

# Farm Women Societies

## Society 12

Farm Women Society 12 met recently at the Millersville Fire Hall for their annual Christmas party and meeting. Miss Ethel Kindig, president, presided at the meeting.

A donation of \$50 was voted to the Farm and Home Center and \$10 to the Christmas Seal campaign.

Delegates to the state convention in Harrisburg will be Mrs. John Sangrey, Mrs. Carl Mowrer and Miss Ethel Kindig.

Gifts were exchanged and Christmas carols were sung. Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Lemar Henry of Millersville and Mrs. Donald Lowmbery of Conestoga RD2.

The next meeting will be on January 16 at the home of Mrs. James Frey, Conestoga RD2.

## Society 13

Society of Farm Women 13 held a covered dish family Christmas party at the Smoke-town Elementary School. Devotions were conducted by Mrs. William Schroeder. Committee chairmen for the event were Mrs. Gordon Rietzel and Mrs. William Schroeder.

A special holiday musical program was featured. Those participating were Steve Rietzel, Roger Sayres, Lisa Truitt, Mrs. Floyd McCleneghan, Diane and Craig McCleneghan, Mrs. Elsie Wilson, Jeff Lichty, Steve Mesky, Sheri Schroeder and Mrs. Chester Christ.

The program was concluded with group singing led by Mrs.

Schroeder and piano accompaniment by Mrs. Chester Christ.

## Society 18

Society of Farm Women 18 met recently at the United Church of Christ in Rohrerstown with Mrs. Harry Shepherdson III as hostess.

Delegates to the State convention were selected. They are Mrs. Willis Esbenschade, Mrs. David Buckwalter, Mrs. Lester Kreider, Mrs. Ben Greider and Mrs. Robert Noll.

The Kreider sisters from Landisville presented slides with sound effects of Bethlehem.

## Society 25

Farm Women Society 25 met at the home of Mrs. John Henderson, president, Lancaster RD6. 21 members attended the meeting.

Mrs. Jacob Boose was in charge of the devotions. Roll call was answered by naming "You most unusual Christmas Cookie." Mrs. M. Wade Groff received the gift of the month.

Mrs. Henderson conducted the business meeting. Mrs. John Gerlach was received as a new member.

Mrs. Laban Byers and Mrs. John Metz will attend the State Convention of Farm Women in Harrisburg on January 11 and 12 along with Mrs. Henderson.

Members brought the dolls to the meeting which have been cleaned, sewed clothes and dressed for the Venture Club.

Mrs. Henderson announced

that a sale of antiques will be held at the Farm and Home Center on January 25, 1971. Societies are requested to have a food stand.

For the program, Mrs. Oliver Armstrong, 125 Roslyn Avenue, Lancaster, had invited Society 25 members to her home for a tour. She explained how some of her Christmas decorations were made. Punch was served following the tour.

The next meeting will be held Saturday, January 9 at the home of Mrs. Leban Byers, Lancaster RD6. The program theme will be "Accidents are not Accidental." Guest speaker will be Prof. Raymond C. Mullin.

## Society 26

Society of Farm Women 26 held their meeting at the home of Mrs. J. Richard Kreider, Manheim RD3, with Mrs. Leroy Esbenschade as co-hostess. Devotions were led by Mrs. Kenneth Martin, who also conducted the business meeting.

Delegates to the State Convention to be held in Harrisburg in January are Mrs. Robert Summy, Mrs. Richard Kreider, Mrs. Josie Buckwalter, Mrs. Harold Esbenschade.

Society 26 will be entertained by Society 18 at the Farm and Home Center on January 16 at 1:30 p.m.

A gift was given to the outgoing president, Mrs. Martin, by Mrs. Michael Grove Jr. The new president will be Mrs. Robert Summy. New vice president is Mrs. Harry Heishey.

The speaker for the evening

## Farm Women Calendar

Merry Christmas!

**Saturday, December 19**  
2 p.m. — Farm Women Society 3, Christmas party, Salem Lutheran Church, W. Main Street, Ephrata.  
**Saturday, December 26**  
Farm Women Society 5 Christmas party, home of Mrs. Clarence Keener, Manheim RD1.

was Mrs. Marlin Musser, whose topic was "I Believe in Miracles."

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. David Landis, Lititz RD2, on January 28 at 7:30 p.m.

## Society 28

The December meeting of the Society of Farm Women 28 was held in the home of Mrs. Marvin High, 66 Valley Road, Neffsville. Mrs. Eugene High served as co-hostess. Mrs. Gordon Melinger was in charge of devotions.

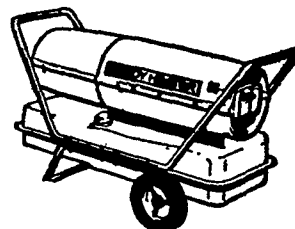
During the business session, Mrs. William Dean Jr., president, named two delegates, and an alternate to attend the State Convention of Farm Women in Harrisburg on January 11 and 12. They are Mrs. Jacob Bare and Mrs. Harold Rohrer with Mrs. William Harnish as alternate. Mrs. Dean will also attend.

A gift of \$10 will be sent to the Farm and Home Center through the County Farm Women treasury.

Mrs. Mary Myers, home economist for PP&L, presented a program on Holiday Foods.

The next meeting will be held January 14 in the home of Mrs. George Eckman Jr., Meadow Lane, Smoketown, when a white elephant sale is planned.

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