

Grange Leadership School Held

Seventeen-year-old Marcia Provance of Grove City, and David Correll, 20, of Allentown, won top honors in the public speaking contest that featured opening day activities in the 51st annual leadership school of the Pennsylvania State Grange.

Miss Provance, a 1974 graduate of Grove City High School and the current State Grange Youth Princess, was first in the competition for 14-18 year olds. Correll, who

graduated from Freedom High School at Bethlehem two years ago, took the blue ribbon in the 19-35 age bracket. Contestants were required to develop and prepare their own material on the subject, "The Role of Youth in Grange Growth."

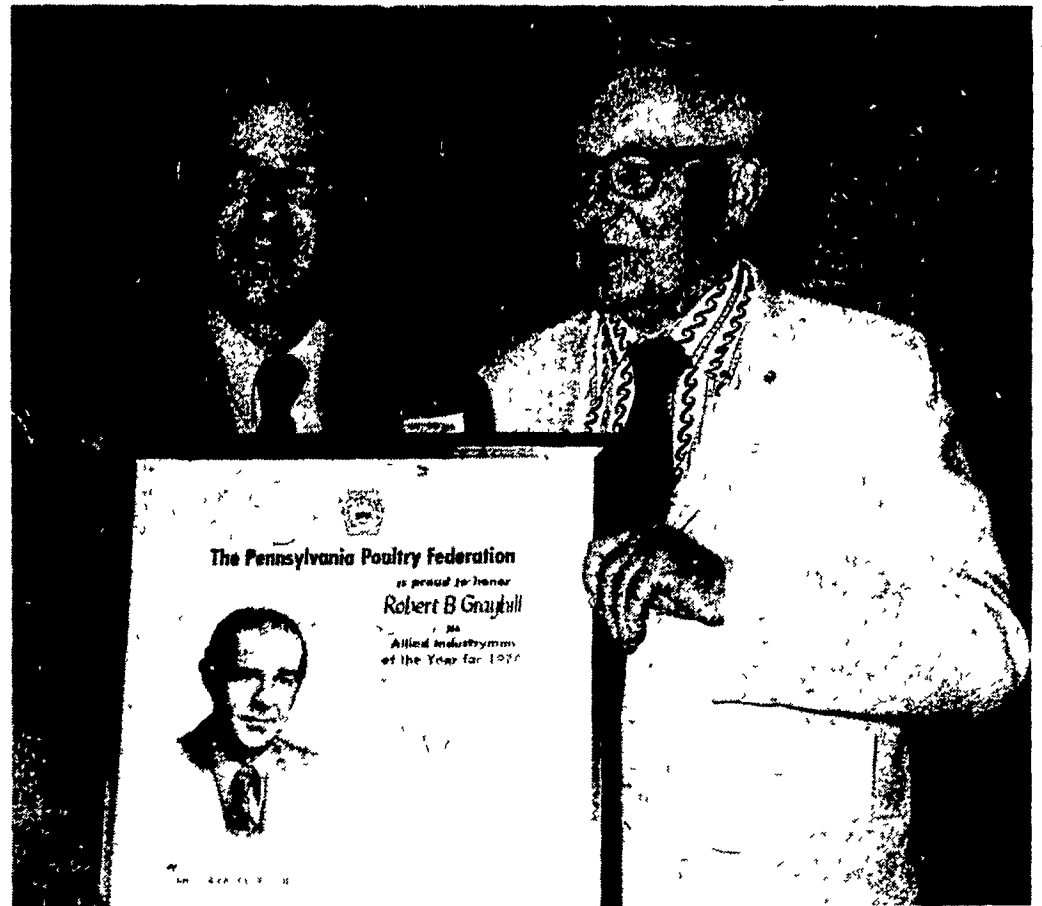
Runner-up honors in the 14-18 age competition went to Nila Shaeffer, of Somerset, and Rodney Treichler, of Kutztown.

More than 400 Grange members and leaders from

all parts of Pennsylvania attended the opening session of the leadership school. Ted Amick of Washington, assistant to the national Grange master, told the group that "we must become involved, as individuals and as a group, if we are to help stabilize our country." Amick urged the Grangers to "stand up and speak out" in their efforts to develop a progressive and positive course of action.

Sinkholes

Sinkholes are quite common in this part of the state because of the limestone rock formations. In most cases these sinkholes lead directly to an underground cavern that acts as a conduit for surface water to get into the underground waters reservoir. Over the years the sinkhole has been a favored place to dump junk and trash; however, this is dangerous because there is great chance of polluting the water underground. Owners of these areas are urged to restrict the dumping of anything that might pollute water down in the rock formations. Empty cans, bottles, barrels, or any kind of chemicals or garbage will be dangerous in the sinkhole. Water pollution is a serious problem in many areas and sinkholes could be the cause of some of it.



Pictured on the left is Mr. Robert Graybill admiring his award for Allied Industryman of the Year presented by the Pennsylvania Poultry Federation. Sharing the moment with him is Mr. Hendrik Wentink, Assistant to the President, Pennfield Corporation.

