

## “See-Through” Shovel Doubles As Sifter

This lightweight “see-through” shovel has 3/4-in. long diamond-shaped holes in it that allow the shovel to be used as a sifter.

The aluminum shovel is about 1 in. deeper than a conventional shovel. You fill it about half full, then roll it back and forth to sift.

Works great for cleaning out horse stalls and stock trailers because you can separate manure from the sawdust. Other uses: digging potatoes and throwing corn into cribs (sifts out any shelled corn). Golf courses use it to clean debris from sand traps and to retrieve balls from ponds. It can also be used to remove clods of dirt and pebbles before you seed grass.

Available with a 36 or 42-in. handle. Sells for \$24.95 plus S&H.

Contact: FARM SHOW Followup, The W.F. Valentine Co., 7633 Quackenbush Road, Reading, Mich. 49274 (ph 800 331-6728 or 517 283-3143).



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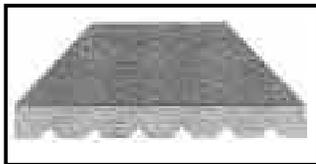
## Corrugated Rubber Cow Mat

Solid rubber cow mats are durable but are too hard to be comfortable, says the manufacturer of this new rubber cow mat that's a full 2 in. thick and has a corrugated undersurface for added softness.

The 48-in. wide Dynamat is made from recycled rubber tires.

“They’re heavy enough that they don’t have to be nailed to the floor,” says sales manager John Fuller. “They work better than new-style mattresses that require a top cover. They start out soft but in less than two years the side seams fail and the fill material becomes lumpy, making them uncomfortable.”

Two sizes available - a 5 1/2-ft. long mat that sells for \$74 and a 6-ft. long mat that



The 48-in. wide mat is made from recycled rubber tires and is a full 2 in. thick.

sells for \$79. They can also be custom sized for horse stalls and hog barns.

Contact: FARM SHOW Followup, Dynamatrix, Inc., Box 783, Winona Lake, Ind. 46590 (ph 219 268-1501).



Sling mounts on any front-end loader and is made from lightweight PVC with separate sections for the body and brisket. It hangs from loader by a pair of “C” hooks.

## “Easy-On” Sling Saves Downed Cows

This New Zealand-made cow sling mounts on any front-end loader and lets you lift and support sick cows humanely and safely.

The “Daisy-Lifter” cow sling is made from lightweight PVC with separate sections for the body and brisket. To use the sling, you place it on the ground next to the cow with the webbing side up and roll the cow onto her stomach at the center of the sling. The sling hangs from the loader by a pair of “C” hooks on the bucket forks or frame.

The company also recently announced a new “Quarter Milker” that intercepts con-

taminated milk in one quarter of the cow’s milk from the other three quarters, allowing you to use the other three healthy quarters. Lets you treat a mastitic cow with an intramammary antibiotic and intercept the milk between the treated teat and the milking cluster so that it can later be dumped. Milk from the other three quarters is safe to process normally where regulations permit. Fits any make or model milk machine.

Contact: FARM SHOW Followup, Shoof International Ltd., Private Box 522, Cambridge, New Zealand (ph 64 7 827 3902).



Calf’s nose is guided into a steel ring welded to a spring-loaded clamp that fastens to wire cattle panels, etc. You then slip an attached chain behind calf’s ears and hook it.

## Handy Portable Calf Restraint

New portable calf restraint makes it easy to restrain young calves (less than two months old) when you want to dehorn, implant, castrate, remove dewclaws, or do other procedures.

It consists of a steel ring welded to a spring-loaded clamp that fastens easily to wire cattle panels, wooden gates, skid steer loader buckets, etc. To use the restraint you

guide the calf’s nose into the ring, then slip an attached chain behind its ears and hook it. You can then lead the calf to a gate panel or fence rail to hold it in place.

Sells for \$95.

Contact: FARM SHOW Followup, Easy B-Z Mfg. Co., Rt. 1, Box 119, Plainview, Minn. 55964 (ph 507 534-2487).

## Bale Spear Doubles As A Knife

This 4-ft. long, loader-mounted bale spear doubles as a knife and can be used to both transport bales and cut them in half.

The spear-knife bolts to a frame that mounts in place of a loader bucket. To cut a bale you drop the knife down onto the far side of the bale, then apply downpressure while backing up the tractor.

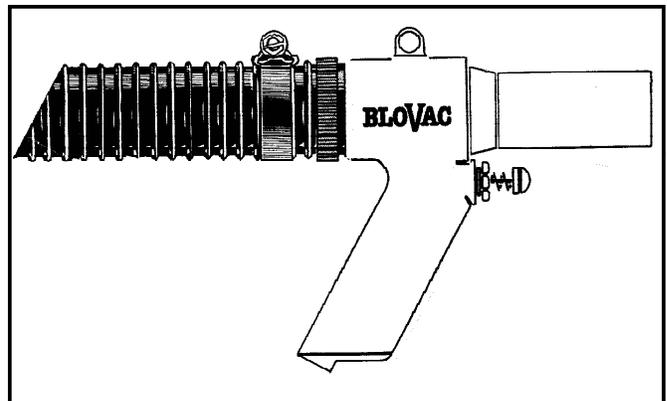
Comes with universal mounting brackets to fit all loader widths and with a safety cage to keep the bale from accidentally rolling back toward the operator. A steel guard can be slipped over the knife for safety.

Sells for \$550 (Canadian).



The 4-ft. long bale spear bolts to a frame that mounts in place of loader bucket. Steel knife guard is lying on ground.

Contact: FARM SHOW Followup, Mohawk Equipment Ltd., 40 Ewart Ave., Box 103, Brantford, Ontario, Canada N3T 5M3 (ph 519 753-3164).



## Two-In-One Air Cleaning Gun

“It’s ideal for cleaning out grain drills, combine and truck cabs or any other hard-to-get-at equipment,” says Loran Perry about his new two-in-one air cleaning gun that works either as a blowgun or vacuum for air compressors.

The Safety-Vac Industrial Air Gun, or “BlowVac”, connects directly to any 80 to 100-lb. air compressor with a 3/8-in. dia. air line and a quick release coupler. A filter/air regulator is used to adjust pressure.

You simply reverse the air valve on the

5-in. long gun to blow or vacuum. If the six internal jets face forward, the gun is in the blow mode. If they face backward, it’s in the vacuum mode.

Special bench nozzle and long reach wands are available for especially hard-to-reach areas.

Sells for \$60 FOB Fort Benton, Mont.

Contact: FARM SHOW Followup, Perry Points, P.O. Box 355, Fort Benton, Mont. 59442 (ph 800 633-5336 or 402 622-5336).