

**Sterility suggestion gets peach growers into limelight**

**Penn State team wins**

UNIVERSITY PARK - The Livestock Judging Team from The Pennsylvania State University won first place recently at the Eastern States Exposition in West Springfield, Mass. The Penn State team was first overall and first in beef cattle, swine, and sheep.

High individual in the contest was Dan Dailey of Cochran, who placed first in judging beef cattle and fifth in sheep. Second place in the overall competition was won by the Ron Lane of Ebsburg, who ranked first in judging swine and sheep. Dan Baum of Elizabethtown, was third highest individual by placing second in sheep and third in beef cattle.

Jane Mellott of McConnellsburg, placed fourth overall, and was second in beef cattle judging. Carl McCullough of Mercer, was fifth highest individual and placed fourth in judging swine.

Other individual honors went to Wes McAllister of Oxford, who placed fifth in beef cattle judging; Paul Tuttle of Wyalusing, who took second in swine selection; and Joan Liesau of Spring City, who won third in swine judging.

**Booklet available**

HARRISBURG - Rep. Noah W Wenger, recently urged all homeowners, landlords, and tenants to send for a copy of a questionnaire that is designed to show ways of saving money and energy in the home.

Wenger said the form can be obtained by writing to his office, P. O. Box 109, House of Representatives, Main-Capitol Building, Harrisburg, Pa., 17120.

The program, called "Project Conserve" which is sponsored by the Governor's Energy Council and the Federal Energy Administration, will provide with specific information tailored to one's residence that can save both time and money, according to Wenger

Coaches of the Penn State team are Dr. Erskine H. Cash, assisted by Mark L. Wahlberg of Canton, Conn., graduate assistant in animal industry.

Other Penn Staters participating were Greg McKean of Mercer; Helen Sheldon of Thompson; Ron Hughes of Portage Sam Godber of Bowling Springs; Mark McKelvey of West Chester; Mark Durdach of Dunmore; Chris Bartol of Ardsley; Rosemary Ogorchok of Reynoldsville; Bruce Lantz of Media; Mallory Mort of Fort Loudon; and Becky Perkins of Bridgewater, Mass.

MARTINSBURG, W. Va. - A suggestion that people who do not want more children might volunteer to accept jobs where there was the possibility of sterility from working on the production of DBCP, a nematicide ingredient, resulted in National Peach Council recently getting unexpected national and international publicity.

The suggestion had been sent to Dr. Eula Bingham, assistant secretary for Occupational Safety and Health, U.S. Department of Labor, by Robert K. Phillips, executive secretary of National Peach Council, in a letter written September 12

Whether some one in OSHA considered the suggestion different enough to be newsworthy, or thought

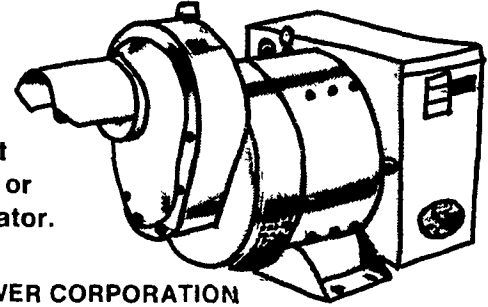
that Phillips was trying to make light of a serious situation, is not known. However, a New York Times reported in Washington

evidently obtained a copy of the letter on September 26, and contacted Phillips for verification. A three column wide

headline on page 18 of the New York Times the next morning. The story had also been put on national news wires.

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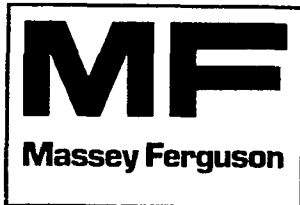
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