

Stray Voltage Forum

(Continued from Page 20)

entist at PowerCET Corporation and manager of the company's southwest regional office in Scottsdale, Ariz.

"Some investigations have alarmed farmers with bad data," Stringfellow said. "I've seen investigations come up with stray voltage readings based on faulty (testing) equipment.

Stringfellow said information-sharing at a conference is an excellent way to help resolve different, sometimes emotionally charged views on the subject.

"One of the complaints is that people don't listen to the other side of the argument," he said. "We need a forum where we can discuss these things openly."

About 90 were registered for the conference, including dairy advisors, veterinarians, engineers, extension agents, utility company representatives, and agribusiness people.

“We can measure it, analyze it, and correct it. There’s a perception that stray voltage does many more things than it actually does.”

LaVerne Stetson
stray voltage researcher

Egg Analogy

Bill Taylor of Taylor Egg Products recently responded to the comments of New Hampshire Ag Commissioner Steve Taylor (no relation) on the craziness of the U.S. milk marketing system where producers seek ever higher output no matter what the demand situation is.

It's the same in the egg business, according to Bill.

"Iowa is still building million-plus bird complexes with no market for eggs. They get rid of a lot of grain stock this way, with no regard for egg prices," he said.

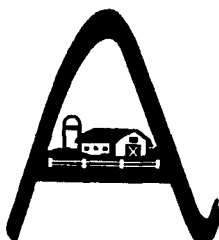
From Weekly Market Bulletin, New Hampshire Dept. of Agriculture, Markets & Food, March 12 2003.

AG-BAG
INTERNATIONAL LTD



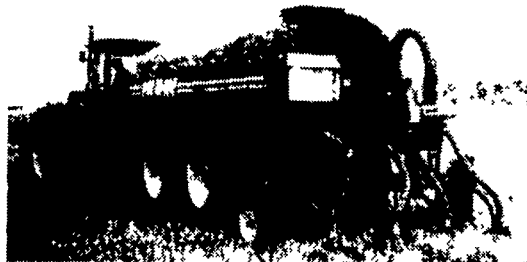
New! More HP and no backstop or cables!

Custom Bagging & Bale Tubing
Large rental fleet of late model machines
New & Used machine Sales



Manure Equipment Rentals/Sales

NUHN Tankers - 4000-5000 Gal
N-Tech Pumps - Vertical & Lagoon
N-Tech Tankers - 3000 Gal.
N-Tech Tankers - 4500 Gal. **SOLD**
DRYHILL Pumps
Vertical & Lagoon
Custom Hauling 877-412-4224



NDE
NEW DIRECTION EQUIPMENT CO



The NDE Vertical
Cutter/Mixer/Feeder
One Machine Does it all!
Processes a whole hay
bale in any form. NO MORE
TUB GRINDING!
Call today for a free Demo

Agri-Service LLC Rental & Custom Services

14137 Pennsylvania Ave. ~ Hagerstown, MD 21742
(301) 665-9333 or TOLL FREE (877) 412-4224