

# Home on the Range

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Unbaked pie shell. Bake at 325 degrees.

Esther Oberholtzer  
Ephrata, Pa.

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### Poor Man's Oysters.

Slice good sized potatoes about 1/4 of an inch thick. Dip in beaten egg and bread crumbs. Fry in deep hot fat.

### Bread Cakes

Scald stale bread with hot water, add a pinch of salt, a little baking soda, 1 beaten egg, flour enough to stiffen; form into cakes and fry. I think these should be served with syrup.

### Rice Muffins

3 eggs beaten separate. 2 tablespoons of butter, 1/2 cup of sugar, 1 quart of lukewarm milk, 1 pint flour with 1 teaspoon baking powder, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 cup boiled rice. Bake in muffin tins.

Dorothy M. Knaub  
Red Lion, Pa.

### Sugar Cookies

3 pounds brown sugar  
1 pound lard  
6 eggs. Stir well  
1 quart-thick milk  
2 tablespoons soda in milk, stir well.  
1 tablespoon cream of tartar  
4 pounds flour  
vanilla or lemon flavor  
Bake 8 to 10 minutes at 400 degrees.

Paul Esch  
New Providence, Pa.

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### Cheese Potatoes

3-cups cubed potatoes  
3/4 cup grated cheese  
1/2 cup chopped onions  
1/2 cup white sauce  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
Cook potatoes & onion 10 minutes, turn in baking dish and pour on sauce mixed with cheese. Bake 350 degrees till potatoes are soft.

Esther Oberholtzer  
Ephrata, Pa.

## Farm Women Societies

### Society 8

The Society of Farm Women, 8, of Strausstown held their regular monthly meeting in the residence of Darlene Yost with 12 members present.

Items are to be collected for a rummage sale scheduled for May 26 at the Leesport Market & Auction.

President Shirley Stricker reminded the members of these upcoming events: Berks Heim Tea, May 12; Spring Rally, May 12.

It was announced the Farm Women County Convention will be held on October 2, 1976, at the Agricultural Center in Bern Township.

Special events chairman, Laverne Balthaser reports that plans for a night of entertainment to be held by our group on May 7 are progressing well.

The members were reminded to send birthday cards to Grace Kramer, their adopted patient at Berks Heim.

### Society 15

Mr. Robert Aimes, project director of the Homemakers visiting nurse program in Lancaster County, spoke at the meeting of Farm Women 15 on Thursday, April 15 at the home of Mrs. Kathryn Wagner, Quarryville. Organized in 1968 the program has been expanded to cover all of Lancaster County. Six homemakers have been trained by Mrs. Mylin, a registered nurse, who supervises the homemakers in the Southern end. They work week days from 8 to 4 o'clock among the elderly and recuperating persons who need help to care for themselves in their own homes.

Hostesses assisting Mrs. Wagner were Effie Wagner, Jean Ressel, and Mary Vently, who led the devotions, followed by the flag salute. Members responded to roll call by telling a sign of spring beginning with initial of their last name.

Ways & Means chairman Jeane Barnes reported \$107.00 had been cleared at the Leigh Walton sale. Also a Chicken Barbeque will be held by FW No. 15 at the Shaub's Auction Building in Kirkwood on May 29 from 4 to 8 o'clock. Following the meeting the committee held an auction of foods for supper. Auctioneer was Janet Frantz.

Plans were made to take part in the Community Bicentennial celebration to be held May 22 from 10 to 4 o'clock at the Solanco Fair Building in Quarryville. Farm Women 15 are invited to be guests of 28 on June 24th at 7:30 at the tourist information center on route 30 east. A Bicentennial dinner and meeting will be held at Black Rock Retreat on June 10th at 12 noon, when 15 will entertain 2-20 and the county officers members will wear bicentennial dresses.

A Mothers Day banquet will be held on May 20 at 6:30 at Historic Strasburg.

Farm Women 15 will help with the Pancake & Sausage Supper at the Middle Octorara Church on May 1, 4 to 8 o'clock. Donations for benefit of Millie Rinehart Fund.

Two donations of \$100.00 each were given to ill members in the community, also \$50.00 to each of the community ball teams.

Tripping Community chairman Kathryn Wagner reported bus will be going to the State Farm Women's Spring Rally at Gettysburg on May 12. Bus load will be going to Wisconsin Dells leaving June 16 returning June 24th and plans for a trip to Hawaii on August 8 for 11 days is being planned.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses preceding the meeting.

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When tenderizing meat, don't feel if "some is good, more is better". Too much tenderizer can make meat mushy or crumbly, mealy and dry. This is the word from USDA home economists... These experts also say that any food that can be canned, can be frozen.

### Society 14

Farm Women Society 14 met at the home of Mrs. Melvin Stoltzfus for the April meeting. Members answered roll call by telling or showing their hobbies. During the business meeting it was decided that the group would make a "Tree of Life" quilt. Mrs. Paul Hostetter reported from the Executive Board meeting their thanks for the volunteers that helped at the Heart Screening Program. The board decided the county project will be the St. Joseph Mobile Unit. Announcement was made that girls from Conestoga Cottage are in need for foster homes. A reminder of the Spring Rally to be held on May 12 was given by our president.

The program was in charge of Mrs. Melvin Stoltzfus who told us about her different and interesting hobbies.

The other hostesses included Mrs. Clarence Groff, Mrs. Merle LeFevre, and Mrs. Clarence Herr. The May meeting will be in the form of a bus trip to Wintertur Gardens and Museum on May 5. Anyone interested in going along may check with Mrs. J. Paul Hostetter, R1, Strasburg, Pa.

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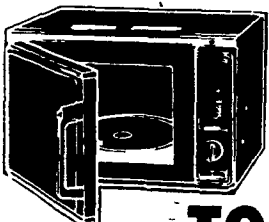
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### Society 25

Farm Women Society 25 held its monthly meeting recently at the Farm and Home Center. Society 12 were guests as well as the County's first vice-president, Ann Diller.

Devotions were led by Mrs. Samuel Gass who read part of the Easter story followed by the Lord's Prayer.

Members demonstrated their favorite crafts during the meeting with hobbies ranging from quilt making to quilting.

The next meeting will be a trip to Gettysburg on Saturday, May 8.

### Society 26

Society 26 met recently at the Neffsville Brethren Village for Easter caroling.

The business meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Esbenshade. Dora Brubaker led the group in an Easter devotional time.

The group voted to give \$50 to the St. Joseph's Mobile Unit and \$150 to Teen Challenge.

The next meeting will be held at the Bird-In-Hand Restaurant on May 27 to entertain Society 13.

### Society 29

Farm Women Society 29 held their monthly meeting at the home of Carolyn Newcomer, Mt. Joy, with eighteen members present.

Devotions were in charge of Janis Drager, Marietta. Cookbooks, consisting of favorite recipes of each member, were passed out for our culinary enjoyment.

On May 26 members will be serving dinner to Wyeth Laboratory employees.

Our next meeting is a bus trip to Longwood Gardens, Franklin Mint, and a shopping mall on May 20.

Our theme for the evening was a "Come as you are Party" resulting in an interesting variety of dress. We enjoyed an evening of mental and active games. Refreshments were served by Hostesses Carolyn Newcomer and Doris Shenk.

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