

Penna. 4-H'ers

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newspaper to create interest in the new club.

The 4-H'er organized and conducted a nature day for residents of Chester County and instructed participants in collecting techniques and identification of insects.

Her entomology experience proved useful in obtaining a job at the Delaware Nature Center, organizing programs for youngsters.

Her other 4-H projects have included clothing,

bicycle, food-nutrition, recreation and leadership.

KATHRYN HARTLE

Miss Hartle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hartle, is a student at South Hills Business School in Bellefonte. She plans a career operating a dairy farm and a women's fashion shop. She is a national winner in the 4-H agricultural program.

The Centre County girl said that proceeds from the sale of her Holstein animals has "helped me buy more animals, a car, and a sizable

sum is set aside for my future education."

In 1973, she was chosen as the Distinguished Junior Member of the Pennsylvania Holstein Association and represented her county dairy club at the National Holstein Convention in Michigan. She is a member of the association's Junior Executive Committee.

The 10-year 4-H'er was named her county's Champion Showman at the county fair and has made profits on her sweet corn and invested it in Savings Bonds and her school wardrobe.

Miss Hartle was named her country's outstanding girl member last year. Earlier this year, she taped radio messages for dairy food spots, explaining the importance of dairy products in the diet.

She attended the Penn State Dairy Exposition for the last three years as a member of the dairy judging team.

Her other 4-H projects have included health, gardening, food preservation, clothing and leadership.

SUSAN CAMP

Susan Camp, Catawissa, who compared prices of canned tomatoes to find the best buys, has been named one of six national winners in the 4-H consumer education program.

Miss Camp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Camp,

is a high school senior and plans to major in home economics in college, specializing in consumer education. She is an eight-year 4-H'er.

The Columbia County girl gave a consumer-oriented demonstration on denim and blue jeans, entitled "Serge de Nimes," that took top honors in 1976 clothing and textile demonstrations in Pennsylvania.

She also gave another demonstration entitled, "Clothes, Money and You," in which she ticked off the fundamentals of wise shopping for clothes.

"In doing the family grocery marketing, I learned to shop on a budget and this entails reading newspaper ads, comparing prices, clipping coupons, reading labels and being a comparative shopper," she said.

Miss Camp compared the cost of home canned products to those bought in stores. She also learned that labels on clothing can yield useful information to consumers.

Miss Camp said she learned to shop at sales, but said consumers must "make sure the items are really a bargain and that the items are in good condition before purchasing them."

She also learned the importance of getting all guarantees and warranties in writing and the importance of keeping accurate records.

Her other 4-H projects have included food-nutrition, gardening, clothing, and leadership.

RON KOCHER

Ron Kocher, 18, Bloomsburg, has been selected as one of six national winners in the 4-H woodworking program.

Even before he joined 4-H, Kocher liked to make things, beginning with a rough piece of wood, and shaping it into a usable object. Having acquired the skills of using hand and power tools, the seven-year 4-H'er chose to make a two-story martin house as his first project in 4-H.

Within a few years he became accomplished at cabinet making. Fashioning first, a floor to ceiling corner cupboard with glass door, his second endeavor, a Father's Day present, was a two-door gun cabinet with enclosed shelving below.

When an addition was put on the family home, many of his skills were employed in construction. His 4-H handyman group erected a fence around a flower garden at the community fire hall, and as an additional community project, the club members tend the garden.

For the past two years, Kocher has served as teen leader for the handyman project, as well as serving as project leader for an arts and crafts club.

A senior in high school, the

future carpenter and cabinet maker is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. Kocher, Bloomsburg, Columbia County.

JENNIFER ORLIDGE

Jennifer Orledge, of Shanksville, was presented with a \$1,000 scholarship by General Motors, sponsor of the 4-H safety program.

Miss Orledge, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Orledge, is a freshman at Otterbein College, Westerville, Ohio, and plans a career in business administration. She is a five-year 4-H'er.

