

● **Alfalfa Spray**

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in our spray recommendations for alfalfa weevil control this fall. Of course, we have not recommended heptachlor for spring application for several years."

Pepper continued, "Our fall recommendations will not be written until August, and no one knows what will be available by then, but at present the only chemical we have for fall application is deildrin I would not even guess if it will still be approved by fall."

We used to talk in parts per millions and then in parts per million, and now we talk in parts per billion when we talk about residues. This is about the same as one normal size drop of insecticide in 10,000 gallons of liquid, he said.

Upon being advised of the findings of the Food and Drug Administration, and since there is no tolerance for heptachlor or heptachlor epoxide in milk, USDA withdrew its recommendation at the same time it canceled registration.

Horticulturists say the Dwarf Pfitzer Juniper is a better suited evergreen variety to small homes than the Common Pfitzer. The Japanese yew and the Angola-Japanese yew are also recommended for home plantings.

In spite of all the inventions, man has yet to build a mouse-trap that can beat a cat

● **Syrian Visitor**

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In addition to the shepherds, about 125 families live on the 4,000 acre farm year round. During planting season and picking season, an additional 700 workers are brought in from local villages to help with the hand work.

Cultivation is also done by hand. Because very little machinery is available, the workers are hired three times each year to plant, cultivate, and harvest the cotton.

Kourabee, formerly of Damascus, is on an eight month tour of the United States under the auspices of the Eisenhower Fellowship Exchange. He arrived in Philadelphia on April 2 and came to Lancaster County for five days this week. He plans to go from here to Texas and California where he will study cattle raising and irrigation farming.

So much of Syria is desert, he said, that most of the farming is done within 10 miles of the rivers.

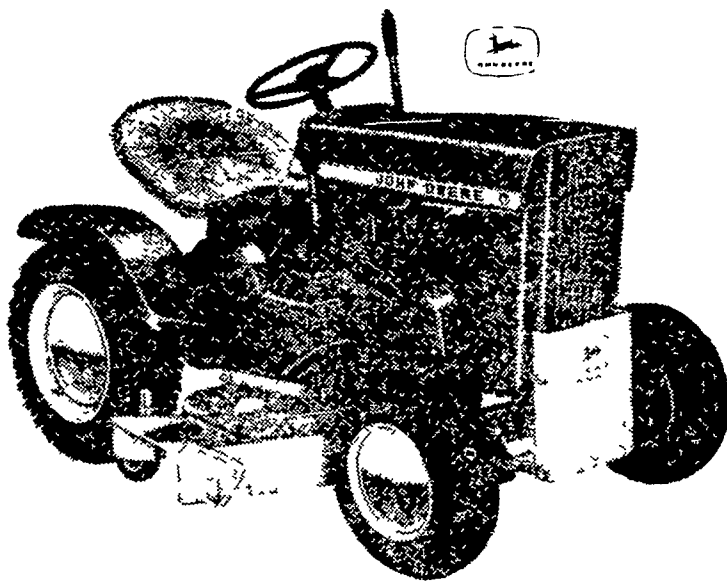
Sheep furnish most of the meat products in Syria, but Kourabee says he believes beef cattle will become more popular, and some interest in commercial dairying is developing.

While in the county, Kourabee visited the Stock Yards, several dairy farms, and other farms and agriculture businesses. Mrs. Kourabee attended several meetings with the county extension home economists.



VISITORS FROM SYRIA TOURED the Lancaster Union Stock Yards Tuesday. Left to right are Mr. and Mrs. Talal M. J. Kourabee, Syria; Victor Plastow, associate county agent, and John Beam, Stockyards manager. The Kourabees are visiting the U.S.A. under the auspices of the Eisenhower Fellowship Exchange. L. F. Photo.

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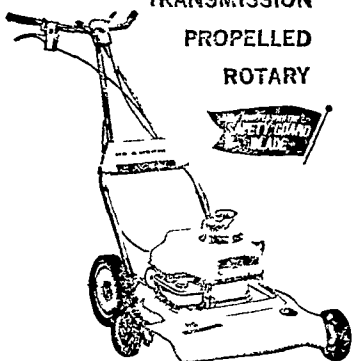
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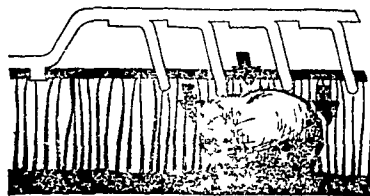
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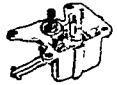
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