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1 medium red onion, sliced into rings (about 1 cup)
3 large mushrooms, sliced
1 tablespoon balsamic vinegar
1 boneless chicken breast
1/2 cup part-skim mozzarella cheese, shredded
1 tablespoon fresh basil leaves, chopped or 1 teaspoon dried
1 tablespoon fresh oregano leaves, chopped or 1 teaspoon dried
1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese
Lightly brush one side of pizza crust(s) with 1 teaspoon of the olive oil. Place crust, oiled side down, directly on grill rack. Lower grill

cover and grill 4-6 inches over medium coals for about 3 minutes. Remove crust from grill; set aside.

Combine zucchini, pepper, onion, mushrooms, vinegar and 1 tablespoon oil in large bowl; toss to coat vegetables. Place vegetables on foil and place on grill. Pepper and onions take about 8 minutes; squash and mushrooms about 4 minutes. Remove vegetables from grill as they reach desired tenderness.

Grill chicken 4-6 inches over medium hot coals, turning frequently until done. Cut breast into 1/2-inch cubes.

Sprinkle mozzarella cheese over

pizza crust. Layer with grilled vegetables, chicken, basil and oregano. Top with Parmesan cheese.

Raise grill rack to highest setting, or turn gas grill to low. Place pizza on grill rack. Cover; grill 10-12 minutes or until cheese and toppings are hot.

Watch closely to avoid burning. Makes 8 slices.

Strawberry Pecan Coffee Cake

This is tasty for breakfast or afternoon coffee.

1 cup sliced, fresh strawberries *
3 tablespoons brown sugar, packed

1/2 cup all-purpose flour
1/2 cup whole wheat flour
1/3 cup granulated sugar
1/2 teaspoon baking powder
1/4 teaspoon baking soda
1/8 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup light sour cream
2 tablespoons margarine or butter, melted

1 teaspoon vanilla
1 large egg
1/4 cup pecans, chopped

Icing: (optional)

1/4 cup confectioners' sugar
1 1/2 teaspoons low-fat milk
1/4 teaspoon vanilla

*Frozen, whole strawberries may also be used. Thaw before using in

recipe.

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Spray an 8 inch round cake pan with cooking spray.

In a small bowl, combine strawberries and brown sugar; set aside. In a large bowl, combine all-purpose flour, whole wheat flour, granulated sugar, baking powder, baking soda and salt.

In a separate bowl, combine sour cream, margarine, vanilla and egg. Mix well and add to flour mixture. Stir just until moistened.

Spoon 2/3 of the batter into the prepared pan. Spread strawberry mixture evenly over the batter. Top

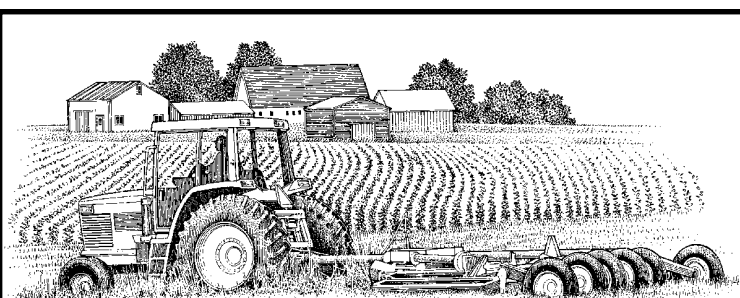
with remaining batter. Sprinkle pecans on top.

Bake 30-35 minutes or until a wooden pick inserted in the center comes out clean. Cool 10 minutes on a wire rack before removing from pan.

Combine icing ingredients and drizzle over cake. Serve warm or at room temperature.

Makes 10 servings.

