

Ida's Notebook

Ida Risser



June is the month of roses. This year I bought a bush that has salmon-colored flowers. They are very pretty but I still like the single-petaled bright pink ones that grow without any attention behind our house.

My father-in-law had a big rose garden and he spent time and money on it. Someday my husband wants to grow roses too. We had an old-fashioned very thick petaled rose in our yard when we moved here some forty years ago. But it got too much shade and it was crowded out by day lilies. It was so fragrant and I'd like to find another like it.

It has been quite dry in our area and I've been carrying water to my begonias, impatiens, and petunias. The flower seeds that I planted have not come up and my tiny parsley was too tender and died under the hot rays of the sun. I replanted the parsley as it is one

plant that I use a lot in cooking. As a result of the dry weather, my strawberries are not as big as they should be despite the fact that I laid a soaker hose on the rows.

There are three black cats and three kittens that live on my back porch. They depend on me to feed them but they also roam over the garden continually. This seems to keep the other animals out of the garden. Only a few strawberries were picked by the birds this year.

My iris were big and beautiful again this year. When our church had a May Luncheon I took a big bouquet along. We were to bring something that showed our interests. Some paintings were displayed, some needlework, and some framed photos taken on travels. People sat at the table that indicated the month of their birth. Somehow I ended up at a November table even though I have a May birthday.

TOWSON, MD — Dairy farmers of the Mid-Atlantic are sponsoring mini-ice cream festivals in Harrisburg and Reading to honor June Is Dairy Month.

The Middle Atlantic Milk Marketing Association will be serving everyone's favorite kind of ice cream — FREE ice cream — during dairy night with the Harrisburg Senators and the Reading Phillies.

Beginning with the first pitch of the game Turkey Hill, Hersheys, Friendly's and Haagen Dazs will be dipping and scooping ice cream and frozen yogurt to all the fans.

WGAL-TV of Lancaster will join MAMMA in reaching consumers about the goodness of milk and dairy products through pre-event television publicity and coverage of the event.

Also, WGAL-TV on-air personalities will challenge the Harrisburg Senators and the Reading Phillies in the popular celebrity cow-milking contests. Pennsylvania's Secretary of Pennsylvania's dairy princesses will be serving cold chocolate milk to fans as they enter the gate. In Harrisburg the chocolate milk is provided by Lenkerbrook Farms and Turkey Hill. Clover Farms and Wengerts are providing the chocolate milk in Reading.

Dairy night in Harrisburg is Friday, June 14, when the Senators meet the Canton Indians. Game time is 7:05 p.m. Dairy Day with the Reading Phillies is Sunday, June 23. Game time is 1:05 p.m. The cow-milking contests will be held just prior to the game.

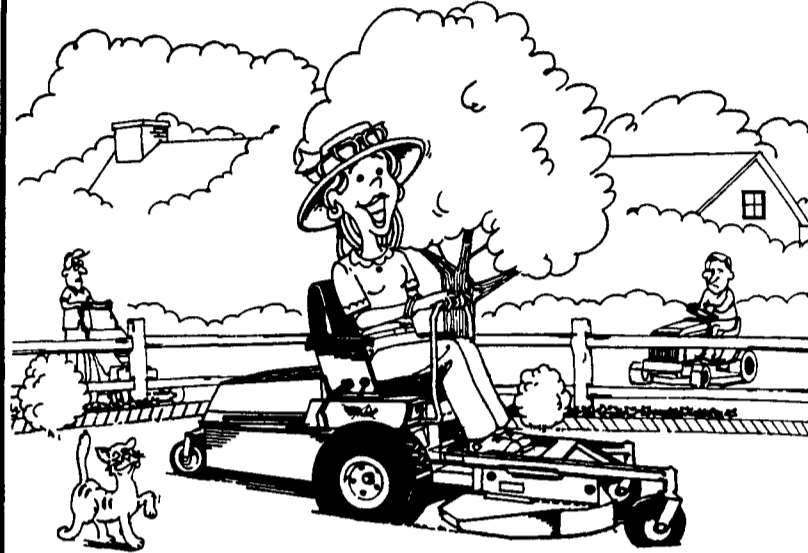
Frederick Keys and Hagerstown Suns

The Frederick Keys and the Hagerstown Suns, farm teams of the Baltimore Orioles, will feel right at home this year when MAMMA brings the farm to them, the dairy farm that is.

