



Business News

Case Offers Deterrent To Bypass Starting

RACINE, Wis. — In an effort to further discourage the hazardous practice of bypass starting, J I Case is offering to install protective starter/solenoid/relay cover kits on many of its tractors free of charge through its dealer network.

"Bypassing starting is a dangerous practice under any conditions," said Bob Snopko, Case manager, product support. "An operator may think he can save time by starting a machine from the ground. But if the machine is in gear and the operator tries to start it from the ground, it may



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move unexpectedly, seriously injuring the operator."

The Case kit helps discourage operators from bypass starting machines. "When the protective device is installed, the operator will find it more difficult to bypass start the machine," Snopko said. "Removal of the cover requires tools and a considerable amount of time. Because it takes less time to start the machine the correct way — from the operator's seat — the kit serves to further discourage the unsafe practice of bypass starting."

Zeneca Receives EPA Registration For Surpass

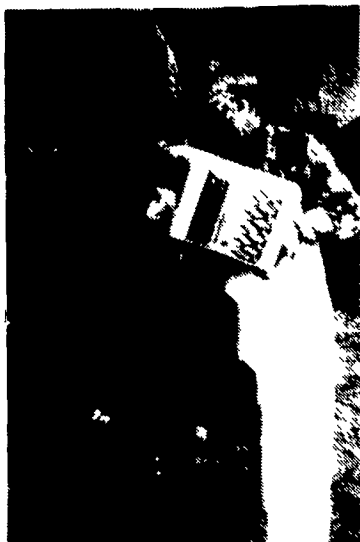
WILMINGTON, Del. — Zeneca Ag Products received EPA registration for Surpass EC, a new corn herbicide that controls annual grasses and small-seeded broadleaf weeds.

Zeneca should be able to supply local agricultural dealers with the product within one to two weeks, according to Steve Miller, product manager.

Surpass is applied preemergence up to 30 days before planting, or shallow-incorporated. It can be used in tillage systems ranging from conventional to no-till, and has been widely tested in university studies and on-farm trials across the Corn Belt.

Surpass is chemically related to Dual and Micro-Tech. "The difference is that acetochlor, the active ingredient in Surpass, is more active and more consistent," Miller said. "Through wet and dry years, growers can expect higher levels of control on foxtail, fall panicum, barnyardgrass, crabgrass, and other annual grasses.

Miller notes that Surpass is labeled for partial control of several tough grasses such as woolly



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cupgrass, seedling johnsongrass, shattercane, wild proso millet, and field sandbur.

While primarily a grass herbicide, Surpass also offers a higher level of broadleaf control than

competing products. It's labeled for control of lambsquarters, pigweed, common ragweed, nightshade, kochia, and more.

Surpass will allow growers who rely on atrazine to reduce atrazine rates by about 30 percent, he said. The product can also help control triazine-resistant pigweed or lambsquarter.

Kynar-Coated Doors Standard

MORTON, Ill. — Overhead doors in ministorage structures built by Morton Buildings are of .019 inch minimum thickness G90 galvanized steel finished with Kynar 500® fluoropolymer coating. The G90 steel has a heavier coat of zinc, which better withstands red rust. The steel has rich, stucco-texture to enhance the appearance of the ribbed door.

The Kynar coating resists chalking, fading, and color change to help ensure a match in replacement or building additions.

For more information, contact a Morton Building sales rep or write Morton Buildings, P.O. Box 399, Morton, IL 61550-0399.



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PELLA, Iowa — A new, highly versatile round baler that harvests both dry and high-moisture hay highlights the 1994 introduction of Vermeer's expanded K-Series Baler line.

The Vermeer 604K features a new, clean, streamlined design (introduced by the 605K Baler in 1993). It also incorporates several key engineering improvements (on both K-Series models) which significantly enhance baling per-

formance in a variety of haying conditions.

