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# **Chester-Delaware pomona holds Old Timers Day**

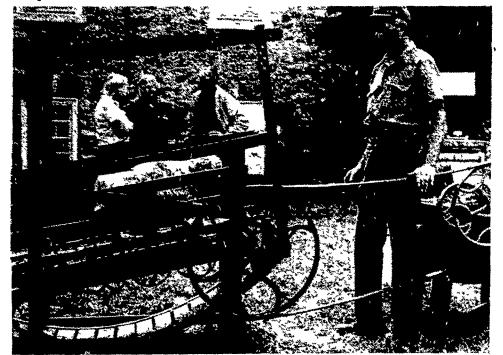
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HONEYBROOK Demonstrations of old time machinery, tools and quilting along with a chicken bar-b-que and displays of antique collections of household items and crafts were once again rounded up by the Chester-Delaware Pomona 3 at Honeybrook Grange.

The annual event dubbed Old Timers Day is held each September at this historical

setting. Chris Harris, co-ordinator, explained that many individuals and their exhibits were on hand again this year as in the past with a few new ones to study.

The gigantic steam engine



Jill, William St. John's spaniel, operated Roland Woodward's treadmill which powers an old-time washing machine.



Roland Woodward operated an old field rake pulled by Otis Astle and Harry Pardue

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Tumble display was busy throughout the day running an old time thresher and generally making its presence known with its blasts of steam and noisy toots from its whistle.

Also returning this year to the outdoor segment of the exhibits were collections of

owned by Nevin Myer and lumbering tools, old gasoline part of the Rough and engines, the wash-day collection put together by Roland Woodward and William St. John, and many very old farming tools.

The wash-day exhibit is always a delight to children, and older folks as well. St. John's spaniel, Jill, powers the treadmill Woodward owns. The treadmill in turn

operates the very early washing machine.

A new edition to the day's activities was a demonstration of an old wooden rake. The device is owned by Woodward.

He explained this was only the third time it has been demonstrated and he had not practiced enough to operate (Turn to Page A37)

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