

## Malinzak Named PACDD President

HARRISBURG — Fayette County Conservation District director, Frank L. Malinzak, has been elected the new president of the Pennsylvania Association of Conservation District Directors Inc., a statewide, nonprofit organization representing the state's 66 county conservation districts. Conservation districts are local units of government whose purpose is to develop and direct a county's soil and water conservation programs.

Mr. Malinzak has served on the Fayette County Conservation District board since 1968 and has been an active director at the state level, having recently served as PACDD vice president and committee chairman. Appointed as an "urban" or non-farm director, he brings to the conservation districts a wealth of experience from past political and state positions. From 1965-67, Malinzak served as a member of the Pennsylvania House of Representatives. For the next five years, he was chairman of the Fayette County Board of County Commissioners and a member of

the Fayette County Local Government Advisory Commission and County Board of Assistance.

During the 1970s, Malinzak worked in top positions in the Departments of Auditor General, Commerce, and Property and Supplies.

Currently, Frank and his wife, Edith, reside in Dauphin. Malinzak is now a licensed realtor with Century 21 Breneman Associates, of Harrisburg, where he has worked since 1981.

Joining Mr. Malinzak on PACDD's Executive Board are:

- 1) Ira J. Haire, first vice president (Bradford Co.).
- 2) Martin Horn, second vice president (Centre Co.).
- 3) James Bear, treasurer (Cumberland Co.).
- 4) David Mankamy, secretary (Somerset Co.).

Former association president, Walter R. Rossman, Cambria County, now serves as PACDD's representative to the National Association of Conservation Districts.

## 2 Bulls Enter Testing

DEFOREST, Wisc. — Two young Holstein bulls, Henry-Acres Jason Everett-ET and Henry-Acres Jason Eustace-ET bred by Ray and Glen Henry of Henry Acres in Port Royal, have entered the American Breeders Service Progeny Testing Program.

They have been moved to that company's facilities at DeForest, Wisconsin, where they will join

approximately 200 other bulls being tested this year.

Henry-Acres Jason Everett-ET and Henry-Acres Jason Eustace-ET are the results of a mating between Pinta-Lane Conductor Jason, +\$131, +541 M and +60 BF and Middessa Rora Ela. Their dam has production records to 34,585 lbs. of milk. She is classified EX-92 and is sired by Round Oak Rag Apple Elevation.

## Case IH Refines 900 Series Planters

RACINE, Wisc. — Case IH continues to refine its Early Riser planting design with the introduction of the 900 Series of Cyclo Air and plate planters. First introduced in 1971, the 900 Series is the third generation of Cyclo Air planters, still unmatched for seeding accuracy, simplicity and productive design.

The new 900 Series features Early Riser row units that produce uniform and fast plant emergence under an even wider range of tillage conditions than previous Case IH models. The flexibility of the Early Riser planters allows planting in conventional, minimum-till and no-till conditions without time-consuming and costly equipment change-overs.

### Increased Performance and Reliability

The unique design of the Early Riser row unit, found on both Case IH Cyclo Air and plate planters, allows it to perform effectively in most tillage systems without requiring expensive colters. The new 900 Series units provide longer life, improved operation and the capability to fine-tune adjustments to varying conditions.

Proven Early Riser features include staggered seed opener disks, equalizing depth gauge wheels and a patented furrow firming point. The unique staggered-disk design allows the leading disk to easily penetrate soil and plant residues in tough no-till conditions.

The equalizing linkage on every Early Riser row unit works to closely gauge planting depth, especially important in rough minimum-till conditions.

Early Riser openers provide a narrow trench with a new furrow firming point that forms a firm, well-defined "V" furrow bottom. This results in optimum depth control, seed placement and germination.

### Increased Simplicity

The Cyclo Air metering system,



Case's 900 Series Cyclo Air and plate planters are available in 4- to 16-row models and five frame styles.

now widely accepted by farmers, provides accurate population control. The seed drum allows 127 different population options simply by changing sprocket ratios, with the population count remaining constant regardless of the ground speed. The Cyclo Air system thus cuts seed waste and improves yields.

The 900 Series Cyclo Air planters offer simplicity and convenience in metering with just three basic moving parts. This system significantly improves accuracy and allows the planter to utilize a wider range of seed sizes and shapes compared to plate or other mechanical metering systems.

The Cyclo Air system is designed to save time by planting up to 8 mph with population accuracy. The metering system's three basic moving parts require less maintenance and change-over time than competitive models.

### Other New Features

New, narrower frames on four- and six-row trailing planters allow planting closer to fence rows, easier transport and more efficient storage.

Larger, 9.5L x 14-inch tires on wide-row trailing units provide a footprint that is 22 percent greater than previous Case IH models.

Trailing 900 Series planters also

feature a new, compact, unitized seed drive mechanism. Located at the carrier wheel and composed of few parts, the mechanism is enclosed to shield it from trash and moisture.

### Plate Planter Reliability

The 900 Series plate planters have been redesigned for longer wear and more accurate seed delivery. Hopper bottoms feature a new cast bottom assembly for longer wear life.

A newly-designed seed tube improves seed delivery by allowing the seed to follow its natural trajectory with minimal seed bounce in the tube.

### 900 Series Options, Attachments

A new, optional monitor provides the farmer with specific information which ensures proper planting operation. It registers such details as population, average in-row spacing, high/low rows, and indicates the number of acres planted in digital readout form.

A new heavy-duty, 12-inch staggered disk furrowing attachment cleans a flat, full-width surface in front of row units. A new population transmission drive guard to protect against trash is another option, as are drive wheel rock guards and covers.

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