Some prices were: Farmall B tractor \$1100, Winchester model 12 pump gun \$225, Farmali C tractor \$1375, J.D. B tractor \$625, Yamaha #146 riding mower \$2400. J.D. model 430 tractor w/mower \$4250, J.D. #826 snow blower \$350, 1984 Ford rollback \$8100, race car frame \$525 and 2 J.D. push mowers \$140 each.

Shamrock Auction Service conducted the sale.

ABELE SALE

A Public Auction of Victorian furniture and antiques was held July 1 by Mildred Abele, 630 West Pine Street, Palmyra, Lebanon Co., Pa.

Some prices included: marble-top stand \$750, 2 etageres \$400 & \$600, turtle-top marble table \$625, oak extension table w/boards \$475, modern cherry hutch \$425, cherry corner cupboard \$2000, marble-top washstand \$550, marble-top Victorian dresser \$750. walnut Victorian secretary \$1600, grey agate berry bucket \$110, 2 bronze lamps \$225 each and Nuttings pictures \$115 each.

Harry H. Bachman was the auctioneer.

RICE

ESTATE SALE A Public Sale of personal property was held July 1 for the estate of Joan M. Rice, at Lemasters Community Center. Lemasters, Franklin Co., Pa. There were 261 registered bidders at the salc.

Some items sold were: 3-pc. mahogany trim living room set \$270, dovetailed doughtray \$190, pair rolling pin beds \$260, cherry chest of drawers \$310, tea cart \$200, pair decorated urns \$625, cherry blind-door corner cupboard \$780. 12-piece Baltimore pear glass \$250 and pony cart \$700.

J. Robert Meyers was the auctioneer.

BELL TRUST SALE A Public Auction of antiques and collectibles was held July 1 for the Arthur Bell Trust, 1 mile west of Lehighton off Rt. 443 Carbon Co.,

Some prices received

were: oak baptismal font \$390, 3-section oak bookcase \$370, marbletop dresser \$530. Victorian style double bed \$950, 6½ ' walnut English amoure \$870, ornate Vctorian curio cabinet \$1100, oak umbrella stand \$230, J.C. Brown wall clock \$260, mahogany pedestal \$400, oak curved-glass china closet \$1150, mahogany dining room suite \$1075, Bisque clock \$2650, 3-pc. Seves vase \$3650 and dining room table and chairs \$2500.

Houser Auctioneers

managed the sale.

NOLT SALE A Public Sale of real estate was held June 29 by Suie B. Nolt, 428 Yellow Hill Road, Bowmansville, Pa.

The 3.4-acre lot with a modular rancher was sold for \$84,000.

Randal V. Kline, Lloyd H. Kreider and Roy E. Good Jr. were the auctioneers.

SNADER SALE

A Public Sale of real estate and household goods was held July 1 for Clarence Snader. 192 W. Main St., Leola, Lanc. Co., Pa. There were 184 registered at the sale.

The 40 x 250-ft. lot with a 21/2 -story frame house was sold for \$67,000 to John Baer of Lititz, Pa.

Other prices were: merry-go-round tin \$110, Shirley Temple doll \$50, Shirley Temple paper doll \$46, doll clothing \$40 to \$60, Penn-bury milk can \$35, Hersheypark paperweight \$45, Bareville Hotel ledger \$160, tin bus \$75, oak dresser \$95 and oak washstand **\$170.**

Also sold were: plank-bottom chair w/ original paint \$95, wooden highchair \$140, small, old red-stained clock shelf \$290, small miter bench \$100. 4-inch Howdy-Doody doll \$95, 1913-14 hunting license \$500. 1915-16 hunting license \$470, 1917 hunting license \$120, 1920-23 hunting license \$150, 2 child's record players \$100 & \$135 and old oak desk & bookcase \$435.

Robert E. Martin, Randall L. Ranck and Michael W. Martin were the auctioneers. KETTERLINE SALE

A Public Sale of equipment and trucks was held July 1 for the former Ketterline Excavating Inc., 897 Mount Joy Road, Mount Joy, Lanc. Co., Pa. There were 138 registered bidders at the sale.

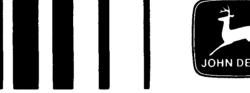
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Some prices were: 1986 J.D. 710-B backhoe w/cab \$23,000, 2 backhoe buckets \$325, \$275 & \$224, 1989 Liebheer 621-B crawler-loader \$24,000, 1989 N.H. L-785 skid loader \$10,000, forklift attachment \$400, N.H. B-124 backhoe attachment \$2850, 1978 Ford LT-9000 tandem dump truck \$18,075, 1990 Ford F-250 XLT pickup truck \$9975, 1983 Ford Ranger pickup truck \$1475, 1989 Eageralong trailer \$7275, 1970 General 12-ton tag-along trailer \$875, and 1987 Miller mobile office trailer \$2375.

Other equipment included: metal office desk \$70, 2 filing cabinets \$45 & \$34, salt spreader \$400, portable truck oil tank \$260, pressure washer \$185. air compressor \$130 and Echo chain saw **\$130.**

The sale was conducted by Witman Auctioneers Inc.





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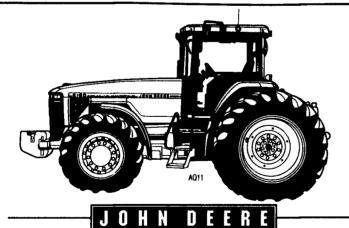
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QUESTION — Kay McGrath, 68 Hunter St., Tamaqua, Pa., writes that she found an antique in the attic of a deceased relative. She believes it is a spinning wheel loom. She has a picture of it if someone collects such objects.

QUESTION — Paul Early, R.R. 1, Box 632A, Annville, Pa. 17008 has a hopper to a wheelbarrow grass seeder that was made in the 1920s. He would like to hear from someone who has the wheelbarrow part or he would be willing to sell the hopper.

QUESTION --- Ruth Dundore would like the book with the following poems: Brier Rose, The Old Man Goes To School, The Station Agent's Store, and The Last Hymn. It was published about 1900.

QUESTION - Maxine Tutton, Fort Royal, Va., would like the address for a mail order company that sells patterns for clothing that fits cement lawn geese that are so popular now.

QUESTION — George Rousis, Bally, hopes to move to the Midwest or Montana in a few years. He'd like to know how to find out weather temperature highs and lows, rainfall, and snowfall for the individual states during the past 10 years.

QUESTION — Jenny Palovitch of Lancaster County would like to purchase a wrought iron bench that wraps around a tree. It may be new or used.

QUESTION — A Lehighton reader would like to know the market price for goose and duck eggs.

ANSWER — Eva Eby, Manheim, wanted to know how to get clematis vines to bloom. Thanks to Peg Koser, Strasburg, who writes that clematis like full sun but the roots should be in moist, cool soil. A large stone placed over the root area will do the trick. Also, add a little lime to the soil.

Marvin Bucher also wrote that if you water and fertilize clematis vines too much, you will get all foliage and not flowers.

ANSWER — Lois Burkholder, Washington Boro, wanted to know why her iris does not bloom. Thanks to Peg Koser, Lancaster, who writes that the biggest problem is that people often plant iris too deep in the soil. Iris will adapt to different soil situations but when planted in the shade, iris are at their best. Iris should be transplanted every 3-4 years as the rhizames become too thick. They like lime occasionally or bone meal. Don't plant too deeply because they like sun on the rhizames to ripen them. Cut back to six-inches in the autumn