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## Testing Of Soils Is Listed As Good Farming Practice

The story that old mother earth can tell is one that should interest every progressive farmer. The crop grower, greenhouse operator, nurseryman, and gardener, believe Kirk Lawton, soil scientist at Michigan State College.

Testing soils to find out the time and fertilizer need and the plant nutrient content of the soil will point the way to sound soil management, the specialist advises. Many organizations including the county extension services, the Farm Bureau, soil conservation districts, and civic groups, feel that soil testing is an action program that fits well into good farm management.

A number of agencies in Michigan carry on soil testing services. A central testing laboratory is maintained by Michigan State College's soil science department where samples may be sent for analysis and appropriate soil management recommendations. Tests for the purity of soil and ground limestone are also made.

Tests may also be made in each county in the state by the county agricultural agent or by the county testing laboratory. Well-equipped laboratories have now been established in Berrien, Branch, Clinton, Jackson, Mason, Van Buren and in other counties.

When collecting soil samples, Lawton advises, it is well to remember that a test is only as accurate as the sample from which it is made. Directions for taking soil samples can be obtained from county agricultural agents or the Soil Science Department, Michigan State College, East Lansing.

## College Swine Project Now Open For Entries

An opportunity for Michigan farmers to demonstrate their skill in hog raising has been announced by Harry Moxley, extension animal husbandry specialist at Michigan State College.

The Winter Swine Feeding project, an annual event, is open now and will close during Farmers' Week late in January when the swine that have been entered will be shown and judged.

For eligibility, hogs entered must have been farrowed after August 1 and must weigh less than 90 pounds at the time they are entered.

Entry blanks can be secured from county agricultural agents or by writing to the department of animal husbandry, Michigan State College, East Lansing.

## Farm Plowing Time Can Be Fall Or Spring

The old question of fall plowing versus spring plowing is again making the rounds. Both methods have their advantages, says Paul Root, Michigan State College soils specialist.

Fall plowing, if it is the method chosen, should be done very late in the fall. It is risky to plow fall with much of a slope because of erosion. The protection of a crop is destroyed by fall plowing and wind and water erosion can take place.

On the credit side of the ledger, fall plowing permits early planting in the spring of such crops as sugar beets, oats and barley and is beneficial to the soil structure.

Total fire loss to date this year, in Michigan, is 14,771 acres, burned in 1,676 fires.

## UNKLE HANK SEZ

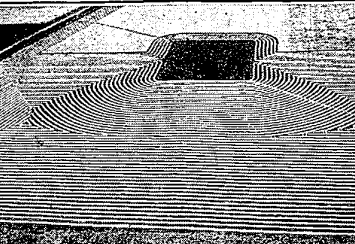
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A farmer harvesting his oat crop, leaves an unusual study in design around an isolated breeding plot of DeKalb Hybrid seed corn in DeKalb County, Illinois. The heavy white lines are oat straw left in swaths by the combine. The dark green rectangle in the center is a field of parent inbreds being increased for future hybrid seed production. Inherited corn characteristics are carried from tassels to ears by dust-like pollen grains. Like purebred cattle, parent corn must be kept pure or undesirable offspring may be produced. To make certain these hybrid corn parents stay pure, they are grown in isolated fields like this one, safe from contamination by stray pollen from neighboring cornfields.

## State Sets Up Emergency Stations To Assist Army Of Deer Hunters

The Michigan State Police and State Department of Conservation are again cooperating this year in making available a free registration service for deer hunters who desire to be reached in camp in the event of an emergency at home.

The plan provides that hunters register at the State Police post or Conservation headquarters nearest their camp. Before leaving home they should inform their families of the station at which they are registered. Then if an emergency occurs, it is only necessary for those at home to notify the State Police post or Conservation headquarters nearest them and the message will be sent by radio to the registration station, from where it will be delivered by an officer or either of the departments.

The registration will also make it easier to inform persons at home if the hunter suffers an accident or is reported lost.

Only urgent messages will be handled, and only in areas where regular communication facilities cannot be used without delay.

In the past the service has been utilized by thousands of hunters and many messages have been delivered. Registration cards have been supplied to all State Police posts and Conservation headquarters. They will also be available on State Police trailers and may be handed to State Police officers stationed at the docks.

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## COUNTY MENTAL HYGIENE SOCIETY TO HEAR DOCTOR SPEAK

The Oakland County chapter of the Michigan Mental Hygiene Society will hold a meeting November 8 at the Parish House of Christ Church, Cranbrook, corner of Lone Pine and Cranbrook Road, Bloomfield Hills, at 8 p.m.

Speaker for the evening program will be Dr. Harry H. August, of Detroit, who will speak on the subject "Discipline and Behavior Control." Dr. August is associate professor of neuropsychiatry at Wayne Medical School and consultant at the Merrill-Palmer school.

## Conservation Department Setting Shade Trees

Trees that will shade picnicers in years to come are being planted by the conservation department in Pontiac Lake, Rochester, Utica and Island Lake state recreation areas. Supervised prison labor is being used, in part, in setting out 5,000 saplings bought from private nurseries.

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