

★ 10-State Swing
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president from Bell, Tenn., remarked that Lancaster County farms appeared much neater and "better kept" than those in many sections. He was enthusiastically supported in this by Brown and Hafen, the latter saying, "It is sure different than the flat desert land at home."

Brown added, "The condition of your farms, the scenery and the hospitality are wonderful."

After touring the NH plant, conferring with NH officers, the group lunched at Lancaster Country Club and from there went on to the Christ King farm, southeast of Lancaster.

King demonstrated tobacco sorting methods, explained his farming operation and Amish farm and home customs.

During their discussions with NH management officials, the FFA heads emphasized their interest in new ideas and an open-minded approach to new equipment and methods.

Collectively, they agreed that agriculture is changing

Queen of Furrow Feted During SCD Convention

Harrisburg — The 1958 Queen of the Furrow, Miss Daunna Doebler, Jersey Shore, Lycoming County, is a guest of the National Association of Soil Conservation Districts at a convention in Houston, Texas, this week.

According to David G. Unger, executive secretary of the Pennsylvania Soil Conservation Commission, the Commonwealth is further represented at the convention by a 20-man delegation of county conservation district directors led by Charles Gillette of Townville, Crawford County.

The delegation hopes to bring the 1962 convention of the national association to the Keystone State, and will push for establishment of a soil and water research laboratory in the Northeast.

Unger said that the delegation will stress the need for a step-up in small watershed flood prevention activities.

"Urban sprawl" received the attention of the delegation Tuesday, at a special session attended by directors of northeastern states. The squeeze on farm land from invading homes, utilities and highways frequently aggravates conservation problems, conservationists contend.

Soil conservation districts in 50 of Pennsylvania's 67 counties must devise new means to manage land wisely, Unger said.

Gillette, secretary of the state association of soil district directors, said that the success of the 16th National Plowing Contest and Conservation Exposition in August, 1958 at Hershey has focussed the attention of conservationists on Pennsylvania. He said that it is on this basis that the delegation hopes that their convention bid will be successful.



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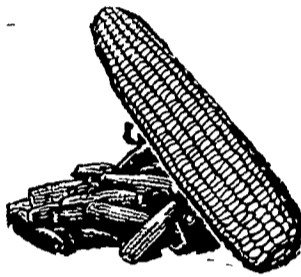
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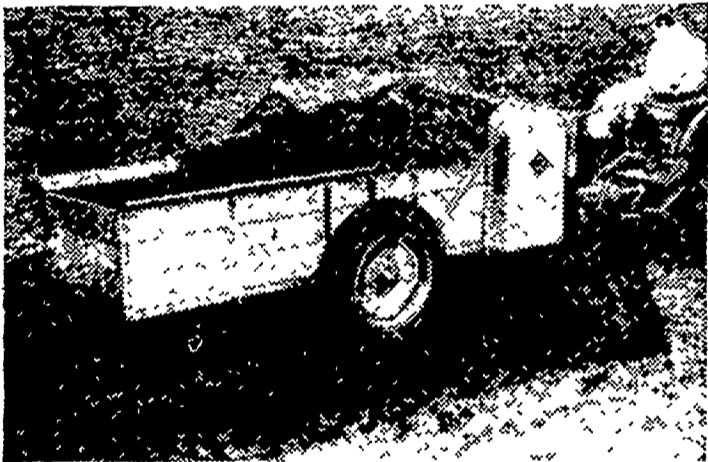


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