

● **Progressive**

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en too much credit. But, as Richard Hoover, FHA Supervisor, says, "This is an outstanding example of a young farm family

with determination and ability. They started with small assets and have developed a very successful dairy operation, along with owning their own farm."

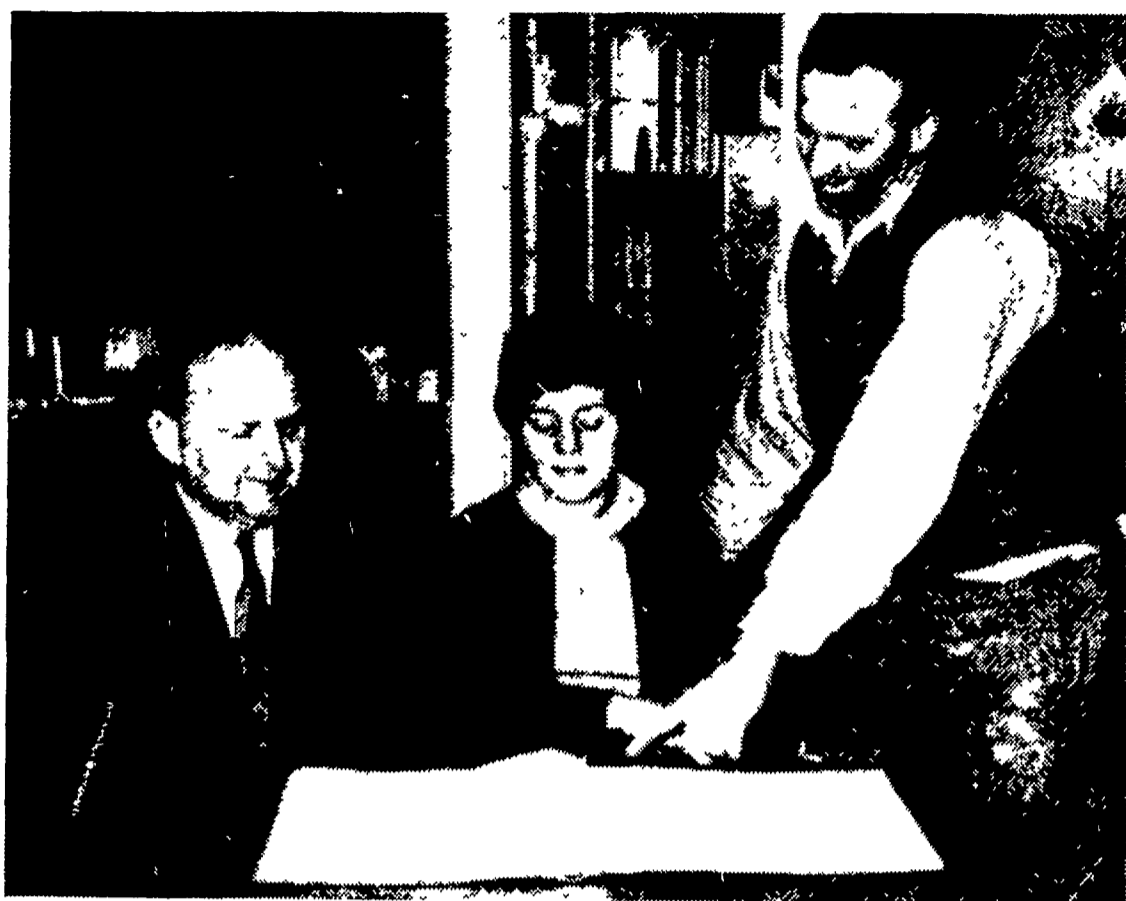
The Strohmaier family includes five children who were in school at the time of this visit. They are Karl, 12, Kerry, 11, Kurt, 9, Ern, 8, Eric, 7.

The FHA objectives are to provide family farmers with adequate resources to be successful. They provide loans to assist in farm ownership, improvements and operation. The local area from which the farm family of the year was selected includes Lancaster, Lebanon and Chester Counties.

IVAN KRANTZ SALE

The Ivan D. Krantz sale, one mile east of Hessdale, was held last Saturday with some of the sale prices listed as follows: Copper Kettle \$63, Sleigh \$40, Rocker \$27, Cupboard \$87, Cradle \$29, Sideboard \$34, Coffee bin \$24, Table \$40.

Carl Diller and Everett Kreider were the auctioneers.



MR. AND MRS. GOTTLIEB STROHMAIER, Oxford R2, discuss DHIA records with Richard Hoover, F H A Supervisor (left). The Strohmaier family were select-

ed outstanding accomplishment in family farm operation by FHA from the Lancaster, Lebanon and Chester County area.

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Dogs Cause Livestock And Poultry Damage

HARRISBURG — Dogs caused more than \$35,000 damages to livestock and poultry last year, the State Department of Agriculture has announced.

Leland H. Bull, State Secretary of Agriculture, said the state compensated livestock and poultry owners after damage claims were investigated by dog law enforcement officers.

Bull said most of the damages were to chickens and sheep. Other animals harmed by dogs included ducks, turkeys and rabbits.

Owners whose dogs could be identified as causing damages paid compensation amounting to \$9,600.

The state dog law authorizes payments for livestock and poultry damages caused by dogs af-

● **Farm Calendar**

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- Health) School Vo-Ag Room
- 7 30 p m — Extension Cattle Feeder Meet, Farm & Home Center
- 7 30 p m — Garden Spot Young Farmer Program (Corn Summerization) School Vo-Ag Rm
- 7 30 p m — P. L. Rohrer Corn & Alfalfa Growers Meeting, Refton Fire Hall
- 7 45 p m — Lancaster County Poultry Assn Education Meet, Farm & Home Center
- Wednesday, February 28
- 10 00 a m — 4-H Leaders Kick-Off Meet, Farm & Home Center
- 7 30 p m — Futures meeting, Union Stock Yards Sales Barn
- 8 00 p m — Dairy Club Leaders Meet, Farm & Home Center
- Thursday, February 29
- 9 30 a m — Geigy Custom Ap-

● **Garden Spot**

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- Certificates of appreciation were presented to the following: Robert Herr, Vo-Ag Teacher, for organizing the chapter; High School Principal Donald Sheafet for school administration cooperation; Vernon Beiler, County Young Farmer Contest Winner, for effort in representing the chapter; Roger Clark, Lancaster Newspapers, Inc., and Everett Newswanger, Lancaster Farming Newspaper, both for chapter news coverage.
- plicator Workshop, Liberty Fire Hall, New Holland
- 6 45 p m — 4-H Veal Calf Round-up, New Holland Sales Barn
- Friday, March 1
- 10 00 a m — Expanding Milk Promotion Meeting, Room 305, Ag Bldg, Harrisburg

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