

York 4-H Holds Junior Livestock Show, Sale

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BAIR (York Co.) — Thomasville 4-H'er Adam Sellers made a clean sweep of the top placings at the York County junior market livestock summer show and sale, exhibiting both the champion hog and lamb.

The annual summer roundup show was held at the 4-H Center on Aug. 9 and 11. Wrapping up the event was the sale of the judged animals, with the 78 hogs and 33 lambs generating a combined \$27,917 for the 53 participating 4-H members.

Dual champion winner Sellers, 18, is a veteran livestock breeder and showman, winner of numerous awards over the past several years in both 4-H and open class competition. A June graduate of Spring Grove Area High School, he plans to begin studies in 1998 at an Illinois junior college where he can continue his interest in livestock judging. During the year interim, Sellers expects to continue his employment on an area farm and complete his final year in 1998 of 4-H eligibility.

Swine Sale

Mediumweight hogs proved especially popular in the swine show, with that weight division champion and reserve claiming the overall show titles in the final runoffs. Finishing behind Sellers' mediumweight and grand champion was Jessica Innerst, Red Lion, in the reserve spot.

Adam Sellers' 233-pound, purple-ribbon winner opened the swine sale which followed. It was purchased after a round of spirited bidding by Hatfield Packing Company, long-time area livestock youth supporters, for a \$2.25 per pound price.

Second in the hog sale lineup was 9-year-old junior member Jessica Innerst, with her 231-pound homebred entry. The reserve winner brought the sale's top price, \$3 per pound, and sold to Hake's Farm and Seed Service of Red Lion.

A pair of crossbred Duroc littermates got the judge's nod for the champion pair title, exhibited by Hanover 4-H'er Tammi Grubb. Under the sale gavel, the 266-pound and 258-pound pigs brought identical \$1.30 per pound prices from winning bidder Delwood Kitchens, Inc.

Lane Innerst, Red Lion, exhibited the reserve champion pair, weighing in at a closely-matched 213 and 217 pounds. The 12-year-old's runner-up pair also commanded identical final bids, both selling to M.B. Graphics, Jason Martin, with a \$1.75 per pound price.

Champion lightweight exhibitor was Bobbi Myers, Thomasville, whose 219-pound entry sold for \$2.05 per pound to A.C. Service and Repair, Rick Roth. Champion light heavyweight title went to East Berlin 4-H'er Rick Jones, with Hatfield Packing the buyer at \$1.50 per pound for the 237-pounder.

Allen Combower, New Freedom, picked up two division awards, exhibiting both the champion heavyweight and the reserve light heavyweight, Leidy's Inc. bid on Cornbower's 252-pound heavyweight, at \$2.25 per pound. His 246-pound light heavyweight sold on a \$1.65 per pound bid to Glen Rock State Bank.

A total of 78 head in the swine sale averaged \$1.25 with the champion, and averaged only

three cents less when the champion price was excluded.

Lamb Sale

Opening the lamb sale was Sellers' champion 128-pound purebred Suffolk, one of two he purchased for project use when the family oversold its spring crop of lambs. Buyer of the winning wether was 4-H Center caretaker John Kann, who made the final bid of \$1.85 per pound.

Reserve champion market lamb was a homebred from the flock of Dover 4-H exhibitor Michael Burrell. The crossbred Suffolk, a 126-pounder, topped the sale at \$3.50 per pound, selling to B and N Enterprises. B and N is the name coined by the 4-H youth's grandparents, who have supported his project's efforts in this manner for the second consecutive year.

Molly Ault, Hanover, exhibited the champion lightweight, an 84-pound lamb which sold to Texas Lunch for \$1.20 per pound. Champion mediumweight went to Adam Sellers, with buyer Ray Kopp bidding last at \$1.20 for the 108-pound entry.

Reserve lightweight was exhibited by Lindsay Jones, East Berlin. Lindsay's 82-pound lamb sold to Morrell Myers on a \$2 per pound bid. Tabitha Ebersole was the reserve mediumweight exhibitor, with a 108-pound entry that sold to Stewart Ebersole on his \$1.20 bid.

The sale of the 33 show lambs averaged \$1.68 with the champion, and \$1.66 without the champion.

Following is a partial list of York 4-H junior market livestock show winners:

LIGHTWEIGHT SWINE

Class 1 - 1. Heather Miller. 2. Matthew Altobelli. 3. Jessicya Robinson.
Class 2 - 1. Jessicya Robinson. 2. Alisha Eberly. 3. Jessica Innerst.
Class 3 - 1. Lane Innerst. 2. Nicole Eisenhart. 3. Jeremy Wilson.
Class 4 - 1. Bobbi Myers. 2. Lane Innerst. 3. Rick Jones.
Champion - Bobbi Myers
Reserve - Lane Innerst.

