

**Outdoor awareness program offered**

**YORK** - An outdoor awareness slide presentation will be offered July 14 at Pennsylvania Power & Light Co.'s Otter Creek recreation area off Route 425 in York County.

Summer naturalist Lorraine Weidner said the free program will be presented at 8 p.m., weather permitting, by Lancaster County District Game Protector Edward Gossnell.

Since the program will be conducted outdoors, Ms. Weidner advised those who plan to participate that they should bring chairs or blankets for seating and dress warmly.

The Otter Creek area is part of PP&L's Lake Aldred recreation area, operated in conjunction with its Holtwood hydroelectric plant.

**Sale Reports**

A Public Auction of a 105 acre farm was held June 30 by the James L. Folk Estate, 5 miles northeast of Reading near Alsace Elementary School, Berks Co., Pa.

The farm included an 1803 stone home, 1914 bank barn and 6 car garage and was sold for \$265,000.

Auctioneers were John D. and George D. Frey.

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A Public Sale of a 36 acre farm and antiques was held June 29 and 30 on Skyview Lane, Rothsville, Lanc. Co., Pa. for the Estate of Herbert P. Shue. There were over 400 people registered for the sale.

The property was sold for \$5575 an acre or \$200,700 and included a brick house, summerhouse and a large barn.

Other items sold were: Crock \$140, Coin Machine

\$270, Mortise Tool \$440, Ring Anvils \$100 to \$160, Dry Sink \$375, Rope Bed \$100 and Plank Bottom Chairs \$75 each.

Blaine N. Rentzel was the auctioneer.

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A Public Sale of tractors, trucks and farm machinery was held June 30 south of New Oxford, Adams Co., Pa. by Dean Carey and Wayne Stevens.

Some items sold were: J.D. 4630 D Tractor with dual wheels \$18,000, J.D. 6600D Combinc \$16,000, 930 D Case Tractor \$5000, 1961 Ford Truck \$1500, 2 Cobey Chuck Wagons \$1800 each, N.H. 268 Baler \$1000 and Wagons \$350 each.

George Baldwin and G. Richard Baldwin were the auctioneers.

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A Public Auction of tools and equipment was held

June 30 for the Bowersox Garage, 930 Cornwall Road, Lebanon, Pa. The sale was well attended despite the gasoline shortage.

Items sold were: Backhoe Unit for 530 or 580 Case \$875, Shop Crane \$825, Steam Jenny \$950, 10 ton Shop Jack \$500 and 4 ton Shop Jack \$300.

Ebersole & Shoop were the auctioneers.

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A Public Sale of antiques and household goods was held June 30 by Esther M. Wagner, 8 miles south of Quarryville on King Pen Rd., Lanc. Co., Pa.

Some prices received were: Oil Lamp \$42.50, Small Butter Churn \$60, Quilt \$145, Woven Coverlet \$215, Copper Kettle \$170, set of China \$190, Mantel Clock \$195, Oak Table \$190, Empire Chest \$110, Wall Hall Rack \$120, Marble Top Wash Stand \$180, Roll Top Desk \$300 and 1962 Studebaker Car \$625.

Auctioneers were Lloyd H. Kreider & Randall V. Kline.

A Public Sale of an 88 acre farm was held June 27 by the Lillie E. Seibert Estate along West Fairview Road between Ephrata and Brunnerville, Lanc. Co., Pa.

The farm was sold to Jesse Stolzfus, R.D. 1, Ronks, Pa. for \$4540 per acre or \$402,925. Included was a 2 1/2 story brick and frame house, frame bank barn and a tobacco shed.

Auctioneers were T. Glenn and Timothy G. Horst.

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A Public Sale of farm equipment and antiques was held June 20 by the Lillie S. Seibert Estate along West Fairview Rd., between Ephrata and Brunnerville, Pa.

A Gruber horse-drawn wagon, used to move the soldiers monument in Ephrata Cloister Cemetery from the Railroad Station, was sold during the sale for \$1200. It was bought by an Ephrata man to keep it in the community.

Other items sold were:

Sandstone Water Trough \$700, N.H. 67 Baler \$700, Tractors \$1085, Apple Peeler \$85, Copper Kettle \$85, 2 small Round Sandstones \$360, Antique Baby Coach \$82.50, Horse-drawn Sleigh \$370, Set of 1800 Pillow Cases \$140, Water Pail \$110, 2 jugs \$215 and Plow \$110.

Auctioneers were T. Glenn and Timothy G. Horst.

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A Complete Appliance Store Liquidation Public Sale was held June 30 in the Winterstown Fire Hall, York Co., Pa. for the Torbert's Appliance Center. The sale was well attended.

Some prices included: Color TV \$400, Refrigerators, Stoves, Washers & Dryers \$250 to \$400, Stereos \$60 to \$90 each, Irons, Toasters, etc. \$15 to \$30 and a 1966 Olds Delmont 4 dr. Sedan \$200.

Robert L. Sechrist was the auctioneer.

**Energy**

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