

# Farm Women Plan 54th Convention

Mrs. John N. Hess, president of the Society of Farm Women of Lancaster County, recently appointed committees for the 45th annual County Convention planned November 6.

The local society presidents serve as key persons and are authorized to involve all members of the local society she represents.

In other action at the meeting at the home of Mrs. Hiram Graybill, Lititz RD2, Mrs. Glenn Myer, Kirkwood, second vice president of the county Society, resigned for health reasons. The resignation was accepted by the executive board.

Assisting Mrs. Graybill, president of Society 5, as hostess was Mrs. Robert Summy, president of Society 26.

Mrs. J. Everett Kreider led devotions; Mrs. Aaron Denlinger, first vice president led the pledge to the flag, Mrs. Leo Snader, secretary, and Mrs. J. Clayton Charles, treasurer, also participated.

Named to the program committee for the November convention is Mrs. Lester Kreider, Society 18, Mrs. Leon Thomas, Society 14, Mrs. J. Edward Brenneman, Society 9, and Mrs. Lloyd Herr, Society 22.

Mrs. Graybill Hollinger, Society 1, Mrs. Jack Henderson, Society 25, and Mrs. Donald Hoising, Society 30, will be on the nominating committee.

Mrs. Elam Hess, Society 20 and Mrs. Richards Wood, Society 21 will be in charge of the memorial service. Mrs. Robert Summy, Society 26, Mrs. Eugene Hummel, Society 13, and Mrs. Roy Sauder, Society 27, are in charge of decorating. Ushering will be handled by Mrs. Robert Garber, Society 4, and Mrs. Jacob Evans, Society 10.

Mrs. Leigh Walton, Society 15 and Mrs. Roy Hollinger, Society 24 are in charge of tickets. The Bazaar table will be planned by Societies 29, 23, 16, 11, and 12 with Mrs. Dale Hiestand, Mrs. Robert Rohrer, Mrs. Levi Groff, Mrs. Esther Musser and Mrs. Lamar Henry. Mrs. Robert Gregory, Society 3; Mrs. Lloyd Derr, Society 8, Mrs. Marlin Hosler, Society 2, and Mrs. Martin Hershey, Society 7.

Mrs. Hess asked for volunteer hosts to assist with the entertaining of a group of German farm women during a visit to the United States in October.

Also during the County executive board meeting, Mrs. Robert Garber reported on the Community Council of Lancaster County Citations dinner.

Mr. William Hammers presented a plan for local groups to earn profits through the sale of household items to increase their general funds. Gumbel's of Park City offered community room facilities to Farm Women for meetings and also outlined banquet or luncheon facilities to be arranged according to availability. Mr. Hess may be contacted for additional information.

The executive board consisting of county officers and local presidents will host a picnic for children in the Hempfield area attending camp for emotionally disturbed children on Aug. 13. Serving on the committee are Mrs. Donald Horning, Mrs. Jack Henderson, Mrs. Everett Kreider and Mrs. Dale Hiestand.

Societies 12 and 13 will entertain guests of Conestoga View on June 17. Societies 14 and 15 will visit July 15 and Societies 16 and 17 will entertain August 19.

The annual picnic and executive board meeting will be held at Safe Harbor Park at noon on August 4. It is open to all Farm Women and their families and is a covered dish luncheon. Each person is asked to bring a covered dish and her place settings. Beverage will be provided.

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The auditing committee will include Mrs. Milton Eberly, Society 6, and Mrs. Everett Kreider, Society 17. Mrs. Kenneth Warfel, Society 19, Mrs. Hiram Graybill, Society 5, and Mrs. William A. Dean Jr., Society 28, will serve in charge of guests.

### Missionaries Return

Anna Mae Herr and Ruth Sauder, EMBMC missionaries at Pine Grove Academy, Honduras, will arrive in the Lancaster area June 20. Miss Herr's address will be 1125 Beaver Valley Pike, Lancaster. Miss Sauder's address will be Manheim RD1.

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