

Lancaster Society 8

Lancaster Society of Farm Women No. 8 met on May 12 at the home of Gladys Ney in Mount Joy.

Nancy Brown spoke on the Heifer Project. In addition, Faye

Greiner spoke of her trips to various countries who have been recipients of the Heifer Project. A trip to Rockford is planned for the June 9th meeting.

Berks Society 3

Group #3 of the Berks County Society of Farm Women held its April meeting at the home of Mary Bartholomew, Boyertown. A Pampered Chef demonstration was held prior to the business meeting. Ten members responded to the roll call question, "What is your favorite kitchen gadget?"

Several members attended the

quilt show at the Berks County Historical Society in Reading on Saturday, May 15. Three members attended the 25th anniversary of Group 8 at the Shartlesville Grange, Shartlesville.

The next meeting will be held on May 25 at the home of Diane Eddy, Willow Road, Boyertown. The program for the evening will be "Show and Tell."

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• If possible, move wide equipment during the day and when traffic volume is relatively low. Use all lights. If you transport equipment on a flatbed, make sure to comply with local and state highway regulations.

• Use an escort car or a lookout to help you on blind curves or bridges.

• Obey all traffic laws.
• Be courteous to other drivers.
• Avoid sudden, unexpected maneuvers, swerves, stops or turns.

• When you are driving a car or light truck and see a farm vehicle, slow down and prepare to stop. Before you pass, check for oncoming traffic and to the rear.

be held on June 5 at the home of Julia Zahn. She reminded members to meet at the Litz Lutheran Church at noon to car pool.

Members were asked to vote on three suggested county projects. Members of Society 1 voted for The Farm & Home Center.

Pres. Garman also announced that each society is to make 15 favors for the state convention.

Entertainment for this meeting was provided by The Red Rose Chord Authority Sweet Adeline's.

York Society 26

York Farm Women 26 celebrated its 27th anniversary with a walking tour of the historical buildings in the city of York. It consisted of the Benham House, Plough Tavern, Gates House, the old Court House and the Barnett Bobb Log House. Lunch was at the Yorktowne Hotel.

The group was organized on May 11, 1966. Ruth Hake served as the first president. There are five charter members and one associate member still in the group.

The next meeting will be on June 8 at Coakley's restaurant at New Cumberland. Mary Lantz will be hostess.

Farm Women Societies

Lancaster Society 1

The Lancaster County Society of Farm Women #1 met in the Brunnerville Fire Hall for a Mother and Daughter Banquet. President Fay Garman presided and welcomed members and guests.

Following a table grace, members and guests enjoyed a delicious dinner prepared and served by members of the Fire Hall. Beautiful table decorations of fans and pink geraniums were provided by the Social Committee.

Julia Zahn led members and guests in singing several songs,

and Arlene Widders followed with devotions. She read "A Mother's Pledge" by Ruth Stolfus and an article which gave advice on spring planting.

Roll call was answered by introducing one's guests and naming their mother's favorite song.

President Garman reminded members about the planned trip to Kellogg's plant on May 3.

Martha Jane Brubaker announced the next breakfast will be at Willow Valley Restaurant on May 22 at 9 A.M.

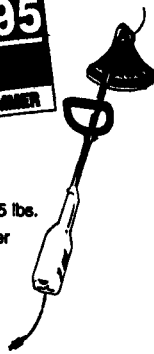
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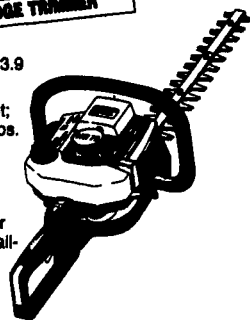
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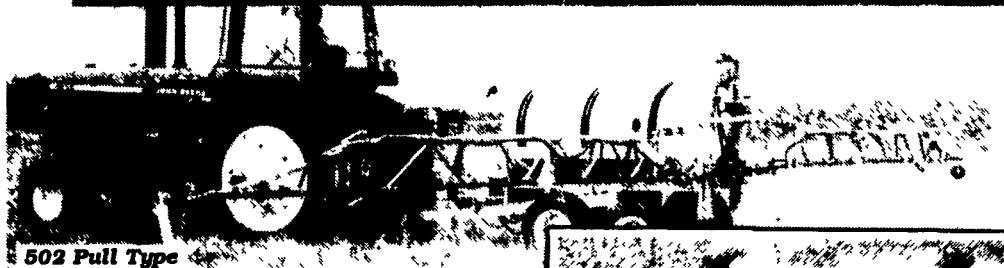
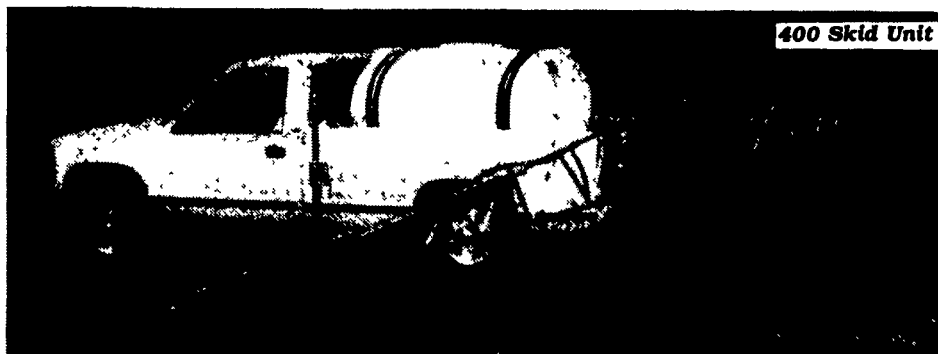
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