

● Plowing

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Each meet will have both contour and level land contests.

Two other events have been added to the day's program, a tractor safety demonstration at 10 a.m. and 4-H and FFA tractor driving contests at 1 p.m. R. E. Patterson, Penn State University safety specialist, will conduct the morning demonstration, using remote control to send a tractor over a roped-off course simulating rough terrain.

Russell L. Ruble, Sinking Springs, in charge of the youth tractor driving, said all contestants will get \$10 each and that trophies will go to the winners in each competition.

Charles W. Passmore, Lancaster, 1963 general chairman, said Berks county farmers and implement dealers will be hosts to the state meet. Among them will be the 1961 level land champ, Charles D. Wessner, Kutztown, R. D. 2

Patterson will be chairman of judges for the state level land contest, and Henry Warner, Chambersburg, for the contour event. Plowmen competing for state honors, and all those in preliminary county matches, will be judged on uniformity and neatness of furrow, clean land ends, finished dead furrow, and general conformity to rules.

More than a dozen contestants, all county champions, will compete. Winners will receive

handsome trophies to be provided by the Farm Equipment Manufacturers Association of Pennsylvania and the Pennsylvania Retail Farm and Industrial Equipment Association. The B. F. Goodrich Tire

and Rubber Company will also present awards to the champion and runner-up in both contests.

State Agriculture Secretary Leland H. Bull, who will serve as honorary chairman, is scheduled to make the presentation. The B. F. Goodrich Tire

St. Paul's Union Church, Bernville, will operate a food stand on the grounds. The Berks County Soil Conservation District and nine cooperating agencies will present conservation exhibits in a large tent. The cooperating agencies are: active Extension Service, Berks County Planning Commission, Pennsylvania Department of Forests and Waters, State Game and Fish Commissions, State Department of Highways, Soil Conservation Service, and the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

New Pennlate Orchard Grass Solves Problems

Farmers have been looking for a late orchardgrass that will yield as well as any other. Pennlate is the variety that will do it, according to Dr. John E. Baylor, Associate Professor of Agronomy, Cooperative Extension Service, The Pennsylvania State University.

Farmers have been planting the variety S-37 in order to have an orchardgrass that matures a week later than common orchardgrass. This variety, however, yields 1 to 1½ tons less per acre than other orchardgrass varieties. Pennlate actually heads 7-10 days later than common orchardgrass (the same as S-37) but without a loss of yield, Dr. Baylor says.

Pennlate is a high quality, leafy variety with vigorous growth. Its winter hardiness is better than S-37. As a quality forage Pennlate has little competition among orchardgrasses, and is far superior to other late varieties. It grows well in association with legumes, especially alfalfa and ladino clover.

Investigation of varieties of orchardgrass began in 1949 at the U. S. Regional Pasture Laboratory in cooperation with the Pennsylvania Agricultural Experiment Station. Breeders selected plant strains on the basis of winter hardiness, leafiness, disease resistance, plant type and recovery after cutting.

Under the direction of Penn State agronomists, in four years of evaluation and testing in Pennsylvania's soil and climate, the new variety of orchardgrass was found to be superior in all respects and was made available to contract growers as Pennlate.

Tractors are involved in more farm accidents than any other farm implement. But other machines have higher accident rates because they are used less. Based on hours of operation, the cornpicker is the most dangerous farm machine.

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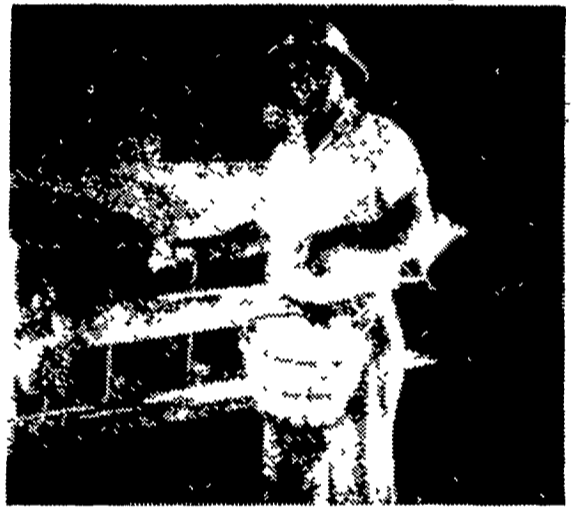
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* Period	% Lay	Eggs Per Bird	% Liv. B.	Feed Conv.	Feed Cost Per Doz.
1	71.3	20	99.8	4.0	14.0
2	86.2	24	99.0	3.5	12.1
3	85.8	24	98.2	3.5	12.3
4	82.2	23	97.1	3.2	11.3
5	77.8	22	96.7	3.8	13.4
6	76.0	21	95.7	4.1	14.3
7	73.4	21	95.2	3.8	13.2
8	71.5	20	94.5	4.1	15.1
9	69.4	19	94.0	3.8	14.0
10	68.6	19	91.0	3.9	13.9
11	66.4	19	90.0	4.1	14.3
12	63.2	18	89.7	4.3	15.4
13	63.2	18	89.7	4.3	15.4
364 Day					
** Summary	74.7	268	89.7	3.8	13.5

* 28 Days Per Period



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