

Atlantic Dairy Cooperative Elects Officers, Directors

SOUTHAMPTON, (Bucks Co.)— Atlantic Dairy Cooperative's board of directors elected officers for the 1989-1990 fiscal year and announced the results of director elections at the cooperative's annual meeting Nov. 2-3.

Robert B. McSparran, Peach

Bottom, was elected to his 10th term as president of the 3,600-member cooperative. The Lancaster County dairy farmer has served on the board of directors for 23 years.

McSparran and his wife, Char-

lotte, own and operate a 300-acre farm and milk 60 Guernsey cows. They are in partnership with their son, John W.

Elected first vice president was Ivo V. Otto Jr., Carlisle. Otto has been a member of Atlantic for 29 years, serving on the board of directors for 22 years. He and his family operate a 300-acre farm in Cumberland County and milk 100 Holstein cows.

Elected to his third term as second vice president was Roy W. Hetrick, Bernville. Hetrick has been a director of Atlantic since 1974. He and his family operate a 870-acre farm in Berks County. They milk 275 Holstein cows and farm an additional 450 acres.

Also re-elected as officers were: Dr. Paul E. Hand, Warmin-

ster, secretary and general manager; Robert M. Dever, Philadelphia, assistant secretary and assistant general manager; and Evan L. Fineman, Philadelphia, treasurer. Hand, Dever and Fineman are employed by the cooperative at its Southampton headquarters.

In addition to the officers, the following directors were re-elected during their fall district meetings: Robert R. Gehman, Coopersburg, District B; William N. Hopkinns, Lewes, Del., District C; C. Rodman Myers, Thurmont, Md., District D; L. Elmer Vickers, Kearneysville, W.Va., District D1; and Charles E. Schilling, Petersburg, District G.

Also, David N. Noss, Port Royal, District J; Ivo V. Otto Jr., Carlisle, District K; Norman W. Sol-

lenberger, Fayetteville, District M; Andrew D. Stoltzfus, Morgantown, District O; J. Wade Groff, Lancaster, District S; and Robert B. McSparran, Peach Bottom, District T.

New to the board is Rhelda E. Royer, Lancaster, who was elected to her first term as director. She replaces Daniel L. Martin, Manheim, who retired from the board following 23 years of service.

The first woman elected an Atlantic director, Royer will represent District U.

Atlantic Dairy Cooperative, which represents dairy farm families in a seven-state region, marketed 3.36 billion pounds of milk in fiscal 1989, with a net margin of \$5.4 million.

FIEI Releases Tractor-Safety Manual

CHICAGO, IL. — The Farm and Industrial Equipment Institute has released a new illustrated manual outlining tips for safe use of wheeled agricultural tractors.

The 48-page booklet is intended to help communicate important safety information to owners, operators, service personnel and others who may be involved with agricultural tractors. The manual covers safe tractor inspection, start-up, operation, road transport, shutdown and maintenance. For example, it provides many valuable tips on avoiding side and rear overturns, and it stresses the importance of making sure tractors are equipped with rollover protective structures (ROPS).

The manual is designed for use with agricultural tractors in general. Thus, the Agricultural Tractor Safety Manual is suitable for old and new machines alike—regardless of make or model. However, it is not a substitute for the tractor and implement manufacturers' manuals.

The FIEI "Agricultural Tractor Safety Manual" was developed from the combined experience of several manufacturers—specifically, members of the Farm & Industrial Equipment Institute. Information in the manual is intended to augment specific safety information and teachings individual manufacturers and agricultural safety leaders publish.

The convenient size and attractive illustrations make the safety manual easy to use on the farm or ranch. In addition, it can be an aid to the safety information and educational activities of farm organizations, vocational agricultural schools, farm youth organizations, agricultural extension service and insurance companies.

Other FIEI safety manuals useful on the farm or ranch are available for skid steer loaders, portable grain augers, agricultural mowers, backhoe loaders, trenchers, and rough terrain forklifts.

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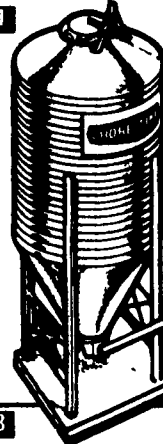
industrial, construction and utility equipment.

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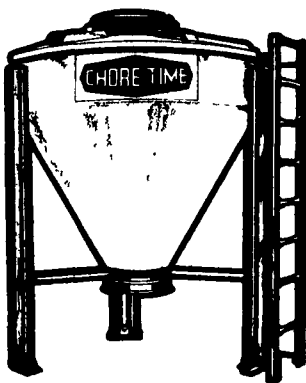
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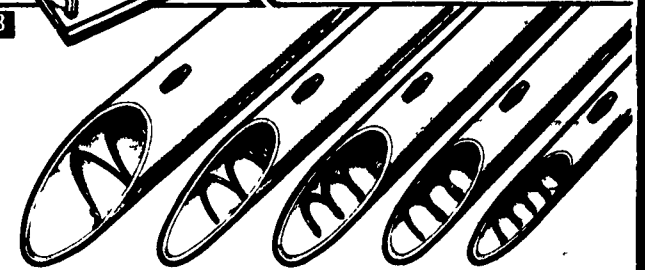
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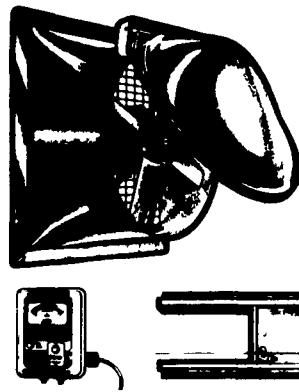
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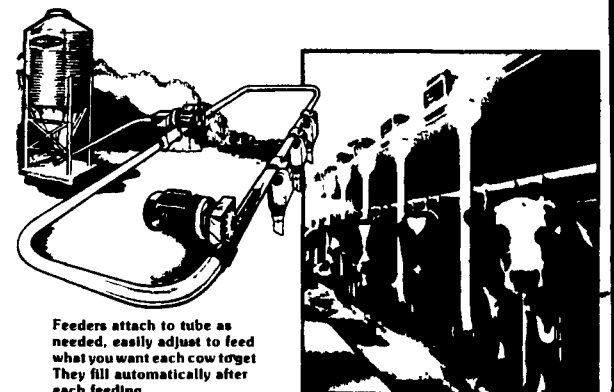
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