

# AGWAY

## WHAT HAPPENS WHEN YOU DIRECT SEED ALFALFA?



5.15 tons the first year is what Roy L. Miller of Cumberland County, Pa. achieved. He runs a herd of 48 holsteins and currently keeps 75 acres in alfalfa. On Agway's recommendation, he clear-seeded 40 acres in 1971. During the same year, those 40 acres yielded 5.15 tons per acre. In 1972, they yielded 6.5 tons per acre.

The Shephard Brothers of Madison County, N. Y. boast a herd average of 16,202 pounds of milk and 602 pounds of butterfat. In 1971, they clear-seeded 15 acres of alfalfa—again following the Agway program. They harvested 4 tons per acre during the seeding year and 6 to 7 tons per acre the next year.



Willard M. Martin, Jr. runs a herd of 80 holsteins in Oneida County, N. Y. In 1971, following Agway's Alfalfa Management Program, he clear-seeded 14 acres. His yield that first year was 5 tons per acre. The following year—in spite of Hurricane Agnes—his yield was still 4.5 tons per acre.

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