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runs through September 23. Wednesday, September 20 Penn State Agronomy field day, Penn State agronomy research farm, Rock Springs Agricultural Research Center, Rock Springs, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Delmarva Broiler Housing and Flock Supervisors' conference, Delmarva Convention Center,

Delmar, Md., 7:15 p.m. Solanco Fair, Quarryville; runs through September 22.

Thursday, September 21 Newspaper Bedding Demonstration, Harry Troop farm, Cochranton, 11:00 a.m.; also at Dennis Bush farm, Cochranton, 1:00 p.m.

Oley Valley Community Fair, Oley; runs through September

St. Mary's County Fair, Leonardtown, Md.; runs through September 24.

Friday, September 22

Liquid Fish Fertilizer meeting, East Lawn Fire Co., Nazareth, Pa., 7:30 p.m.; for more information, call 215/759-7732.

Saturday, September 22 Bloomsburg Fair, Bloomsburg; runs through September 30. Sunday, September 24

Lake Country Holiday Hereford Sale, Timothy Dennis farm, Penn Yan, 1:00 p.m. Monday, September 25

Pennsylvania All American Dairy Show, Farm Show complex, Harrisburg; runs through September 29.

Pennsylvania Association of Farmer Cooperatives' annual meeting, Sheraton Harrisburg West; runs through September

Tuesday, September 26 Ephrata Fair, Ephrata; runs through September 30. Morrison Cove Community Fair, Martinsburg; runs through September 29.

Wednesday, September 27 West Lampeter Community Fair, Lampeter; runs through September 29.

Pennsylvania Poultry Federation annual conference, Holiday Inn, Grantville; runs through September 28.

Calvert County Fair, Prince Frederick, Md.; runs through October 1.

Thursday, September 28 Eastern National Holstein Show, Harrisburg; runs through September 29.

Tri-Valley Community Fair, Heggins; runs through October 1. Eastern National Livestock Show, Timonium, Md.; runs through October 3.

Friday, September 29

Annual Greater Appalachian Llama Association conference, Oglesbay Park, Wheeling, W.Va.; runs through October 1. Saturday, September 30 Deadline for small grains crop

PFU Calls On State Legislature To Act On BST

Lancaster Farming, Saturday, September 16, 1989-A39

HARRISBURG (Dauphin Co.)— The Pennsylvania Farmers Union opposed to the use of Bovine Growth Hormones (BGH) in the production of dairy products called on the state legislature to ban the use of Bovine Somatotropin (BST) in dairy cows.

William Sturges, Executive Director of the PFU stated, "Many questions concerning the use of BST and its relationship to the economic impact it will have on our dairy industry, consumers demand for a pure food source, and the long-term effects of chemical imbalances due to hormonal increases still are unanswered. More studies need to be done before the use of growth hormones is accepted."

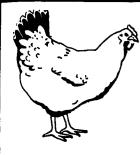
"It is important that both the

farmer and the consumer have trust in the product before them," said Allen Deiter, PFU President. "Now is not the time to tamper with the use of substances that have not been studied in-depth," continued Deiter.

"The use of BST would destroy consumer confidence in an industry that labels their products as pure and wholesome," added Sturges.

The Pennsylvania Farmers Union has proposed to the Legislature that Public Hearings be held as a tool to be used in gathering public opinion and more facts concerning the use of this hormone in dairy cows.

The Pennsylvania Farmers Union, a general farm organization, is dedicated to preserving the family farm.



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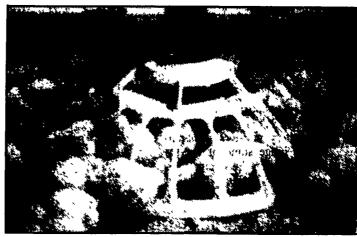
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