

IH promotes Elliott

CHICAGO, Ill. — George C. Elliott, formerly staff vice president, worldwide purchasing for International Harvester, has been appointed senior vice president for IH's Agricultural Equipment Group.

Irvin E. Aal, president of the Agricultural Equipment Group,

said Elliott will be responsible for product planning, marketing, sales, quality and reliability. These functions previously reported to Aal before his promotion on April 19, 1984 to group president.

Elliott joined IH in September, 1981 as director of transportation. He was appointed director, purchasing in March 1982 and was named staff vice president, worldwide purchasing in June, 1983.

New vet joins Select Sires

PLAIN CITY, Oh. — Dr. Robert Milburn recently joined Select Sires, Inc. as Associate Veterinarian. In this position, Dr. Milburn will assist with the herd health aspects of more than 750 bulls.

Dr. Milburn is a native of Illinois and a graduate of Southern Illinois University in Animal Industries. At the University of Illinois in

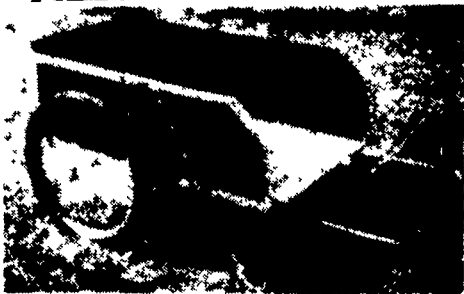
Champaign, Dr. Milburn completed a B.S. program in Veterinary Medicine as well as a D.V.M.

Dr. Milburn spent two years in Washington as a veterinarian in a mixed-practice where he became acquainted with many types of beef and dairy operations. He has more recently worked in Wisconsin as a food animal practitioner.

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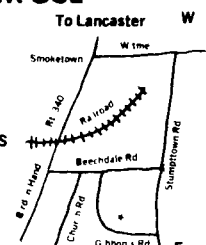
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"The 88-page handbook is called Small Farms - Livestock Buildings and Equipment, and it can help you plan, design and construct facilities for livestock," says University of Delaware extension agricultural engineer Jim Scarborough. "It can also help you adapt or modify existing buildings on your farm."

The handbook includes guidelines for basic farmstead planning, site selection and space planning. A livestock chapter gives housing requirements for swine, beef, dairy cattle, goats, horses, sheep, poultry and rabbits. To reduce production costs, enclosed housing using natural ventilation is emphasized. The

sections on swine, dairy and poultry also tell how to provide warm housing for birthing, nursing and raising your livestock.

One chapter covers materials and construction techniques including remodeling of old barns. Lumber selection, roofing, siding, and concrete work for a new barn are also discussed.

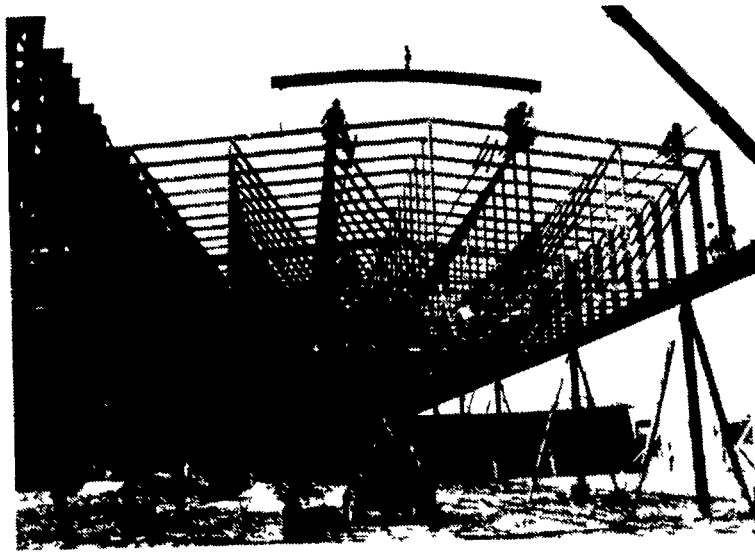
Other chapters cover such important topics as utilities, ventilation and environmental controls, waste and pest management, and fencing. A separate 30-page section contains plans for do-it-yourself fencing, housing, feeding, and other structures.

"Small Farms - Livestock Buildings and Equipment," NRAES-6, is available for \$4. To obtain a copy, write Extension Agricultural Engineer — Plan Service, 058 Townsend Hall, University of Delaware, Newark, DE 19717-1303. Make checks payable to University of Delaware.



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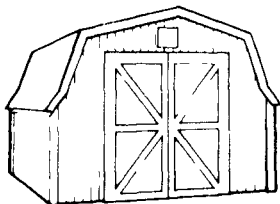
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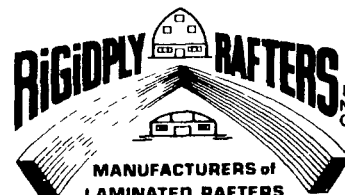
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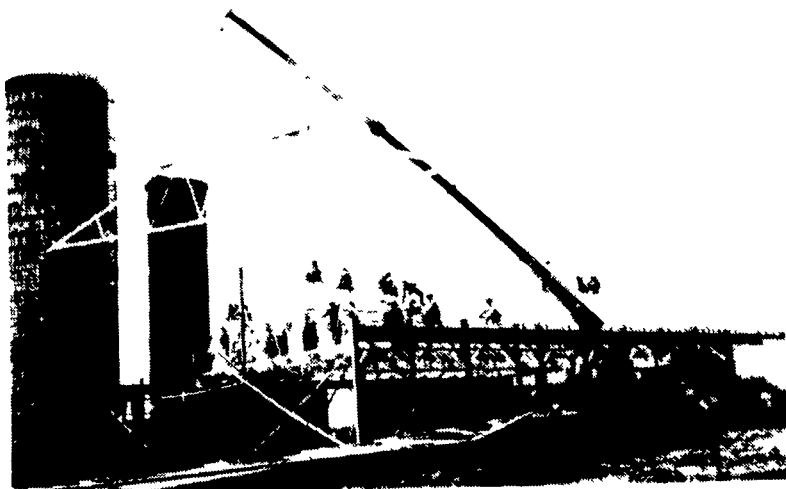
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