



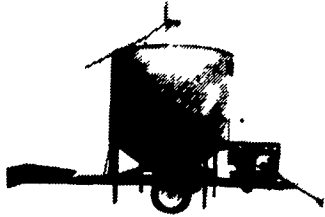
# Business News

## Round Baler Delivers Quality Bales

ATLANTA, Ga. — With its all-new 565T round baler, AGCO Hesston delivers the unlimited workability and versatility the farmer has come to expect to consistently produce high density, top quality bales in sizes to fit large baler operations.

The 565T is a variable chamber, semi-automatic baler that is ideal for operators with large cattle herds, feedlots, dairy, and custom applications. Its unique open-throat design and high capacity vertical bale chamber, capable of producing a bale up to 75-inches tall and 61.5-inches wide, weighing up to 2,200 pounds, affords the farmer increased productivity and less field time.

A new driving sensor system, for example, incorporates a belt sensor on each side of the baler to



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continuously monitor the tension of the two outside belts. Connected to an array of driving

arrows on the in-cab control box, the system instructs the driver to steer left or right depending upon which side of the bale needs to be filled. The operator simply follows the arrows until the top of the bale is square, guaranteeing dense, uniform bales.

## Crop Certifications Due

LEESPORT (Berks Co.) — The Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS) is currently accepting acreage reports for the 1994 farm programs. Farmers have until June 15 to report the sizes and intended uses of their wheat, oats, barley, rye, and other fall-seeded small grains.

"Small grain crops that are not reported by this deadline will be ineligible for program benefits," ASCS official Richard Troutman said.

Before reporting, farmers can request that ASCS measure their program acreage. The measurements are furnished at cost, and guaranteed for the crop year. Troutman said measurement service is not only valuable to program participants, but to any farmer who desires an accurate acreage for any reason.

Farm program participants are required to correctly certify their entire farm after planting to be eligible for price support loans, deficiency payments, and other benefits.

ASCS official Richard Troutman urges producers who have not certified their fall-seeded crops to do so before the June 15 deadline.

## Ciba Seeds Expands Testing Of Corn Borer Resistant Hybrids

LANDISVILLE (Lancaster Co.) — Ciba Seeds has received an extension of its experimental use permit from the EPA for implementing field testing of corn hybrids resistant to the European Corn Borer (ECB).

Seventy-eight test plots in more than 20 states and Puerto Rico will

be planted this spring with hybrids and inbreds containing a genetic constituent of the naturally occurring soil bacterium, bacillus thuringiensis (Bt), which produces a protein targeted for controlling the European corn borer. Field testing will be conducted in hybrid strip tests, research station trials, and university trials.

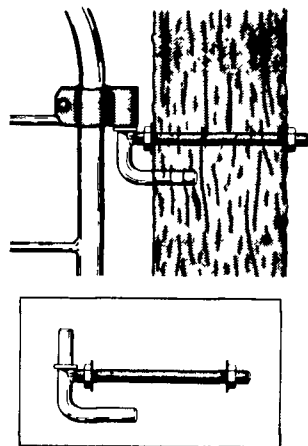
For additional information, call Tracy Neff, Product development agronomist, Hoffman Seeds, Inc. Landisville, (800) 776-7929.

## Gallagher Introduces Gate Hardware

HOUSTON, Texas — A new line of gate hardware, including some pieces with innovative designs that overcome long-standing gate problems, has been introduced by Gallagher Power Fence, Inc. of San Antonio, Texas.

The galvanized, electroplated, steel gate components are of superior quality and distinctive design. The one-hand gate latch and through-post gate hanger are designed to overcome two of the most common problems with conventional gates.

The one-hand gate latch comes with either a spring-loaded or gravity-activated locking mechanism. Both models are durable, effective, and easily operated with one hand.



The through-post gate hanger, from Gallagher Power Fence, Inc., eliminates the problem of the shaft turning in the post by having a second shaft, without threads, which penetrates the post below and parallel to the primary, threaded shaft.

