

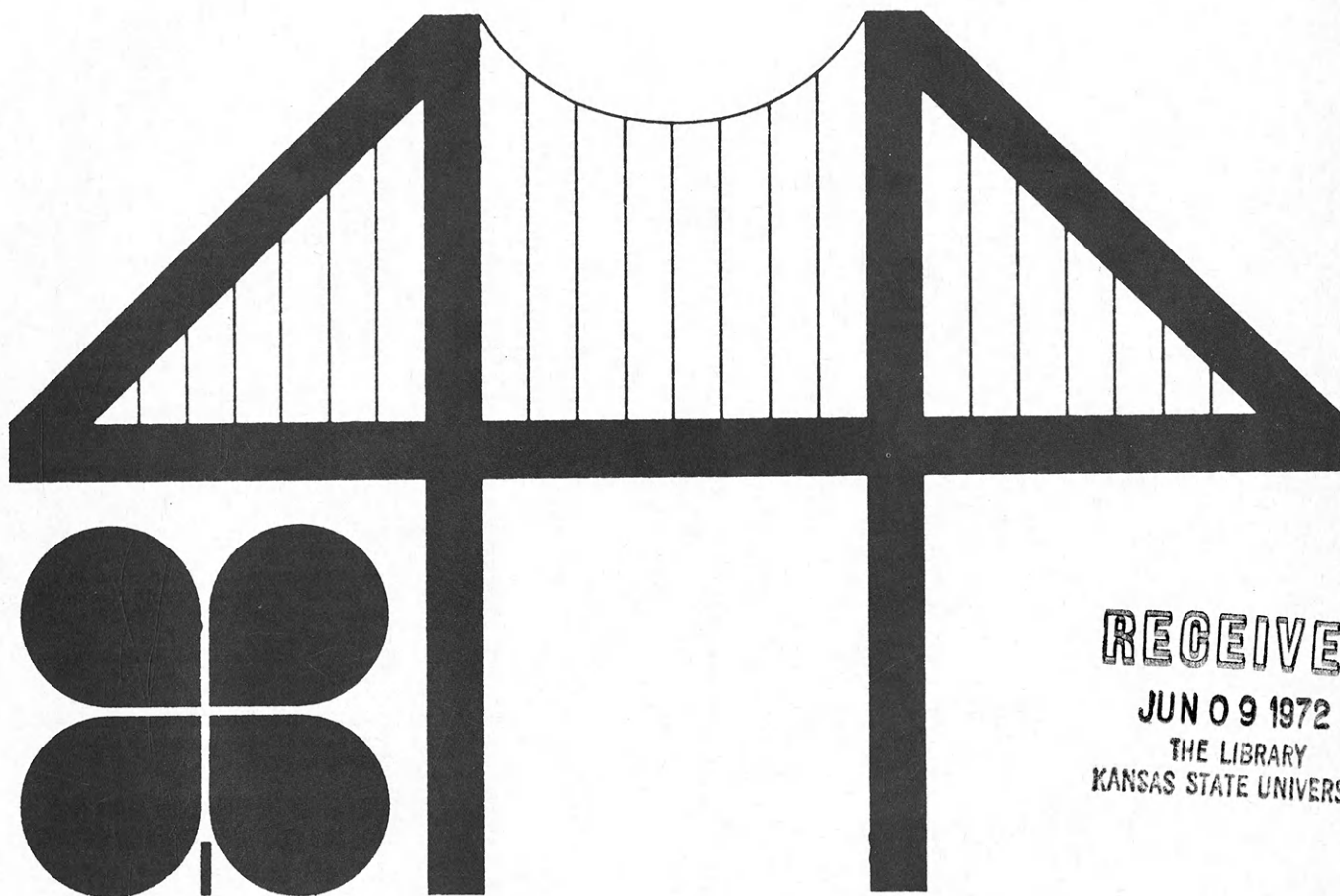
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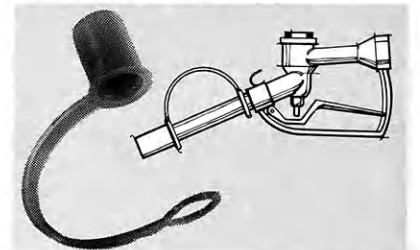
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Dr. Busset's note: Mrs. James Flinn is an Ellis County 4-H Club leader. In addition, she assists with supervisory chores during Kansas State Fair in Hutchinson. She wrote an article, designed as a tribute to 4-H work, which was used in Ellis County last fall. Because these editorials are directed largely toward 4-H leaders, we are pleased to have Mrs. Flinn speak for leaders on the topic,

## 4-H Bridges the Gap

The theme for National 4-H Week was "4-H Bridges the Gap." This theme explains very well what 4-H is all about.

4-H gives the youth of America the opportunity to bridge the gap between young and old; between parents and their children: by working together, by accepting responsibilities, by including adults in their plans, both for work and for fun. Adults have the chance to see the abilities the youth of the 1970s are developing. Parents are welcome at all meetings and 4-H events. Of course many parents are 4-H leaders.

