

# Farm Women Societies

## Society 4

Farm Women Society 4 met recently at the home of Mrs. Charles Myers on Dairy Road, Lancaster, with Mrs. Minnie Musser as co-hostess. The members had an exchange box lunch which was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. E. Robert Nolt, president gave the highlight of the County Executive Board. The Society voted to give \$50 to the Jaycee Camp Project.

Mrs. Paul Kauffman was announced as chairman of the nominating committee. Election for president and vice-president will be held at the next meeting.

The September meeting will be held, Saturday, Sept. 28th at the Manor Brethren-in-Christ Church.

## Society 5

Society of Farm Women 5 held their August meeting at the East Petersburg church of the Brethren. We entertained Society 21 and the County Officers.

Miss Joyce Burkholder was the speaker. She was the recipient of the National Goodwill Worker of 1973. Because of this award she has had the pleasure of traveling all over the country, been on many television Shows and a guest at the White House. She not only told the story of her life but of the many handicapped people who have been able to help themselves as a result of learning a job through the help and training of Goodwill Industries.

Beautiful selections were played by a piano trio consisting of Mrs. J. A. Steffy, Mrs. Arthur Ulrich and Mrs. Wilbur Hostetter.

Society Members were asked to send Birthday Cards (Sept. 21) to Robert E. Zellers at the Crippled Children's Hospital, Elizabethtown, Pennsylvania 17022.

At our next meeting we will be entertaining our husbands at Historic Strasburg at 6:30 p.m. September 28. Dorothy Parmer, The Mad Hatter will be our speaker.

## Society 19

Farm Women Society 19 held its August meeting at the Harrisburg State Hospital Tuesday evening, August 20. About 30 residents were entertained and served refreshments.

A short business meeting followed in a room at the Howard Johnson Restaurant. Mrs. A. Ross Weaver, vice-president presided. Members were informed of County Convention scheduled for November 2 at the Lancaster Bible College and tickets were available.

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for the next meeting to be held at the home of Miss Ruth Heisey. Mrs. Isaac Miller will give an illustrated talk on her recent trip to Europe, Holy Lands, and Africa.

## BERKS COUNTY Society 5

Fifteen members and one guest, of Farm Women Group 5 attended the doggie roast which preceded the monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Harold Zechman, Stouchsburg.

Mrs. Albert Moyer, recording secretary, presided at the business meeting. Mrs. George Troutman, corresponding secretary, read the minutes, and the treasurer's report was submitted by Mrs. Richard Schareff.

The Food and Volunteer committee chairman, Mrs. Leroy Miller, reported group members had assisted in the serving of food at the clean-up following the barn fire on the Cyrus Sprecher farm.

Mrs. Moyer read an invitation received from Group 1, Lebanon County, to attend their "Night of Entertainment" Sept. 10 at the Iona Methodist Church. She also read a note received from Group 8, Berks County, to attend a meeting scheduled for Sept. 20 at the Sharflesville Grange Hall. Members were informed that if Christmas gifts are to be sent to the Hamburg State School, the institution would like to receive them by the end of November.

Also discussed was the County Convention to be held Oct. 5 at the Kutztown Grange Hall. Reservations must be received by Sept. 15 and those wishing to enter the long dress sewing contest were informed that the entry may be a long skirt and a blouse, or a long gown. Group members were urged to bring gifts for the silent auction.

Mrs. Ernest Wessner will represent Group 5 on the County Convention's nominating committee.

Mrs. Moyer appointed Mrs. Wessner, Mrs. Harold Zechman, Mrs. Raymond Seidel, Mrs. Leroy Miller

## Park City To Open Market

Park City will soon be the site of a new farmer's market that will run for three days each week. The market which involves approximately 30,000 square feet will be located on the lower level of the Park City Mall near the movie theater entrance.

There will be close to 70 stands offering a variety of products including baked goods, fresh produce and fresh and smoked meats.

As of this date, 70 percent of the display stands have been leased on a regular basis. Park City Associates

are now seeking about 30 more interested people to complete the market display area.

The second week in October has been the tentative scheduled date for the opening of the facility which will be open on Thursdays from 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.; Friday from 9 a.m. - 8 p.m. and on Saturdays from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Anyone interested in displaying their goods at the market or having additional questions should contact Park City Associates at 717-393-3851 or stop in at the office in the Mall area.

## Hints for Homemakers

### Maintenance of Laundry Equipment

Any day of the week can be laundry day with automatic washers and dryers. For operating efficiency, keep the machinery itself clean.

Take time to read the instruction booklets before using new appliances and follow directions. These booklets will tell how to care for the appliance as well as a list of things to check before

calling a serviceman if the machine is not operating correctly. Keep the instruction books in a spot close to the appliances for quick reference.

Here are some additional care guidelines for your automatic laundry equipment.

### Routine Washer Care

Turn off hot and cold water faucets to prevent strain on the hoses caused by water pressure after finishing washing. Check to see that hoses are not kinked or bent.

Clean washer lint filter after using. Wipe the inside of the tub and agitator with a clean damp cloth or sponge as routine care. To remove the agitator, turn the cap to the left (counterclockwise). Lift out the agitator, check the bottom of the tub and remove any objects that may have dropped out of pockets. Wipe the agitator post before replacing the agitator, then secure the cap tightly in position.

Leave the loading door or lid open to dry out the interior.

Do not use the washer as a hamper for soiled or damp laundry. Mildew could develop on clothes making it impossible to remove the odor.

and Sara Stowe, to serve on the nominating committee for Group 5's officers.

A bake sale has been planned for Sept. 27 to be held from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Dutch Way Market, Route 422, east of Myerstown.

Plans for the monthly October meeting were changed from a garden party to a Halloween party with every member to come in costume or pay a fine.

The Sept. 23 meeting with Sarah Stowe as hostess will be at Tulpehocken Manor. Following a tour of the manor, the monthly meeting will be conducted by the acting president, and refreshments will be served.

The program for the evening was led by Mrs. Zechman, who showed colored slides of the Zechman family's trip to Denver, Colo.

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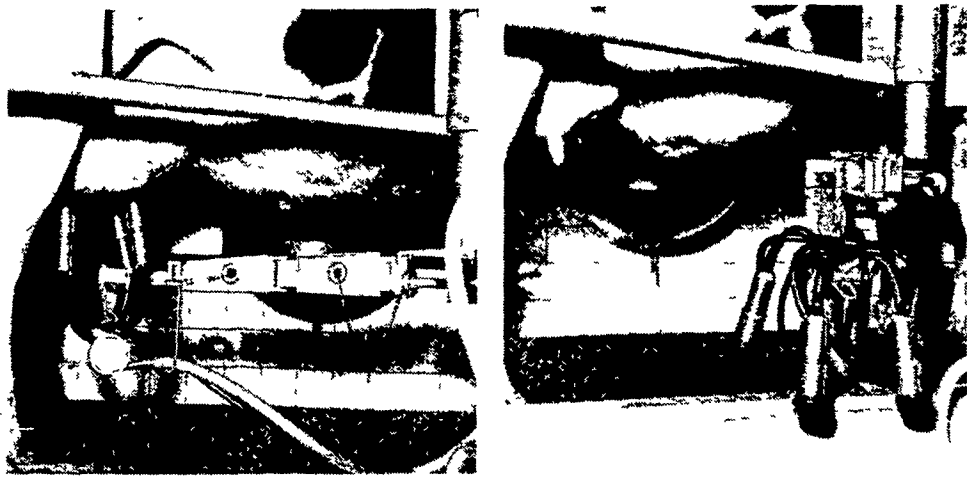
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