

# Farm Forum

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**Editor:**

The editorial in the January 22nd issue of LANCASTER FARMING was excellent. Nothing is more important than efforts to balance the national budget.

But, you mislead your readers when you say that President Clinton opposes the balanced budget amendment. His efforts to increase taxes paid by the wealthy have already reduced this year's deficit by almost forty percent.

In 1971, our nation, mainly because of the efforts of Republican Congressmen, adopted a unified budget. This means that all taxes and Social Security contributions are treated equally. Since 1971,

my (and every other citizen's) Social Security payments have earned no income.

The Pentagon, at the present time, is spending about 55 cents of every tax dollar. According to the New York Times, there are proportionately six times as many Admirals and Generals in the armed forces as there were during World War II. The cost of one stealth bomber will build eight medical centers like the one at Hershey. There are many other ex-

amples of extravagance.

You should have given the reasons for the 1,415% increase in the national debt since 1960. Did we have to kill thousands of people halfway around the world for

national security? Why was there an increase of 384% in the national debt since 1980?

If we do not succeed in balancing our budget, the only solution will be increased inflation. My grandparents experienced an in-

flation in Russia in the 1890's, and my parents experienced one in Germany in 1923.

Thanks again for your editorial.  
**David B. Kruger  
Lebanon**

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# I discovered America in 1990.

**Bob Sensenig, Lampeter, PA**



"I first planted **Apollo Supreme** three years ago. It was hot and dry when I planted my first **Apollo Supreme** field. It bloomed when it was six inches tall, and I thought we would lose the stand, but after we got some rain, it bounced back and has gotten better every year. **Apollo Supreme** has a fine stem but really stands well. I've also planted **Arrow** and **Aggressor**.

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**FARM EQUIP: FEED LOT EQUIP. DOZER: TRUCKS: ETC.**

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TRACTORS- JD 4630, p. shift w/cab, air & heat; JD 4520, p. shift, etc.; Farmall 806 diesel w/3 pt. & duals, etc.; Farmall M; MF-40 w/frt. end loader.

DOZER- Int. 125C Trac Loader.  
TILLAGE- Int. 700 7-18" spring reset pl w/on land hitch; Int 700 - 5-16" spring reset pl; Amco T-3-1826 contour disc; Int 13 tooth, 3 pt. chisel pl w/depth wheels; Int. 490, 3 pt. fold up tandem disc harrow; Int. 45, 3 pt. vibra shank field culti, w/spring tine attach; 3 sec. drag harrow; JD 12' cultipacker; Brillion 24' - 3 sec cultipackers.

PLANTING- JD 7000 Max-Emerge Conservation 6-30" r dry fert planter w/auger; JD 8200 - 21 dbl disc big box (grain only) drill; JD 80 - 3 pt. 1 r c planter.

FERTILIZATION & SPRAYING- JD 350 trl type sprayer w/in line tank; JD 3 pt. 21' folding 9 tooth tool bar; (2) USS Cold Flo Mod K-2 converters; (3) Nitrolators regulators for anhydrous; (2) 150 gal. saddle tanks w/mtd. frames; Stam 32' folding tool bar & anhydrous applicator w/John Blue regulator, cold flow converter & elec. controls; Stoltzfus fert. spreader box w/30' hyd. booms; Glen-co (500 gal. cap) saddle tank to mt on equip tongue w/ swivel whls; 1000 gal. tank on Clark 5th whl str chassis; 500 gal. anhydrous tank.

FORAGE- JD 5200 SP forage Harvester, plus 3-30" r c head & 5/8" hay pickup, also ear head adaptor; (3) JD 716A tandem axle forage wagons w/3 beaters & roofs; Int 56 forage blower; Gehl FB99 forage blower.

HAYING- JD 1209 mower conditioner; NH 479 haybine; Int. 3 pt. 7' mower; NH 55 rake; NH 849 rd baler; JD 346 wire tie baler w/#30 ejector; Case Int. 8610 bale processor; NH 24' bale & c elev.

COMBINE & GRAIN- JD 4400 rotary screen combine; JD 4-30" r c head; plus ear head adapter; (2) 300 bu. Easy Flow gravity bodies; 8"-34" auger; 8"-8" auger; 6"-15" & 19" augers; Dunahue 8'x28' tandem axle equip. trailer.

MISC. EQUIP- Knight 390 bu tandem axle, 1000 RPM manure spreader; Badger 300 gal. liquid tank spreader, 1000 RPM; Big Auggie 14' feeder wagon 1000 RPM w/scale; NI 213-135 bu. manure spreader; Gehl 115MX grinder mixer; Int 3 pt. 6 r vibra S-tine cultivator; MF 3 pt. 6' rotary cutter; 1750 gal. poly tank; 250 & 500 gal. port fuel tank; 170 gal. field fuel tank & pump; Heston stack mover; dual rims & tires inc.; 14-38's/18.4-38's/20-38's; 1 r potato digger; all weather tractor cab; Int. suitcase wts; air comp; David White LP6-20 transit level; hyd. clys; Remington elec chn saw; (5) 30' roof trusses; single pony cart; asst bay & lg. windows; (3) 9'x11' overhead alum glass drs; 12'x12' overhead door; (2) 18' flat bed farm trlr; 4 ton single axle construction trlr; sheets of roof tin; 50 creosote fence posts; new Diamond alum. flooring for truck floor; forced hot air heater; 2 hoe c sheller; 10' & 11' SS cutting tbls; port hanging rack; 3 meat hanging carts; elec. meat slicer; 1 kettle butcher stove & kettle; lg. plastic tubs; old upright Coca Cola bottle cooling disp.

FEED LOT EQUIP- (8) 8' cement troughs, (10) 12' Agri cement troughs, (54) 10' Agri cement troughs, total of 724'; (4) 4'x8' alum. feed troughs; CI water trough; side mt. 1000 RPM manure pump; cattle waterers; mineral meters; (2) 20 ton feed bins; 200' belt feeder; 200' feed trough w/blue flooring; Harvestore roller mill w/7 1/2 hp motor; Ward RO Matic scale; 10"-16" flight conveyor; 6"-13' auger; Patz 26' conveyor; 22'-10" sngl chn elev; 7.5 & 10 hp SP elec motors; 150' & 200' hd elec cords; head gate; port loading cattle chute; asst. gates 6' to 20'

TRUCKS- 1983 Ford F-350 4-spd w/10' dump body & cattle racks; 1983 GMC 30,000 GVW w/van body; 1975 GMC truck chassis (used for spreader); 1972 Int steel body dump truck; Int B-180 w/Stoltzfus auger body; PLUS MANY ITEMS NOT LISTED.

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