

Dairy insecticides recalled due to exploding cans

MEMPHIS, Tenn. — Certain pyrethrin-containing insecticides, packaged in aerosol containers and marketed in at least 31 states for insect control in dairy barns, are the subject of an extensive recall program.

The recall was initiated by Speer Product Inc., a division of Shurlo, Inc., Memphis, Tenn., because of a potential container rupture problem.

The Dow Chemical Company, a supplier of one of the aerosol components, is conducting the recall program for Speer. Due to the wide distribution, Dow has assembled and will direct field teams to retrieve the aerosol cans, in accordance

with the company's product stewardship commitment.

The insecticides, packaged in 2.25 pound (36 ounce) aerosol containers, are sold under the following labels—Aid Dairy Aerosol, Hubbard Dairy Aerosol, Coop Dairy Aerosol, Kent Dairy Aerosol, Pyrenone Dairy Aerosol, Golden Sun Aerosol, Fly Killer, Della-Mist Aerosol, Supersweet Dairy Aerosol and Bug-A-Boo Dairy Aerosol.

The products were formulated and packaged by Speer Products and were distributed by Aid Laboratories of Okeechobee, Fla., and by Hess and Clark of Ashland, Ohio.

Purchasers of the aerosol

insecticide are being notified and instructed to isolate the products and avoid unnecessary movement or agitation of the cans. The Environmental Protection Agency, state departments of agriculture, county extension agents and other associated interests have been alerted to the

recall program

Dairy farmers and others possessing the products are urged to call by collect telephone 901/767-0056, in order for a retrieval team representative to pick up the product and reimburse the dairy farmer, retailer or distributor

Representatives of Speer are warning farmers not to destroy or attempt to use the aerosol insecticide cans, but rather to call the above telephone number at the recall center in Memphis. Speer officials indicate the insecticide container problem could be related to the current heat wave

However, the cause of the problem is still under investigation

The potential for human injury and property damage from rupturing cans requires immediate recall even though the exact cause of the problem may not be determined for some time

Delaware names 10 for co-op institute

LAUREL, Del — Ten Delaware young people are attending the combined Pennsylvania Association of Farmer Cooperatives and American Institute of Cooperatives Summer Institutes on the campus of Penn State University at University Park, Pa., August 9 to 15.

The scholars were selected at the Delaware Youth Cooperative Training Session held in Dover in April.

Sponsorship of the youth to the Pennsylvania Association of Farmer Cooperatives Summer In-

stitute, usually held in July at Shippensburg State College, is made possible by scholarships donated by individual member organizations of the Delaware Council of Farmer Cooperatives.

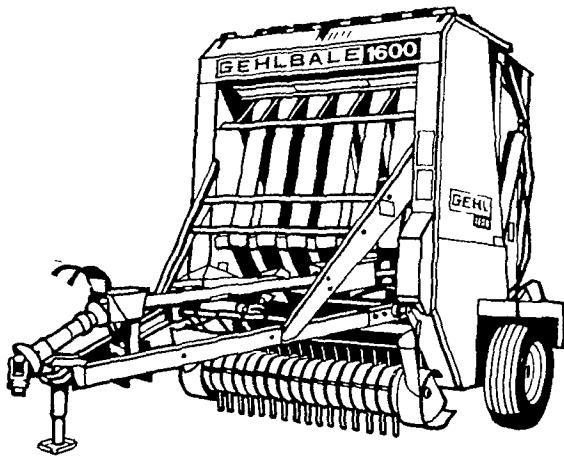
The balance of the all expense-paid trip, including the American Institute of Cooperatives' National Institute on Cooperative Education, is a long-time project of the Delaware Council.

Two of the youth scholars, Betsy Cook of Newark, and Janet Cannon of Bridgeville, who have had previous AIC

experience, have been designated as youth sectional chairpersons for the AIC sessions. Two adults, Daniel E. Harris, executive secretary of the Delaware Council, and Carl German, extension crops marketing specialist of the University of Delaware, will accompany the group and act as adult consultants.

