

A soil test shows how to fertilize potato fields properly, advises Elmer C. Pifer, extension agronomist at the Penn State University. Too often, he claims, growers apply too much or too little nitrogen, phosphorus or potassium to the soil. He urges potato growers to be wary of fertilizing by guess and suggests regular soil tests.

SALE REGISTER FARM CALENDAR

(From page 1)

Sat. Nov. 25—10.00 a m - Pub Sale of Farm Machinery, Orchard Equipment, Household Goods and antiques. Estate of Guy S Mayer Eight mi S of Lancaster on Route 222 at Refton. Diller and Kreider, Aucts

Thurs., Nov. 30— 1.00 p m Pub Sale of Dairy herd and dairy equipment. 12 Holstein and 12 Guernsey cows By J. Sentz at Hellam R1. 3 mi N. of Hellam on road from Kreutz Creek to High Mount. Jacob A. Gilbert, Auct.

Buyer of Oak, WALNUT, Poplar, ASH, etc.
C. J. CHARLES LUMBER
New Providence, Pa.
Phone ST 6-3108

Hager.
Nov 30—10 a m to 3 p m - Extension service Christmas meeting and Bazaar at the Ephrata Recreation Center Christmas lighting, wrapping, gift ideas and an inspirational speaker
7.30 p m - Home preparedness workshop at the New Providence Elementary School

Dec 1—1 p m - Pennsylvania Turkey Growers to meet on Marketing Orders at the Stockyards Inn

Dec 5—7 p m - Annual 4 H play tryouts at Production credit Building, Roseville Road

Tractors kill more people than any other piece of farm machinery

● Capon Club

All capons on exhibit were purchased by members of the Mount Joy Rotary Club, art Emenheiser, Mount Joy sponsors of the roundup



WINNERS IN THE MOUNT JOY CAPON CLUB roundup Tuesday pose with their winning entries—Thomas Shoemaker, Bambridge R1, left, with his first prize bird, compares notes with Virginia Wivell, Columbia R1, second place winner in the contest. —L F Photo

HUNTERS!

Does your camp lack modern conveniences?

Next best — Lan Pro

NOREEK

in your outdoor facilities

\$1.00 per 1/2 pint

SEE PAGE 2

DeKalb Layers TOP Wisconsin and New York Random Sample Tests



(WISCONSIN) COMPARISONS OF DEKALB AND TEST AVERAGES

	DeKalb 131	Test Avg (26 Entries)
Eggs (Hen Day From Housing)	274.4	255.0
% Large and Extra Large Eggs (Entire Laying Period)	80.3%	76.3%
% Large and Extra Large Eggs—July 1961 (19 Days)	88.5%	94.3%
Feed Efficiency (lbs Feed per doz Eggs)	3.94 lbs	4.29 lbs.
Mortality (laying period)	2.0%	12.6%

BREAK TEST RECORD

DeKalb 131 Layers were at the top in the recently completed 6th Wisconsin Random Sample Test. Their total hen-day production from housing was 276.4 eggs... the highest record ever made in this test.

During the laying period of this 500 day test, 80.3% of the DeKalb 131 eggs were large or extra large, and in the final 19 days in July 1961, 98.5% were large or extra large. Mortality of DeKalb 131's at 2% was tied for the lowest in the test. Average of all 26 entries on mortality was 12.6%. Examination at the end of the test showed 47 of the 49 DeKalb birds to be in good laying condition. Comparisons of the DeKalb 131 Layers and the test average are shown on the left.

New York Results Also Place DeKalb at Top

Official Final Results of the 11th Central New York Random Sample Test which included 22 entries, are shown below.

	DEKALB	TEST AVERAGE
Best Income Over Feed & Chick Cost.....	\$2 952.....	\$2 317
Greatest Hen Day Production.....	249.8.....	222.8
Most Eggs Per Pullet Housed.....	242.6.....	213.3
Less Pounds Feed Per Dozen 24 oz. Eggs.....	4.04.....	4.56
No Broodiness.....	0.0.....	4.8
Lowest Percentage of Blood Spots.....	1.97.....	5.05

Results of 2nd North Carolina Random Sample Test (2 year averages) show DeKalb produced the greatest number of eggs per pullet housed. Only one other entry showed better livability (8 500 days). And, only one other entry had better feed efficiency.

