

Ida's Notebook



Ida Risser

I feel that television is a mixed blessing in the home. Probably I'll never completely forgive the person who urged us to buy our first television because it would be so "educational" for our children.

The day it arrived, I became a censor of programs much to the disgust of the youngsters. Apparently, I'm a lost breed. I discovered at the small supper gathering that "Emergency" is the favorite program of three and five year olds in several families.

The sirens, holocaust and destruction of humanity was defended as "exciting." I often told my family that if these dramatic events happened to them personally then they would be viewed in an entirely different light.

It is difficult to remember that there are few programs which are beyond reproach?

Philp has just had a new experience as he worked

with the stage crew at school when they produced a play. He worked on the sound effect 's and recorded some of our farm machinery on tape. He also use ' the shotgun as they needed tapes of shooting too. My small part which seemed big was driving him back and forth night after night.

My windowsills are alive with color as my impatiens plants sport 30-40 blossoms each in shades of pink, red, orange and even white. The begonias are not far behind in blooming ability.

The last cut flowers of the fall season and the first ones of the spring seem to be appreciated so much more than all the others. (Is that why people say the oldest and youngest child get special attention?)

Oh yes, I got that cockbird finally. I shot him with the 22 rifle from the kitchen window.

Society 28

Society of Farm Women 28 held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Ira Welk. Co-hostess was Mrs. Fred Esbenshade.

Speaker for the evening was Mr. William Musser, Jr., who spoke on physical fitness.

The group gave a donation of \$10 to Lanc. Co. Mental Health Association.

Mrs. William Harnish and Mrs. Eugene High will be delegates to the state convention at Harrisburg in January.

The next meeting will be a covered dish supper, Dec. 11, 7.00 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Harold Rohrer. Members are also to bring 1 dozen of their favorite cookies and the recipe, for a cookie exchange.

Society 24

The Society of Farm Women 24 met at the home of Mrs. Earl Hess, 4 Forrest Hills Road, Lancaster, Penna., recently. The business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Jack Golston, president.

Two members of society 24, Mrs. Ross Noffsinger and Mrs. Floyd Myers showed their slides from their trip to the Holy Land.

The December meeting will be with husbands, and will be a Progressive Supper. The starting home will be Rev. and Mrs. Elwood Mehle, at 6:30 p.m. Dec. 17, 1975.

TRY A CLASSIFIED

Society 26

Farm Women Society 26 held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Paul Brubaker, Manheim, R1. Each member invited a guest.

The Trudi-K store, from Litz, furnished beautiful clothes for our ladies to model. Children's clothes were modeled by four children. Everyone did a fine job.

After refreshments were served the business meeting was called to order by our President, Mrs. Quentin Buckwalter. Mrs. Robert Brubaker had devotions.

Fifty dollars was donated to the Lancaster Children's Bureau.

Our next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John Cassel, R7, Manheim. The program for the Dec. 11 meeting at 7:30 p.m., will be "Surprise".

Society 14

Farm Women Society 14 recently met at the home of Mrs. Paul Longenecker. Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Elsie Metzler, Mrs. Ellis Esbenshade and Mrs. Charles Groff. Mrs. Janet Buchen gave a craft demonstration on paper-cutting for the program.

During the business meeting, contributions of \$25 each were donated to the following organizations: Christ Home, United Way, Good Will, Lancaster County Mental Health Assoc., LARC and the Conestoga Cottage.

Mrs. Evert Newswanger was installed as the new secretary for the Society and Mrs. Miriam Leaman and Mrs. Benjamin Landis were accepted as new members.

Mrs. John Groff, president, reported that the Society along with Society 13

Berks Co. Society 5

Farm Women Group 5 met at the Rallfence in Cleona, Pa., on Nov. 24, where the hostess showed us different arts and crafts that can be made.

State Convention will be held at the Penn Harris in Harrisburg, Pa. Deadline for tickets is Jan. 2. Contact Dorothy Moyer for tickets.

had entertained guests at the Conestoga View.

