

Snow damage reported in Lancaster County



Traffic slipped and slid up and down East Main Street, Lititz

LITITZ — Heavy snowfall in the Lancaster Farming area caused damage to several farm buildings. In Lancaster County, reports included the partial collapse of two roofs in the Pennryn-Elm area last weekend, one over a horse barn and riding arena,

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Heavy snow caused the partial collapse of two roofs in the Pennryn-Elm area last weekend, one over a horse barn and riding arena, the other on a high-rise chicken house.

On Tuesday, work was already started by contractors to pull up the roof

over the barn and arena at Lower Hopewell Horse Center, owned by Mr. and Mrs. John Farrington, Speedwell Forge Road, Lititz.

Owners of the other damaged property, Ralph Myer & Sons, Airy Hill Road, Manheim R5, are going to use a crane to try to lift the roof over the chicken house, but are uncertain if this will succeed.

The damage at the Farrington riding arena was discovered after lunch time last Sunday. Mrs. Farrington said the family had been working in the arena that morning, and speculates the collapse must have occurred about noon.

She said that neighbors and members of the Brickerville Fire Company helped shovel snow off the roof for about three hours that day.

The roof went down about four feet, pushing back a wall of the arena in the section where it joins the barn, Mrs. Farrington said.

Nineteen horses are kept in the barn, including some boarded there by other owners. Mrs. Farrington said her husband and daughter, 11-year old Alida, got the horses out of the barn immediately.

She said a second section of roof, this part over the barn, collapsed while Alida was still inside. However, it was stopped by a haystack and the girl was frightened but not injured, she said.

Mrs. Farrington said they are now able to put the horses back in the barn at night.

At the Ralph Myer chicken farm at Elm, the roof over a 57,000 bird chicken house collapsed and came to rest on the top tier of one of the decks of cages, caught there by wooded trusses that broke.

An uneven snow load on the roof appears to be the cause of the collapse, Myer's son said. He said the collapse occurred sometime during the night Friday a week ago and was discovered early Saturday morning.

Only about two dozen chickens were killed, those in the cages crushed by the trusses, he said.

He said the birds on the top tier of one deck were pulled out, and the other birds were not affected by the collapse. He said the equipment in the chicken house is working all right.

Penryn Fire Company shoveled snow off the roof, and also took most of the snow off the roof of another chicken house, that contains 33,000 birds.

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local office, including a major emphasis in agriculture on maintaining quality environments. He showed the work in the area of family living, home gardening and nutrition program. The 4-H program continues to grow, and Adams County sponsored two International 4-H Youth Exchange delegates.

Elected to executive committee positions were

the following: Mrs. Leroy Basehoar, Littlestown R2; Mrs. Freida Johnson, Gettysburg R1; Atlee L. Keefer, York Springs R2; Glenn F. Kime, Gardners R1; Danile L. Winters, Hanover R5; and Mrs. Norman Zepp, New Oxford R2.

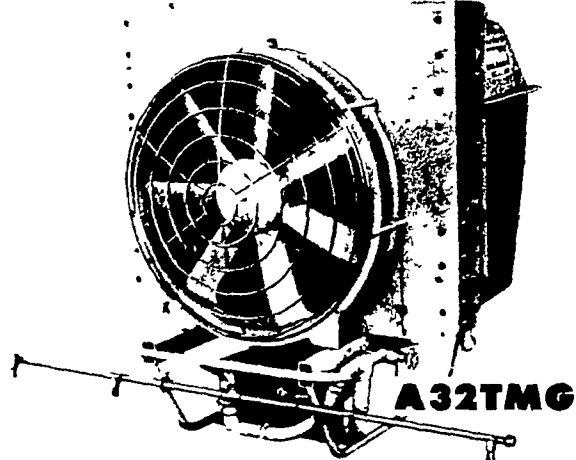
Harrison G. Fair, president of the executive committee and president of the state association of executive committees presided at the meeting.



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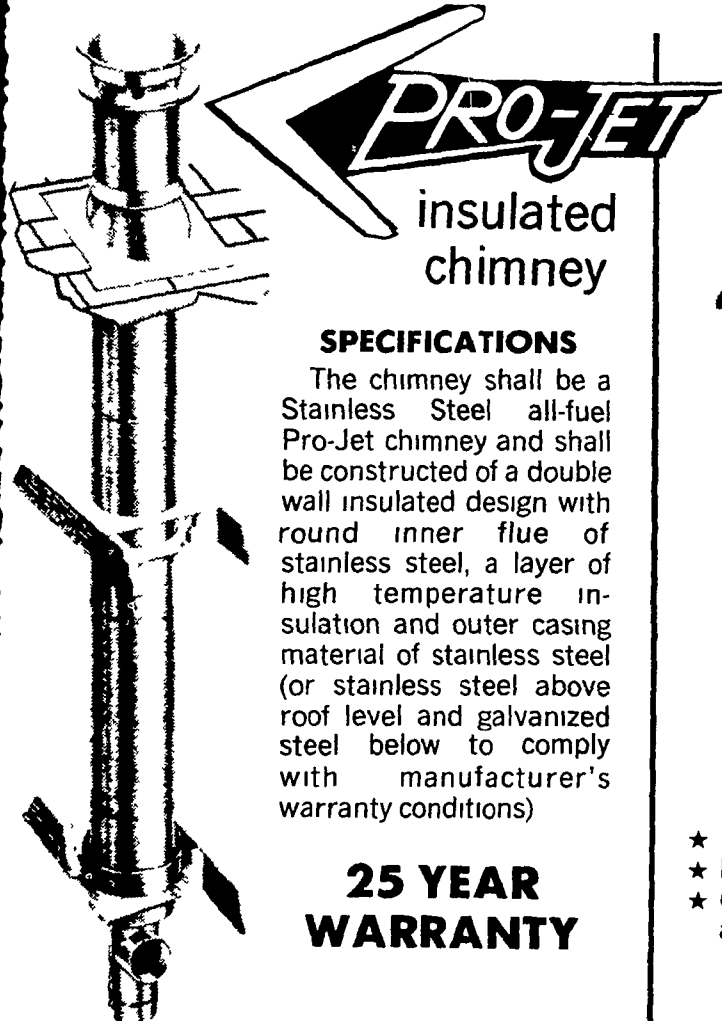
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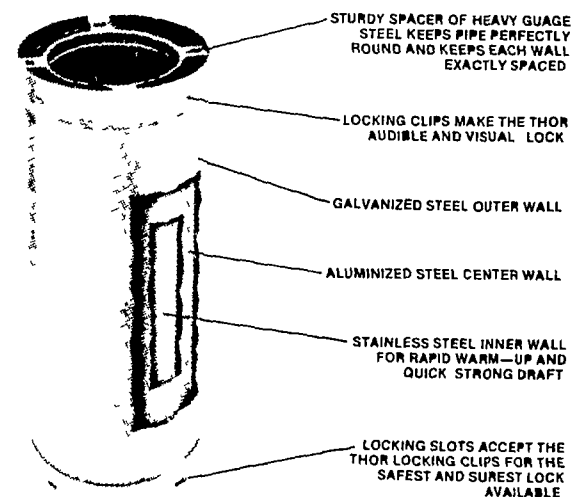
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