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For legume fields from which seed is to be harvested this coming summer, a top-dressed application of about 200 pounds per acre of an 0-20-0 or an 0-20-20 fertilizer will help insure a good seed crop, according to Harold E. Jones, extension soils specialist. This fertilizer should be spread as soon as possible after alfalfa or clovers begin spring growth, before the plants get too tall. Whether the straight phosphate or a phosphate-potash mixture should be used will depend on the potash level in the field. Soil tests will help determine this.

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Following Secretary Brannan's coordination order of February 15, plans are under way in many Minnesota counties to house PMA committees and Soil Conservation Service offices in adjoining space. The order also directs PMA, SCS and Forest Service to plan programs together and to cooperate with local soil conservation districts. Order does not consolidate agencies. Soil Conservation districts are invited to take equal responsibility and authority with federal men in planning local programs and policies under which the federal agencies work.

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What size corn ear do you like? Will this size ear give you the best yield? The Pennsylvania experiment station is sure that if the ears of corn weigh more than $\frac{1}{2}$ pound you need a heavier stand. Experimental work shows that land growing big ears will grow more bushels of smaller ones. It's worth thinking about, says E. R. Duncan, extension soils specialist.

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Even golf courses have erosion problems. Zumbrota Country Club applied for help from South Goodhue Soil Conservation District, which made Soil Conservation Service technician available. Club ended up with a complete conservation plan for its land, checked erosion.

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