MEDIUMWEIGHT SWINE

Class 5 - 1. Matt Trostle. 2. Bobi Myers. 3. Adam Sellers.
Class 6 - 1. Jessica Innerst. 2. Jared Seitz. 3. Adam Shue Jr.
Class 7 - 1. Adam Sellers. 2. Lane Innerst. 3. Susan Richardson.
Champion - Adam Sellers.
Reserve - Jessica Innerst.
Class 8 - 1. Rick Jones. 2. Bobbi Myers. 3. Cody Ault.
Class 9 - 1. Michael Burrell. 2. Kathleen Jenkins. 3. Matt Trostle.
Class 10 - 1. Allen Cornbower. 2. Matthew Hoover. 3. Michael Burrell.
Champion - Rick Jones
Reserve - Allen Cornbower.

HEAVYWEIGHT SWINE

Class 11 - 1. Allen Cornbower. 2. Tammi Grubb. 3. Adam Shue Jr.
Class 12 - 1. Tammi Grubb. 2. Heather Jasienki. 3. Jared Seitz.
Champion - Allen Cornbower.
Reserve - Tammi Grubb.
Swine Show Champion - Adam Sellers.
Reserve - Jessica Innerst.
Pairs Champion - Tammi Grubb
Reserve - Lane Innerst.

SWINE FITTING

Ages 16-18: 1. Michael Burrell. 2. Adam Shue Jr. 3. Mark Parrish.
Ages 12-15: 1. Beth Parrish. 2. Susan Richardson. 3. Lindsay Jones.
Ages 10-11: 1. Rick Jones. 2. Cody Ault. 3. Allen Cornbower.
Ages 8-9: 1. Zachary Schell. 2. Amanda Hoover. 3. Shannon Eberly.
Champion Fitter - Beth Parrish.
Reserve - Mike Burrell.

SWINE SHOWMANSHIP

Ages 16-18: 1. Adam Sellers. 2. Matt Trostle. 3. Bobbi Myers.
Ages 12-15: 1. Tammi Grubb. 2. Lindsay Jones. 3. Susan Richardson.
Ages 10-11: 1. Allen Cornbower. 2. Cody Ault. 3. Rick Jones.
Ages 8-9: 1. Jessica Innerst. 2. Emily Robinson. 3. Shannon Eberly.
Champion Showman - Adam Sellers.
Reserve - Matt Trostle.

LIGHTWEIGHT MARKET LAMBS

Class 1 - 1. Emily Graybill. 2. Maria Graybill.
Class 2 - 1. Maria Graybill. 2. Drew Bankert. 3. Heather Bankert.
Class 3 - 1. Molly Ault. 2. Lindsay Jones. 3. Cody Ault.
Champion - Molly Ault.
Reserve - Lindsay Jones.
MEDIUMWEIGHT LAMBS
Class 4 - 1. Travis Flory. 2. Travis Flory. 3. Rick Jones.
Class 5 - 1. Julie Kern. 2. Bobbi Myers. 3. Brandy Bankert.
Class 6 - 1. Adam Sellers. 2. Tabitha Ebersole.
Champion - Adam Sellers.
Reserve - Tabitha Ebersole.
HEAVYWEIGHT LAMBS
Class 7 - 1. Jacob Ebersole. 2. Jacob Ebersole. 3. Tabitha Ebersole.
Class 8 - 1. Matt Trostle. 2. Jennifer Flinchbaugh. 3. Matt Trostle.
Class 9 - 1. Adam Sellers. 2. Michael Burrell. 3. R. Jay Rishel.

Heavyweight Champion - Adam Sellers.
Reserve - Mike Burrell.
Market Lamb Champion - Adams Sellers.
Reserve - Mike Burrell.

