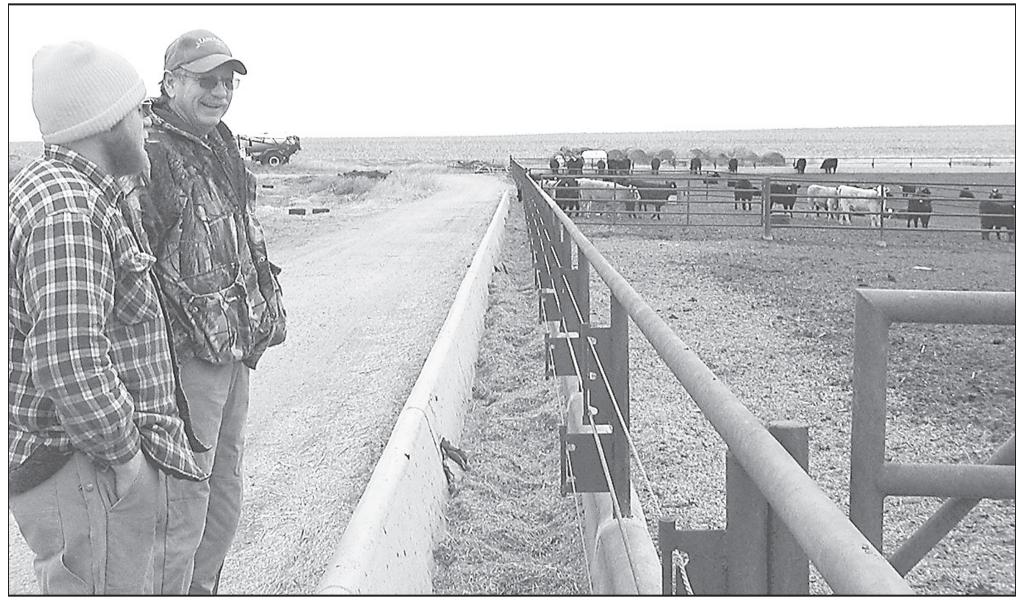


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Persinger Farms, Inc. 2008 Soil Conservation Winner



Kirk Persinger, left, and his father, Steve Persinger, right, looked over the cattle in their "growing lot." In addition to more than 9,000 acres of cropland, the Persingers have about 200 cattle, which they sell when the cows reach about 800 pounds.

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