

**CONSERVE MOISTURE**

Conserving moisture in the orchard will help growers get higher yields and bigger fruits. Carl Bittner, Penn State extension pomologist, says mulching is the best method of insuring an adequate supply of moisture.

Everybody likes to feel important every now and then. To help this along, every husband and wife should make a contribution by telling each other how wonderful they are at least once a week.



**Sewing Contest Is Won By Lois Overgaard**

Miss Lois Ann Overgaard, 16, of Lancaster R4, has been named state Class B winner in the 1960 National Grange Sewing Contest. She was one of 147 contestants who participated in the contest on the state level.

Lois is secretary of the Future Teachers of America Club at Conestoga Valley High School, where she will be entering 11th grade. She also is active in county 4-H Club activities. She was sponsored in the contest by Mrs. Verna Mae Walton of Colerain Grange 1667, Lancaster County.

**PRUNE SHRUBS**

Her winning garment was a sleeveless square neck dress with four-gore pleated skirt, in pink and white flowered material. It is accented with a waist length, short-sleeved jacket with an applied band, matching of the

Prune flowering shrubs immediately after they finish flowering, reminds A. O. Rasmussen, Penn State extension ornamental horticulturist. This practice is necessary because next year's flowering wood is produced after this year's blooming.

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