The new baler can customize both the size and weight of the bale to fit specific needs or size requirements. For example, you can vary bale diameter (from 36 to 72 inches) by simply loosening one wing nut and dialing in the desired bale size with the unit's Equal-Fill/AutoTie Monitor. You can also pre-select bale weight by varying pneumatic/hydraulic belt

Easy-Operation Features In Ford Loader

NEW HOLLAND (Lancaster Co.) — The new Ford Model 7310 low-profile loader from Ford New Holland fits the entire range of 30 Series 3-cylinder Ford tractors as well as the 62-HP 4-cylinder "5030."

Designed for Quick Attach to the tractor, the loader is also available with a quick bucket attach system to simplify and speed hookup and change over from material buckets to manure forks.

Breakout force with a standard materials bucket is 4905 pound, said Ford New Holland product manager Dave Dell. Bucket lift capacity is 2,500 pounds with 10-foot dump height.

Bucket roll-back angle enables the new "7310" to handle slurry-type material. The 40-degree dump angle helps assure cleaner

dumps in sticky material. Optional hydraulic self-leveling controls spills.

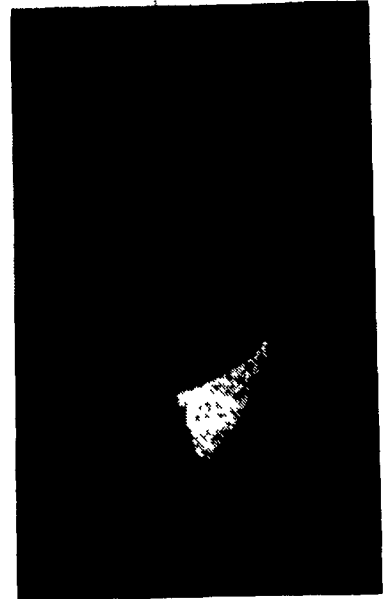


The new Ford Model 7310 low-profile, Quick attach loader from Ford New Holland features single-lever joystick control. It fits the 62 HP 4-cylinder "5030" Ford tractor as well as the entire range of 30 Series 3-cylinder Ford models.

Penn Jersey Appoints Manager

NEW HOLLAND (Lancaster Co.) — Penn Jersey Products, Inc. recently announced the appointment of Andrew B. Possessky as parts manager. He replaces Richard R. Buch, who retired April 1 after 23 years of service to the company.

Possessky, a native of Lancaster County, attended the Rochester Institute of Technology in New York state, where he studied computer science. His computer programming background, as well as sales experience, will be put to use further organizing and streamlining the large parts department at the company that serves not only the main location in New Holland, but also five outlying service centers.



Andrew B. Possessky

Tractor Winners From Corn Days

YORK (York Co.) — York Farm Credit, ACA and Clugston Ag and Turf announce the winners of Franklin County's Extension Corn Day drawings.

Tim Deshong of Greencastle, James M. Stahl of Mercersburg, and Luke Martin from Shippensburg were the big winners at the Franklin County Corn Day held at the Kauffman Community Center.

Tim Deshong won one week's free use of a new John Deere tractor, Luke Martin won three days' free use of a new Bobcat Skid Steer Loader, and James Stahl won one day's free use of a New Miller Pro 4100 16-foot Forage Box.

All prizes were sponsored by York Farm Credit and Clugston Ag and Turf. Dale Cook of Clug-



Tractor winners from Corn Days, from left, Dale Cook, Clugston Ag and Turf; Tim Deshong; Richard Ringer, York Farm Credit; and James Stahl. Missing from photo: Luke Martin.

ston's will coordinate with the winners to deliver the equipment for use on their farms.

K-Series Improvements Highlight Baler Features



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tension through an easy adjustment of the hydraulic density pressure setting and/or changing the pneumatic pressure setting. Maximum bale size is 6 feet x 4 feet.

The 604K harvests a bale of dry material weighing up to 1,900 pounds, depending on moisture content. The maximum four-foot bale width also allows you to load a 45-foot trailer that could easily carry a payload weighing up to 45,000 pounds. In addition, the 604K can be equipped with an optional silage baling kit, giving operators the choice of rolling either dry bales or high-moisture silage packages with the same unit. (Full-sized silage bales weigh significantly more.)