

# 4-H Teen

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of his family have been doing for eight years. He has an older brother Bill, 20, and a sister, Donna, 12.

The Penn Willow Club is one of the largest in the county with a membership of 100. They do several community service projects, including a clean-up of Conestoga Township every spring and a Cancer Drive. After last year's clean-up the members enjoyed a bonfire, party and meeting at the Waltons.

A member of the Conestoga United Methodist Church, Ron teaches Sunday School. He teaches third and fourth grade children and said, "It is interesting if you can get them to behave. There are from two to five children, and they begin to act up and then you must calm them down again."

He is also a member of the church's youth group, which meets twice monthly. He said the group helps with services for the church, has recreational activities and at Thanksgiving provides favors to the county home.

Ron said he was surprised but happy to win the outstanding teen leadership award, saying, "I was pleased because I had put a lot of work into it."

Even when Ron is too old to be a member of 4-H he will not put the 4-H experience behind him. He says, "You can always be a leader."

Both these outstanding teen leaders exude the feeling that 4-H is not just something to do in the summer, but that it has become a way of life. Their enthusiasm and devotion to 4-H ideals are valuable assets to their clubs and to their communities.

# Farm Women Societies

## Society 15

Farm Women Society 15 met on Thursday, Oct. 17th at the home of Mrs. Melvin Boyce, RD2, Quarryville. Hostesses were Nancy Boyce, Martha Herr and Dorothy Johnson. Members responded to roll call by telling a joke and giving a "no-no" experience as a safety caution.

Devotions were given by Nancy Boyce reading scripture and Dorothy Johnson offering prayer. Mrs. Mary Boyce, the Sunshine Committee person gave a report on sending flowers and cards. She also presented a 60th anniversary gift with congratulations to Mrs. Effie Wagner.

All the members joined in song to wish Happy Birthday to Ruth Crawford, Dorothy Johnson and Mary Boyce.

An auction of a "dish" for supper was conducted by the Ways and Means Committee chairperson, Janet Frantz. It was announced that yearly dues would be increased to two dollars.

During the business session it was voted to donate \$100 to the Quarryville Fire Company who are enlarging the Firehouse.

Sara Spickler reported a group sewing project at the Union Church on Wednesdays; attending last Wednesday were Sara Spickler, Mary Howett, Mary Whiteside, Anna Hershey, Helen Hastings and Mary McLaughlin.

The program chairperson

reported the Bell Ringers from the Willow Street Area will be featured at the Christmas Program.

The November meeting will be held at the Union Church and will feature Doris Thomas, the extension home economist. Twenty-three members were guests of Farm Women Society 30 at Stauffer's of Kissel Hill on Oct. 21.

## Society 3

Society of Farm Women 3 met, Sat. October 19th at the home of Mrs. William Eberly, RD1, Stevens.

Officers that were elected were: president - Mrs. Jesse Balmer, RD4, Lititz; vice-president - Mrs. John Edwards, RD1, Ephrata; secretary - Mrs. Earl Miller; Hopeland; corresponding secretary - Mrs. Luther Moore, RD4, Lititz; treasurer - Mrs. Ivan Eberly, Ephrata.

Final plans were made for the bus trip to Nashville and the Grand Ole Opra on October 25-27. The bus will leave from Triple G Farm in Reamstown.

Mrs. William Keller and Mrs. Gerald Young, Ephrata conducted a Bargello workshop. The members all made bookmarks.

The next meeting will be Nov. 16th at the Ephrata Church of the Brethren, with Mrs. Kenneth Zimmerman as hostess.

Speaker will be Nancy Fenstermacher, a returned missionary.

## Society 8

Farm Women's Society 8 met at the home of Mrs. Kathryn Erb, Mt. Joy, Oct. 19th at 2 p.m. Newly elected President Mrs. Grace Bixler presided over the meeting. Seventeen members and four guests were present.

Mrs. Ruth Musser was in charge of devotional time. Several songs were sung by the group, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Pauline Miller.

Mrs. Mary Myers, Consumer Counsellor for PP&L gave advice as to "Food preparation and Safety in Food Preservation." Her suggestions were directed to foods easily prepared and kept safely for one or several individuals in the family. She advised the use of small appliances while preparing meals, whether to bake or to cook. This results in energy conservation. Small portions of some recipes may be frozen for use at a later time.

In the absence of Miss Mary Grace Martin, Secretary, Minutes were read by Mrs. Pauline Miller.

Mrs. Sylvia Warfel sent a note of appreciation for flowers given her while she was in the hospital.

Miss Adrien Graybill favored the ladies with two piano solos.

Margaret Heisey is to be contacted by those going to sew at the General Hospital from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Oct. 23.

Tickets for the County Convention shall be purchased from President Grace Bixler soon. The Homemakers Bazaar will be held Nov. 14th at the Farm & Home Center.

Hostesses Kathryn Erb,

Kathryn Heisey, Mary Reist and Elizabeth Newcomer served refreshments with attractive seasonal decoration.

A slide presentation on Scandanavia by Miss Anna Mae Eby is planned for November 16th at 2 p.m.

## Society 31

Society of Farm Women 31 met Monday night, Oct. 21, at the home of Mrs. Mark Risser. Tickets for the County Convention can be obtained from Mrs. David Delong. The convention is Sat., Nov. 2, at Lancaster Bible College.

Plans were made for a display table at the Homemakers Day held Nov. 14 at the Farm and Home Center. All Christmas crafts are to be given to Mrs. Robert Kreider or Mrs. James Kreider.

The following officers were elected for the next two years: president, Mrs. Robert Kauffman; vice president, Mrs. Robert Clark; secretary, Mrs. Mark Risser; treasurer, Mrs. James Landis.

The society had a smelling time with Mr. Harry Hovis, who presented a perfume demonstration.

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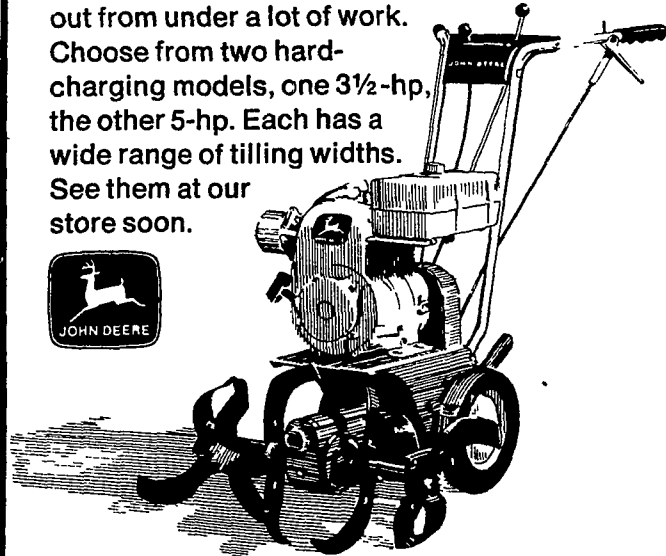
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