

Australians Using Planes on Farms

An item in the Agriculture Gazette at Sydney Austral states that during the three months ending June 30, 1956, air planes were used to treat 116,000 acres of pasture in New South Wales.

Also, nearly 8,000 tons of phosphate fertilizer and 50,000 pounds of clover seed were applied to 102,000 acres by plane.

About 14,000 acres of pasture were treated with herbicide and an additional 65,000 acres of other crops were treated with herbicides and insecticides by planes.



THE QUEEN OF THE ELIZABETHTOWN Rose Show was a medium red San Fernando shown by Dr C Stuart Smith, 103 West High St., Elizabethtown. Looking at the rose with him is Mrs Mary Schaeffer, Elizabethtown, president of the Society (LF Photo)

Dr. C. Stuart Smith Shows Queen At Elizabethtown Rose Society Show

The Queen of the Show at the eighth annual Rose Show of the Elizabethtown Rose Society held Saturday at the First National Bank and Trust Co in Elizabethtown was shown by Dr C Stuart Smith, 103 West High St., Elizabethtown.

The medium red rose was of the San Fernando variety. Other winners were H. K. Dorsheimer Perpetual trophy — Dr C E Smith, R. H. Forney Perpetual trophy — Harold Eshleman, Elizabethtown.

Mumper Perpetual trophy — W. G. Mumma, Elizabethtown. Spickler Perpetual trophy — Mrs. C S. Smith, Elizabethtown.

First Past President Peretual trophy — Mrs. Jane Eshleman, Elizabethtown.

George Doyle trophy — Dr. C. S. Smith.

David Martin trophy — Mrs. Jane Eshleman.

Elizabethtown Rose Society trophy — Mrs. Jane Eshleman.

Dr C Stuart Smith Award — Miss Elaine Eshleman.

Elizabeth Huges Society Award — Harold Eshleman.

Louis J Ulrich Award — Mrs C S Smith.

Jacob B Fisher perpetual trophy — Mrs Keeman Brosey, Elizabethtown.

Zarfoos Trophy—Dr C Stuart Smith.

American Rose Society awards — gold, Mrs S A Horton, Mt Joy, silver, Dr C Stuart Smith, bronze, Mrs. Donald Seiders, Elizabethtown.

Russia Buying Butter From Danish Exporters

The Foreign Agricultural Service reports that import authorities of the Soviet Union and Danish exporters have recently entered onto a contract under which the Soviet Union will buy 55 million pounds of Danish unsalted, refrigerated butter.

This is the first sale of Danish butter to the USSR since 1954 when that country imported 22.8 million pounds of butter from Denmark.

Farm Women Executive Board Sets County Project for Year

The executive board of the Lancaster County Society of Farm Women has decided to purchase a portable chart carriage and an orthopedic examination table for St Joseph's Hospital, Lancaster, as the county project this year.

The action was taken at a meeting held June 4 at the home of Mrs Wallis Rohrer, Smoketown. Co-hostess was Mrs Walter Himmelreich.

Members will join the United Council of Church Women in sponsoring migrant camp parties during August.

Societies 1 and 2 will visit the County Home this month and Societies 3 and 4 in July.

The county chorus, Mrs Wilbur Hostetter directing, will meet for rehearsal in the Farm Bureau Building Monday, Aug 5, at 7:30 p.m.

The women will chaperone and provide refreshments for the Lancaster USO on Saturday, Oct 19. Mrs William Roth is chairman.

Camp Swatara will be open to rural women on Aug 25 to 27.

November 2 has been set as the date for County Convention. It will be held at Hempfield High School, Landisville. The following committees have been appointed for the convention:

Nominating — Mrs. Harry L. Zook, Society 13.

Program — Mrs Clyde Hottentstein, Society 5, Mrs David Yoder, Society 19, Mrs Harold Steuber, Society 3, Mrs. Lester Stigman, Society 12, and Mrs Harold

Wolf, Society 1. Auditing — Mrs John Snively, Society 2, and Mrs Floyd Reinhart, Society 16.

Memorial — Mrs Ethel Reinhold, Society 10.

Decorations — Mrs John Musser, Society 4 and Mrs Raymond Stoner, Society 18.

Favors — Mrs Landis Meyer, Society 24, and Mrs Bernard Jackson, Society 15.

Registration — Mrs Robert Eshelman, Society 8, and Mrs John Herr, Society 23.

Ushers (a.m.) — Mrs Elvin Keener, Society 6 and Mrs Earl Walton, Society 21 (p.m.) — Mrs Wilbur Rohrer, Society 22 and Mrs. Walter Himmelreich, Society 14.

Bazar Table — Mrs Walter Warfel, Society 9, Mrs Horace Lantz, Society 7, and Mrs James Ritzer, Society 11.

The next meeting will be held at 1:30 p.m. Aug 6 in the Farm Bureau Cooperative, Dillersville Road, Lancaster. Mrs Elvin Keener and Mrs John Snively will be co-hostesses.

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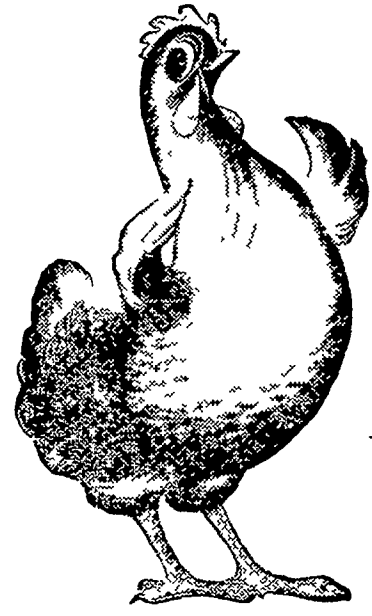


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