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EDITOR'S NOTE

In the next issue, I would like to print a lengthy article on the use of the triplex greens mowers in this area. I plan to call and interview several superintendents, however, I would be happy to print any opinion (pro or con) which is sent to me. Perhaps some of you would like to comment on uses, alterations, objections, recommendations or other ideas.

"Pesticides are a major reason why a farmer is able to feed and clothe 46 persons today, compared with 25 persons in 1960 and only 4 persons in 1850. In our present era of the managed ecology of monocultures, farm mechanization, and complex system of food harvesting, processing, distribution, and storage, the use of pesticides often represents the slender margin between crop production and crop failure and between economic profit and economic loss. In developing countries, where food supplies are marginal, pesticide use may represent the difference between survival and starvation."—Robert L. Metcalf, professor and head, Department of Zoology, University of Illinois.

"Of all the plant and animal species that have ever lived on earth, more than 99 percent are now extinct. Man has had very little impact on this figure, and many forget this natural selection process when discussing pollution problems. We must never forget to evaluate this factor when drawing conclusions as to the cause of our vanished or endangered species." — Dr. Fred P. Miller, Chairman, Environmental Quality Council, Maryland Extension Service.



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