The Somerset County girl entitled her demonstration on child poisoning, "Is Mr. Yuk a Member of Your Family?" The popular demonstration won blue ribbons at all levels of competition.

Miss Orledge, the daughter of a physician, explained how to identify and treat both poisonous and non-poisonous snake bites in her other demonstration.

The winner said that she learned the importance of good health in her project, but that "knowing what to do in case of an emergency is just as important." It was this type of information she zeroed in on in her safety project.

She also made and kept a family health record, reported on the contents of a complete physical

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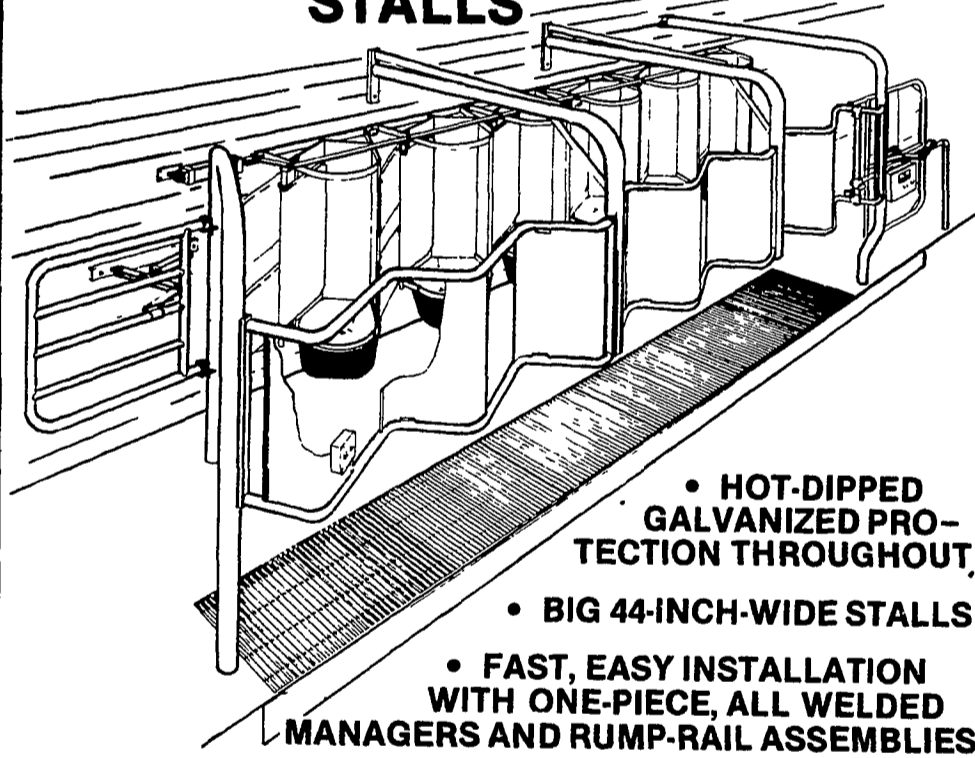
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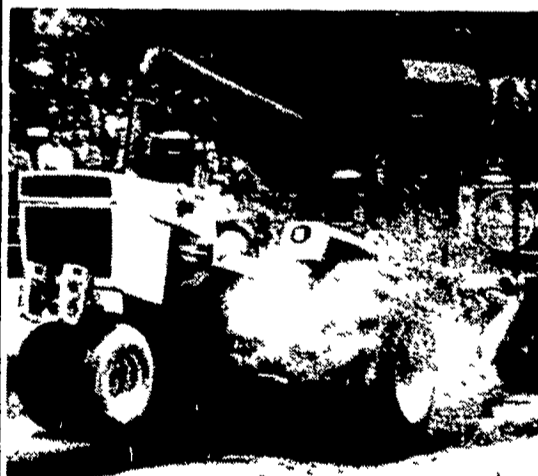
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