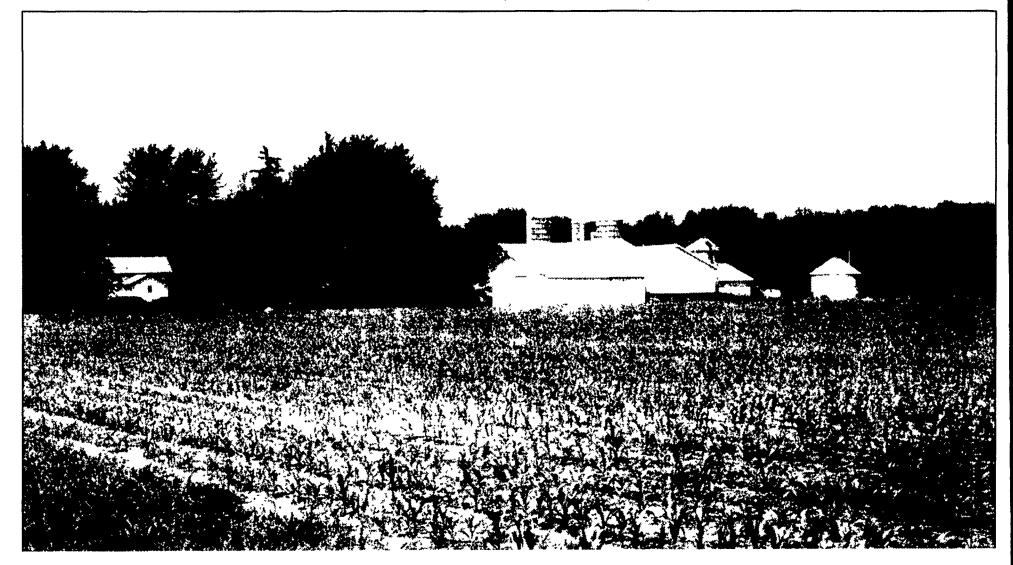
Rogers-Brook Farm Cranesville, Erie County



Ken and Shirley Rogers and son Eric operate the dairy farm here, including the 60-cow Holstein milking herd. They farm about 100 acres of corn, 150 of hay, and 30-40 acres of soybeans and oats to feed the herd.

Although Ken didn't grow up on a dairy farm, he started building a herd of registered Holsteins as soon as he graduated high school. He

bought this property in 1975 and continued to work away from the farm until 1984, when he made dairying his sole occupation.

Eric returned to the farm a year ago after studying dairy science in college.

