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Three Promoted By Poultry Firm

Three personnel changes have been announced in the maintenance division of Victor F. Weaver, Inc., New Holland, according to Paul M. Martin, manager of manufacturing services.

William L. Koch, RD2 Ephrata, has been appointed to the position of assistant maintenance superintendent, responsible for coordinating the plant maintenance activities as well as maintenance scheduling and parts inventories. Since joining Weaver in 1968, he has held positions as a night mechanic and maintenance foreman, and more recently as plant maintenance supervisor.

Lewis B. Groff, Blue Ball, has been named to the newly created position of utilities and projects foreman. Since joining the company in 1961, he has held positions in production and mechanical

maintenance. Under the new responsibilities he will be responsible for the supervision of construction and installation projects and plant maintenance systems.

Frank Kirkpatrick, 1390 West Main St., Ephrata, has been promoted to the position of plant main-

tenance foreman responsible for supervising the installation and maintenance of all company production systems and equipment. He has served as a production mechanic, and more recently as a group leader in the maintenance department.

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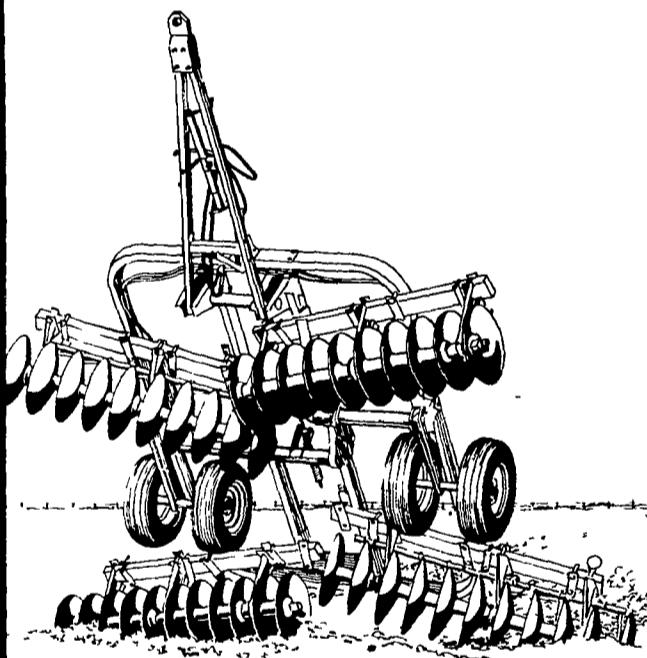
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Conservancy Acquires First Tract of Land

The Lancaster County Conservancy got its first land last Friday, a two-acre gift from a Millersville RD1 landscape architect.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren H. Boyer gave the deed to the conservancy for the property where the Little Conestoga Creek bubbles under Walnut Hill Road.

The Conservancy is permitted by law to acquire land and set it aside for open space and preservation purposes.

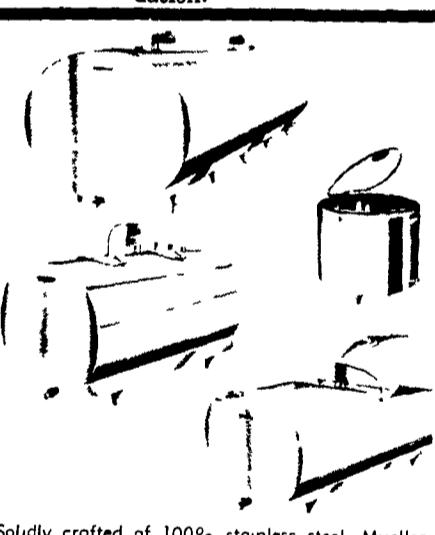
Although the organization has its sights set on buying Chickies Rock, along the Susquehanna River, it has made no purchases yet. The gift from the Boyers represents the Conservancy's first land acquisition.

"This two acres," Mrs. Boyer said Friday night, "would never have been any use to anyone. You could never put a building on it. But it is very picturesque, and people might as well enjoy it."

She explained that her husband has been active with the Conservancy and the Conestoga Valley Association, another conservation-minded organization.

"This is the first land the Conservancy has acquired," said Robert K. Mowrer, president of the Conservancy, "and we will take the necessary legal steps to

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