

# Northampton presents ag awards

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WIND GAP — Nine Northampton county residents were honored by the county's three agriculture services, the Cooperative Extension Service, the Conservation District, and the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service at the combined annual dinner meeting last week.

Mrs. James Kilgore of Nazareth, was cited for her 30 years of extension service including 23 years as a 4-H leader.

The county's agricultural award was given to Robert H. Jones of Bath. Jones served 12 years on the extension board and has been active in many county agricultural organizations.

Orchardist Warren Shoemaker of Mt Bethel received a certificate

for servicing six years on the executive committee.

The extension awards were presented by Dr. W. Harry Schaffer, assistant Director of the Cooperative Extension Service.

John Linde Jr., manager of Northampton Farm Bureau, and Harold Fabian of Bethlehem received the Friends of 4-H awards.

The Conservation District presented its education award to B.H. Cole and its conservation farmer award to Paul Richards.

ASCS length of service awards were given to Clarence Fehnel and Robert Jones.

Clifford Jones, secretary of the Department of Environmental Resources was guest speaker.

Jones announced the allocation of \$163,000 in state funds for the construction of facilities at the

Jacobsburg State Park located off Route 33 between Wind Gap and Easton. The money will be used for the construction of an amphitheater, rehabilitation and preservation of the Benade house, construction of a pedestrian, bride and construction of a group camping facility.

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## Dairylea names vice president

PEARL RIVER, N.Y. — Richard G. Houston has been appointed Vice President for Administration at Dairylea Cooperative, Pearl River, NY. The announcement was made by Edgar T. Mertz, chief executive officer of Dairylea.

Before joining Dairylea, the Northeast's largest marketer of milk and milk products, Houston held a senior management position at Philadelphia Quartz Corporation.

Previously he had been vice president of purchasing at H J Heinz Co and earlier, Director of West Coast Distribution for Proctor and Gamble.

At Dairylea, Houston will initially be responsible for purchasing, transportation, industrial relations and loss control functions, Mertz said.

Houston holds a BSIM degree from the University of California.



Richard G. Houston

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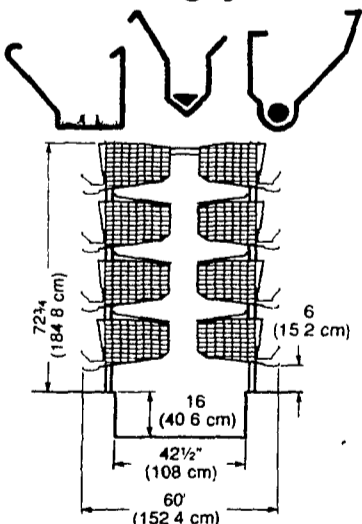
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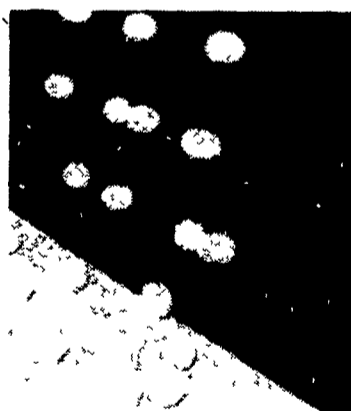


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