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It's Your Life

By Gerald Martin

Ed. Note:

Gerald Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Z. Martin, Lititz R1, was the Lancaster County FFA Public Speaking Contest winner and made it through the area and district contests to the state contest held at Penn State in conjunction with FFA Activities. Week. There he placed 3rd with a gold medal. Since tomorrow starts National Farm Safety Week and Gerald's Speech is on the subject we herewith publish his contribution to farm safety.

The story is printed a hun $d e^{\rho}$ times each year, and each time it is pletty much the same It takes about two inches of nov spaper space and says that a farmer los' a hand while unclogging an auger, or that he was k lied when a tractor rolled on him It lists his name and age. and when he dies, his survivois Fameis read it and think "Another careless guy" I know, my uncle was of those careless guys

nowever, there is another story which seldom is printed Co. Livestock This is the story of why the acc dent occurred, and because it Men To Attend selpom is plinted, farmels ale walking to accidents the way rabb ts walk into traps In fact the typical farmer often stands accident and never realizes it

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BLUE BOY wheat is inspected by H. Richard Hershey, Lititz R1. The new variety was tried locally to see how'it survived winter kill and what the yields would be under lo- visitors that usually attend this Food, said it depends which way cal conditions.

Host State Day Here

Ladies of the Lancastei Countv Farmers Association will host a State Ladies Day Out for their organization at the Farm and Home Center, Thuisday, July 24 The all day affan starts at 10 a m

The program will feature a many farm accidents? Is it be- FIELD DAY will be held on the winners competing: speaker from the Food and Drug Administiation — a consumer consultant: a brief report of the growth and development of the modein farm and home center facilities - tours for these interested after the meeting

Luncheon will be served smorgasbord style and for reser-

New Variety Of Wheat Tried On Lititz Farm

a six bottom plow. On one half of grown here

the five acre test plot 120 pounds was applied with a chi el app' gen user in contrast to repulat types usually g own loe - h

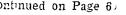
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are always welcome.

A new variety of wheat called The reason for the experiment Blue Boy, was tried this year on was to see if this high yield ng the faim of H Richard Heishey, wheat could stand Lancaster Lititz R1 The plowing was done County winters and if it would last fall by US Steel Co.p with out produce regular valleties

In checking the vielas after of nitiegon per acre was ployed the combine this week Heishey down and on the remainder it reported the new variety a.c out produce Red Coat by abour 29 cotor The wheat, a product of bushels per scre but he said 'ne southern states is a high n the gue, to was not as good The Brue Boy was lighte in test velch and it gave more sc eenings he said

The vo.nt to test the new Varietv on its winter hardness was The Atlantic On Parade day proven Hershey said the 3.ue scheduled by the Atlantic Boy was rot quite as tall as the Breeders Cooperative has been Red Coat but it stooled out mo. e cancelled according to an an- and was thicken This stooling nouncement made yesterday by quality did cause some concein Harry Roth, Assistant Manager. as to how well the new vallety Due to highway construction would serve as a nuise crop for on Route 230 past the bull bains clover and other grasses But it is feared the large number of Bill Brubaker, Organic Plant L. F. Photo open house could not be accom- you want to go It doesn't matter modated. Roth said the Parade what vallety you want to use Day activities have been com- 'It you want top yields of wheat pletely cancelled but visitors you likely will not have a good (Continued on Page 6)





At a recent meeting of the w_bin a few inches of a serious planning committee for the Lancaster County Livestock Accidents not only take Lves Field Day, it was decided to canand inflict injury but also are a cel the local event this summer drain on money, time, and man- and support the state wide Field safety quiz, a Pennsylvania agement of every farmer in the Day at Penn State THE PENN. Medical Society speaker, talent United States Why are there so SYLVANIA LIVESTOCK contest with several County

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PSU Field Day

Inter-State Members Hear Proposed Order Changes

Local Inter-State Milk Co-opera necessary action to be taken in vations at \$3 per meal, interesttive members met Thursday a matter of months rather than ed ladies should phone Mrs

Farmers' Assn. Ladies

night at the Farm and Home years. Center to hear their represen proposals on merging federal orat a hearing scheduled in August at Baltimore.

Dr Hand said, "The ultimate utilization to get a better blend price At the annual meeting we were talking in terms of a few years for pushing the merger of and Baltimore orders" he said



Sunday, July 20

Week

Wednesday, July 23

rata.

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For example, riots in Washing-

variety until he has tried a small

Clyde W1vell at 717-426-1303.

This meeting is for region I tative Dr. Paul Hand discuss the ton have cause the closure of the of the Pa Farmers Assn, which Sealtest Plant there and it will includes Berks, Bucks. Chester, ders and base plan changes that be moved to Baltimore of Phila- Lancaster, Lebanon, Montgowill be made by the co-operative delphia And Safeway has about mery, Northampton, Schuylkill (Continued on Page 11) and Carbon Counties.

arm is to improve the Class I Agronomists From Seven-State **Region Visit Local Crop Farm**

A group of agronom sty from amount of seed on his own faim the Philadelphia, Washington a seven-state area vis ted a local Some of the points of discus taim Tuesday to study so ! fei- sion among the top extension "But developments in movement tility and resulting er so proside men as they talked with Backer of milk by dealers has caused tion Visiting the farm of Ray- on his faim lawn were (1) you mond N Bucher Littz Ri the must look at the variety of court men on the American Potash In- to decide on a fertilization pro-stitute Top Farmer Tous saw g am, (2) it is difficult to get an records of liming and featurza- accurate soil sample because of tion on every field for the past the vast difference of PH in 20-26 - National Farm Safety two years and a field that was in spots over the field, (3) the bigcontinuous coin for 25 years

gest discrepancy in sampling is Raymond is very interested " usually in the appth of the take

10 a.m - Lancaster Courty Hol- crops and soils and samples each (4) you should sample between

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TINY FINGERLING BASS are shown in the tank truck that stopped at the Lancaster Shopping Center Wednesday to distribute the little fish to local lake and pond owners. Showing the fish is Leroy White of the Department of Interior Fish and Wild Life Service. L. F. Photo

Tiny Fish Come To Local Ponds

Tiny fish about three inches Wildlife tank truck from the stein Field Day, Paul Zam- field on his 210 acre farm each the rows, especially where band long came to Lancaster this week Lamar National Fish Hatchery merman Farm, near Eph- year. He has 12 or 13 var eties of fertilization is practiced; (5) it and were transported to various at Lamar, the little bass fingercorn and doesn't accept any new is necessary to watch the minoi _ ads in Lancaster County Com- lings were counted out into ing in a Federal Fish and (Continued on Page 8)