Mr. Graybill is President of Pennfield Corporation, a major feed supplier headquartered in Lancaster, Pennsylvania. Mr. Graybill was

honored for his service to poultry and animal husbandry and to the feed industry, not only in Pennsylvania, but on regional and national levels as well. Mr. Graybill was cited for his steadfast faith in the future of a vigorous, progressive agriculture throughout Pennsylvania.

The award was presented at the Annual Banquet of the Pennsylvania Poultry Federation recently at the Sheraton Inn, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.



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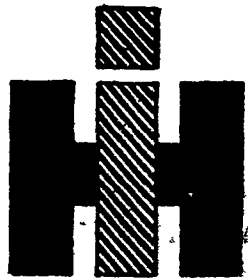
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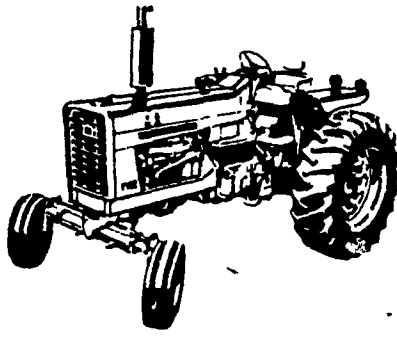
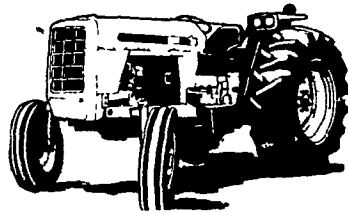
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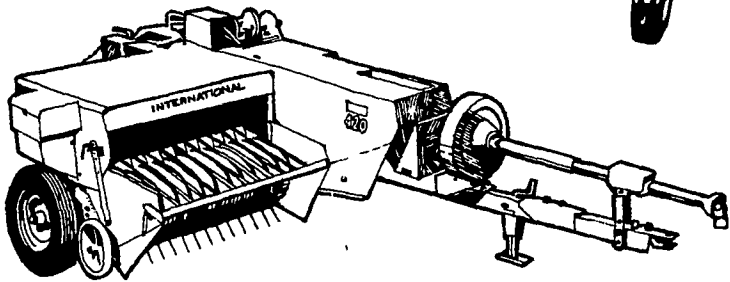
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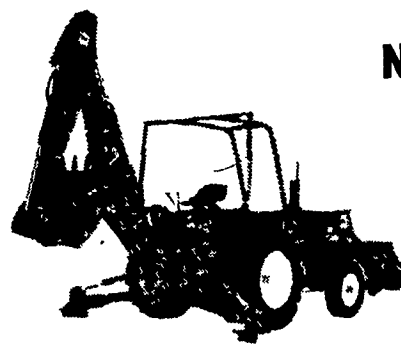
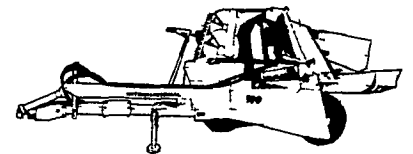
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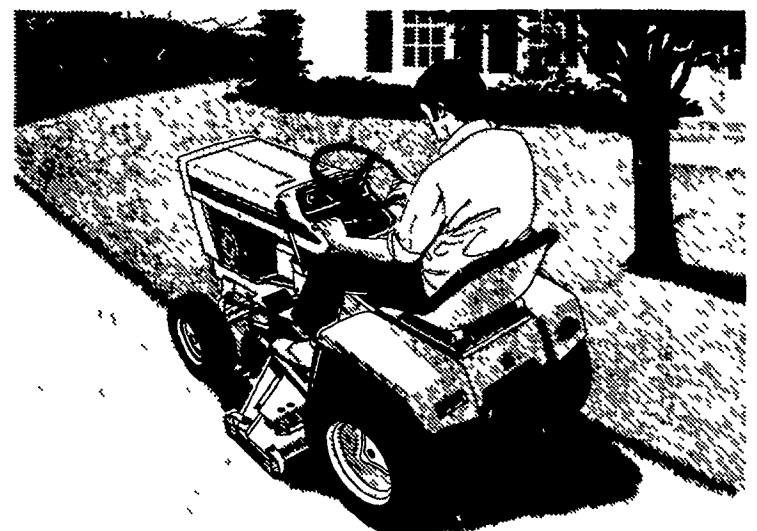
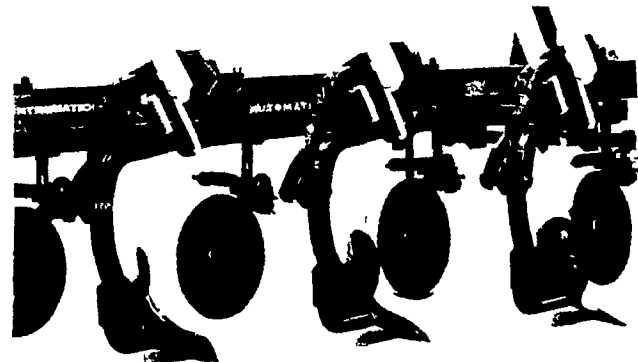
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