

30 YEARS AGO

THIS WEEK

-Donegal High School's Witness Oak FFA chapter members this past week were hosts for the annual Parent-Son Banquet, with Dr. Eugene Love, subject matter specialist of the Penn State vocational agriculture education department, as principal speaker.

Dr. Love, a former vo-ag instructor at East Donegal High School, renewed old acquaintances in the audience; then presented an illustrated talk of his recent two year stay in the Philippine Republic as a Stanford University project staff member.

The banquet was highlighted by the presentation of member awards to a quartet of Witness Oak members by Advisor G. M. Miller.

Luke Brubaker, chapter president, was honored as Chapter Star Farmer. Barry Stoner, chapter vice-president, claimed the Pioneer high-corn-production trophy for a 1958 crop of 136 bushels per

acre. Donald Musser received the 1959 Dairy award, and Jim Gingrich was announced as Farm Mechanics award winner.

-More than 100 members and special guests of Lancaster County and Fulton Grnges attended the May 15 Legislative Banquet at Chestnut Level Church. Guests included State Senator Edward Kessler, Representative Norman Wood, members of various county granges, the extension service and farm and civic groups.

J. Collins McSparran, Peach Bottom farmer and Master of Pennsylvania Grange, was principal speaker, discussing Grange legislative policy on state issues.

Following this discussion, Senator Kessler and Rep. Wood spoke briefly concerning the problems confronting the General Assembly in the current session.

-Fred Bernhard, Mt. Joy, and

Betty Umble, Lancaster, were elected Wednesday night to head the County 4-H Agriculture and Home Economics Councils, during the annual Officers Training meeting in Neff School, Neffsville.

Miss Umble was returned to the Home Economics presidency for the second year, with Bernard serving his first team as Ag Council chief.

Home Economics officers elected during the meeting were Miss Umble, Pat Musser, vice-pres.; Mary Anne Musser, Manheim RD1, secretary; Joan Cutler, Drumore, treasurer; Barbara

Gamble, Columbia RD2, song leader; Joanne Denlinger, reporter; Helen Musser, Mt. Joy RD2, and Linda Stehman, Florin, game leaders.

Ag Council officers are Bernard, Gerald Greiner, Manheim RD4, vice-pres.; Barbara Heisey, Sheridan RD1, secretary; Darvin Boyd, Ephrata RD1, treasurer; Judy Ann Buch, Ephrata RD2, and J. David Lapp, Bareville RD2, game leader; Ralph Kreider, Quarryville, song leader, and Sandra Myer, Lincoln reporter.

-Society of Farm Women 14 met May 13 in the home of Mrs. John Hershey, Paradise RD1. Co-

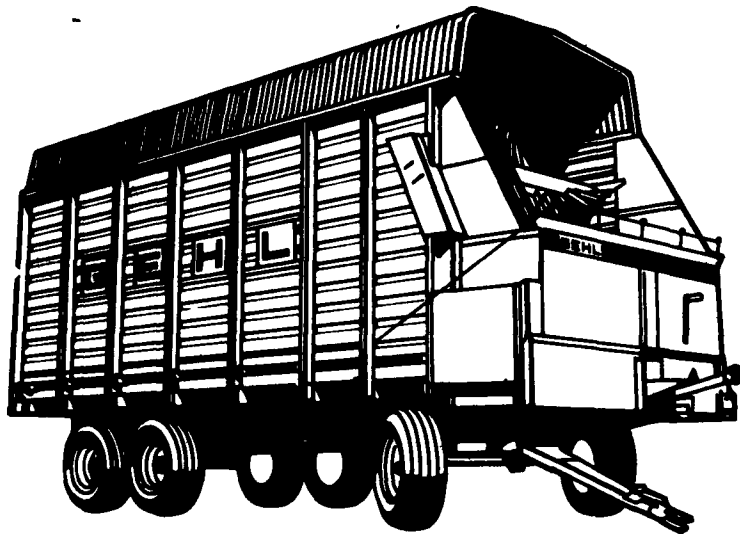
hostesses were Mrs. Warren Hershey and Mrs. Paul Hostetter.

Mrs. Clarence Herr, president, presided, with Mrs. Warren Hershey in charge of devotions.

H. Grant Hurst will be guest speaker at the next meeting, 1:30 p.m., June 10, in the home of Mrs. Walter Himmelreich, Ronks RD1. Co-hostesses will be Mrs. Muri Clark, Mrs. John Homsher and Mrs. Amos Shaubach.

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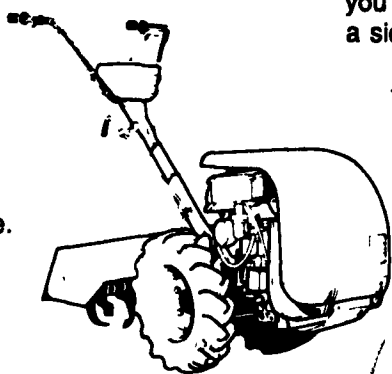
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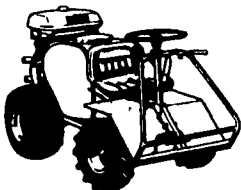
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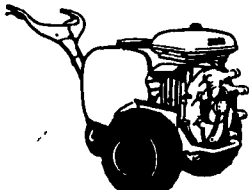
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