

# Farm youth

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Jane's home was stucco and very open inside "with hardly any walls." It was decorated with much Greek and oriental furnishings.

One interesting aspect of another culture is the food and Jane said, "The food there was very different." Breakfast in her host family was a simple meal, consisting of either yoghurt or black bread (which was white) and butter.

The largest meal was at noon. Jane said, "We hardly ever ate meat. There were casseroles with noodles, pizza pie crusts with fruit or pastry with little pieces of meat, and there was always a salad." The ingredients for the meal were always fresh because Jane said her host mother went marketing every morning.

The evening meal was again a simple one with things like cheese fondue or luncheon meat and cheese, always prettily rolled up. And of course, there was bread.

Eating itself was different. Jane said, "They use both hands. They don't keep one hand in their lap. Once I got used to it it was easier and I really enjoyed it."

Food generally was quite expensive, Jane said. An ice cream sundae cost \$2.00 and their delicious chocolate was also expensive. Jane claimed to have been really fond of both, and admits to gaining five pounds on her visit.

Clothing and housing also seemed expensive, Jane said. "It was rare to see anyone building a house." The young people wore a lot of blue jeans but a pair could cost as much as \$29.00. Because clothing was so high Jane said, "They had fewer clothes but of very high quality."

Jane found the youth "more mature than here. There was no problem making friends. They came and really made me feel at home. They went out of their way to be friendly."

As for dating, it is not done as early as here. They don't drive until age 18. "They don't seem to have experimental dates. When they do start dating it is likely to be with the same person for a long time." Jane said they are also older when they get married, but financially it is cheaper not to get married at all, and finding housing is difficult. Jane said, "there is not the pressure of finding boy friends."

Jane felt the exchange trip had changed her somewhat. "It made me appreciate the United States more. We take so much for granted. We live so well here. But I did like the way they live. There is less pressure about what to wear and less social pressure. I learned to accept people for what they are."

Jane highly recommends the YFU program and says she has one sister who already wants to go abroad. "It is so much better than just traveling. You learn the culture

## Society 8

Farm Women's Society 8 met in the home of Mrs. Patsy Warfel, 812 W. Main St., Mount Joy, Sept. 20, at 2 p.m. Mrs. Grace Bixler, was in charge of the meeting. Group singing was led by Miss Anna Mae Eby. Rev. Robert Murphy, pastor of the Donegal Presbyterian Church was the special speaker.

Miss Mary Grace Martin was in charge of devotional time. She read from Ps. 104 and also several original poems about autumn. Numerous healthy suggestions came from the ladies in response to Roll Call. Thirty members and two visitors were present. Notes and expressions of appreciation for flowers given while in the hospital were given by Grace Bixler and Ruth Musser during her time of breavement. Mrs. Mary Reist also expressed thanks for flowers.

The Ways and Means Committee will be responsible for a stand at Homemakers Day Nov. 13., at the Farm and Home Center. Mrs. Kathryn Erb reported on the entertainment of guests at Conestoga View in Aug. Wed Oct. 1., is the date for sewing at the General Hospital.

Officers elected were - Recording Secretary; Miss Mary Grace Martin; Asst. Sec. Mrs. Martin K. Miller; Corresponding Sec. Mrs. Alice Myers; Treasurer Mrs. Sylvester-Shuman.

The next meeting will be held in the Chiques United Methodist Church, Mount Joy, R2 Society 25 will be entertained and Lester Hostetter will be speaking on "CHRYSANTHEMUMS"

# Farm Women Societies

## Society 13

Farm Women Society 13 met recently at the County Crafts in Witmer. Members and their husbands toured the museum.

Mrs. Gordon Reitzel led the devotions and Mrs. Floyd McCleanhgan conducted the business meeting.

The group will hold a bake and craft sale on Oct. 3 in front of the Rea and Derrick drug store in Bridgeport.

Mrs. McCleanhgan announced the county convention will be held Nov. 1 at the Farm and Home Center.

The next meeting will be held Oct. 10 at the home of Mrs. Robert Bomberger, New Holland.

## Society 3

Farm Women Society 3 met recently at Brickerville for an all day work session to

and the people. And that's why I really enjoyed it."

Jane is a 1975 graduate of Penn Manor High School where she played the violin in the orchestra and sang with the concert choir. She was also a member of the student council, the track team and manager of the wrestling team. She is a member of Faith Calvary Church.

Currently a freshman at Millersville State College, Jane professes to having mixed feelings when it was time to come home from her visit. She said, "I wanted to come home and see my family, but I was so sorry to leave. It was just beautiful."

Jane is one of a growing number of youth who are fortunate enough to experience life in another country. The YFU literature explains that one purpose of the program is to start "conversations." The many conversations which have been started must be opening up whole new horizons for our neighbors in the world community.

prepare food to be used at the Ephrata Fair Stand.

The farm women prepared chicken, clams and pepper cabbage for the stand.

During a short business meeting, the group decided to have a display table at the County Homemaker's day on Nov. 13.

The next meeting will be Oct. 18 at the home of Mrs. Carrol Myers 1128 Lincoln Heights Ave. The speaker will be Mrs. Lloyd Weaver from the Ephrata Area social services.

## Society 30

Farm Women Society 30 entertained members of Society 16 at a meeting held recently at Gimbels Community Room. Speaker for the meeting was Mrs. Dorothy Russo who spoke on self discovery.

The following members

were elected to leadership positions: Lonita Myer, president; Carol Weaver, vice-president; Joanne Hershey, secretary and Jean Good, treasurer.

The next meeting will be at the home of Sally Martin on Oct. 20. A craft workshop will be held at the home of Lonita Myer on Oct. 16 beginning at 10:00 a.m. Members are asked to bring a covered dish.

## Berks Co. Society 1

The Sept. meeting was held at the home of Janice Schlegel. A "Come as you are Party" was held. A variety of dresses from casual wear to gardening clothes were worn.

Members sent a sunshine box to one of the members who is confined in a rehabilitation center with a broken hip. She is a charter member of the society.

The fall bingo party at the Berks Heim will be held Nov.

# Wool contest slated

It may seem a long time until November, but it takes many days of careful sewing to be ready for the Make It Yourself With Wool Contest. The contest is open to young people age 10 to 21 and to adults 21 and over. Residents of Eastern Pa. and New Jersey should write to Mrs. Eloise Genter for entry blanks and information about the contest nearest to them. Her address is 2410 Park Ave., Easton, PA 18042.

Prizes will be awarded to winners at all levels, district, state and regional with a trip to Europe as one of the grand prizes for the National winners.

20. Members are urged to attend.

It was decided to hold a Christmas party at the Exeter Diner in December.

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