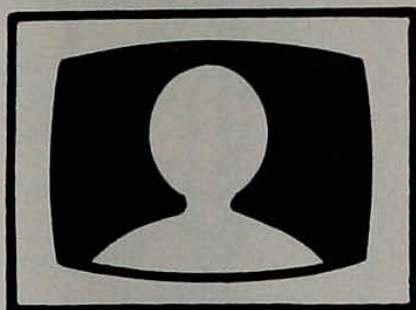


## Film available

You're Needed in the Food System is a 19-minute film focussing on careers in the agri-food system. It's available in VHS, Beta, 16mm and U-Matic video. For free loan, contact the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food Film Library, Johnston Hall, University of Guelph, Guelph, N1G 2W1, 519 824-4120, ext. 3324.



## 4-H spoons

There is a limited quantity of 4-H spoons still available. If you would like to buy one, or more, they are \$2 each (includes handling and postage) and available from Dorothy Daynard, R. R. #7, Guelph, N1H 6J4. The deadline for ordering spoons is Dec. 31, 1987.

## Meat Month

February 1988 is Meat Month. The promotion focuses on beef, pork, lamb, veal and processed meats. For more information contact: Canadian Meat Council, 5233 Dundas St. West, Islington, Ontario, M9B 1A6, 416 239-8411.

The 11th convention of the Federated Women's Institutes of Canada will be held at Memorial University of Newfoundland in St. John's, June 23 to 27, 1988. The theme of the convention is Shaping Our Tomorrows Today and any WI member may attend. The deadline for registering is Feb. 29, 1988. The registration fee is \$100, which is not refundable, but is transferable. More details, including registration forms and itineraries for pre and post convention tours are available from the FWIO office (address on page 2).

## Seminar in Elgin

Women's Institute members in Elgin are planning a second annual community outreach seminar. It will be held on Saturday, Feb. 21 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Southwold Public School, near St. Thomas. The seminar's theme is A Time For You and will include keynote speaker Pat Ferraro. The seminar will cost \$15 and that includes lunch. For more information, contact Hilde Morden, R. R. #1, Rodney, N0L 2C0, 519 785-0745.

## Publications pertaining to women

Here are some recent federal publications which may be of interest to *Home & Country* readers.

*Dimensions of Equality: A Federal Government Work Plan for Women* Tabled at the first ministers' conference last November, this document details the action the federal government will take in 1988 to advance the status of women. For a free copy, write to the Status of Women Canada, 151 Sparks St., 10th Floor, Ottawa, K1A 1C3.

*Forward From Nairobi* Status of Women Canada prepared this detailed workshop kit to inform women about the Forward-Looking Strategies for the Advancement of Women, adopted at the United Nations conference in Nairobi in 1985. The kits can be borrowed from regional offices of the Department of the Secretary of State and provincial women's directorates. The Ontario Women's Directorate is located at 900 Bay Street, 4th Floor, Toronto, M7A 1C2, 416 965-4801.

*Battered but Not Beaten: Preventing Wife Battering in Canada* Released in June by the Canadian Advisory Council on the Status of Women, this report discusses the serious problem of family violence. For a free copy, write to the council at P. O. Box 1541, Station B, Ottawa, K1P 5R5.