GRASSHOPPER

#1 IN ITS CLASS

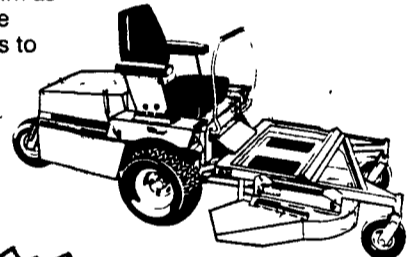
By Leading Consumer Magazine



For The Classiest Act (And Lawn) In Town!

Talk about class Grasshopper manures your lawn the easiest and fastest way. Grasshopper's true zero-turning radius and natural, instinctive dual lever steering, combined with an outfront deck and dual hydrostatic drive, let you trim as you mow and reach areas where other mowers can't go. No gears to shift. No pedals to push.

Grasshopper models start with this 11-hp Mini-Hopper with either 35-inch or 41-inch cutting decks and up to 25 hp, with cutting widths to 72". Available with Quik-D-Tatch Vac® Grasscatcher.



CALL ABOUT OUR JUNE SPECIALS

OUTFRONT SINCE 1970
GRASSHOPPER
YOUR NEXT MOWER

Ask Your Grasshopper Dealer For A Demonstration Today!

PENNSYLVANIA

BERKS CO.
ERB & HENRY
EQUIPMENT, INC.
New Berlinville, PA 19545
Ph. 215-367-2169

JOHN'S MOWER
SERVICE
Bornville, PA
Ph. 215-488-1944

CHESTER CO.
CONWAY POWER
EQUIPMENT
West Chester, PA 19380
Ph. 215-696-6198

STOLTZFUS FARM
SERVICE
Cochranville, PA 19330
Ph. 215-593-2408

LORDS EQUIPMENT
Elverson, PA 19520
Ph. 215-286-9101

COLUMBIA CO.
W.F. WELLIVER
Bloomsburg, PA 17815
Ph. 717-437-2430

CUMBERLAND CO.
PETERMAN FARM
EQUIPMENT
Carlisle, PA 17013
Ph. 717-249-5338

DELAWARE CO.
JONES MOWER
EQUIPMENT
Chambersburg, PA 17201
Ph. 717-375-4455

LANCASTER CO.
MESSICK FARM
EQUIPMENT
Elizabethtown, PA 17022
Ph. 717-367-1319

GREEN ACRES
LAWN & GARDEN
Litz, PA 17543
Ph. 717-626-0547

LAWN CARE OF PA
Martindale, PA 17549
Ph. 215-445-4541

LEBANON CO.
UMBERGERS OF
FONTANA
Lebanon, PA 17042
Ph. 717-867-5181

MARTIN'S HARDWARE
& EQUIPMENT
Newmanstown, PA 17073
Ph. 717-949-6817

MONTGOMERY CO.
DIRT & CHIPS INC.
Hafield, PA 19440
Ph. 215-822-6896

YORK CO.
STRALEY FARM
SUPPLY INC.
Dover, PA 17315
Ph. 717-292-2631
717-292-4443

RITZMANN'S
SERVICE
Shrewsbury, PA 17361
Ph. 717-235-2620

MARYLAND

BALTIMORE CO.
LLOYD W. REYNOLDS
Reisterstown, MD 21136
301-833-2379

CECIL CO.
PELACH EQUIP CO.