P. L. Rohrer & Bro., Inc.
SMOKETOWN, PA.
Phone: Lanc. EX 7-3539

Daniel G. Haldeman
R. 3, MANHEIM, PA.
Phone: MO 5-4284

Hiestand, Inc.
R. 1, MARIETTA, PA.
Phone: Hazel 6-9301

Elmer H. Rohrer
R. 2, LANCASTER, PA.
Phone: TR 2-7670

J. Elwood Longenecker
R. 1, OXFORD, PA.
Phone: Kirkwood LA 9-2484

Melhorn Bros.
MOUNT JOY, PA.
Phone: OL 3-8582

Jay C. Garber
R. D. 6, LANCASTER, PA.
Phone: TR 2-5736

Lester R. Buckwalter
R. 1, WASHINGTON BORO
Ph: Millersville TR 2-3974

J. William Groff
R. 3, QUARRYVILLE, PA
Phone: Kirkwood LA 9-2230

DEKALB LAYERS

"DEKALB" is a Brand Name. The number is a Variety Designation.

DEKALB AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION, INC., DEKALB, ILL.

Commercial Producers & Distributors of DeKalb Seed Corn, DeKalb Chick and DeKalb Hybrid Sorghum.



Represented Locally By:
WILLIAM H. WALKER
Ph. ST 6-2395
CLIFFORD N. GIBBLE
Ph. MO 5-4252
RICHARD B. HURST
Ph. EX 3-0945

CONTROL WEEVIL THIS FALL

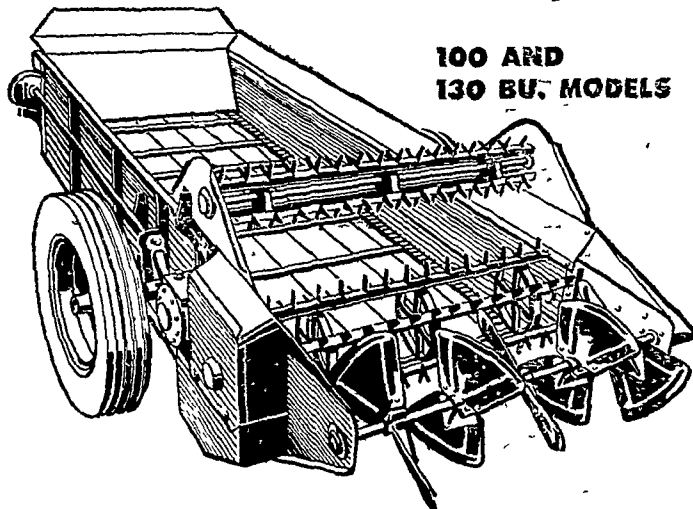
Dieldrin with fertilizer or direct application

PHONE EX 2-4963

ORGANIC PLANT FOOD CO.

GROFFTOWN ROAD
Next to the Waterworks

NEW FORD PTO Manure Spreaders



COMPARE, FEATURE BY FEATURE FORD GIVES YOU MORE!

- Rigid steel box frame with Pentaf treated wood box
- Roller chain drives
- Single lever control of 5 apron speeds
- Independent throw-out of beaters or apron
- Disc type friction overload clutch
- "No arch" design for easier loading, less plugging
- Self-cleaning beater teeth and replaceable paddle widespread
- Quick attaching "Snap-on" PTO coupling

GET THE LOW-COST DETAILS TODAY!

Elizabethtown
Farmers Supply, Inc.
Elizabethtown
Phone EM 7-1341



Keener Equip. Co.
Rts. 230 & 72, Lancaster
Phone LO 9-9861

Conestoga
Farm Service
Park Ave., Quarryville
Phone ST 6-2597

Sauder Bros.
New Holland
Phone EL 4-8721

Allen H. Matz
Denver
Phone AN 7-6502