The Society's Christmas banquet will be held on Dec. 9 at the Brownstown Restaurant at 6:30 p.m. The program "Caroling at the Cloisters" will be presented. Gloves will be collected for the Water Street Mission with donations of socks and mittens will be gathered for children elsewhere.

The November meeting was held in the home of Helen Schmehl with 19 women answering the roll call question "Tell of a dish you prepare for a quickie meal". The hostess read scripture, followed by the women singing "Thanks" in the Thanksgiving spirit. Pres. Arlene Hershey conducted the meeting. Sunshine committee reported sending a get well planter to Betty Ziegler, also a card to Bonnie Ehrnfeldt.

The thought of a county square dance was discussed. Pres. Hershey assigned Helen Ebling and Emma Younker to audit the books. The incoming president Marie Gettel named her new committees. After the business meeting was over the women showed crafts they made pertaining to Christmas. The next meeting will be held with Rebecca Snyder on Dec. 30 when our secret pals are revealed.

UNCLAIMED FREIGHT CO. AND LIQUIDATION SALES

VERY IMPORTANT - READ THIS AD -

AGAIN WE HAVE OUT GROWN OUR BUILDING - WITH TAKING ON NEW MANUFACTURER'S ALL THE TIME WITH THEIR PROBLEMS OF REFUSALS AND CANCELLATIONS - WE HAVE BUILT A BIGGER BUILDING TO HANDLE ALL THE MERCHANDISE - (ACROSS THE STREET FROM OUR PRESENT BUILDING) - OUR PRICES NOW ARE WHOLESALE AND UNDER - WE FOUND IT IS CHEAPER TO LOWER THE PRICE MORE THAN IT IS TO MOVE IT TO THE NEW BUILDING AND SET IT UP. - FOR THE NEXT 2 MONTHS - OUR PRICES WILL NEVER BE LOWER - WE WILL EVEN NEGOTIATE PRICE WITH YOU.

180 LAMPS - REG. \$49.95 to \$129.95. OUR PRICE 1/2 PRICE.

6 CAR 8 TRACK - STEREO UNITS W-FM STEREO RADIO & SPEAKERS REG. \$169.95. OUR PRICE \$79.95.

3 STEREO COMPONENT SETS - AM-FM STEREO - GIRARD TURNTABLE REG. \$309.95. OUR PRICE \$129.95.

5 60" CREDENZA CONSOLE STEREO - AM-FM STEREO - 4 SPD. TURNTABLE - 8 TRACK REG. \$589.95. OUR PRICE \$190.00.

4 60" CONSOLE STEREO SOLID WOOD - LOADED - REG. \$789.95. OUR PRICE \$299.95.

CALCULATORS - REG. \$59.95 to \$89.95. OUR PRICE \$20.00.

2 3 PC. L-R SETS - SOFA, LOVE, CHAIR - HERCULON - REG. \$669.95. OUR PRICE \$269.95.

4 DINING ROOM SUITES - HARD ROCK MAPLE - TABLE, LEAF, 4 CHAIRS REG. \$439.95. OUR PRICE \$209.95.

3 DINING ROOM SUITES - CHERRY - 4 CHAIRS, TABLE, LEAF - REG. \$429.95. OUR PRICE \$209.95.

WASHERS, DRYERS, STOVES, FREEZERS, REF. - AROUND WHOLESALE.

8 13" COLOR TV SETS - \$229.95

12 BOOKCASE BUNKBEDS - REG. \$339.95. OUR PRICE \$189.95.

40 SOFA BEDS - REG. \$329.95 to \$529.95. SINGLES - \$159.95 - DOUBLES - \$189.95 - QUEEN - \$229.95 ALL HERCULON

ALL TYPES SEWING MACHINES - CAB. & PORTABLE - 50 to 70 PERCENT OFF.