Elkton, MD 21921
Ph. 301-398-6116

HARFORD CO.
HICKORY
INTERNATIONAL INC.
Bel Air, MD 21014
Ph. 301-838-4200

WASHINGTON CO.
ROWLAND'S
CHAIN SAW
Hagerstown, MD 21740
Ph. 301-790-3313

DELAWARE

NEW CASTLE CO.
D-S TURF
EQUIPMENT CO.
Wilmington, DE 19801
Ph. 302-655-2790

WOODWARDS LAWN
& OUTDOOR POWER
Middletown, DE
Ph. 302-378-2849

SUSSEX CO.
MISPELLION SALES
& SERVICE
Milford, DE
Ph. 302-422-2140

NEW JERSEY

CUMBERLAND CO.
WEAVER'S
LAWN & GARDEN
Vineland, NJ 08360
Ph. 609-696-9398

GLOUCESTER CO.
PEACH COUNTRY
FORD TRACTOR INC.
Richwood, NJ 08070
Ph. 609-589-3953

HUNTERDON CO.
ADAM'S LAWN
LAND MAINTENANCE
Flemington, NJ 08822
Ph. 201-996-3105

MERCER CO.
PENNINGTON
SALES & SERVICE
Pennington, NJ 08534
Ph. 609-737-0445

MIDDLESEX CO.
H.H. LAWN
EQUIPMENT
Middletown, NJ
Ph. 201-271-4058

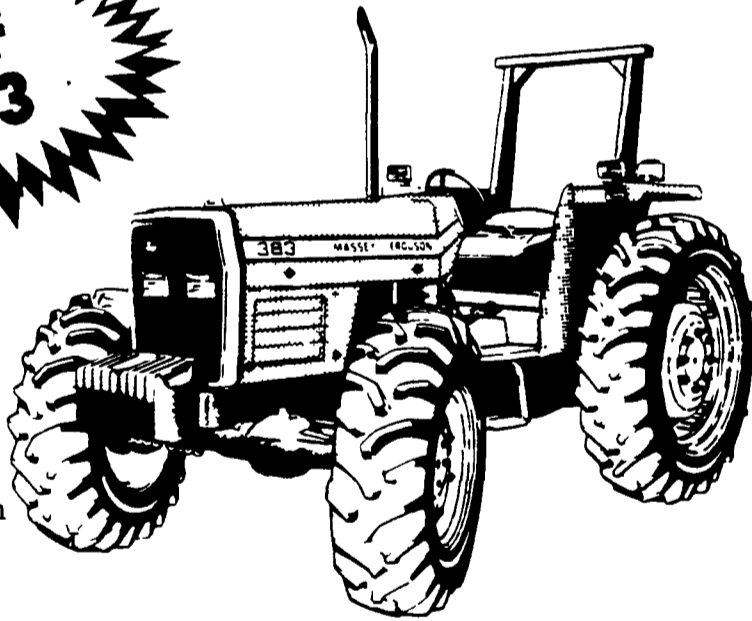
MONMOUTH CO.
MOBILE LAWN
MOWER & TRACTOR
Noptune, NJ
Ph. 201-922-1210

W.H. POTTER
& SONS, INC.
Middletown, NJ 07748
Ph. 201-671-0552

MORRIS CO.
RIVERDALE POWER
MOWER INC.
Riverdale, NJ 07457
Ph. 201-831-1199

Best Buy

M-F
383



- Reliable 73 PTO hp Perkins engine
- Smooth-shifting 8-speed transmission
- Advanced Ferguson hydraulics give unequalled implement control
- Live 540 rpm PTO
- Choose 2WD or 4WD

Value Leader



MASSEY-FERGUSON

ARNETT'S GARAGE
Rt 9 Box 125
Hagerstown, MD 21740
(301) 733-0515

S.G. LEWIS AND SON
West Grove, PA 19390
(215) 869-9440
869-2214

PEOPLE'S SALES & SERVICE
Oakland Mills, PA 17076
(717) 463-2735

SCHREFFLER EQUIPMENT
Pitman, PA 17964
(717) 648-1120

R.W. KELLER SALES
Perkasie, PA 18944
(215) 257-0101

GUS FARM EQUIPMENT
Seven Valleys, PA 17360-0085
(717) 428-1967

LEBANON VALLEY
IMPLEMENT CO.
700 E. Linden St.
Richland, PA 17087
(717) 866-7518

TRIPLE H EQUIPMENT
Peach Bottom, PA 17563
(717) 548-3775

CTF SALES & SERVICE, INC.
Comly's Turf Farm, Inc.
Forest Grove Rd
Wycombe, PA 18980
(215) 598-7157

M.M. WEAVER & SON
N. Groffdale Rd.
Leola, PA 17540
(717) 656-2321

N.H. FLICKER &
SONS, INC.
Maxatawny, PA 19538
(215) 683-7252