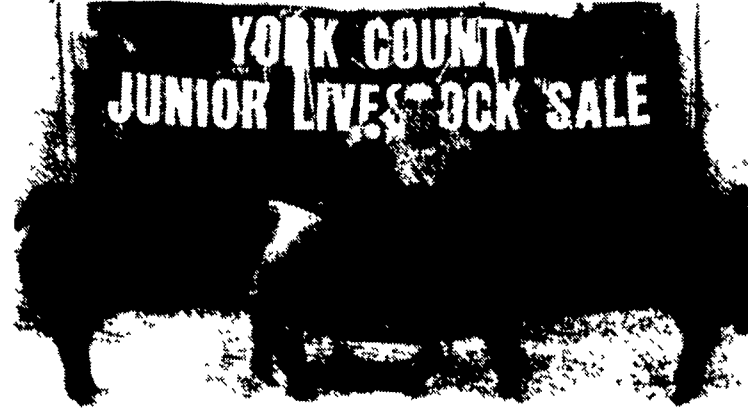
FITTING/SHOWMANSHIP

(Grouped by years of 4-H experience)
Fitting
7-10 Years - 1. Michael Burrell. 2. Maria Graybill. 3. Matt Trostle.
5-6 Years - 1. Jacob Ebersole. 2. Bobby Myers. 3. Lindsay Jones.
3-4 Years - 1. Toni Kibler. 2. Rick Jones. 3. Jody Ault.

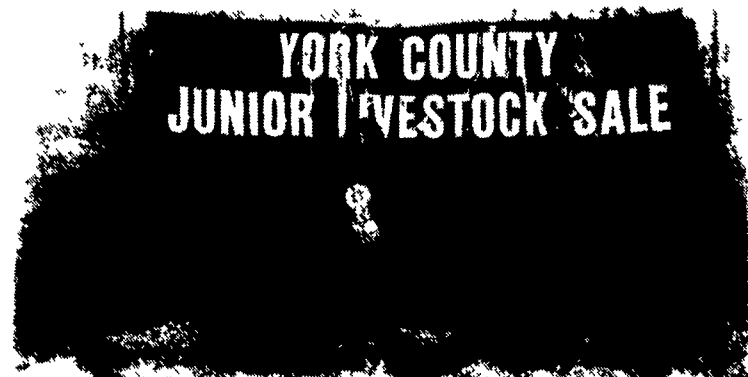
1-2 Years - 1. Jacob Emenheiser. 2. Eric Bankert. 3. Nicole Gemmill.

Showmanship

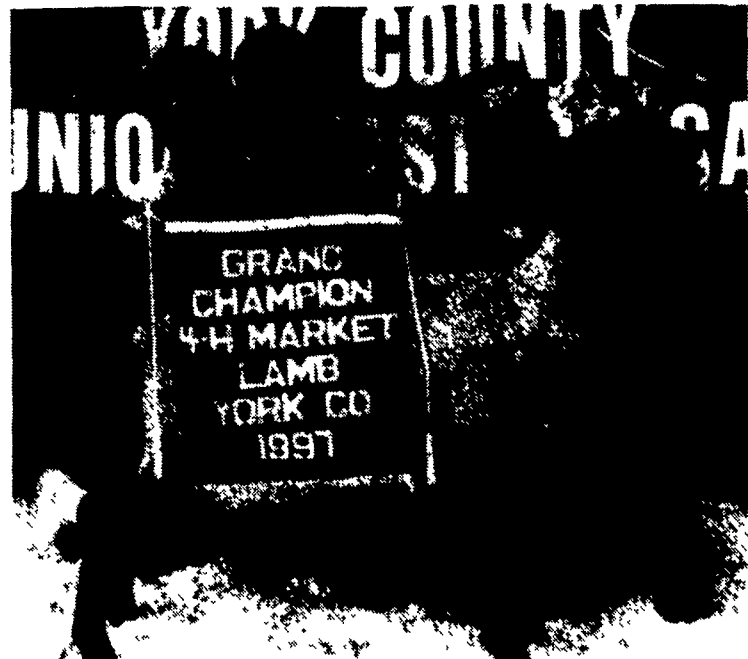
7-10 Years - 1. Matt Trostle. 2. Jen Finchbaugh. 3. Michael Burrell.
5-6 Years - 1. Jacob Ebersole. 2. Bobbi Myers. 3. Lindsay Jones.
3-4 Years - 1. Kelly Jo Bankert. 2. Travis Flory. 3. Rick Jones.
1-2 Years - 1. Nichole Gemmill. 2. Eric Bankert. 3. Jacob Emenheiser.



