

# Farm Women Societies

## Lancaster Society 14

Members of Lancaster Society 14 met Dec. 11 at Kreider's Restaurant, Manheim, for their annual Christmas party.

The John and Lois Miller family provided a musical program of song and instrumental numbers and concluded with a Christmas carol sing along.

Elizabeth and Janet Kreider of East Petersburg gave an illustrated reading entitled "All Things Bright and Beautiful."

Nora Herr presided at a brief

business meeting. The society sent its birthday money, \$36, to Christ's Home, Paradise. Delegates to the State Convention in Harrisburg Jan. 12 and 13 are Esther Landis, the incoming president, Gladys Esbenschade and Rhoda Landis.

The Society will sew at Lancaster General Hospital on Jan. 8 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Arlene Esbenschade at 9:30 a.m. on Jan. 21 to make cancer pads.

## Lancaster Society 34

Members of Lancaster Society 34 met Dec. 15 at the home of Gayle Hershberger for a Christmas party. Denise Young gave devotions.

During a short business meeting, president Khay Ruth handed the gavel over to Carol Byers. Other officers were sworn in and Lisa Coslett became a new member. She and her husband, Jeff, live in Holtwood. She is a home economics teacher in the Conestoga Valley school district.

Members revealed secret pals during the party, played games and enjoyed delicious food. Khay Rutt won the guessing chance off.

The next meeting will be held Jan. 19 at the home of Elaine Craig. The Society will review the by-laws and have a taffy pull.

## York Society 7

York Society 7 held a Christmas party at the United Church of Christ in Starview earlier this month. Fifteen members and 11 guests attended.

Irene Rentzel read "The Meaning of a Candy Cane." Anna Zinn celebrated her birthday. The Gold Sifters from Mt. Wolf provided the entertainment and Santa Claus distributed gifts.

The next meeting will be held Jan. 14 at 7 p.m. at the home of Nancy Emswiller.

# F.W.S. Calendar

**Saturday, December 27**  
Lancaster Society 5 meets for a Christmas program.

**Tuesday, December 30**  
Lancaster Society 4 meets at the

home of Hael Reist for a covered dish meal.  
Lancaster Society 24 meets at 7:30 p.m. for scrapbook, gift exchange.

## Little Dutchmen FFA

Members of the Annville-Cleona Little Dutchmen FFA chapter recently participated in area judging contests hosted by the Lebanon County FFA.

Dairy judging team members competing included: Duane Copenhaver, first; Allen Heagy, second; Matthew Bushong, third; Brian Meyer, sixth; Becky Hostetter, seventh; Mike Balmer, eighth; and Larry Kling, tenth. Other participants were Andrew Zimmerman, Kathy Mase, Andrea Wampler and Elwood Heller.

Juniors and seniors participating were Daniel Brandt, first; Kent Hoffer, sixth; Alan Auman, seventh; Heather Emrich, eighth; and Sheila Hostetter, 12th.

In the Meats Contest, Rodney Bomgardner placed sixth. Other participants were Kent Seward, Taffrey Bomgardner, Darrel Sanj

John Gilbert and Jack Lauer. The meats team placed fifth overall.

Participants in the pleasure horse contest were Shaun Martin, sixth, and Tracey Winsett, eighth. Other participants were Scott Brunser, Kent Reigel, Dan Tobias, Andrea Young, Tom Sholly, Lisa Kreider, Kristie Keiser; and Eric Harnish. The team placed third overall.

Agricultural Mechanics contestants were Marlin Heagy, 12th; Rodney Smith and Corey Houser. The team placed seventh overall.

In the Agronomy contest, Steph Nagle placed 15th and Matt Beare took 17th; Kevin Staller also participated.

For the Dairy Food contest, Larry Noll placed first overall; Mike Singer and Kyle Flory also participated.

## Lancaster Society 28

Fourteen members of Lancaster Society 28 met recently at Strasburg Mennonite Church.

Ruth Mellinger served as hostess and Ruth Book was co-hostess. Jane Landis conducted devotions.

Martha Garber presented a demonstration on flower arranging.

Some members entertained guests at Conestoga View Dec. 18.

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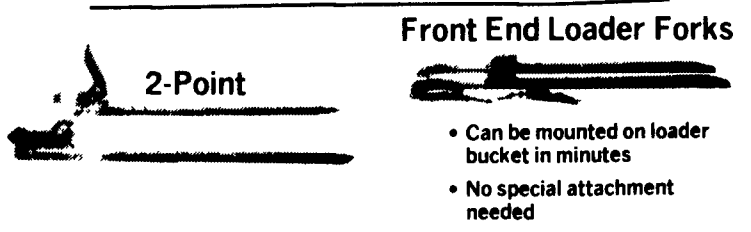
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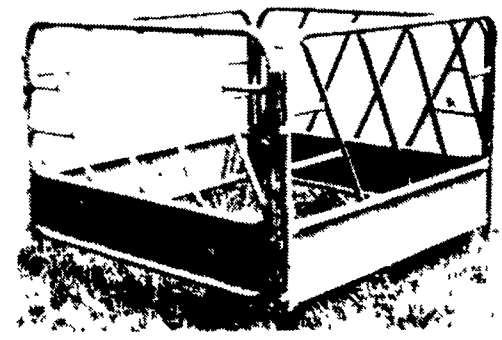


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