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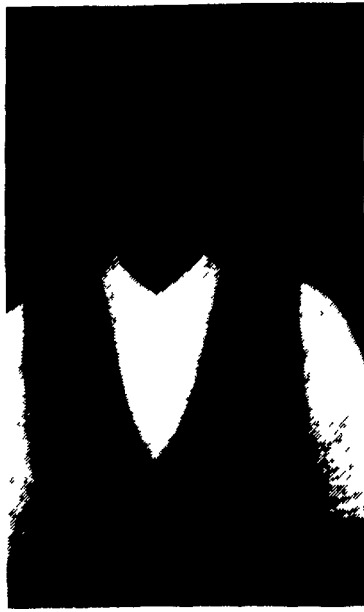
STATE COLLEGE (Centre Co.) — Recently Theresa Shick of Brookville was hired by Pa. DHIA to serve membership throughout the Clarion, Jefferson, Clearfield and Venango county areas.

Theresa is responsible for 32 herds which consists of 1,900 cows. In the past, Theresa has worked as a herdsman on two different dairy farms which included her family farm.

Flexibility of scheduling and visiting with dairymen are two attributes that she likes most about the job of a technician.

Some hobbies enjoyed by Theresa include training and showing dogs and horses.

Please feel free to contact Pa. DHIA at 1-800-344-8378 if we can assist with your dairy operation.



Theresa Shick



Susan Lander

Lander Is Franklin County Tech

STATE COLLEGE (Centre Co.) — Susan Lander of Mercersburg recently began servicing herds for Pa. DHIA in the Franklin County area.

Sue worked as a herdsman for over 2 1/2 years upon completion of high school and attending Wilson College.

Sue's circuit consists of 18 herds. In the future she plans on building up the number of herds. "Working closely with dairymen to improve milk production and improve the dairy herd as a whole," Sue said, is what she enjoys most about her job.

Some hobbies enjoyed by Sue are biking, camping, gardening and hiking.

The staff at Pa. DHIA would like to invite the dairy industry in welcoming Sue aboard as part of the team at Pa. DHIA.

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David A. Bigelow,
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Pa.DHIA Plans For Events

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STATE COLLEGE (Centre Co.) — On July 16 the Pa. DHIA field staff met in the Holiday Inn at State College to plan for upcoming events such as Empire Farm Days, Ag Progress Days and the fall technicians' conferences.

It was decided to put booths at both the upcoming trade shows, Empire Farm Days and Ag Progress Days. Emphasis will be placed on marketing the three major departments, field service, laboratory service and processing service.

These services make Pa. DHIA unique in the fact that it makes the cooperative the only stand-alone service in the country that offers all three services under one roof. This allows for better communication and quicker service to the membership.

This year's fall technicians' conferences will be held in State College Oct. 14-18, at the Days Inn, State College.

Each of the five separate region

technicians will be required to attend the conferences on an appointed day that week.

An agenda is being prepared at this time.

These conferences are being held in order to conform with quality certification through National DHIA which requires education of employees. The fall conference allows time for each technician to receive the yearly competency exam.

Pa. DHIA continues to serve membership in Pennsylvania, New York, New Jersey, Maryland, West Virginia and Missouri. Please feel free to contact Pa. DHIA at 1-800-344-8378 if we can assist with your dairy operation.



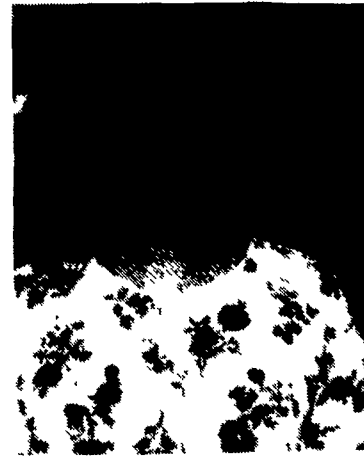
Fitch Is Tioga County Technician

STATE COLLEGE (Centre Co.) — Former Tioga County dairy princess Laura Fitch of Roaring Branch, is the newest member of the Pa. DHIA team serving Tioga County.

Other past dairy experience includes growing up and working on the family dairy farm, Four-Wyndy Farm. In the past, Laura participated in numerous leadership organization such as 4-H, F.B.L.A., Holstein Association and the Youth Education Association. She held the office of president in most of these organizations.

Laura enjoys helping dairymen to better manage their herds. We congratulate Laura on her new appointment as technician to the membership of Tioga County.

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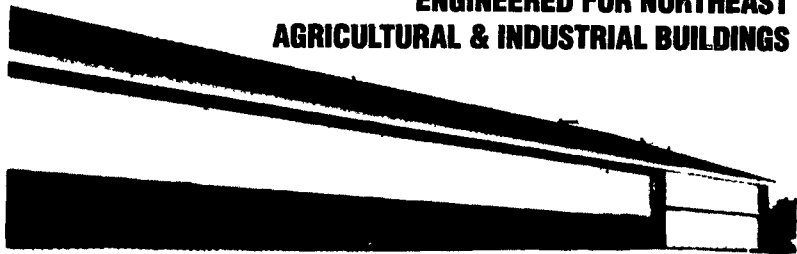
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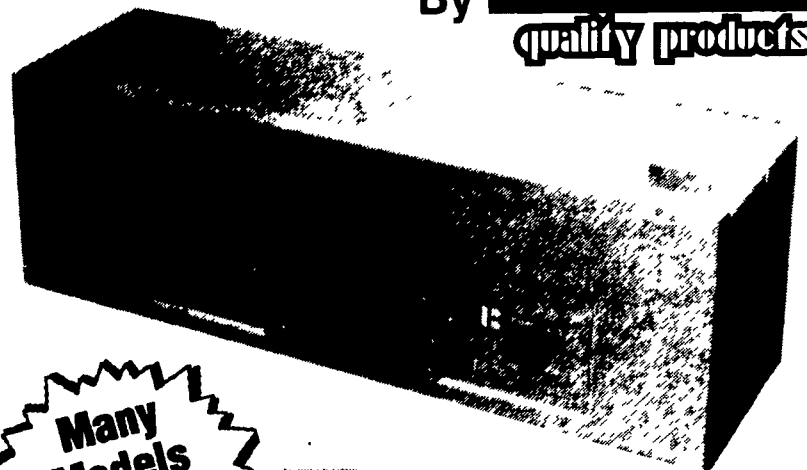
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