

Patchwork: West Potsdam Area News

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Wednesday night's storm caused some excitement here. Trees and power lines were down all over the place. A live line came down next to the home of Jim and Lucille Waterson, who live on the Crosby Road. The West Potsdam firemen were called out about 9 p.m. Standing around a tree hit by lightning and watching wires burn near the home, the men waited for Niagara Mohawk men. The first assistance was a Town of Potsdam truck equipped to remove fallen trees from the highway. It began to look like old home week as one of the

men in the truck was Paul Bonno. Next came the Niagara Mohawk truck and driving that was Ross Logan. While there I heard that a big tree had gone down by Lucy Bates home. One had gone down across the road in front of Hugh Rood's home.

4-H Club Busy

The Trout Brook 4-H Club had a busy week at the Gouverneur Fair. Marilyn Henderson and Beverly Brownell gathered most of the entries the youngsters had prepared for judging. The entries are as follows: Minissa Swingle, zucchini squash, winter squash, and Hubbard squash; Jackie

Swingle had a special large pumpkin that received a blue ribbon and a special table, also squash, ear corn, peppers, zucchini squash, sweet corn and a field pumpkin. The field corn was brought in one the stalk which I heard was ten feet high. In the sewing area, Pam and Katie Wheeler each entered aprons; Jim Ward a shirt; and Jackie and Jenny Swingle each entered aprons. Jill Ward did it again. She entered brownies and bread and her bread received the usual blue ribbon.

In the "do it yourself" area, Aaron Brownell entered a homemade rocket. His brother Jeffery entered a clock, a

planter, a lamp, a set of plaques and a chisel. Jackie Swingle did dairy judging and crop identification. In fact Jackie placed seventh in the livestock judging, representing the Potsdam Chapter of the FFHA. Sylvia Brownell did the forestry identification project. Ben Brownell did the wildlife identification project. The Swingle girls, Jackie, Minissa, and Jennifer entered 15 cattle under the farm name of Nirvana. They won a Grand Champion trophy, Senior Championship, Reserve Jr. Champion, and two Highest Production awards. They entered ten guineys and five holsteins.

The group held a meeting Wednesday to get their float for the firemen's parade in order. Their next meeting will be to complete the float and the group will meet in Jeff Bonno's front yard to start work on decorating their wagon.

More On Fair

Donnie Kingston also entered many cattle in the fair and was happy with the results. He said that when you have cattle in the cattle barns, it's not uncommon that you spend the night under caring for them. One generally sleeps near the cattle and usually on some hay nearby. Don's wheel barrow

squeaked badly and he was constantly being threatened by fellow barn sleepers to either oil the thing "or else" Donnie never did get around to oiling the thing and when the last morning rolled around, he couldn't find the wheel barrow. When he did locate the thing, he discovered just what the "or else" meant. It was tied on the barn roof.

Big Move

Roy and Shirley Hogle are taking a big step. They have rented their home to Ann and Frank McLaughlin, and will live at camp and spend their winters in Florida. Roy will continue to operate the garage during the summer. Frank McLaughlin is a staff member at Potsdam State.

Local News

Barbara Bonno has returned from an interview in the state of Iowa. She and Brenda Snyder and Jodi camped on the trip using a tent.

Lucy Bates returned from a trip in time to complete her job as chairman of the field day dinner for the ladies auxiliary. She and her sister, Mary Esperance, stopped first in Vermont to join Mary's daughter Sylvia and husband Ray in Kinsbury and two children. The group traveled to York Beach in Maine where they had rented motel space on the beach.

Dick and Rosemary Sanford have returned from a trip to attend the United Taxpayers of New York special meeting at Goshen. Following the meeting, the Sanfords and children Jennifer and Andy drove to Pennsylvania to visit with Dick's brother John and his wife Sandy and family for two days. Then onto Norfolk, Va. just in time to greet son Rob who was just returning from sea. Rob and his new wife Robin have an apartment in Norfolk. Rob has changed ships and is now aboard the destroyer, USS Redford.

From Norfolk the family traveled to Gaithersburg, Md. to visit daughter Sue.

Great Lakes Cruise

Three Navy destroyers, the USS Owens, the USS Davis, and the USS William C. Lawe made a two day stop in Ogdensburg as part of a recruitment tour. For Marge and Lloyd Howe it was exciting since their son-in-law, Resert Watson, was aboard the USS Owens. They were there to greet Resert.

Thousands of people turned out to greet the three ships. Our family went to greet the three ships. Men from the ships filled every street and in uniform. It was great and what is even nicer—we met not a soul from those ships that wasn't a darn nice person.

Other Doings

The firemen held their annual picnic at the beach in Parishville. It was Sunday afternoon and a hot day. The park offered everything for everyone to enjoy a hot day.

Jennine Wright has just taken her motorcycle test and passed it! She and husband David both have cycles.

Beulah Chase has been ill. Get better, Beulah.

Would you believe that Dr. Ed Gordon and wife Barbara have more company? Stan and Martha Samuels of Flushing, N.Y., and Delray Beach, Fla. and Dr. and Mrs. Harry Goldwasser from Miami Beach, Fla.

County Farmers Get Feed Funds

CANTON-St. Lawrence County livestock producers have received \$927,072.83 since the fall of 1977 through July, 1978 to help buy feed under the emergency feed program, according to Anne Prouty, an official of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS).

A total of 545 farmers received assistance during this period to help purchase 49,467,833 pounds of feed, Mrs. Prouty said. The emergency feed program authorizes financial aid to farmers when conditions caused by a natural disaster threatens their livestock. Participants may be reimbursed as much as 50 percent of the cost for feed purchased during the emergency period. However, this may not exceed two cents per pound in terms of feed grain equivalent.

To be eligible for the feed, producers must have suffered a substantial loss in the amount of feed normally produced; have insufficient feed for the period of the disaster; and must purchase larger than normal amounts of feed.

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