

# Dwight Houser earns American Farmer Degree

LAMPETER - Dwight Houser of Lampeter has been nominated to receive the American Farmer Degree, highest degree presented by the National FFA Organization. The Lancaster County youth was nominated for the degree by the Pennsylvania FFA Association. The nomination was approved at a recent meeting of the National FFA Board of Directors in Alexandria, Va. One of 807 FFA members nominated

for the American Farmer Degree Dwight will receive the degree in a special ceremony on Thursday, November 9, pending a final vote of approval of 122 student delegates representing over half a million FFA members.

Travel awards will be presented to American Farmer Degree recipients to offset their travel expenses to the National FFA Convention in Kansas City. The cash awards are sponsored



Dwight Houser

through the National FFA Foundation by J I Case Co. of Racine, Wisconsin; Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc., of Des Moines, Iowa; The Federal Land Bank Systems of the United States; Amoco Oil Co., of Chicago, Illinois, and The Chevrolet Motor Division, General Motors Corporation, of Detroit, Michigan. At the convention each American Farmer Degree recipient will be

presented a gold key and certificate by the National FFA Organization.

The American Farmer Degree is much sought after because it is presented to approximately one member in 700 of the 507,108 member organization. It is presented only by the National FFA Organization to members who have demonstrated exceptional agricultural and leadership achievements.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilbur Houser, Lampeter, Dwight currently has swine breeding and feeder pig production units in operation. He earned the American Farmer Degree on the basis of his farming program, leadership, activities, and community involvement. His instructor at Lampeter-Strasburg High School was Gerald Phillips of Willow Street.

## Trash sold for cash

PHILADELPHIA - In November, Pennsylvania residents can save energy, earn extra cash to help cover Fall and Winter heating costs and clean up the environment by recycling aluminum. The Reynolds Aluminum Recycling Company pays 17 cents per pound for all-aluminum beverage cans and other clean household aluminum at its recycling points in Pennsylvania.

"Recycling aluminum saves 95 per cent of the energy required to produce it from virgin materials," notes E.J. Kelly, district manager of the Reynolds Aluminum Recycling Company. "Energy savings of both electricity required to produce aluminum and fossil fuels needed to generate the electricity for the aluminum reduction process are accomplished by recycling."

Reynolds Aluminum Recycling Company pays 17 per pound for all-aluminum-

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Additional information is available by calling toll free 1-800-243-6000.

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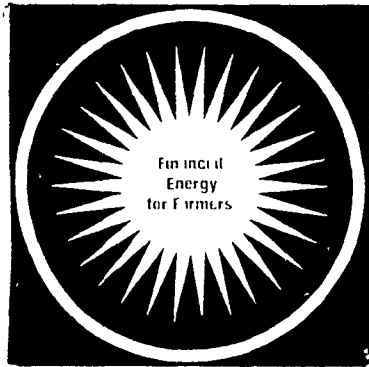
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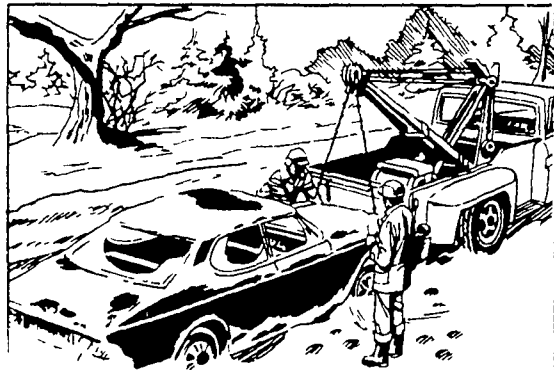
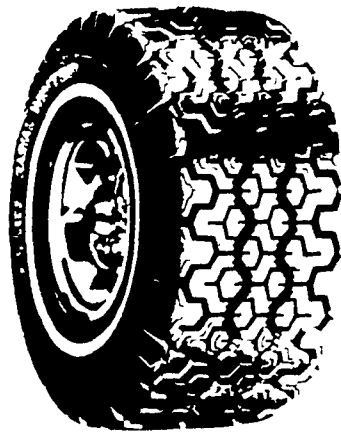
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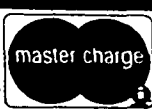
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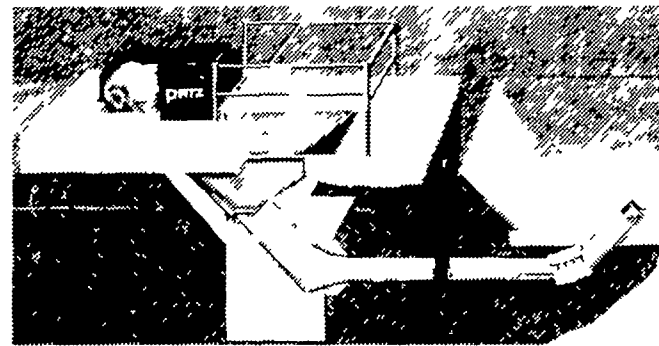


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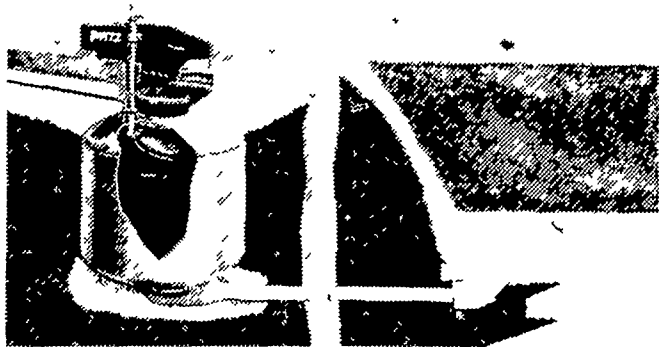
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