

# Youth Livestock Sale Well-Supported

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**LAMPETER** (Lancaster Co.) — The youth livestock sale last Friday night at the Lampeter Fair was well-supported by many of the area's businesses.  
 In the steer sale, H. C. Reineer,

Strasburg, purchased Dale Livengood's champion 4-H steer for \$5.00 per pound or a total of \$6,190 on the 1238 pound steer.  
 Willow Valley Restaurant and Convention Center, Lancaster, purchased Melissa McCardell's champion FFA steer for \$3.25 per

pound or \$4,218.50 total for the 1298 pound steer.  
 Hoss' Steak and Sea House bought two steers and donated them back to be resold. Hoss' gave \$1.05 for Delvin Kropf's 1,204 pound steer that was resold to King's Butcher Shop, Ronks, for \$.90 or a total of \$1,083.60 for the travel fund for the Lancaster County livestock judging team. And Hoss' bought Jason Reifsnnyder's 1,260 pound steer for \$.84 that was resold to Rep. John Barley for \$.64 for a total of \$806.40 to go to the County FFA Fund.

In the hog sale, Hoss' Steak and Sea House bought Allison Hughes' 4-H champion for \$3.30 per pound for a total of \$864.60 on the 262 pound hog.

Hess Catering, Willow Street, purchased Clinton Frey's 250 pound champion FFA hog for \$2.75 per pound or a total of \$687.50.

In the market lamb sale, Tiffany Dean sold her champion 4-H lamb that weighed 116 pounds to Weaver Insurance, Quarryville, for \$3.25 per pound or a total of \$377.

Welkcrest Holsteins, Strasburg, bought Vince Metzler's 119 pound champion FFA lamb for \$1.75 or a total of \$208.25.

Later in the sale, CoreStates Bank, Lancaster, bought April Leaman's 116 pound lamb for \$2.00 per pound for a total of \$232 and donated the lamb for the Red Rose 4-H livestock banquet.

Also Bud Dean bought Allison Hughes lamb for \$1.90 per pound and donated it back to be resold for the County livestock judging team's travel expense and Dr. Darcy Stolz, Strasburg bought the lamb for \$1.85 or \$196.10 credited to the fund.

## Old-Time Hay Machinery Focus Of Show

ARCADIA, Md. — Hay tools and equipment became the focus of the 40th annual Maryland Steam Historical Society Show held here recently, with the theme, "Make Hay While The Sun Shines."

This year's show had the "finest collection of hay tools and equipment ever assembled anywhere," said Robert Rauhauser, hay tool collector from Thomasville, Pa.

Rauhauser said the show experience was "like stepping back in time" and featured a variety of tools. They ranged from a hand-operated hay press to a one-horse sweep hay press to a stationary baler to a kicker baler to a large round baler.

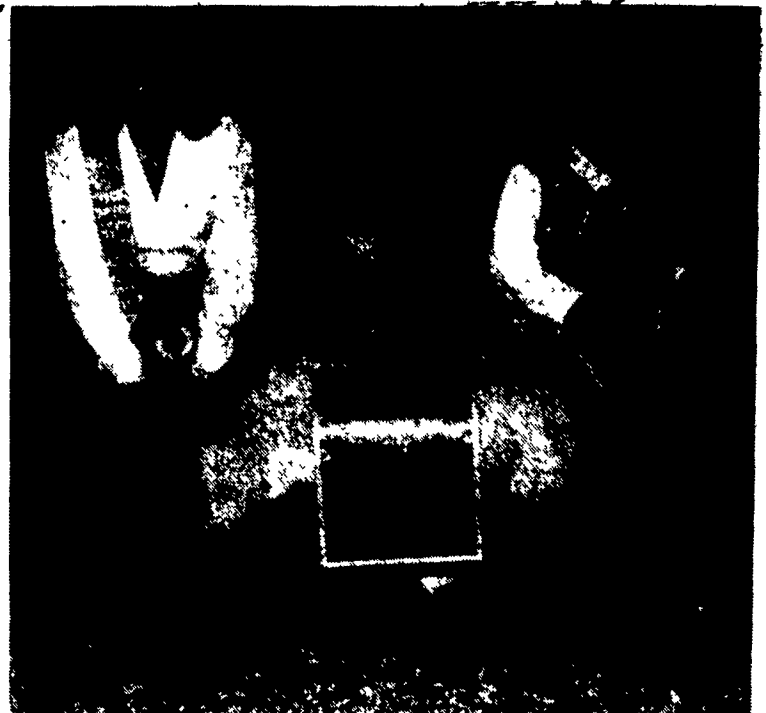
Included were a collection of haymow forks, hay track carriers (some made that didn't have four wheels and slid on a wooden track), hay knives, safety grapples, swivel rope hooks, a hay load binder, and other items.

There were more than 20 collectors displaying from Maryland, West Virginia, Virginia, and Pennsylvania.

One exhibitor, Olin Pryor, Martinsburg, W.Va., is the owner of a one-horse sweep hay press on display. Rauhauser, Thomasville, Pa., believes his own hand-operated hay press was manufactured before the Civil War.

Robert Schwab, Hagerstown Md., and Earl Rohrbaugh, Glen Rock, Pa., enjoyed showing and explaining how their mower knife grinders worked.

Rauhauser said, "I like to listen



Carol Young, Weaver's Insurance, Quarryville, bought Tiffany Dean's champion 4-H market lamb. Shannon Noecker, fair queen presented awards.



Les Carnation, Willow Valley Restaurant, purchased Melissa McCardell's champion FFA steer. Shannon Noecker, fair queen, presented awards.



Floyd Hess, Hess' Catering, Willow Street, bought Clinton Frey's champion FFA hog. Shannon Noecker, fair queen, presented awards.



Matt Welk, Welkcrest Holsteins, Strasburg, center, bought Vince Metzler's FFA champion market lamb. Shannon Noecker, fair queen presented the award.



Dale Livengood's champion 4-H steer was sold to H. C. Reineer, Strasburg.



From left, Shannon Noecker, fair queen, and Craig Campbell, Eric Lindberg, and John Tomlinson, all from Hoss' Steak and Sea House, bought Allison Hughes champion 4-H market lamb.

to all the old timers about their haying experiences. Most were hardships that happened because making hay was the hardest, hottest, dirtiest job on the farm back in those days."

Most enjoyable was listening to stories and sharing a few good laughs about the trouble and hard work making hay used to be,

according to Rauhauser.

Next year, the Maryland Steam Historical Society will be featuring the dairy business. Anyone collection dairy items such as milking machines, cream separators, milk stools, cow and calf items, bull leads and blinders, milk bottles, and other items should contact Herb Wessel, Hamstead, Md., (410) 374-2273.

