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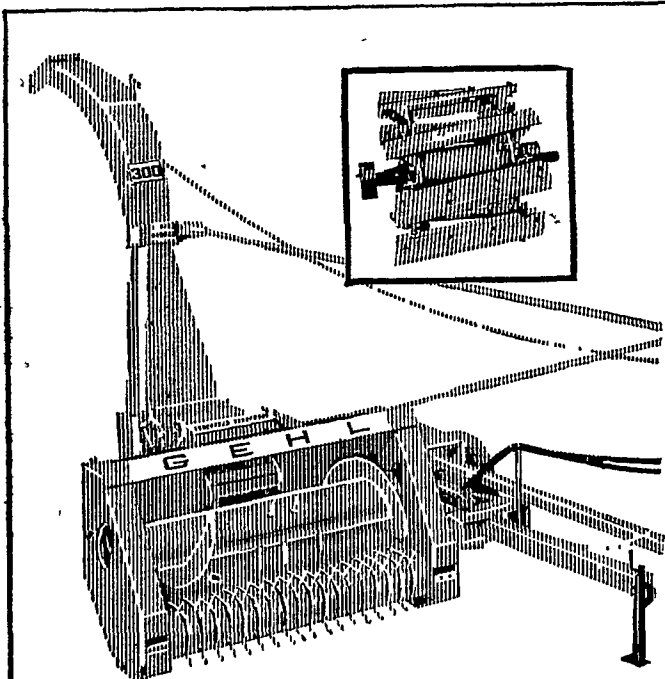
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Lancaster Farming, Saturday, May 29, 1971—11

Tractor Pull Contest Is Reported

A total of 41 tractors competed in the first of three summer tractor pulling contests sponsored by the Rough and Tumble Engineers at their Kinzer museum last Saturday.

The tractors were required to pull a sled trailing a moving weight along a 250 foot track. The weight is designed to move forward, placing more of the weight on the sled until the tractor can no longer pull.

Similar tractor pulls are slated by Rough and Tumble July 24 and September 18.

A \$5 entrance fee was charged for each tractor for each pull. Besides the 41 initial pulls,

there were 11 tie pull-offs. The money was divided percentage-wise between entries in each weight class.

Makes of tractors entered in the pull included

Allis Chalmers, Case, Duetz, Ford, International Harvester, John Deere, Massey Ferguson, Minneapolis Moline, and Farmall.

Winners in each class were as follows:

5,000 pound class, under 4 mph — Harold Stauffer, Ephrata, first; Harold Rineer, Horseshoe Road, Lancaster, second; John Stauffer, East Earl, third, and Barry Nickle, Paradise, fourth.

5,000 pound class, under 8 mph — Barry Nickle, first; John Stauffer, second; Harold Stauffer, third, and Harold Rineer, fourth.

7,000 pound class — Nelson Sangry, Christiana, first; Edwin Weaver, Leola, second; Vernon C Yoder, Christiana, third, and Timothy Stauffer, Ephrata, fourth.

9,000 pound class — Vernon Yoder, first; Nelson Sangry, second; Lester Houck, Intercourse, third, and Martin Greenleaf Jr, Oxford, fourth.

12,000 pound class — Charles Hooper Jr, Intercourse, first; Ivan Yost, Christiana, second; Merle King, Cochranville, third, and Carl M. Horst, Atglen, fourth.

15,000 pound class — Charles Hooper Jr, first; Ivan Yost, second; Martin Greenleaf Jr, third, and Harold Frey, Marietta, fourth.

USDA Releases Disease Resistant Corn Plasm

Newly-developed corn germ plasm have been released by the U.S. Department of Agriculture and cooperating State agricultural experiment stations.

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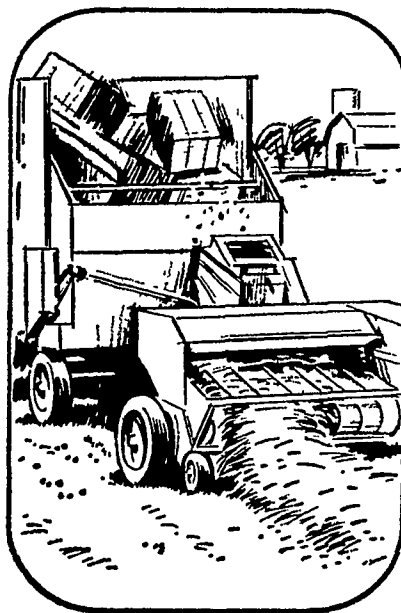
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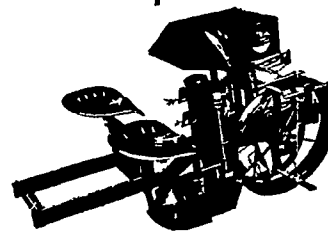
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