

Fish Stocking Is Continued By Agency

The Pennsylvania Fish commission continued cooperation with the Lancaster County Soil Conservation district, according to Robert M. Betts, 2272 Manor Ridge Drive, Lancaster.

During 1960 the commission continued its program of stocking trout and bass. The muskellunge program in the Susquehanna River at the Safe Harbor Dam is in its third year.

Stream shocking and surveys before trout season to determine the survival of pre-season stocked trout was continued.

The fish commission cooperated with farm pond owners and numerous permits for the use of chemicals for weed control were issued.

Pollution reports were investigated in cooperation with the Pennsylvania Health Department, and progress was made.

Susquehanna River surveys are being made from the office at Holtwood. Betts reported that the Hammer Creek Dam Site and an access area on the Conowingo dam are still pending.



THE FISH COMMISSION, in cooperation with the county SCD aids farmers in maintaining good fishing in farm ponds. Here Dave Muth, Lititz hooks a brook trout from the pond of Fred Hendress. Looking on is Lester Martin who does the farming for Hendress. SCS Photo

Highways Dept. Help Farmers Retain Soil

Fred W. Wagner, Lancaster County Superintendent of the Penna Department of Highways reported this week that the state agency cooperated with the Lancaster County Soil Conservation District last year.

The local division of the Highways Department cleaned the berms and gutters on nearly 200 miles of road during the summer of 1960, Wagner reports.

Soil removed from the gutters when not used for highway construction was returned to the fields from which it was washed, Wagner said.

Future Farmers Learn Soil Care

As rural young people grow into maturity, the shadow that has fallen across mis-used land hovers above them also, says Thomas Malin, Advisor of the York-Lancaster area of Vocational Agriculture.

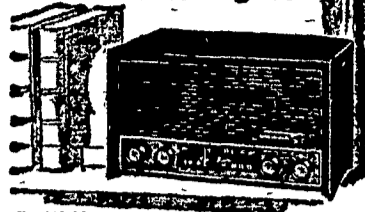
Young people realize that the land which nourished them in their youth will no longer sustain them; they must go elsewhere. Gone then are the close ties of the family, he said. When families leave, the foundations of the church, school and community are shaken.

The Future Farmers of America do not want this to happen. They and their instructors are exerting their efforts toward building a better farm life; they believe in soil stewardship.

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- MANAGEMENT REPORTS On Year's Operations
- COUNTY AGENT REPORT M. M. Smith
- ELECTION OF DIRECTORS Four to be elected
- ENTERTAINMENT BY Charles McSparran
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