

Reusable "Laundry Discs" Eliminate Need For Detergent

You can clean laundry without detergent using new reusable "laundry discs", says Safquest Marketing, Spokane, Wash.

The 3 1/2-in. dia. discs consist of small ceramic beads in a plastic "cage". Three discs are used per load of laundry. As the discs bounce around inside the washing machine, the ceramic beads release electrons which reduce the surface tension of the water. Ionizing the water greatly increases its ability to penetrate into the cloth fabric and lift out dirt particles.

"We don't promise cleaner clothes than you get with normal detergents, but equal results at tremendous savings," says company representative Don Gilbert. "You'll still need to pretreat stains and grease spots just as you would with normal detergent. We sometimes put in an extra teaspoon or tablespoon of soap for an extra boost on light colored clothes because there are no whitening agents in the discs. We never use anything but the discs on dark clothes.

"The discs also prevent static cling and the need to rinse clothes. They're environmentally friendly and also eliminate irritants that cause allergic skin reactions from chemical additives, which is important to persons who have sensitive skin.

"Water is the perfect solvent for cleaning clothes except that the surface tension



- the electrical attraction between molecules - prevents it from penetrating the fibers of the fabric. The laundry discs solve the problem by making water more penetrating without chemicals.

"Three discs will clean an average family's clothes for two years - about 700 washes. The average family spends about \$150 per year on laundry detergents, bleaches, and fabric softeners. We offer a 30-day unconditional guarantee. If you're not happy we'll refund your money."

A set of three discs sells for \$49.95 (\$5.05 S&H).

Contact: FARM SHOW Followup, Safquest Marketing, 58 E. Rowan, Spokane, Wash. 99207 (ph 509 484-1552).

"Beep Seat" Toilet Reminder

Leaving the toilet seat up has been the subject of many a letter to Ann Landers. You can end the great toilet seat debate once and for all with the "Beep Seat", an electronic sensor that beeps 60 seconds after the seat is lifted. It reminds men to lower the seat before they leave the bathroom (or warn the woman of the raised seat if he has already left).

Battery-powered unit sticks to the underside of the toilet seat.

Sells for \$7 including S&H.

Contact: FARM SHOW Followup, Beep Seat, Box 1349, Sonoma, Calif. 95476 (ph 800 233-7292).



Cap Holder Hangs Over Back Of Door

Here's an efficient way to organize your farm caps and show them off at the same time.

The "Mega Cap Organizer" is a 30-in. high, 13 1/4-in. wide metal rack covered by a durable epoxy finish that hangs from the top of any door. The organizer holds three rows of caps with 8 caps per row. It comes with 24 high-density plastic clips that attach to the back of the cap just behind the ball on top, giving you a good view of each and every cap.

Sells for \$12.99 (plus \$2 S&H).

Contact: FARM SHOW Followup, Artwire, 7026 Camden Ave., Pennsauken, N.J. 08034 (ph 800 356-2830 or 609 488-3577).



New Products Especially For Women And The Farm, Ranch Home

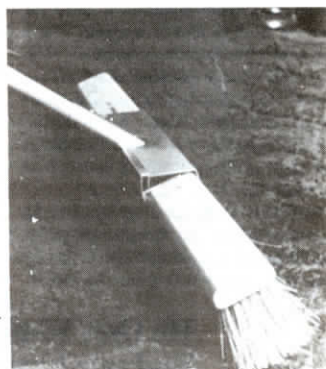
Bracket Extends Life Of Push Brooms

If you're tired of having handles break on push brooms, you'll like this add-on steel bracket that clamps onto the broomhead to keep the handle from breaking or wearing loose.

"It lets you use a push broom until the bristles wear out," says inventor Raymond Shaw.

"It distributes the pressure across a wide area of the broomhead to keep the threads in the hole from wearing out," says Shaw. Sells for \$13.25.

Contact: FARM SHOW Followup, Push Broomhead Carrier, Inc., 27485 Franklin Road, Suite 305, Southfield, Mich. 48034 (ph 810 353-1710).



Wheelbarrow Tool, Equipment Tray

You can carry gardening or construction tools right on the handles of your wheelbarrow with this new tray that mounts on any wheelbarrow.

The Wheelbarrow SuperTray, as it's called, is made of tough recycled plastics and is 23 in. long by 11 1/2 in. wide.

Basic model sells for \$12 plus \$2.50 S&H U.S., \$3.50 Canada. FARM SHOW readers who order will receive a free pair of leather work gloves, says the manufacturer.

Contact: FARM SHOW Followup, Western CoPolymer, P.O. Box 2772, Orcutt, Calif. 93457-2772 (ph 805 934-7958).



Work Wear For Women, Children

Women who have trouble finding work clothes for themselves or their kids will want to take a look at this new line of work wear designed specifically for women and children.

The Ladies coverall is made from a polyester/cotton blend with a fit made especially for women. Two side patch pockets with pleats add to the feminine touch. Also features front zipper, elasticized waist, and machine wash and dry. Available in royal, navy and burgundy. Sizes 8 through 20. Sells for \$34.50 (Canadian).

Junior coveralls of the same material come in sizes 2 through 10 for \$27, 12 through 18 for \$29.75.

Free catalog available.

Contact: FARM SHOW Followup,



WorkWear Plus, R.R. 2, Mount Forest, Ontario, Canada N0G 2L0 (ph 519 323-1341).