



THE FUN SIDE OF 4-H is evident at the 4-H Soil and Water Conservation Club "doggie roast" and picnic. The members, leaders and parents enjoyed this outing at the Vincent Hoover farm near New Providence. The event also included a field trip to observe good con-



servation practices in strip cropping, contouring and terracing. There were 52 members, leaders and parents present including Jay W. Irwin, Assistant County Agent.

## 4-H Club Activities

### PENN MANOR KOOKIE KOOKS

The first meeting of the Penn Manor Kookie Kooks was held last week at Stehman's Church Pavilion. Linda Porter led in the election of officers. The following were elected: president - Terri Brenner, vice president - Linda Leaman, secretary-treasurer - Darlene Eshleman, songleaders - Connie Hoak and Donica Neff and game leaders - Kris Stehman and Jenny Campbell. After the meeting was adjourned Kris Stehman made brownies and Connie Stehman made muffins.

The second meeting was held on June 26 at the Penn Manor Junior High School. Announcements were made after which Linda Kauffman gave a demonstration on how to set a table.

After the business meeting was adjourned, the first year girls made sandwiches and a beverage while the second year girls made baked custard and a salad. The next meeting will be held at 11:30 A.M. on Wednesday, July 3, at Penn Manor Junior High School.

### CLASHING THIMBLES

The second meeting of the 4-H Clashing Thimbles Sewing Club was held recently at the Stehman's Church Pavilion. Everyone received a book, entitled Grooming Magic for Modern Girls. The members then discussed dues.

A demonstration was given by Mrs. Lois Porter on how to sew on a button.

The club leader is Mrs. Edgar Porter.

### NORTHERN HOLSTEIN

The Northern Lancaster County Holstein Club met last week for its annual ice cream

## Beef - Dairy Crossbreeds

Calves born to Brown Swiss dams bred to bulls of beef breeds weighed more and made higher gains than other crosses or straightbreds in a recent ARS study.

Brown Swiss dairy cows were bred to Hereford, Angus, and Charolais beef bulls. Matings also were made between bulls and cows of these three breeds to compare all possible straightbred and crossbred combinations with the beef-dairy crosses.

Data were collected over a 4-year period at the U.S. Range Livestock Experiment Station in Miles City, Mont., by ARS cattle researchers, O. F. Pahnish and J. J. Urick, ARS statistician.

party with the Lebanon County 4-H Holstein Club as guests. A baseball game preceded the party.

## Eshelman Expanding Tampa, Florida Plant

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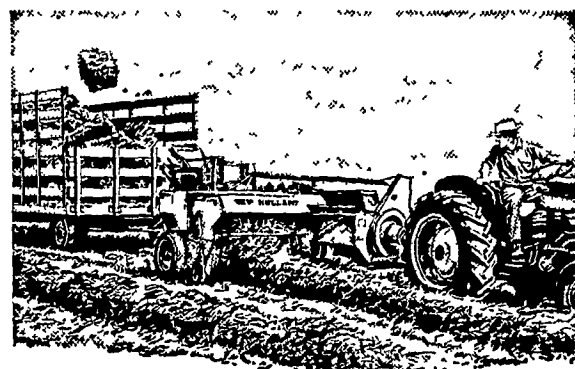
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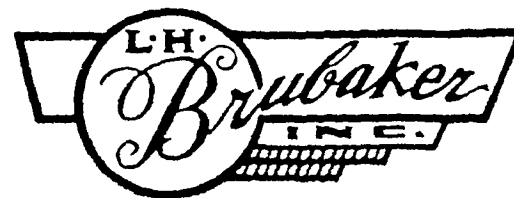
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