

# Ida's Notebook



Ida Risser

People who do not live on a dairy farm find it difficult if not impossible to realize how we are tied down here on the farm. They do not seem to know that no sooner is one job finished then there are several others waiting.

number of break-downs with our silage wagons. My husband worked on them day after day and sent me for parts. Usually he likes to go for repairs himself but he was too busy and so he gave me directions to various machinery dealers.

This year we had an unusual

When the silage was finally in the silo, there was rye to plant — after the ground was worked. Although, he finally has a high school boy to help him after school and it does make a difference. The next job will be to pick the corn and store it in the crib. I have an idea that this will take quite a while with a one-row picker.

Milking and feeding almost 100 animals is a time-consuming job, even with a milking parlor and a feed mixer. Then too he has all of those piles of corn to gather that I've been husking and gleaning from the fields.

Recently, I and my four sisters were able to get together as one came east from Michigan. She told of her vacation visiting Expo 86 in Vancouver and traveling through Canada this summer. Another sister showed many slides of the two-month camping trip that she

and her husband took on the Alaskan Highway. The scenery was magnificent and the fishing villages were unique. Still another sibling goes south twice a year

with her husband to relax.

Maybe someday Allen and I will be able to travel together. That is, if we don't get too old and tired first.

## Chester Co. Homemaker's Day Set

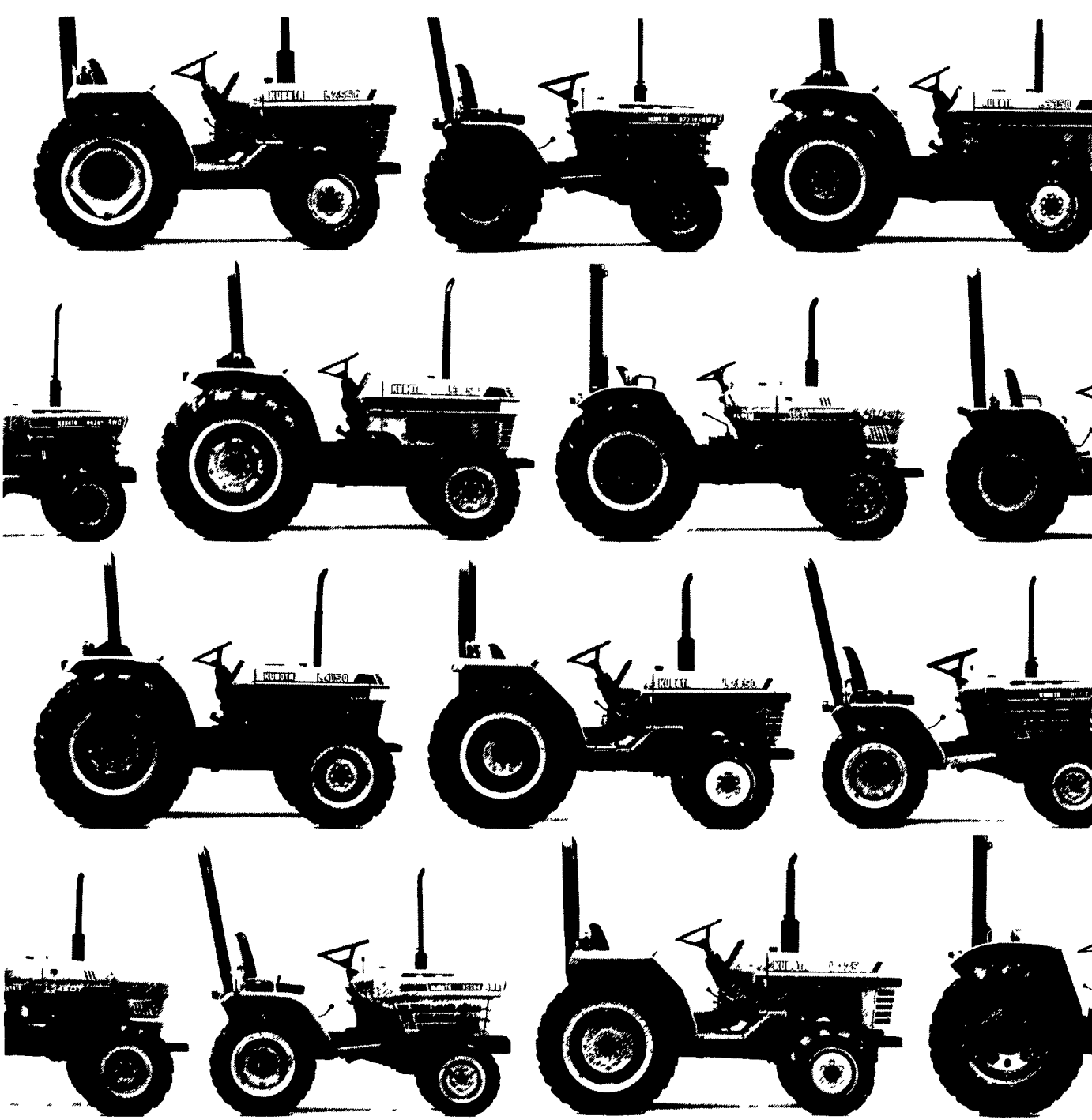
WEST CHESTER — The Chester County Fall Homemaker's Day will be held Wednesday, Dec. 3 at the Dilworthtown Presbyterian Church, 1385 Birmingham Road, West Chester.

A mental health professional from the Human Services, Inc. of Downingtown will discuss stress management for the holiday season. Other speakers will include: Cynthia Hawley of Beauty for all Seasons, who will demonstrate how to use color coordination and accessories to select a wardrobe; Betty Ann Shaw of Betty Ann's Crafts, Downingtown,

who will demonstrate decorating grapevine wreaths, seagrass box and other easy gifts.

The program will also include a cookie exchange. Those attending are asked to bring one batch of their favorite cookie recipe. Please send a copy of your favorite recipe along with your registration. The recipes will be compiled into a booklet.

Registration will begin at 9:30 a.m. A fee is charged for the program and preregistration is required. For further information and reservations call the Chester County Cooperative Extension Service at 696-3500 by Nov. 24.



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