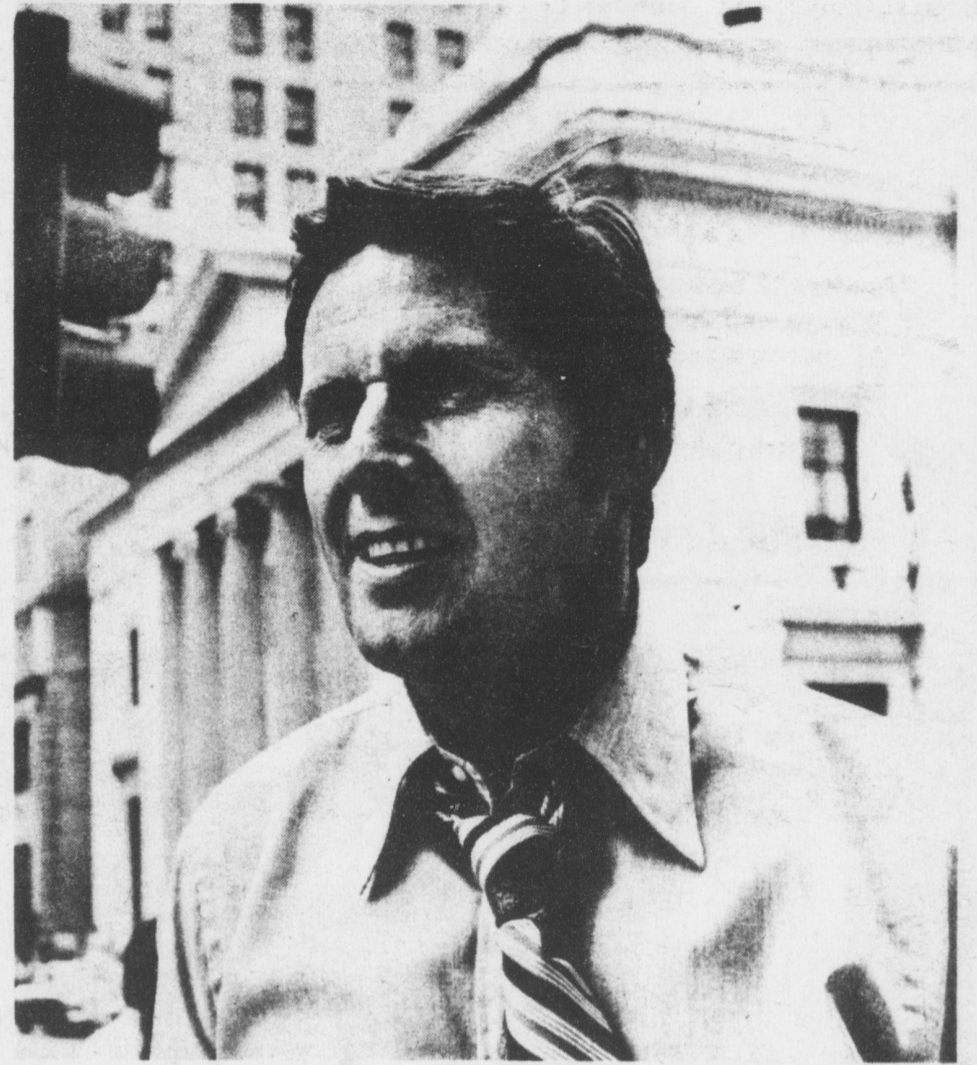


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## Safe and natural way to control insects

Insect pests cause a heap of trouble — destroying crops and carrying disease. But the chemical poisons used to kill them can be just as harmful — to the air, the water, and to people.

There is a safer, more natural way to control insects, according to a new publication from the National Wildlife Federation. "Fighting Pests With Pests" - available free for the first copy and 20c for each additional copy - is designed to show children why more and more farmers in the United States are using the natural enemies of pests, instead of harmful chemicals, to help protect their crops.

This new method is called "pest management" and relies on the "three P's" - insect predators, parasites, and pathogens. "Someday, pest management may make most poisons unnecessary," the eight-page illustrated pamphlet suggests.

Included in the National Wildlife publication is a chart that lists 34 common insect pests and natural ways to control them. For example, chinch bugs can be kept away from corn by planting soybeans nearby as a "trap plant."

To order copies of "Fighting Pests With Pests" write the National Wildlife Federation, Dept. PW, 1412 16th Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20036.



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