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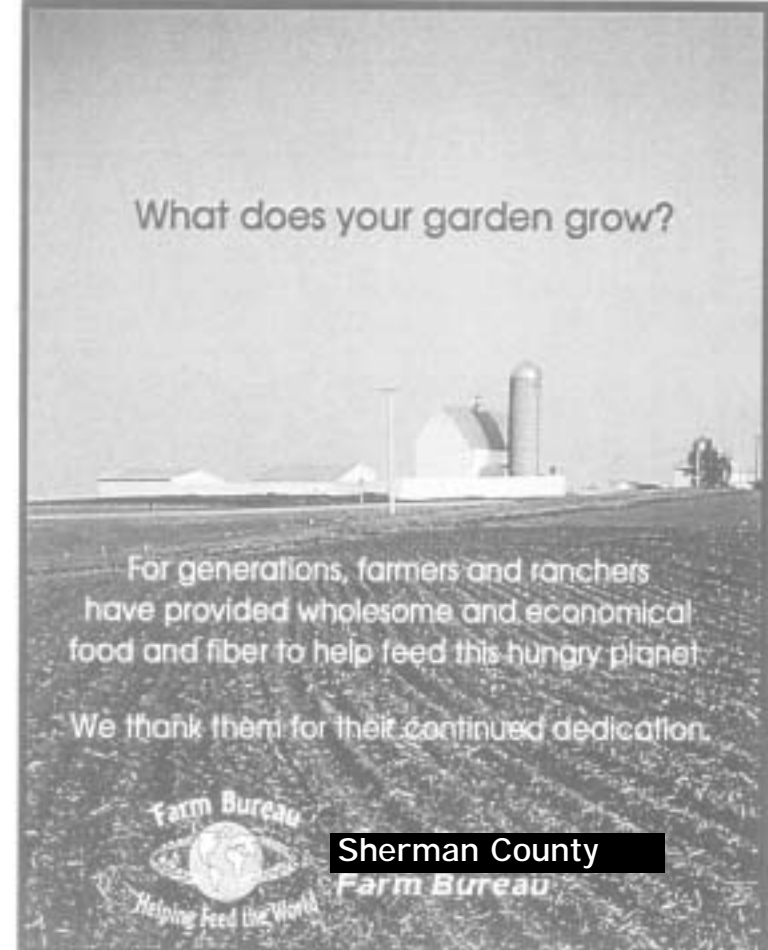
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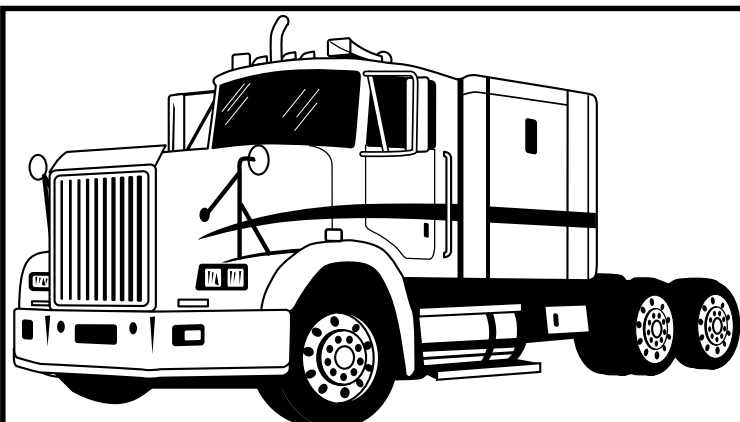
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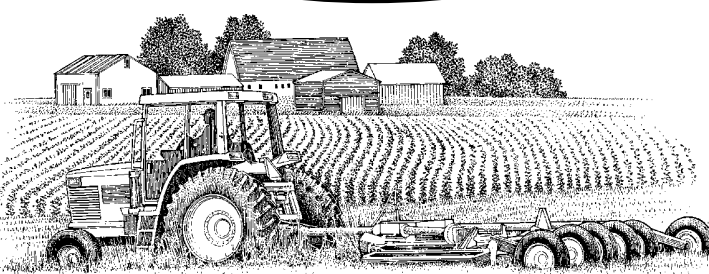
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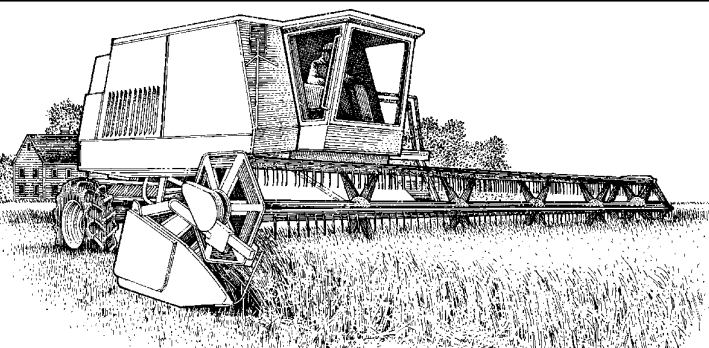
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