



Berks Society 1

Berks Society 1 met recently at the home of Mrs. Ella Richard, Oley, for their November meeting.

Ron Garver, a representative and chemist with GPU explained nuclear energy and other energy alternatives to the group. A question and answer session followed.

The group is planning their Christmas party on Dec. 12 at the

Washington Inn, New Berlinville. Many in the group also plan to attend the State Farm Women's Convention in Harrisburg on Jan. 14 and 15.

Fruit baskets and Christmas flowers will again be distributed to area shut-ins.

The next meeting will be a Christmas party on Dec. 12 at 7 p.m. at the Washington Inn, New Berlinville.

4-H'er builds robot

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He took a second in 4-H at Richmond, Va., a first in demonstration and a third in overall placings at the Eastern Nationals this September. Chris has also captured the Butler County 4-H Outstanding Boy award for two consecutive years.

Chris recalls a humorous incident that occurred during his trip to Penn State for 4-H demonstrations. With the help of the county agent, Chris made special arrangements with the bus company to transport Rotom to Penn State. Unfortunately, the bus company did not believe a robot was going on the trip, so they didn't make the arrangements necessary for Rotom's transportation. When

Rotom arrived at the bus station, he got to ride on the front seat.

Transporting Rotom to various functions continues to be a problem for Chris since the family has only a compact car. Rotom must be dismantled into four sections to fit in the trunk of the car.

By now, Chris can put Rotom back together in about 10 or 15 minutes — providing he has the proper tools and all goes well.

Chris' 4-H career may not end here. He has been approached to start a project on computers and robots. He already has a good start, having begun writing a book to be titled "How to Build a Better Butler."

Berks Society 7

Joanne Dreibelbis showed slides of her trip to Europe at the meeting of Berks Society 7 held at Reeds Church, Stouchsburg.

Carolyn Feeg installed the new officers, who are: Dorothy Strickler, president; Joanne Dreibelbis, vice president; Betty

Kissling, recording secretary, Grace Seidel, corresponding secretary, and Alberta Manbeck, treasurer.

The next meeting will be the family Christmas party on Dec. 8 at 7 p.m. at the Robesonia Borough Hall.

Berks Society 9

Berks Society 9 went to the 4-H building for the November meeting to attend the Christmas Craft Show. At the show the group learned how to make many of the

crafts shown.

The December meeting will be a Christmas party with a family-style dinner and gift exchange. Husbands will attend the party and will also exchange gifts.

Lancaster Society 3

Linda Toledo hosted the November meeting of Lancaster Society 3 on Saturday at the home of her parents, Harold and Esther Stuber, Schoeneck.

The subject of the afternoon program by Paul Brubaker was, "In everything give thanks for this is the will of God concerning you." Brubaker sang a number of hymns.

During a business meeting conducted by president Doris Miller, the society contributed \$200 to the Leukemia Society of

America, Inc., Central Pa. Chapter.

Members will go Christmas caroling on Dec. 11, leaving the Cloister Restaurant at 6 p.m.

The state convention will be held at the Forum in Harrisburg on Jan. 14. President Doris Miller, Erla Gehman, Debbie Trayer and Mildred Pfautz will represent Society 3.

The Christmas meeting on Dec. 15 will be held at the Mt. Airy Fire Hall with Mary Lou Weaver and Pauline Martin, hostesses. Bring a \$5 gift for the gift exchange.

Lancaster Society 8

Lancaster Society 8 met at the home of Kathy Vogt on Nov. 17 at 2 p.m.

Three visitors attended the meeting. Mrs. Randy Stark, Rheems, showed dolls from different periods that she has collected and restored.

Refreshments were served by hostesses Phyllis Endslow, Ruth Musser, Kathy Vogt and Hettie Ginder.

The Christmas party will be held at Hostetter's Banquet Hall on Dec. 5 at 6 p.m.

Lancaster Society 14

Lancaster Society 14 met at the Willow Street Mennonite Church on Nov. 14.

Extension home economist Michelle Rogers gave a presentation on the "1984 Market Basket." In her market basket she had several products and she gave some interesting facts about them. She also told about coupon saving and how shoppers can save by taking a list and following it closely.

A report was given on the County Convention which was held on Nov. 3.

The Christmas party will be held on Friday evening at 6:30 p.m. at Meadow Hills Dining House. Instead of bringing gifts, the group will send a gift of money to the drought stricken people in Ethiopia.

On Jan. 17 the society will go to Conestoga View. The state convention will be held on Jan. 14 and 15 in Harrisburg. The society will have some delegates attending.

Society 28

Lancaster Society 28 met on Nov. 15 at the home of Dorothy High.

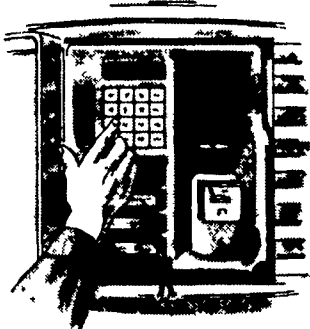
President Beulah Landis asked for volunteers to attend the State Convention in January.

Two Thanksgiving boxes were packed for two needy families in the community.

A Harvest Sale was enjoyed by all the members.

Members and their husbands are going to Longwood Gardens on Dec. 2 to see the Christmas display. The group should gather at 2:30 p.m.

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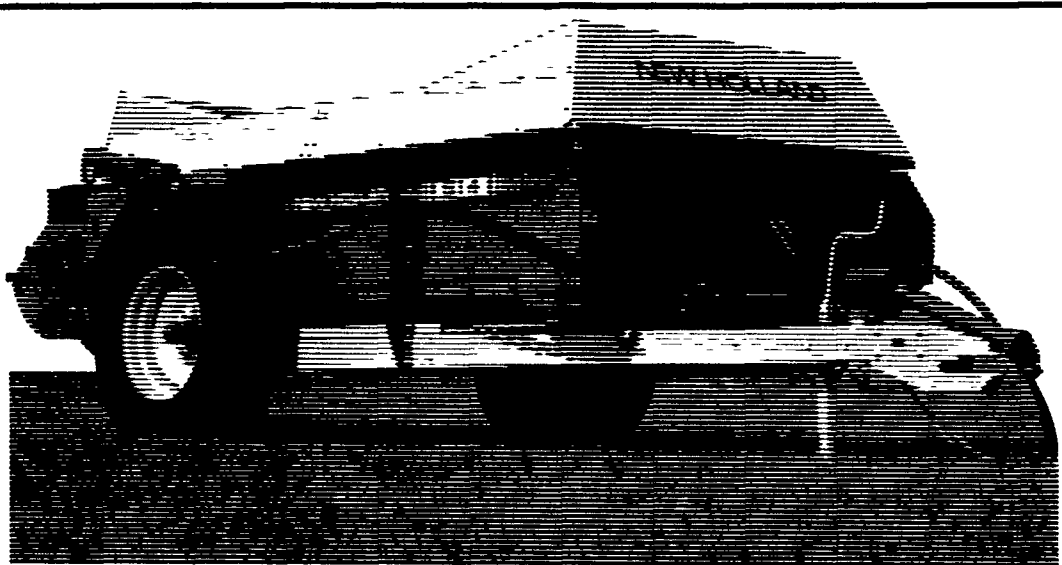
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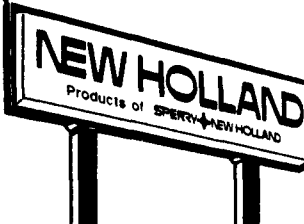
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