## MF 3075 Has Productive Features Of Larger Tractors

NORCROSS, Ga. — Massey Ferguson's new 86 PTO horsepower MF 3075 tractor is designed with many features common to tractors over 100 horsepower.

"This combination of 'big' tractor features in an easier-to-manuever chassis gives farmers the dual-purpose versatility they are looking for today," said Doug Petterson, Massey Ferguson tractor marketing manager.

The wastegate turbocharged 1000 Series Quadram™ powered diesel engine features a unique four-lobed piston crown design to maximize air and fuel mixing for more efficient combustion. The result is more power and torque output with less fuel consumption, resulting in greater productivity.



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Standard PTO and economy PTO modes are selected with a hand lever. Standard PTO achieves rated speeds at 2000 engine RPM, while economy PTO achieves rated speeds at 1550 engine RPM.

## Case, Dealers Join To Fund Scholarships

RACINE, Wis. — J I Case and participating Case IH dealerships are working together to offer scholarships to young people attending area trade schools and technical colleges.

"Because we're committed to giving our customers the best pro-

duct support possible, we want to help students acquire the technical and professional skills they need to work in Case IH dealerships," said Herman Kosten, J I Case vice president dealer sales-North America.

"Many of our dealers have expressed concern about finding

highly skilled personnel," Kosten said. "Through this program, we cooperate with participating dealers to sponsor one student per year per dealership."

Reimbursement includes annual tuition, fees, and books up to \$1,700. Local dealers determine scholarship criteria.

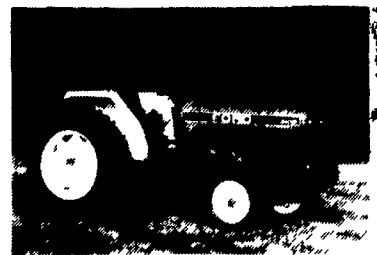
## New 38 HP Ford Economy Tractor

NEW HOLLAND (Lancaster Co.) — The new Ford Model 3415 tractor from Ford New Holland offers exceptional power and work capacity in an economical package, said product manager Dave Dell.

This tractor has a lower purchase price and its economical 4-cylinder diesel engine is miserly in fuel consumption, he said.

With 38 PTO horsepower, the "3415" has a high power-to-weight ratio for tillage and grading work. A 12x4 mechanical transmission offers a wide choice of forward and reverse speeds for estate work, mowing, cultivating, and farmstead chores.

Hydrostatic power steering aids maneuverability for work in tight quarters and simplifies front end



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## Hess's Meats Honored

LANCASTER (Lancaster Co.) — The Pennsylvania Association of Meat Processors is proud to announce that Hess's Meats has been awarded the following Honors at the 1994 Pennsylvania Meat Product Competition: ring bologna, reserve grand champion; sausage/fermented/ready to eat, champion; and specialty products, champion.

Hess's Meats competed with firms from the states of Pennsylvania, Maryland, New York, Ohio, New Jersey, Virginia and Connecticut in the 1994 Pennsylvania Meat Product Competition, recently held in Carlisle.

The Pennsylvania Meat Product Competition is held annually during the Pennsylvania Association of Meat Processors Convention.

## Rotary Rakes Harvest Gently, Cleanly

COLUMBUS, Ind. — Claas' new Liner 390 and 430 single rotary rakes gently, but thoroughly, rake hay into light, fluffy windrows, reducing damage and providing a clean harvest.

Featuring contour undercarriage and adjustable tines, the rakes harvest cleanly at high working speeds in rough ground and uneven hay.

The rugged rakes are built for long service life and low maintenance. Hermetically sealed gearbox ensures that carrier elements remain dust and dirt-free, and the rakes' steel guide rollers run in grease.

For more information, contact Claas of America, Inc., 3030 Nor-



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