



The Pennsylvania Department of Highways, (PennDOT) hasn't been able to keep up with the thistles this year, as is being evidenced by these pictures taken



at the interchange of U.S. Route 30 and Prospect Road in Lancaster County. The thistles are all along the roadsides, median strips, and adjacent to farmers'

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Thistles aren't a cash crop

Opinion - by Dieter Krieg

Thistles along Pennsylvania's roadsides are more abundant this year than ever before, allegedly because the state doesn't have the

funds to keep the noxious weeds under control

But the obvious question that must be asked is

If the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation (PennDOT) is claiming that it has insufficient funds to build and repair roads, plow snow in the Winter and keep weeds mowed in the Summer, then what in the world are they doing with all of our money?

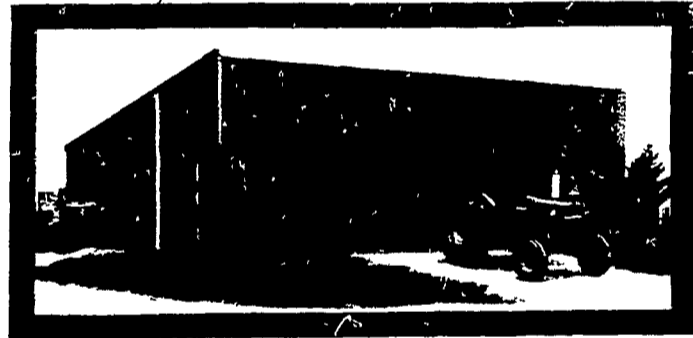
The sight of thistles along the Keystone State's roads is not only an eyesore for everyone passing by,

they're a nuisance to farmers and anyone trying to keep a weed-free garden or lawn.

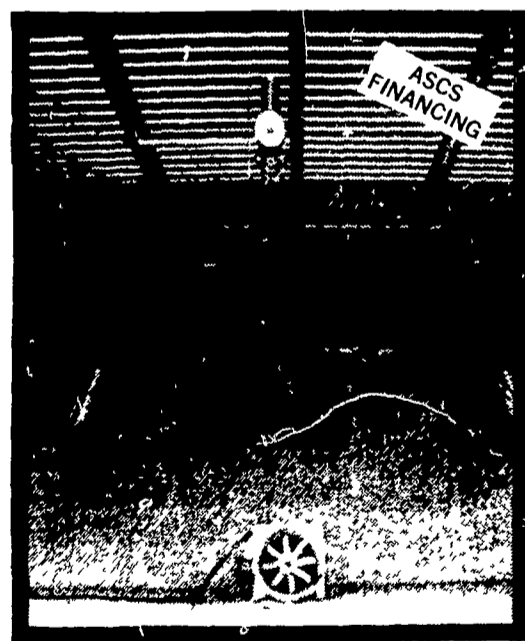
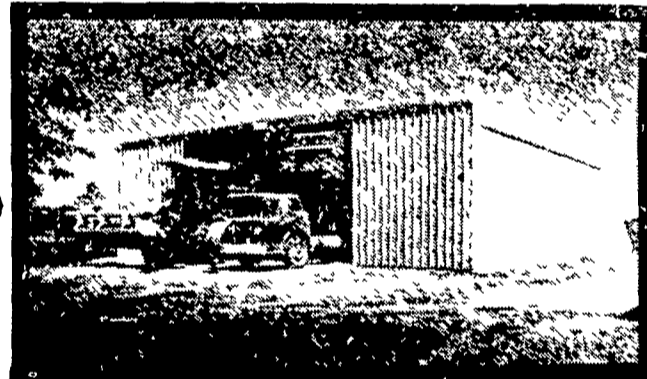
Farmers try very hard to have clean fields, knowing that yields can be cut drastically if the weeds are left to go out of control. They pay dearly for their efforts with many hours of hard work and a sizable portion of whatever money is left over after taxes. But those tax dollars don't

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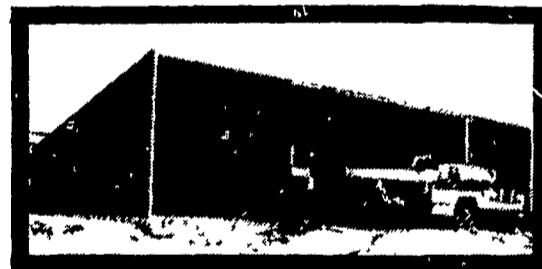
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