25 ODD UPH. CHAIRS - REG. \$189.00 to \$329.00 OUR PRICE \$89.95 to \$129.95.

18 LARGE CONTOUR CHAIRS - VARIOUS COLORS IN CRUSHED VELVET. REG. \$329.95 OUR PRICE \$169.95.

24 EARLY AMERICAN SOFA BEDS HERCULON REG. \$429.95. OUR PRICE \$239.95.

HEAVY DUTY BENCH VISE REG. \$49.95. OUR PRICE \$26.00.

12 - 2 pc. Early American Living Room Suits, Herculon, REG. \$539.95 OUR PRICE \$269.95

Brass Beds, 3 pc. sets, single, double, Queen and King, REG. \$389.95 to \$589.95 HALF PRICE

IF YOU DON'T SEE IT - ASK FOR IT - FULL WARRANTY - FINANCING THRU BANK, ACCEPTANCE COOPERATION, CREDIT CARDS & LAY-A-WAY.

CORNER OF HEMPLAND ROAD & CENTERVILLE ROAD NEXT TO 84 LUMBER LANCASTER, PA

130 RECLINERS - REG. \$189.00 to \$329.00 OUR PRICE \$89.85 and up

40 RECLINERS WALL HUGGERS - ROCKERS - HALF PRICE.

23 DESKS - ALL SIZES & SHAPES - ON FLOOR NOW - WHOLESALE.

15 BUNK BED SETS - MAPLE & PINE REG. \$309.95 OUR PRICE \$169.95.

6 ROCKERS - PINE AND MAPLE REG. \$59.95. OUR PRICE \$29.95.

2 MAPLE 3 PC. END TABLE SETS - FORMICA TOPS - REG. \$129.95. OUR PRICE \$59.00 set.

2 TRAILER LOADS - BOX SPRING & MATTRESSES - EXTRA FIRM REG. \$299.95. OUR PRICE \$149.95 SET.

BUNK BED SETS - MAPLE - REG. \$259.95. OUR PRICE \$149.95.

(WE ALSO HAVE TWIN, QUEEN, KING SIZE - GUARANTEE)

BOX SPRING & MATTRESSES - DOUBLE REG. \$169.95. OUR PRICE \$89.95. SINGLES - REG. \$149.95. OUR PRICE \$79.95.

14 FISHING RODS - REG. \$19.95 to \$26.95. OUR PRICE \$5.00 to \$11.00.

6 POOL TABLES - REG. \$1100.00 to \$1400.00 - 700-800 LBS. - 7/8" SLATE 1/2 PRICE.

12 CHERRY 82" GRANDFATHER CLOCKS - REG. \$1129.95. OUR PRICE \$449.95.

28 OTHER GRANDMOTHER & GRANDFATHER CLOCKS - HALF PRICE.

10 3 PC. LIVING ROOM SETS - SOFA BED, OTTOMAN & CHAIR REG. \$449.95. OUR PRICE \$209.95.

3 2 PC. LIVING ROOM SETS - NYLON - REG. \$369.95. OUR PRICE \$149.95.

7 GUN CABINETS - 8, 10 GUN - UP TO 50 PERCENT OFF.

3 WAREHOUSES FULL OF FURNITURE - BRASS BEDS IN 2 WEEKS.

BARS & BAR STOOLS.

Just Received - Brass Bed Sets, single, double, Queen and King, Headboards only REG. \$109.95 to \$159.95 HALF PRICE

HOURS: Mon. thru Fri. 10 A.M. to 9 P.M. Saturday 10 A.M. to 5 P.M. PHONE 397-6241

GOSPEL CHRISTMAS CONCERT

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 20th 7:30 P.M.

ELIZABETHTOWN AREA HIGH SCHOOL Elizabethtown, PA

FEATURING THE SENATORS QUARTET

Columbus, Mississippi

TAYLOR FAMILY

Fruitland, Maryland

CHURCHMEN & TERESA

Harrisonburg, Virginia

FOR TICKETS WRITE BAINBRIDGE GOSPEL PROMOTION RD1, Box 243, Bainbridge, PA 17502 or Call 717-367-3177