



## Lancaster Society 20

Lancaster Farm Women Society #20 met at the home of Vera Herr with Jean Ressel as co-hostess, Thursday March 2. Sue Ellenberg spoke of her trip to Russia. She spoke of the people in general and of the lovely family she stayed with, the food and how many of them get plots of land and raise and preserve as much as they can for the winter. She talked about the transportation, and she had lovely dolls there for display. They range from a big one down to a really tiny one and 20 of them all fit in the big one. They are beautiful and all hand painted.

Following the program the president, Nancy Axe, presided at the

business meeting, opening with the scripture read by Vera, taken from Psalm 185. The Lord's Prayer was prayed in unison and the Pledge of Allegiance was repeated. The 20 present responded to the roll call by saying their favorite soup.

Freda Wimer, chairman of the Sewing Committee reported 13 bibs had been made. The Sunshine Committee sent five cards since the last meeting. The president stated members would be going to Conestoga View in October and she gave a report on the State Convention and mentioned the membership is now 718. The meeting closed by singing "Brighten the

Corner." The April meeting will be at the Memorial United Methodist Church to entertain Societies 26, 15 and the county officers.

## Berks Society 9

The February meeting of Group 9 met in the home of Pat Haas. The meeting opened with a poem reading, the Lord's Prayer, and the flag salute. For the March meeting members will meet at St. Paul's U.C.C. at 6:30 to go to City Hall for a police program about home security. After the program, members will go to Arnie's for dessert, and a short meeting. April 5th is the Birthday Party—each member is to bring a \$5 gift to be swapped. Members will go to Snuzzles.

Sunshine Fund Chairperson Tippy Oxenford reminded everyone to pay equal amounts for the year. The audit was completed, with no problems.

Karen Schreier, as president, presented Kim Casner, as past president, a stained glass hollyhock.

County Board has decided that each group should collect food for local food banks, rather than the Co. Bank. The group will collect again in March for St. Paul's U.C.C.

Berks Heim Bingo will be April

6th - 7:00 p.m. at the Main Bldg. A cake is needed.

Spring Rally will be May 23rd at Dickenson College. Cost is \$12.

The County Youth project needs ideas for rewarding participants; this year's project—youth are to take a photo or draw a picture of a special place in Pennsylvania—due August.

The meeting was adjourned to have the wine and cheese tasting party.

## York Society 11

Potosi Society #11 of Farm Women held their February meeting at the home of Sandy Hilty, with president Arlene Miller presiding. The meeting opened with several love songs in honor of Valentines Day. Barbara Groth accompanied on the keyboard. Sarah Snyder had devotions.

The Roll Call Response was, "Who was President when you were born." This created a nice discussion with remembrances of by-gone days and past Presidents.

The guess box was won by Mary Vinemiller. The next meeting will be at Christ Lutheran Church with Hester Keeney as Hostess. Cookbook chairperson Naomi Bupp told the group more cookbooks

will be arriving this week.

The finance committee announced a White Elephant Bake Sale will be held at the next meeting.

## York Society 26

York County Farm Women Group 26 held the February meeting at the Jolly Coppersmith Restaurant, Eiters, for a luncheon and Valentine party on February 14 with 16 members attending. President Doris Beshore was in charge of the business meeting. Betty Bertollette was in charge of the entertainment.

Three members had February birthdays.

Group 26 will entertain Group 20 at a date in the future.

Spring Rally will be held at Dickinson College in Carlisle.

Games were won by Ruth Hake and Doris Beshore.

Door prizes were won by 5 members.

A safety program is planned for the March meeting.

Charlotte Hardy and Margie Knotts will be in charge of the program.

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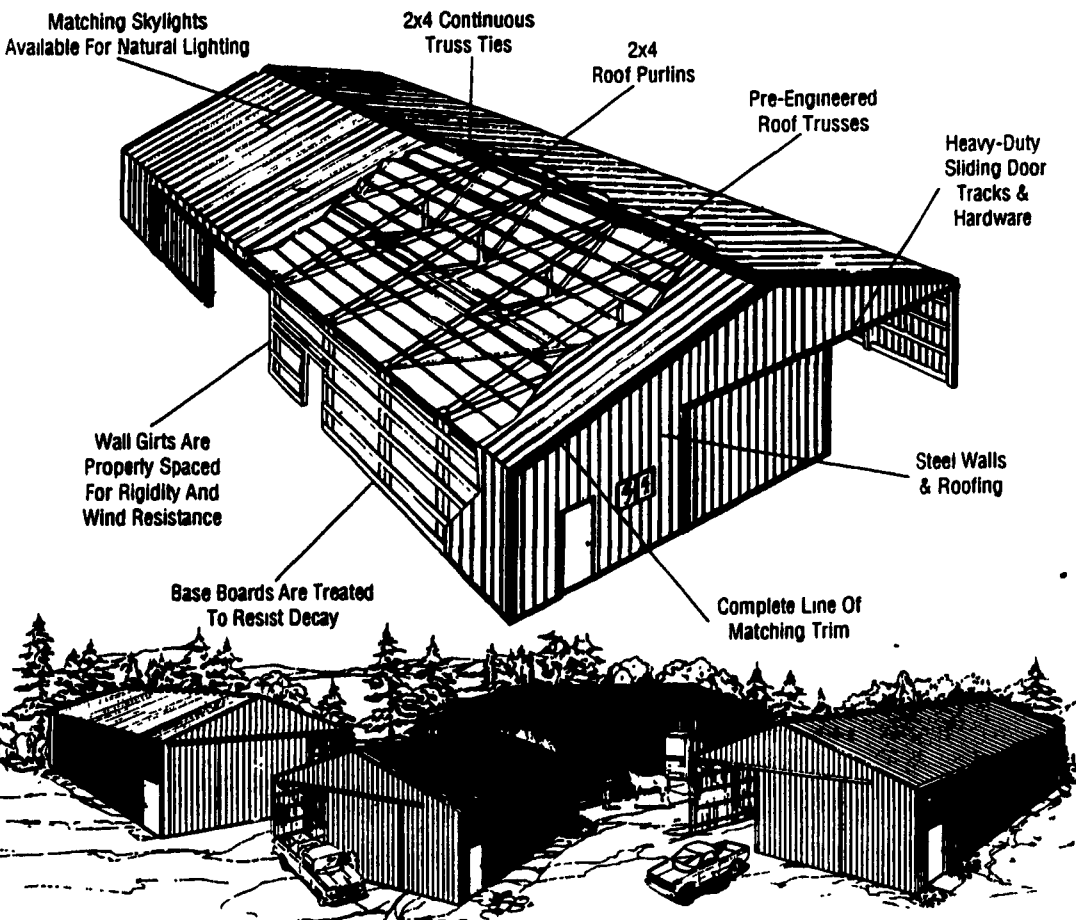
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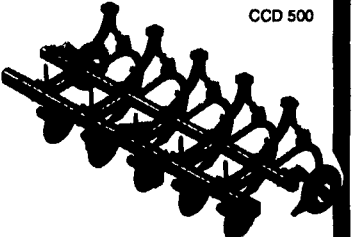
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