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"TUBEVEYOR" MOVES IT INSIDE RUBBER HOSE

New "Augerless" Way To Move Grain

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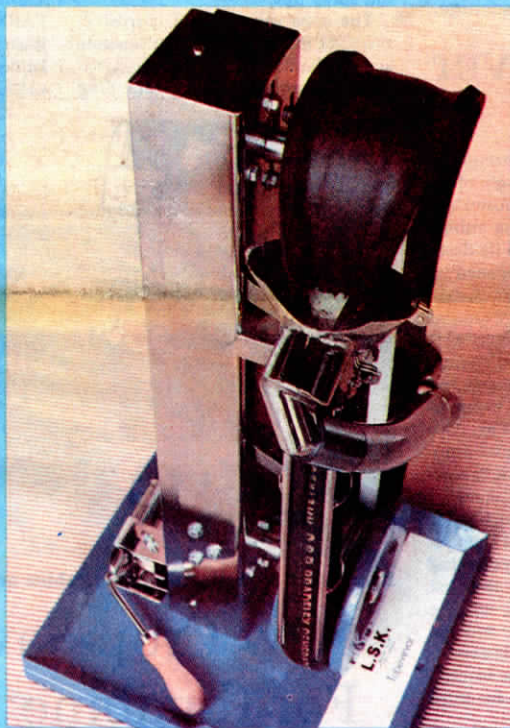
A revolutionary new "augerless" grain-moving system that uses flexible rubber tubing to move grain made its debut recently in Sydney, Australia.

Dubbed the "Tubeveyor", the system uses what is essentially a split rubber hose to handle grain and other flowable materials. Inventor Andy Karpisek, a successful manufacturer of a variety of industrial products, says the Tubeveyor works like a rolled-up conveyor belt.

"It moves easily around corners, over obstacles and it'll carry grain over any distance, vertically or horizontally, at a cost far below conventional grain handling systems," Karpisek told FARM SHOW. "Grain augers tend to crush and damage grain, creating lots of dust and fines. Because the Tubeveyor consists of a sealed rubber tube, it doesn't damage grain and it keeps dust to a minimum."

Karpisek first designed the

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"Tubeveyor" model illustrates how tube opens to discharge its load. Grain can be moved great distances around any number of obstacles when held snugly inside flexible rubber tube.

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