

● For The Farm Wife

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Combine sugar, corn syrup and hot water. Heat slowly until sugar dissolves. Then boil without stirring to firm-ball state, 248 degrees F on a candy thermometer. Gradually beat hot syrup into beaten egg whites. Add salt and vanilla. Cool. Fold in mayonnaise, orange peel and nuts.

TOPPINGS TO SERVE WITH FRESH PEAR HALVES

MINTED CREAM: Beat 1/4 cup mint jelly until smooth. Whip 1 cup heavy cream. Add jelly and 1/4 teaspoon vanilla. Chill.

Farm Women

SOCIETY 9

Farm Women Society #9 met at the Colemanville Methodist Church recently.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs Glenn Morrison, president, Mrs Charles Fink, Mrs Irving Lamphere and Mrs J Edward Brenneman. Devotions were given by Mrs. Elmer Huber, followed by the Lord's Prayer and salute to the flag.

Mrs William Gung reported that 360 candy dressings were made and also distributed 200 more to be made by various members of the society.

Mrs. Glenn Morrison, Mrs J. Edward Brenneman, Mrs Charles Fink and Mrs Irving Lamphere were delegates to the Farm Show Convention at Harrisburg last week.

The next meeting will be a luncheon at Willow Valley at 11 30 A M.

SOCIETY 19

Society of Farm Women #19 met at the home of Mrs. Christian Musser, 255 Main St., Landisville with Mrs Daniel Rohrer, president presiding, and Mrs George Baker as co-hostess. Devotions were in charge of Mrs. Kenneth Warfel and group singing was led by Mrs Earl Stauffer. Twenty-three members responded to roll call by telling the most unusual thing they did with junk.

Mrs John Beyers, assisted by Mr George Coe from the American Cancer Society, showed a film "Investment in Life". Members folded seals at Heart Haven on Tuesday, January 23. It was voted to donate \$10 00 to the American Cancer Society.

SOCIETY 25

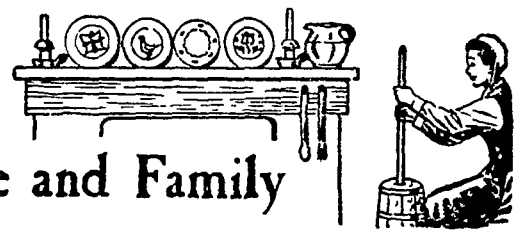
Society of Farm Women #25 met recently with a dinner meeting at Willow Valley Restaurant with the new president, Mrs Glenn Nauman, presiding. Devotions were in charge of Mrs Clyde Rohrer.

The program consisted of slides showing the Red Cross and their activities in Viet Nam by Mrs Leonard C Grove, who is in charge of service to military families in Viet Nam. Mrs. David Newswanger received the gift of the month.

Members of the society folded seals at Heart Haven on January 24. Delegates to the State Convention in Harrisburg were: President, Mrs Glenn Morrison.

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For the Farm Wife and Family



Ladies, Have You Heard? . . .

By Doris Thomas, Extension Home Economist

Tips For A Neat Hemline

A straight hem, correctly placed, gives a dress a smart appearance and contributes to a well-groomed look. A skit hem should be

An even distance from the floor all around.

Inconspicuous on the right side of the garment.

Uniform in width. Wide or narrow enough to give the right weight to the skirt.

Durable, neat, and well pressed.

Flat and smooth. Any fullness at the top of the hem needs to be evenly distributed.

You might want to use narrow machine-stitched hems in clothes for active sports and

for garments you'll launder often.

Where appearance is more important than strength and for better garments, you'll need to hand sew the hems to make them neat.

To make a hem invisible on the right side, use small stitches and thread that is the same color as the fabric.

Consider the fabric type as you select a hem finish. For example, on transparent or sheer fabrics, rolled hems look best because raw or cut edges will show to the right side of the garment.

Hems will be flatter and look neater if the part of a seam included in a hem is left unfinished and pressed open. Clip the seam allowances at the top



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of the hem and at the turn of the hem and trim diagonally.

What Are Marketing Costs?

A large share of the money you spend for food goes for marketing costs. But do you know what marketing is?

Marketing is all the steps involved in getting food from the farm to the kitchen.

It takes a lot of marketing to make raw food into the wholesome, easy-to-fix, tasty menus we enjoy.

Foods travel long distances which in turn involves time.

Marketing costs money, but without it you'd have a very limited supply of food from which to plan your family's meals.

Some Ideas for Serving Bacon

Bacon fits into many menus and may be served in a variety of ways. Here are some:

Use bacon strips over meat loaves, lean roasts, baked fish, and baked poultry.

Wrap bacon strips around hamburgers and frankfurters for broiling.

Diced, cooked bacon bits add texture and flavor contrast to omelets, creamed potatoes, corn bread, potato salad, spaghetti dishes, and vegetable casseroles.

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