

## N.E. DHIA Calibrates Meters

ITHACA, N.Y. — National Cooperative Dairy Herd Improvement Program Rules, Section 3 Standard Equipment and Methods states: All equipment and procedures must conform to the standards and methods set forth by the NCDHIP Policy Board and State regulatory agency.

All equipment, including that

owned by members, must be checked for accuracy according to quality certification standards to ensure that it is operating within the tolerance established by the NCDHIP policy board. Any equipment out of tolerance must be removed from service and repaired before further use.

The quality certification stan-

dards require that all metering devices used for making official records have their calibration checked whenever a problem is suspected, no less often than once each 12 months.

Northeast DHIA supervisors use about 3,100 meters. In order to insure accuracy and comply with National DHIA quality certifica-

tion rules, Northeast DHIA has a meter van that travels the Northeast, (New Jersey, Connecticut, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Maine and New York) from spring through summer.

The van is equipped to check the calibration, calibrate and repair meters and scales. The van,

managed by Laverne Murdock, has just come home for the winter having finished its last trip until next spring.

Whenever a supervisor suspects a problem with the DHIA meter, any time of the year, they send it into the DHIA center through the truck system.



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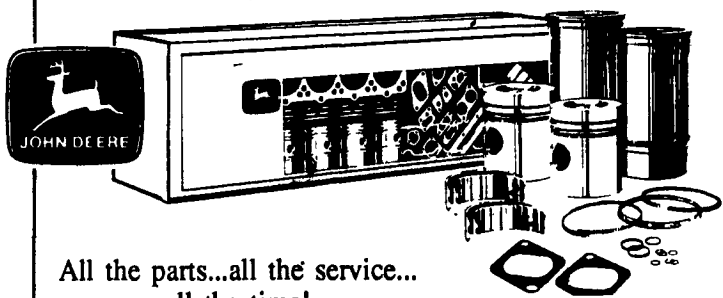
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## Merrick's Announces 4-H Support

MIDDLETON, Wis. — Merrick's, Inc., the dry fat and baby animal nutrition specialists, is proud to announce the start of a joint program with the American Sheep Industry Association to support national 4-H sheep awards programs.

Under this program, Merrick's will donate 25 cents from the sale of each bag of Super Lamb Milk Replacer through the American Sheep Industry Association to benefit 4-H sheep awards programs nationally.

In addition, Merrick's private label lamb milk replacer customers throughout the United States will participate in the program, with Merrick's also donating 25 cents per bag from these sales.

All product sold under this program will have a label affixed outlining Merrick's support of national 4-H sheep awards programs. No endorsement of Merrick's products or service by 4-H is implied or intended.

Bill Merrick, president of Merrick's, Inc., believes the 4-H club award programs encourage members who are interested in raising lambs to get involved in good feed nutrition and proper lamb raising practices. He thinks that supporting these programs will ultimately benefit the entire sheep industry by helping to develop America's future sheep raisers.

Merrick's is committed to fund this program for a minimum of three years, beginning each year on November 1 and running through October 31, with a check to be presented each year by Merrick's and a representative of the American Sheep Industry Association at the National 4-H Congress in December.