

Elizabethtown FFA
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Elvin Hess, teacher of vocational agriculture at the school, was initiated last fall and both boys and participating businessmen report that results thus far have been gratifying.
Each of the students made a list of eight different places of employment at the beginning of the year. After the places had been approved by the teacher, contacts were made and arrangements made for the boys to work 12 hours a week. Time is released from school work on Monday morning from 8:20 to 11:20, but the boys can arrange different working hours if it is more suitable with the employer.
The program is entirely voluntary and the boys receive no pay. Emphasis is placed on exploration, and the boys

are urged to choose employers whose work interests them, but they are encouraged to try jobs in other fields.
By the end of the year, each boy will have worked 12 hours in eight different agriculture-related businesses in the area. The boys and the employers will then submit written reports.
The employer will rate the boy on attitudes, abilities, promptness, dress or appearance, courteousness, self confidence, responsibility and cooperation.
At present 12 area firms are cooperating and nine boys are working. Modern farms will also be approved for boys who do not live on a farm.
Hess said this week he has had inquiries from several other schools. He also reported that one boy has been offered a part time job in a

Solanco YFA Installs Officers
Clifford Holloway, Peach Bottom, was elected president of the Solanco Young Farmers Association at a recent meeting.
Other officers elected include Murl Aument, Quarryville R1, vice president; Thomas Galbreath, Peach Bottom, secretary, Amos Rutt, Quarryville R3, treasurer; George Knight, Lancaster R6, Kenneth Murphy, Quarryville R3, and James Ewart, Peach Bottom, all to the executive committee, Clayton Metzler, Holtwood R1, reporter, and Lester Ranck, Quarryville R2, sentinel. Installation was held at the December 12 business meeting in the Solanco High School, Quarryville.
At the December 19 meeting, the young farmers are planning a panel discussion on "The Impact of Contract Farming on the Agriculture of Lancaster County." Panel members will be Hendrik Wentink, of Miller and Bushong, John J. Hess, feed dealer, and Paul Wipple, Manager of the Lancaster Office of Production Credit Association.
All interested farmers are invited to attend the meeting scheduled to begin at 8 p.m. butcher shop as a result of the program, and is now working after school and on week ends.
Hess says he and other school administrators are so well pleased with the success of the program that they are making plans to continue and improve it next year.

Prod. Credit Names New Mgr.
Carl A. Brown has been named manager of the Lancaster Production Credit Association, effective as of January 1, 1964.
The board of directors named Brown to succeed Paul B. Whipple, manager of the Lancaster Association for the past seven years. Whipple recently resigned to accept a position with Miller and Bushong, Inc., Rohrerstown.
Brown began his career in



CARL A. BROWN

Farm Credit work with the Northeastern Pennsylvania Association in Tunkhannock Pa., in 1954. He transferred to the Meadville Association in 1956 and to the Lancaster Association in 1962. Since that time, he has worked with Whipple in the Lancaster office.

Farm Women 10-Hold A Party

The annual Christmas party of Farm Women Society 10 was held recently at the home of Mrs. Charles D. Stauffer, Lime Springs Farm, Rohrerstown.

Devotions were in charge of Mrs. Christ Neff. Members were welcomed by the new president, Mrs. Clifford Shoemaker.

Mrs. Cyrus Neff and Mrs. Frank Hodecker were elected delegates to the state convention in Harrisburg, January 13 and 14. Alternates are Mrs. Abram Miller and Mrs. John Habecker.

A bus will be chartered for the convention to leave the bus terminal at 8 a.m. Anyone interested in going may contact Mrs. Hodecker, 997 Rohrerstown Road.

Donations were given to the Tuberculosis Society Fund \$10, Water Street Rescue Mission \$15, Child Development Center, \$20, Crippled Children, \$30, and \$15 to a worthy chosen family for Christmas.

The next meeting will be held at the Manor Shepphus Center, Saturday, Jan. 4 at 1:30 p.m. Mrs. Harry Sloat and Mrs. Clay Rice will be the hostesses. Anyone desiring transportation to the meeting may contact Mrs. Sloat, 116 Charles Road.

