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At the farm we have happily accommodated and helped over a hundred people from all walks of life over the years. We rarely have issues, though occasionally things don't work out, and we are usually able to help people find an alternative placement. We always welcome feedback, as we wish to learn and improve, and would never ask anyone to leave if they raised concerns.

We confirm that a Canadian gentleman came here in early December 2019, though not with that name and address.

It rapidly became clear that "Lucas" had

problems.

asked him to

leave. He refused

He had told us he had relatives in Durham, and was given time to organise transport/accommodation.

If "Lucas" had travelling issues they do not arise from us

We have no need to use

"social media" or other sites to cause problems for people

We are happy for people to make their own judgements about this objection, and don't feel it is helpful to respond to the statements he has made, other than to confirm that all the farm electrics are recent and installed by a qualified electrician. The electrics tripping was found to have been caused by wires

Cathy Edwards