

Dairy Council comments on FDA labeling

LANCASTER — National Dairy Council has submitted a six-page commentary regarding food labeling regulations to the Food and Drug Administration.

It is in response to the tentative positions of FDA, Federal Trade Commission and United States Department of Agriculture in this area based on comments received during public hearings and an FDA Consumer Food Labeling survey in 1978.

NDC President M.F. Brink, in general, agrees with the consumer's need for nutrition information. But, he said, "Both scientifically and on behalf of the dairy industry, we must oppose certain aspects of the proposed labeling changes."

NDC's position with regard to specific issues raised on nutrition labeling is as follows:

Nutrition labeling should remain voluntary unless a nutrient has been added to the product or a nutrition claim has been made.

The nutrition labeling format should remain the same as currently stipulated in the regulations; a pictorial approach, for example, has not been shown to be effective.

Inclusion of information on total sugars in nutrition labeling is questionable; current labeling of total carbohydrate is sufficient.

Labeling of fatty acid and/or cholesterol should be required when claims about these substances are made. The statement, "Information on fat (and/or cholesterol as appropriate) content is provided for individuals who, on the advice of a physician, are modifying their dietary intake of fat (and/or cholesterol)," should not be eliminated from the nutrition label.

Sodium labeling should remain voluntary unless a claim about sodium content is made; similar regulations could apply to potassium.

Brink said NDC "fully

subscribes to the concept that consumers who desire nutrition information on the foods they purchase should have access to such information."

He added, however, that

the label "is but one way of providing consumer information, and other approaches, some of which may be complementary to the food label, should be explored."

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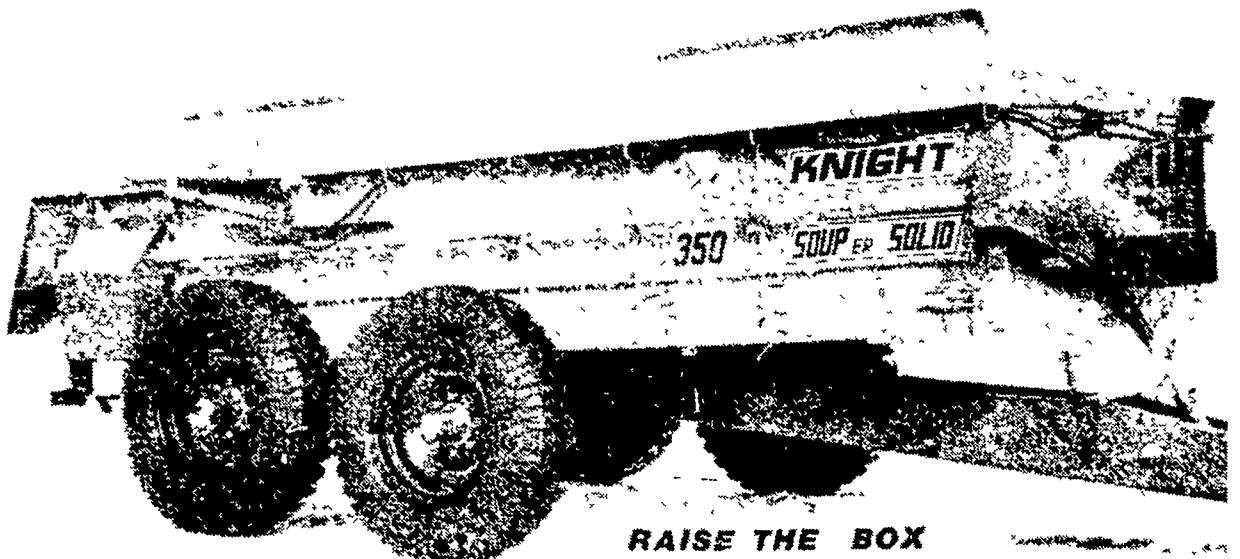
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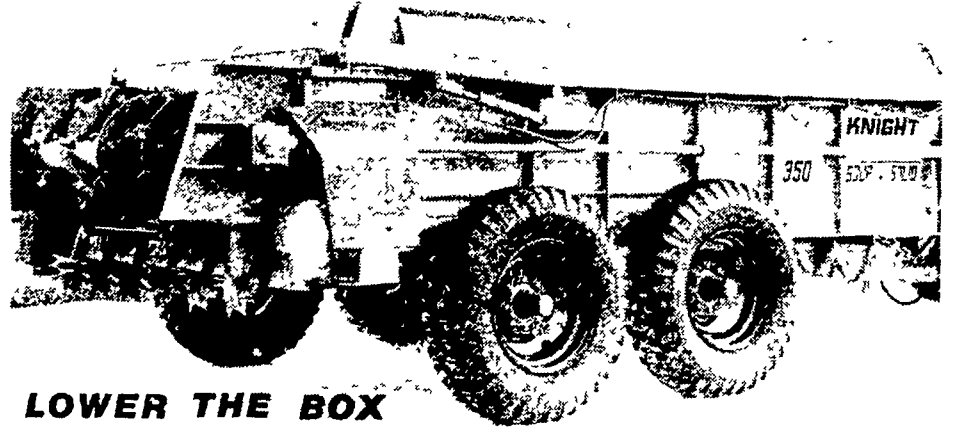
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