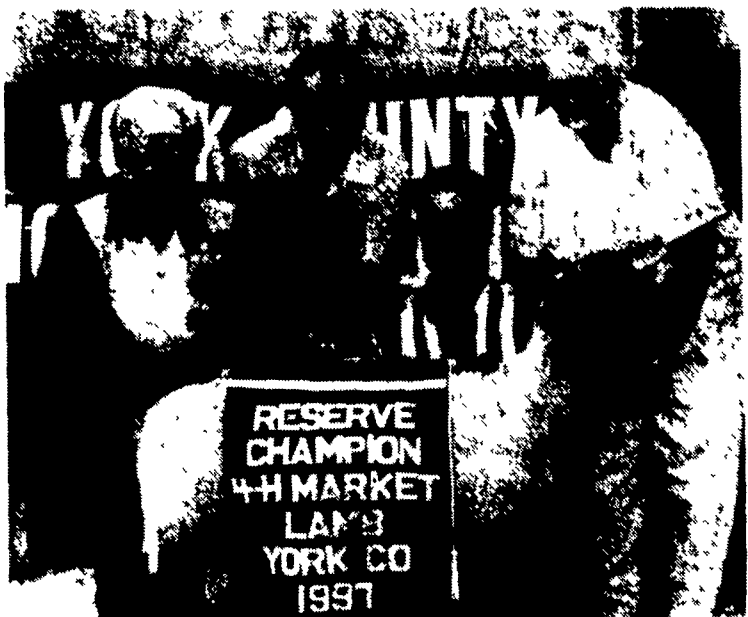
Tammi Grubb's pair of crossed Duroc littermates were selected the York 4-H show's champion pair. Buyer, at \$1.30 per pound, was Delwood Kitchens.



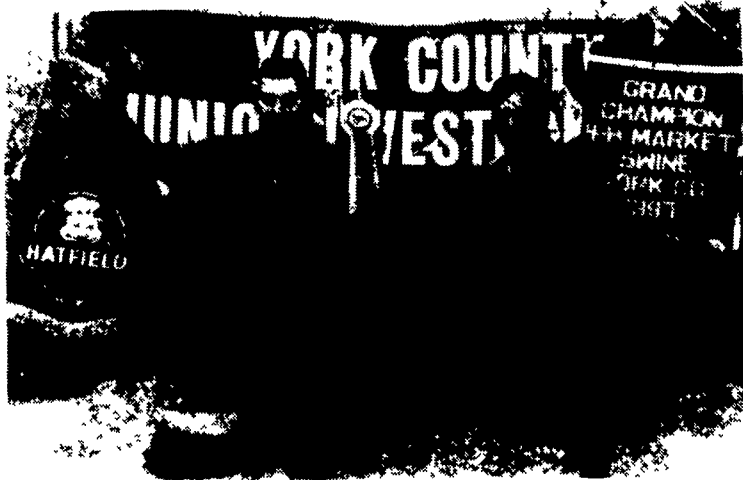
York 4-H sale reserve champion pair exhibitor was Lane Innerst. The two pigs sold for \$1.75 per pound to M.B. Graphics, Jason Martin.



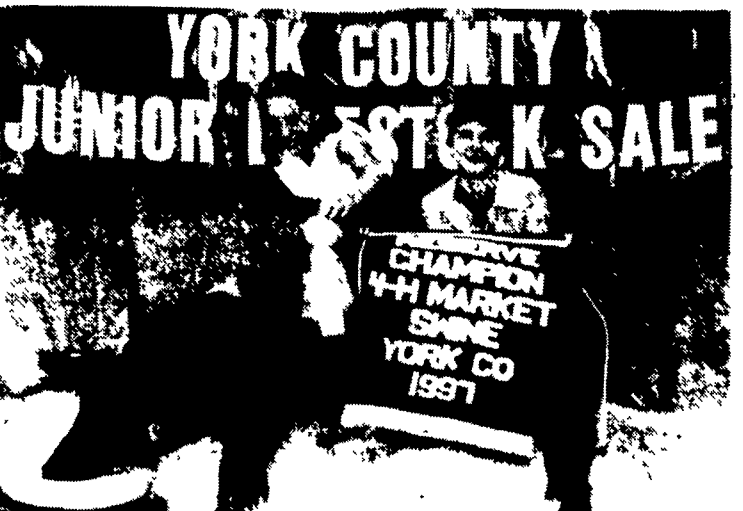
Caretakers of the York 4-H Center, John and Mary Kann, were the winning bidders on the champion market lamb exhibited by Adam Sellers. The 128-pound Suffolk wether sold on the bid of \$1.85 per pound.



York 4-H show's reserve champion market lamb title went to Mike Burrell's 126-pounder homebred wether. Buyer of the lamb was B and N Enterprises, on a \$3 per pound bid. From left are Louise and Ray Ness, Mike Burrell, and Evelyn Burrell.



Adam Sellers' 233-pound market hog was selected champion of the York 4-H summer show. Hatfield Packing Company, represented by buyer Kurtis Good, bought the show winner for \$2.25 per pound.



Reserve champion market hog at the York 4-H sale was exhibited by Jessica Innerst. It sold to Hake's Farm and Seed Service for \$3 per pound. Holding the banner is Beth Innerst.