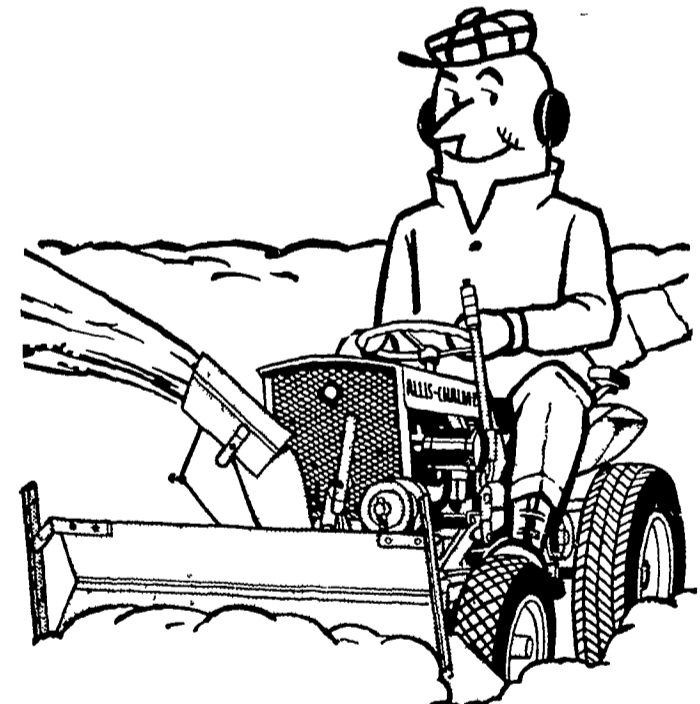
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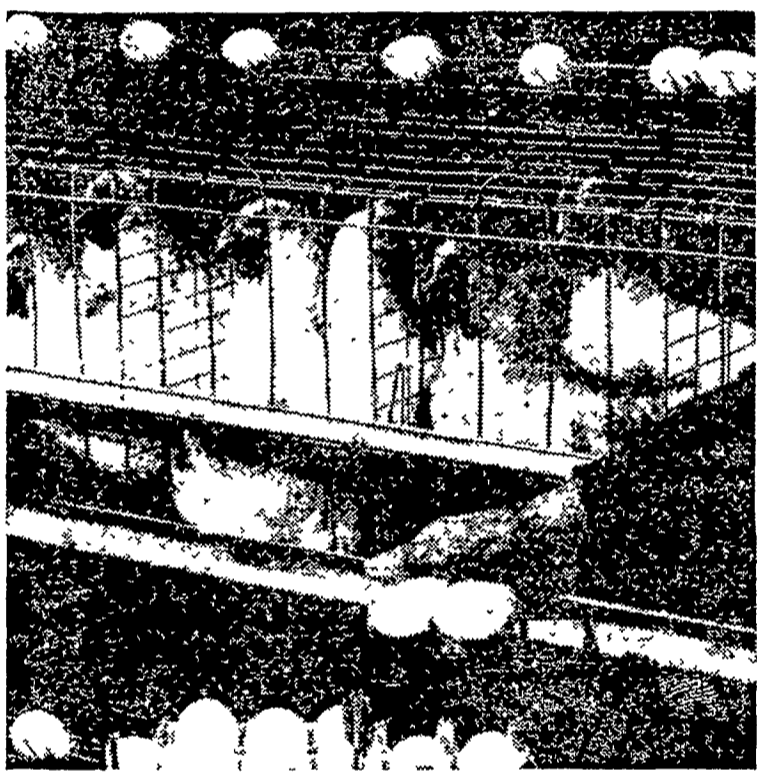
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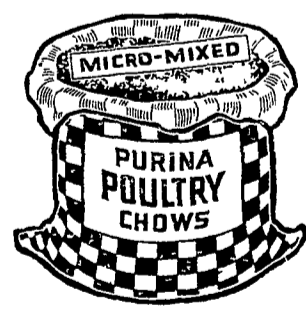


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