

Farm Women Societies

Society 1

Farm Women Society 1 held a covered dish picnic at the Middle Creek Church pavilion. Thirty-five members and guests were present.

Mrs. Graybill Hollinger, president, conducted a short business session and made these announcements. County picnic will be held on Aug. 4 at the Manor Camp Meeting grounds, starting with a covered dish at noon. It was also announced that a Farm Women's Camp at Camp Swatara will be on Aug. 22, 23 and 24. This is for all Farm Women. Anyone interested may contact Mrs. Daniel Brubaker, Ephrata RD1, as soon as possible. Miss Rachel Bollinger had

charge of the games for the picnic with prizes being won by Mrs. Graybill Hollinger, Mrs. Daniel Brubaker, Miss Donna Walton, Miss Lynn Groff and Mark Walton.

Society 1 will be entertained at 7:30 p.m. on July 12 by Society 31 at the United Methodist Church, Quarryville.

Next meeting will be at 12.30 p.m., Aug. 7 when Society 1 will entertain Society 9 at the home of Mrs. Noah Kreider, Manheim RD3.

Society 26

Farm Women Society 26 met at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Martin, Litz RD2, with Mrs. James Buckwalter as co-hostess.

Mrs. Rodger Thome was in charge of devotions.

Mrs. Robert Summy, president, was in charge of the meeting. A bus trip to Ocean City, N.J., is planned for July 22. Anyone interested in going should contact Mrs. Leroy Esbenshade, Manheim RD1, before July 10.

Mrs. Clyde Buchen will represent Society 26 in the "Farm Women of the Year" contest. The program was the wearing or showing of wedding dresses by members.

The next business meeting will be at 7:30 p.m. August 26 at the home of Mrs. Amos Landis Litz RD3.

Society 28

Farm Women Society 28 met at the home of Mrs. Christ Landis, 88 Glendale Drive, Lancaster, with Mrs. Donald High serving as cohostess. Mrs. Jacob Bare was in charge of devotions.

Trooper Rowlands of the Lancaster Barracks, Pennsylvania State Police, presented an informative discussion on self defense as the feature of a safety program.

Mrs. William Dean Jr., president, was in charge of the business meeting. Mrs. Harold Rohrer was selected to represent the Society in the Farm Women of the Year contest.

Husbands will be guests on July 24 to attend the play "Rose Marie" at the Longwood Gardens open-air theatre.

Ladies, Have You Heard? ..

By Doris Thomas, Extension Home Economist



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What's New In Automatic Washers?

Innovation is the word with laundry equipment. One manufacturer has a laundry center that combines, in a single cabinet, an electric dryer positioned atop an automatic agitator washer. Both units can be operated independently or at the same time.

Another manufacturer has a duo-load, double-tub washer which does two completely different kinds of loads at the same time, separately and automatically. The two-tub design, with no interchange of water or washing aids between the loads permits simultaneous washing of colors and whites, delicate and sturdy fabrics, or heavy and lighted soiled clothes.

Another new automatic washer features two agitators—one inside the other. The outer agitator is removable and you use the inner agitator for laundering delicate fabrics and lightly soiled garments.

A new requirement for all washers in a tub break or a method of preventing the lid from being opened during spinning. Underwriters Laboratory makes this safety feature mandatory beginning March, 1971.

Many washers today provide some method of soaking automatically and consumers are requesting this feature. The methods vary from manufacturer to manufacturer. Research by home economists has shown that soaking does have merit for many types of clothes loads and for some stains.

Naturally, a sufficient amount

of the right laundry product is necessary for good results

What's New In Dryers?

The sale of regular dryers has really boomed since the advent of durable press. Now about 40 per cent of American homes have dryers, with electric dryers being the most popular.

Many people buy washer and dryer as a pair so they'll match. This may be important to you if you plan on locating your equipment in your kitchen, laundry center or bathroom as opposed to a basement area where color and style aren't noticeable. You'll find that both washers and dryers are more highly styled than they used to be. You can even find color and wood grain finishes and other decorative touches on many models.

Dried drums are larger than they used to be, and some are being made still larger as companions to larger washers. Remember that there is no standard in the laundry equipment industry for load size in either washer or dryers. The best way to load your washer or dryer is by volume or bulk.

The least expensive dryers will usually have a timed cycle. More expensive models will have automatic cycles, durable press cycles and time cycles with heat selections suitable for the load. Durable press cycles will have a longer cool-down period.

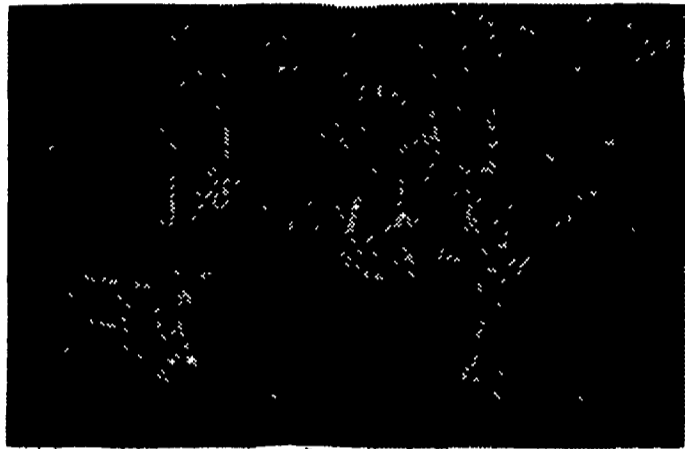
Dryers don't really have new innovations, but you'll find different features on different brands. Among the newer features are end-of-the-cycle signals for telling you when clothes are dry. This is especially important when drying durable press clothing.

Modern dryers have less heat and more air flow than dryers made a few years ago. If you had an older dryer that got quite hot, you might have gotten into the habit of using low heat selections for all loads. But with a new dryer a low heat setting could be one reason for wrinkles in durable press. Low heat is not sufficient for durable press.

For the best results from a new dryer, follow the manufacturer's use and care instructions. Remember, dryers have changed and your new dryer is not the same as your old one.

Shenks Coming Home

Calvin and Marie Shenk, missionaries in Ethiopia, were scheduled to arrive in the United States Thursday. Their address until July 26 will be C Mylin Shenks, Route 2, Willow Street, Pa. 17584. After that their address will be 1918 Willow Street Pike, Lancaster, Pa. 17602.



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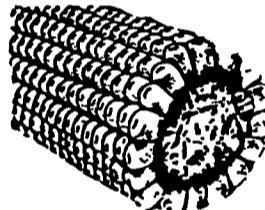
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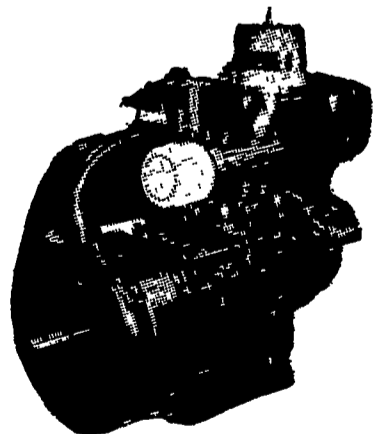
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