

Conestoga Farmer Finds Strips Are Money Savers

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Last summer his corn crop yielded well enough to fill the silo and provide ear corn for the market hogs.

Eight years ago Kendig installed a large farm pond across the road from his house. The pond serves as a recreation center for the family and is so situated that it is available for use in case of fire.

The pond is stocked with bass and blue gill. Kendig claims that he is no fisherman, but he knows enough about fish management to allow the heaviest fishing possible in the pond. He allows all the youngsters in the neighborhood to fish the pond, thus keeping down the bluegill numbers and allowing room for both species to grow.

Last summer, he said, "they caught a lot of bluegill, but not so many bass. But they tell me that bass are a lot harder to catch."

The Kendig farm is in the second generation now. The red

PENB Releases Preliminary Report On Motivation Research Findings

Earliest findings in the motivation research recently initiated by the Poultry and Egg National Board in five regions show that homemakers have a "very favorable" attitude toward eggs, according to Lloyd H. Geil, PENB general manager.

This is revealed in a study under way among 1,200 homemakers in the East, West, North, South and Midwest to obtain America's attitudes toward eggs for industry guidance in planning and directing its egg and poultry meat promotions.

back house was built for his father and mother as a wedding present.

From the looks of things, the farm is likely to stay in the family another generation. A son, Robert, 15, is a vocational agriculture student at Penn Manor High School. Two daughters, Lorraine and Doris, still live at home. Doris is a nurse at Lancaster General Hospital and Lorraine works at the Lancaster Production Credit Assn. office in Lancaster.

Complete results will be presented on April 10 at PENB's annual meeting at the LaSalle hotel, Chicago, by Louis Oleskin, Chicago, whose motivation research firm is conducting the study.

Some of the preliminary findings refute a widespread belief of the poultry industry that the highly publicized subject of dietary fat and its effect upon health is cutting heavily into egg sales.

They show, for instance, that only seven per cent of the homemakers surveyed think of eggs as not good for the heart, and that only 11 per cent consider eggs as fattening.

They also show that while 94 per cent of the homemakers surveyed consider eggs as a necessary food and 91 per cent associate eggs with breakfast, 59 per cent use eggs for breakfast and 48 per cent use cereals. The figures indicate that some eat both eggs and cereals.

Early Spring Lamb Crop Up 2 Per Cent

The 1958 early spring lamb crop is two per cent greater in the 10 large lamb producing states, according to federal estimates.

Farm Calendar

March 21
Lancaster County Farmers Assn — 7:30 p.m. at the Guernsey Breeders Sale Pavilion, Route 30 East C. J. Hendrickson of the Agricultural Marketing Service will speak on changing market for Type 41 tobacco.

March 24
Hay meeting — 7:30 p.m. at L. I. Brubaker's, R3 Lutz.

March 25
Egg Quality meeting — 7:30 p.m. at Ag Room, Manor High School, Millersville.

March 26
Egg quality meeting — 7:30 p.m. at Assembly Room, Farmers Bank and Trust Co., New Holland.

March 27
Eastern States Membership meeting — 7:30 p.m. at Pequea Elementary School, West Willow.

Farm and Home Planning meeting — 9:30 a.m. at North Queen Street Branch, Lancaster County National Bank, Lancaster. Fred Hughs will discuss record analysis and farm management adjustments and improvements. Miss

Sanna Black will analyze home records and home planning.

March 30
Egg Outlook meeting — 7:30 p.m. at Ag Room, Cocalico Joint School, Reamstown.
Garden Spot 4-II Club — 7:30 p.m. at SPABC, Lancasterburg High School.

April 1
Eastern States Membership meeting — 7:30 p.m. at Blue Ball Fine Hall.

April 3
Eastern States Membership meeting — 7:30 p.m. at Methodist Church basement, Quarryville.

April 7
Eastern States membership meeting — 7:45 p.m. at Pequea Valley High School.

April 8
Eastern States Membership meeting — 7:45 p.m. at Elizabethtown Mill Road Elementary School.

April 10
Eastern States Membership meeting — 7:30 p.m. at Eli Hostetters, Mt. Joy.

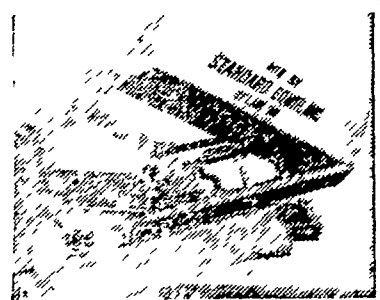
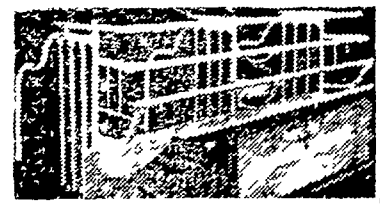
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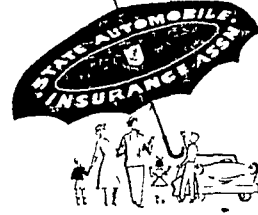
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