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SMALL GREENHOUSE COURSE OFFERED

Gardeners propagating a variety of plants need small greenhouses to provide warm, humid conditions with plentiful light year round.

According to a Pennsylvania State University correspondence course on home greenhouses there are two basic types: the lean-to or attached, and the free

standing. The lean-to is built against an existing structure, but the free standing is separate. Selection depends on your home structure and whether you use your home furnace for heat.

Artificial heat must be provided. Hot air, steam and hot water are some ways to distribute heat. Selection of heating system depends on size of greenhouse, fuels available, cost and personal preference.

To learn small greenhouse construction and management, study the Penn State course. You enroll by sending your name and address with \$1.75 to Home Greenhouse, Box 5000, University Park, Pennsylvania 16802. A course copy comes to you by mail.

● Saucy Apples

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container, if necessary. Label and store.

Applesauce is delicious served only slightly thawed.

Serve apples. Apples are good tasting right now for eating out-of-hand, especially McIntosh and Delicious.

For a cooked dessert, you may want to try.

APPLE-CHEESE DESSERT

- 5 cups apple slices (pared)
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice
- 3/4 cup sugar
- 1/4 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1/2 cup sifted flour
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 cup table fat
- 3/8 cup grated cheese

Fill pie pan or shallow baking dish with apples; sprinkle with lemon juice and 1/4 cup of the sugar. Mix cinnamon, flour, salt and the other 1/2 cup sugar. Cut in fat until mixture is granular. Stir in cheese. Spread over apples. Bake at 350 degrees F. (moderate oven) until apples are tender — about 40 minutes. Cool before cutting to serve. Serve with plain cream or ice cream, if desired. Six servings.

U.S. Turkey Breeder Hen Intentions Up 3%

Turkey breeder flock owners in 15 important turkey States reported at the beginning of the 1969 hatchery season that they expect to keep 3% more total breeder hens than a year earlier. Turkey breeders expect to reduce the number of Beltsville and other light breed hens 3% from the 1968 level. The expected number of heavy breed hens to be kept is 4% more than a year earlier. (The 15 States covered by this report account for approximately 80% of all breeder hens in the United States, based on the January 1, 1968 inventory of breeder hens.)

Increases in the number of heavy breeder hens are expected in 8 of the 15 States. The largest percentage increases are expected in Minnesota, up 21%; Virginia, up 14%; Texas, up 12%; Missouri, up 10%; and California, up 9%.

Light breeder hens are expected to decline from a year earlier as follows: Pennsylvania and Texas, 67%; Ohio, 75%; Missouri, 25%; Michigan, 15%; and Virginia, 5%. Increases from a year earlier are expected

● For The Farm Wife

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- 3 eggs
- 1 cup (6 ounces) chocolate morsels
- 1 cup chopped nuts

Melt butter or shortening in saucepan; stir in brown sugar. Remove from heat; let cool about 10 minutes. Sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Beat eggs into sugar mixture, one at a time. Add flour mixture, chocolate morsels and nuts; mix well. Spread in greased 15x10x1" pan. Bake at 350 degrees for 25 to 30 minutes. Cool; cut into 2" squares.

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in Minnesota and Oregon while Iowa, Oklahoma, and California expect no change. The three States of Minnesota, Virginia, and Oregon accounted for approximately two-thirds of the 1968 U.S. total light breeder hens.

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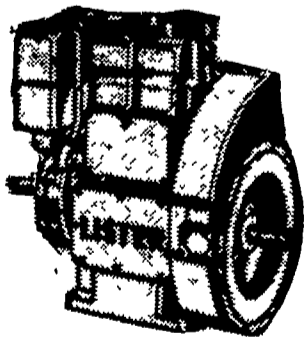
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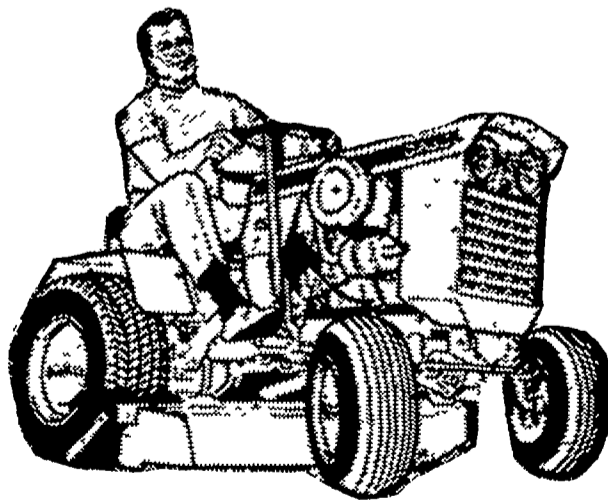
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