## 3 corn, 3 alfalfas and bean announced

services, the three new AgriPro

corn hybrids are AP-391, AP-510

and AP-655. "AP-391 is a very high-

yielding variety for its maturity,'

Bower said. "It has very good eye

appeal, with a medium-length

girthy ear, very good to excellent ear retention, and very good stalk

and root strength." A key feature

of this new hybrid, Bower added, is

its performance capability in a

AP-510 is an excellent-yielding

hybrid that also has very good

stalk and root strength, Bower

continued. "In addition, it has low ear placement for improved late

The third corn hybrid, AP-655,

has good yield potential and excellent root and stalk strength, Bower noted. "It's also considered

to have bery good stay-green

characteristics, which gives this

wide range of environments.

season standability."

soybean blend, all offering high name, AgriPro. yields and disease resistance, have heen

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hybrid very good late-season standability and plant health ratings," Bower said.

AgriPro's three new alfalfas are named Dart, Arrow and Excel. Dart is an early-maturing, allpurpose variety with very highyielding potential. It's also resistant to anthracnose, fusarium wilt, Phytophthora root rot. bacterial wilt and Verticillium wilt.

Dart also shows excellent persistence. The second new AgriPro alfalfa, Excel, has a high level of resistance to Phytophthora root

rot, Fusarium wilt and bacterial wilt AgriPro's newest soybean is

known as AP-3990. AP-3990 is a high-yielding, early Group IV blend that meets the needs of soybean growers in the Williams to Mitchell maturity.

Although NAPB has been marketing seed varieties under several brand names, including Migro in corn, RP in alfalfa and Agripro in soybeans, all new and existing varieties will now be consolidated under the brand name of AgriPro.

### **Meadville Farm Credit to meet**

MEADVILLE - On Oct. 18, the Farm Credit Associations of Meadville will hold their Annual Stockholders' Meeting at the Saegertown High School at 7:45 **P.M**.

The farmer/stockholders of the Meadville Production Credit Association and Federal Land Bank Association will convene to elect directors and to conduct the business of their cooperative.

This year's theme is "Farm Credit Supports Farm Youth." Over 120 youth have been especially invited to attend the Annual Meeting. These youth were the direct recipients of a trophy, banner, 4-H record keeping award,

FFA award, or dairy princess donation which Farm Credit sponsored; some had their animals purchased by Farm Credit at the livestock sales.

4-H record keeping youth will be looking forward with anticipation to the announcement at Annual Meeting of the county winner in the 4-H record keeping contest sponsored by Farm Credit in conjunction with Extension. The winners in Crawford, Erie, Mer-Venango, and Warren cer, Counties will receive their top prize of a computer at Annual Meeting.

There will also be entertainment, door prizes, and refreshments.

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