking, and wildlife 4-H clubs and is a member of the 4-H County Council and a state award winner.

## Crawford County Dairy Princess

**COCHRANTON** (Crawford Co.) — Seventeen-year-old Jamie Rynd wears the Crawford County Dairy Princess crown.

She helps her dad, James Rynd, on his 350-acre farm that has been in the family for more than 200 years.

It's her responsibility to help milk 80 Holsteins every Sunday

and whenever needed on other days.

A senior at Cochran High School, Jamie is captain of the football cheerleading squad and a member of student council. She is secretary of her 4-H club. After high school graduation, Jamie has her sights set on becoming a

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Clearfield County Dairy Princess Haley Sankey, right, with Alternate Kimberly Ann Turik.

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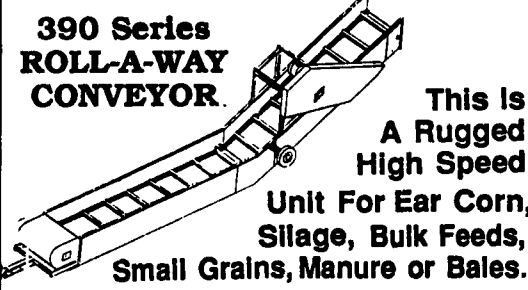


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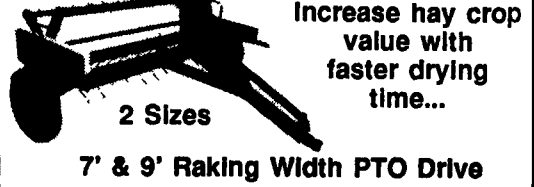


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