

30 YEARS AGO

THIS WEEK

-To avoid insecticide residues on vegetable crops, be certain to follow the recommendations given here and follow precaution on containers, says Association County Agent Harry S. Sloat.

Do not increase the concentration that is suggested. Amounts of insecticide given for 100 gallons of spray assumes that you are using about 150 gallons of spray per acre. Where amounts are given on an acre basis, use that amount regardless of gallons of water used.

-Starting this issue, LANCASTER FARMING offers a new service to its readers, the Urner Barry New York Egg Quotations.

These egg prices are in addition to the Philadelphia prices now carried weekly.

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-Pennsylvania produced sweet corn made its first appearance on local markets during the week ended Monday as other vegetables matured rapidly, the State Department of Agriculture reported today.

A federal-state survey showed early sweet corn was being marketed in the southeastern area while the harvesting of early Lancaster County tomatoes, became lighter

as the season progressed.

-All kinds of fruit produced in Pennsylvania, except grapes, are expected to be more plentiful this year than last, the State Department of Agriculture declared Monday.

-A registered Jersey owned by Jesse Osborne & Son, R1 Peach Bottom turned in the highest 305 day record in the Red Rose Dairy Herd Improvement Assn. for the

month of May. She produced 9,151 pounds of milk and 578.4 pounds of butterfat.

-An emergency feed grain program designed to maintain foundation herds of cattle, sheep and goats in designated disaster areas, similar to programs in effect in previous recent years, was announced today by the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Under this year's program, eligible farmers and stockmen in designated disaster areas may obtain Federal assistance amounting to \$1.00 per hundred weight in the purchase of feed grains. The grains must be used for the maintenance of foundation herds of cattle, sheep and goats.

McNamara VP Of PFU

MILESBERG — The Pennsylvania Farmers Union Board of Directors selected Scott McNamara of Meadville to fill out the term of Allen Deiter as Pennsylvania Farmers Union Vice-President. Mr. Deiter became President of the Organization when Dave Stetler resigned last May to take a position with the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture.

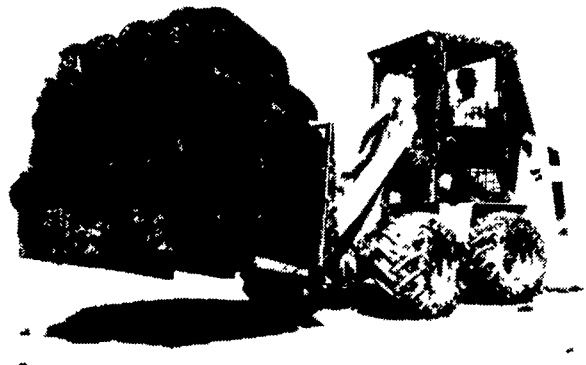
McNamara farms in a partnership with two brothers, Mark and Jeff. Their 1,000 acre operation supports 150 steers and a cow/calf operation as well as a milking herd of 100 holsteins. They market their milk through the Farmers Union Milk Producers Association

located in Stoneboro, Pennsylvania. The principle crops grown are corn and alfalfa. Their farming operation is well known throughout the Northwestern part of Pennsylvania as being a well run and efficient family farm.

McNamara served most recently as the President of the Crawford/Venango Counties Farmers Union. He also serves as President of the Crawford County Council of Farm Organizations. They are also dealers for Harvestone.

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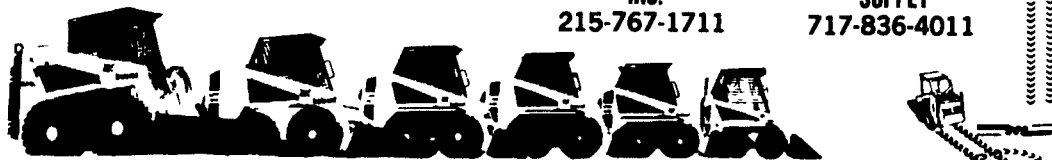
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