

You ask You answer

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ANSWER — Janet Grove, Airville, wanted to know where to find Sugar 'n Spice herbs and spices, which were sold at home parties at one time. Thanks to Lois Pfautz who writes that the address is Sugar N Spice, Rt. 741, Strasburg, PA 17579.

ANSWER — Mary Ann Reich wanted to know of an inexpensive cleaner for an electric range with a porcelain top. Thanks to Betty Light, Lebanon, who writes that baking soda and a damp rag cleans porcelain enamel, copper, silver, etc. Ruth Heckman, Mercersburg, writes that she uses a cleaner conditioner approved by Corning Glass Works. The cleaner conditioner is usually available wherever flat top stoves are sold.

ANSWER — Doris Rayna, Stewartsville, N.J., wanted parts and assistance with a Gearhart hand-cranked knitting machine that was manufactured between 1900-1930 in Clearfield, Pa. She writes that Deb Fisher, Stewartstown, sent parts, manuals, and instructions.

ANSWER — Joe Jedju, Pemberton, N.J., wanted the name and phone number of a butcher who slaughters, dresses, and packages chicken and goats in his area. Thanks to the person who recommended Bringhurst Meats, Berlin, N.J.

ANSWER — Roy Wright, Newville, wanted information from someone who makes or sells new egg cartons in the one dozen size. Joe Jedju, Pemberton, N.J., recommends Nasco, 901 Janesville Ave., P.O. Box 901, Fort Atkinson, Wis 53538-0901.

ANSWER — A reader wanted to know where to buy large curd cottage cheese like what was sold by A&P stores. Thanks to Salome Stoltzfus, who writes that it is sold by Weis/Big Top Market (717) 392-6512.



Sullivan County royalty are, from left, 1996 Dairy Princess Jessica Lambert, 1997 Dairy Princess Kristina Pardoe, and Alternate Dairy Princess Jill Broschart.

Sullivan Dairy Princess

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DUSHORE (Sullivan Co.) — "I am very proud and honored that I will represent the dairy industry in 1997," said a newly-crowned Kristina Pardoe of Forksville.

The daughter of James and Dottie Pardoe, Kristina is used to being in the limelight. Last year she served as the Sullivan County Alternate Dairy Princess. Prior to that she served as a Sullivan County Dairy Maid.

She also comes from a family full of dairy promoters who have farmed the land at Pardoe Brother's Valley View farm for 197 years.

"I'd like to thank the Sullivan County Dairy Committee for giving me this opportunity. In the year

2000, Pardoe Farm will celebrate two centuries of farming," she noted. "Centuries ago everyone was a farmer. Today everyone needs a farmer."

The need for people to promote farm products is also evident according to Jill Broschart, the daughter of Jim and Georganne Broschart, who will serve as the Sullivan County Alternate Dairy Princess.

"I'm glad to accept this honor of being the alternate dairy princess in Sullivan County. My dad is the fifth generation to farm in Sullivan County. Our farm was established in 1875," Jill explained. "I'm looking forward to working with everyone to help promote milk."

Rounding out the dairy team are dairy maids Sandra Pardoe, daughter of Steve and Shirley Pardoe; Melissa Dunn, daughter of Robert and Candy Dunn; and Noreen Rouse, daughter of Michael and Jacquelyn Rouse.

Jessica Lambert, 1996 Sullivan County Dairy Princess, wished the new slate of dairy promoters the best of luck as she finished her year.

"This past year has been full of experiences and memories that I will never forget. I made many

new friends and I learned how important dairy promotion is to the dairy farmers. It's up to volunteers to promote dairy products," she said.

In a special moment in her presentation, Jessica recognized her grandmother, Mary Lambert, for all her hard work. "She has been involved in dairy promotion for over 30 years," Jessica noted.

The crowning of the new royalty followed one of the longest dairy parades ever booked in Sullivan County.

"We caused the major traffic jam of the year," said dairy princess coordinator Betty Reibson.

The parade included entries from various youth groups, adult groups, and commercial exhibitors.

The grand prize was captured by a float entered by The Highlands, an Albright Care Service, entitled "Remember When" which sported antique dairy paraphernalia. In bold lettering on the back was the slogan, "Milk never grows old."

To cap off the evening, everyone had the opportunity to participate in milking contests and the building of a giant ice cream sundae, all in honor of Sullivan County's Dairy industry.

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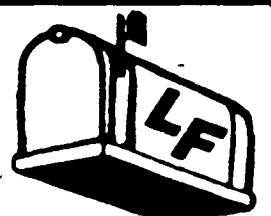
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