The delegates and their sponsors are Clay Vincent, Laurel, sponsored by Agway Cannon Crops Center; Michael T. Schubert, Wilmington, sponsored by Agway Newark Store; Jeff Hartsock, Dover, sponsored by Eastern Milk Producers

Cooperative Association; Kim Moore, Bear, sponsored by Southern States Middletown Store; Martha Klair, Hockessin, sponsored by Southern States Newark Store; Brenda Clark, Greenwood, sponsored by Agway Dover Store; Clark Saunders, Laurel, sponsored by Southern States Dagsboro Store; Barbara Staats, Wyoming, sponsored by Agway Felton Crops Center; Betsy Cook, Newark, sponsored by Interstate Milk Producers Cooperative; and Janet Cannon, Bridgeville, sponsored by Southern States Milford Store.



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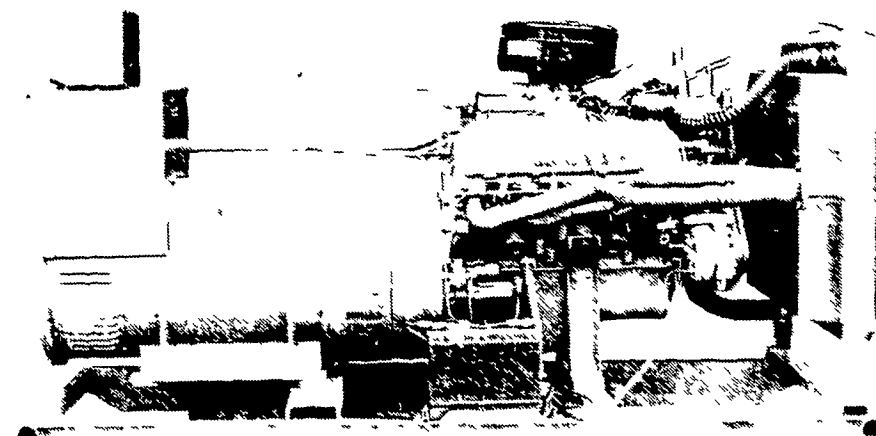
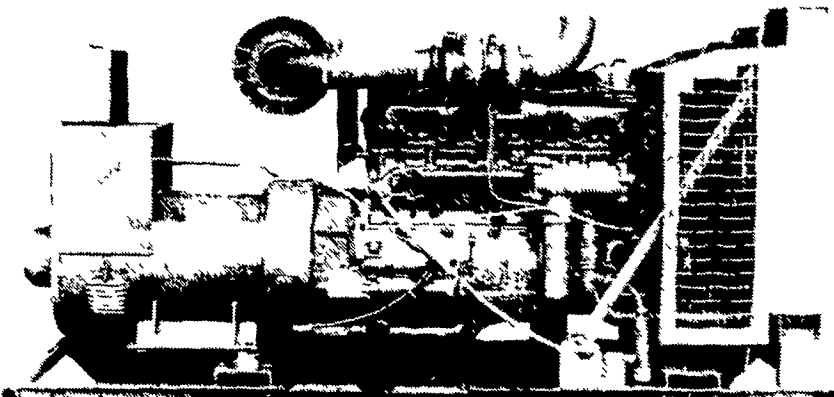
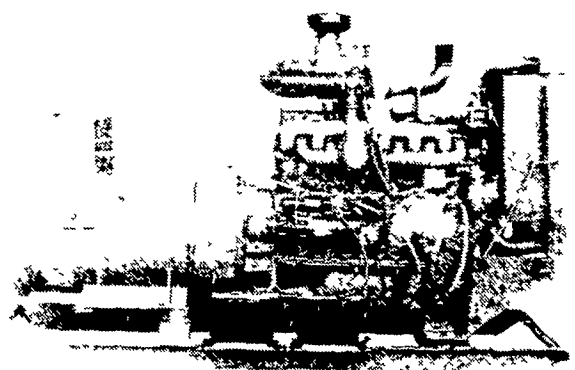
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