The cold, crisp mornings of autumn may reveal a thin white covering on lawns, pavements, rooftops, and automobiles. The covering is ice formed from water that has condensed out of the air and frozen. This frozen condensation is the searched term, and it is regarded by most people as a lovely sign that winter is

on its way. For the farmer, however, it may be viewed as a sign of disaster. If crops are not yet harvested, they can be damaged.