



GETTING ACQUAINTED with farm animals on a trip to farms near their school was a delightful experience for the 57 first grade students from the Willow Street Elementary School on Tuesday.

Petting a Guernsey calf at the farm of Roy Brenneman, Willow Street R2, is six year old Diane Kopp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Kopp, Willow View Heights, Willow Street R2. Accompanying the group, along with their teachers, was Mr. George Myers, teacher of vocational Agriculture at Lampeter-Strasburg High School.

SOME QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

How do you keep fiber rugs from slipping?

If you're using the rugs on a waxed floor be sure the floor is thoroughly polished. Then there's less danger of the rug slipping. You may get the best protection from skidding if you use a soft flexible rubber pad under the rug. Have it about the same size as the rug. It will grip both the floor and the rug and hold the rug in place.

Some new products are available which you can spray on the under side of the rug. You need to renew them occasionally.

How do you get scuff marks off a waxed floor?

You can get scuff marks off by using a cleaning-polishing wax. This wax will take off the marks as it removes the wax. On a floor where you've used a self-polishing wax try a suds solution. Or use fine plain steel wool, not the pads treated for kitchen use.

Willow St. Scholarships First Grade Available Visits Farm From P.P.&L.

A question from a first grade teacher in the Willow Street schools last year started a unique program in Lancaster county educational systems. Mrs. Esther Herr in searching for answers to some of the questions posed by her first grade pupils asked Mr. George Myers, teacher of Vocational Agriculture at Lampeter - Strasburg High School if he would recommend a farm which the class could visit. Myers responded by setting up a schedule of farm visits supervised by the boys in his classes.

The visits proved so successful that the program bids to become an annual affair. On Tuesday 57 first graders from the Willow Street school visited the farms of four students of Vocational Agriculture in the Lampeter area.

The visitors were accompanied by their teachers, Mrs. Herr and Miss Elizabeth Barnes, the Principal Durrell Hollinger, and the following parents; Mrs. Isreal Saturen, Mrs. Fred Snyder, Mrs. Donald Hall, Mrs. Daniel H. Hackman, and Mrs. Grace Schultz.

Purpose of the trip, according to Myers is to acquaint the children with various farm animals and help them develop an appreciation of life on a farm, and to give FFA members experience in speaking to groups and participation in public relations activities.

A similar tour for the first grade students in the Lampeter and Strasburg schools is scheduled for next spring.

Pennsylvania Power and Light Company is again offering 13 scholarships under two programs of educational assistance, it was announced by Mr. Chas E. Oaks, PP&L's board chairman.

Ten of the scholarships will be available under the utility's general scholarship program. Winners may choose any course of study leading to a degree and may attend any of 15 area colleges or universities. Each grant provides \$500 annually toward each recipient's tuition and a similar grant to the institution each winner attends.

The remaining three scholarships are for study in the field of agriculture at The Pennsylvania State University's College of Agriculture. The annual amount of each grant is \$200.

To enter either of the two competitions, a youngster must be the son or daughter of a PP&L customer.

In announcing competition under the utility's general scholarship program, Mr. Oaks pointed to the need for trained young people in all fields of endeavor. "To assure our nation's continued progress, many young people are needed with training in the sciences, business, government and engineering.

Turning to the agricultural scholarship program, Mr. Oaks pointed out that these awards are based on a realization that, if continued increases in farm productivity are to be assured, we must provide trained young people capable of translating knowledge into better crops and livestock. In ten years, with the world's expanding population, we may need all the technical skill in maintaining an adequate food supply that we are now using in

our reach for outer space. The three top applicants for agricultural scholarships will be selected by the committee on Academic Awards of Penn State's College of Agriculture. Chairman of the seven-man committee is Prof. R. A. Bartoo, of the School of Forestry. Applications and other necessary materials for scholarship competition available at every school in the Company vice area.

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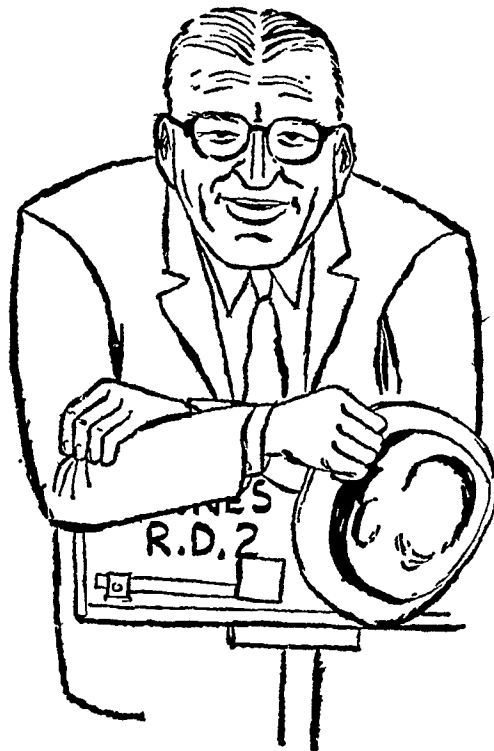
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