

# Farm Women Societies

## Society 3

Farm Women Society 3 held a family picnic Sunday, July 16 in Walter's Park near Hopeland. A picnic lunch was served to about 75 members and their families. During the afternoon games were played by the children and adults.

During a short business meeting final plans were made for a bus trip August 1 to Penn

State University where the group will visit the home economics department and the dairy, as well as visit Penns Cave.

On Thursday, July 20 the members of Farm Women Societies 3 and 4 will visit Conestoga View and provide entertainment for the guests.

Mrs. John Edwards, chairman of the food committee for the Ephrata Fair, reported that breakfast would be served

Saturday morning of the Fair.

The next meeting will be held in Salem Lutheran Church, Ephrata, and will feature the local 4-H home economics clubs in a fashion show and cooking demonstrations.

## Society 8

Farm Women Society 8 members met in the cottage of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Eby near Brickerville last Saturday. A covered dish luncheon was provided by members attending.

President Anna Mae Derr was in charge of the meeting. Margaret Heisey was in charge of devotions. There were 24 members present. The minutes were read and the treasurer's report given.

Mrs. Ruth Drager was present and expressed thanks for the hospital gift she received. Mrs. Mary Reist has undergone knee surgery and is in the Lancaster General Hospital. Mrs. Ada Greider is improving at home. Mrs. Viola Greider is improving following ear surgery.

The Lancaster County bus tour hosted by Mrs. John Herr in June was enjoyed. Places visited were Anderson Pretzel Factory, Weaver Schoolhouse, an old mill, gift shop the Carriage House at Intercourse, the Swiss Cheese Factory, the Stoltzfus Family Restaurant, the Caboose Motor Lodge and the Wax Museum.

The County picnic will be held August 2 at Central Manor Camp. There will be no meeting planned for Society 8 during the month of August.

Mrs. Kay Hurst showed the making of bows and corsages for gift packages. Mrs. Anna Groff won the door prize and received those bows and corsages which were made during the afternoon.

The group donated \$50 for the relief of some needy family who suffered much loss during the recent floods.

The September meeting will be held at the home of Ruth Felty, Millersville, at which time cake decorating will be demonstrated.

## Society 14

Farm Women Society 14 held a family picnic at the Tinney Memorial Building, Strasburg, last week. Mrs. Murl P. Clark, Mrs. Katherine Murray, Mrs. Edith Metzler and Mrs. Everett Newswanger were hostesses.

A program of vocal and instrumental music was presented by Mr. and Mrs. J. Robert Musser and children Patsy, Audrey, Fred and Donna. A sextette composed of Patsy Musser, Audrey Musser, Marilyn Groff, Gwendolyn Groff, Brenda Eby and Cheryl Groff also presented several vocal numbers. Fred and Donna Musser entertained with a duet.

Rev. William Drury, a director of Teen Haven, gave a talk in behalf of that organization.

The Society will hold its next meeting at the home of Mrs. Howard B. Combs, Paradise, at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, August 10. The Society will be entertained by Society 31 at the Mechanics Grove Church of the Brethren on Monday evening, August 21.

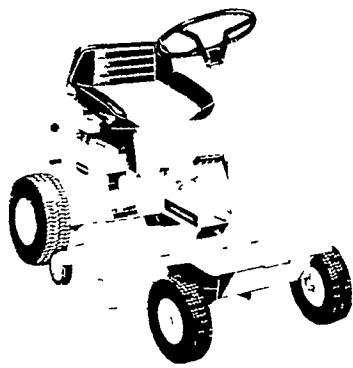
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