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County Farm Women Board Meets

The April meeting of the Lancaster County Executive Board of Farm Women met April 6 in the home of Mrs. Robert Rohrer, Society 23, with Mrs. J. Clayton Charles serving as cohostess.

President Mrs. John N Hess opened the meeting. Devotions were given by Florence May Kreider, Society 17, reading Psalms 138, followed by the Lord's Prayer and the Pledge to the Flag. Roll call was given by Anna Mae Snader, secretary, with 36 present.

was reported by the membership committee that there are 1,014 members to date.

The 4-H Walk-A-Thon is May 12 for the purpose of raising money for the Retarded Childrens Center. Anyone wishing to sponsor one of these children should contact Miss Joan Lucas at the Farm and Home Center.

It was decided that the Lancaster County Farm Women will sponsor the USO birthday party being held at the USO on King Street, Lancaster, on May 1.

Under committee reports, it Hostesses will be Mr and Mrs

John N. Hess, Mr and Mrs. Kenneth Warfel, Mr and Mrs Richard King, Mrs Esther Musser, Mrs Mary Denlinger, Mrs. Nancy Garber and Mrs Sharon Hiestand.

All food being donated by the Farm Women groups should be delivered to the USO building between 11 a m and 4 p m, on May 1

The County project for this year was voted upon by the responses brought to the meeting by each Society president. The majority vote was for the Child Development Center.

It was announced that the County Convention will be held November 6 at the Farm and Home Center, with Mildred Kreider serving as program committee chairman

Concerning the Spring Rally being held at Stokesay Castle, Reading, the price will be \$4 per ticket with a menu of baked ham Society 8 will be chartering a bus for the Spring Rally. Anyone wishing to go on the bus should contact Mrs Charles Felty, Millersville, at 872-2127. Call immediately for reservations

Societies 8 and 9 will be visiting Conestoga View on April 15 and Societies 10 and 11 will visit May 21.

Speaker at the meeting representing the Alpha Club of Lancaster was Mrs Spiese The Alpha Club is sponsored by the Mental Health Association and is a social club for the people who spent some time in a mental hospital during their lives or have had emotional problems

The organization is looking for an assistant director and wants to know the name of anyone who would be interested in this position. Mrs Spiese also stated that any Society that would like to serve refreshments some Friday evening at the Alpha Club should contact Mrs Virgal Spencer at the Mental Health Association The club meets every Friday evening at 7 30 p m

Any Farm Women interested in the European Tour should contact Mrs John N Hess, Columbia RD2

The meeting was closed by singing the Farm Women theme song, Brighten The Corner.

The next County Board meeting will be June 1 at 1 30 p m, at the home of Mrs Hiram Graybill, president of Society 5, with cohostess Mrs Robert Summy, Society 26.

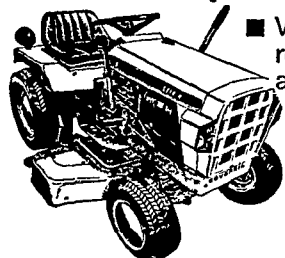
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