4-H gives equal opportunities to non-whites as well as whites. There is no discrimination because of race, color, or creed. In the USA there are many mixed clubs. 4-H'ers learn that all people are created equal. An example of this was seen by the Ellis County 4-H'ers on their exchange trip in Oregon, as many 4-H'ers were Indians who lived on a reservation.

4-H bridges the gap between city and country. Equal opportunities are available to each young person. It makes no difference if you live on a farm or in town; whether your dad is a doctor, lawyer, merchant, or chief. A city child may take the same projects as a farm youth or vice versa. It is not required to have an animal project.

4-H bridges the gap between nations. A good example of this is the 4-H IFYE program (International Farm Youth Exchange). 4-H'ers of other nations visit the U.S.; they spend time in 4-H'ers' homes. Kansas has had many IFYEs, and some IFYEs have visited in Ellis County. In exchange, Kansas 4-H'ers go to foreign countries as IFYEs.

A simple way to bridge the gap is by the people-to-people project, available to all ages. Writing to pen pals in other countries can be a very good way to learn about other countries and is also an excellent way to let others know about us.

4-H projects give the youth the chance to bridge the gap of the known and the unknown. Any project a child would like to know more about or increase ability in can be handled with help from adult project leaders and county extension agents. 4-H members' knowledge is increased and they can share their experiences with others through talks and demonstrations. The Kansas 4-H program has more than 50 projects from which to chose. Some of these projects have several phases, which increases the selection.

As individual members or as a club, the 4-H idea can bridge the gap between individuals and community. 4-H works hand in hand with the church. 4-H'ers help with community projects. Most have a yearly community project; these range from cleaning up a littered area to singing Christmas carols at the Good Samaritan Home. The businessmen and interested

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### About this issue

"4-H Bridges the Gap," the theme for the cover of this June Kansas 4-H Journal, is the theme for Round-up early in June, and for this year of 4-H work.

In the center section of this issue, Kansas 4-H Foundation

expresses a special "Thank you" to many persons, organizations, and business firms who voluntarily support 4-H work. These good citizens help young 4-H'ers to bridge the gap between promise and fulfillment in their lives.



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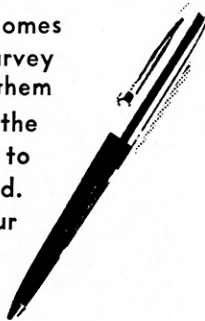
## 5 Winners Fly To Chicago

An all expense paid trip to the National Safety Congress in Chicago in October will go to 5 safety-minded 4-H members. The group will travel by plane from Kansas City and, while in Chicago, will be guests of many national organizations.

## A Safety Program for All 4-H Members

### SAFETY STARTERS

Select one or more homes and farms and make a survey of safety hazards. Tag them and make plans with the owner for a return visit to check them after corrected. Your leader will report your accomplishment and you will win one of these safety Ballpoint Pens.



### SAFETY SENIORS

Take an active part in club safety activities by assuming leadership on committees and assisting younger members with Surveys. Seniors are required to make Surveys also, but in addition make a plan of work and keep a record to show accomplishments. In addition to being eligible for a "Pen" award they may submit their records for consideration in awarding the education trip.

Every 4-H Club member, regardless of age, may participate and receive recognition in the different phases of this program. See your Extension for the necessary information.

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# Interest grows in dairy project

By Peggy Lohmeyer

Kansas State University Student

In Washington County it used to be that when it came time for the county fair everyone thought only of beef or swine. The dairy project and industry were in the background. Many times there were only a couple dairy animals at the fair.

Almost six years ago five prominent Washington County men formed a committee to help promote interest in the dairy project. The committee got together and drew up plans for a special dairy fund in Washington County.

Arnold Lohmeyer, Palmer, is chairman of the committee. "It was hoped this program would help more young people become interested and want to develop a high type and production herd," he said. The main reason for organizing the committee and fund was to provide an extra premium for the dairy projects as the beef and swine sale did for those projects.

The program drawn up by the committee consists of a list of 10 rules and requirements which must be met before the 4-H member can qualify for the extra premium. These 10 rules and requirements are:

1. The animal must be registered or high grade with positive identification.

2. The extra premium shall be \$5 for blue ribbon winners, \$4 for red, and \$3 for white each time this project or her offspring is shown at the fair. For example, if the project has been shown three years at the fair and placed in the blue ribbon group, it would receive \$15 extra premium above the fair premium, or if it won a white ribbon the extra premium would be \$9. After six years the extra premium will remain the same proportion as the sixth year.

3. Records on the project must be kept and ready for inspection.

4. Production records must be kept when the project comes into production.

5. The program shall be administered by a committee of five citizens sanctioned by the Fair Board and the Extension Council.

6. If the animal is registered it must be transferred to the name of the boy or girl carrying the project.

7. The project must be shown by the member if at all possible.

8. The program covers all five major dairy breeds.

9. The program will be discontinued when it fails to achieve its purpose, or due to lack of funds.

10. The committee has the authority to withhold the extra premium from any member they feel has not conducted the project in accordance with the purpose for which this program was intended.

Every year the committee entertains those with dairy projects at the fair at a noon luncheon. The Fair Board and some extension people are present to inform the 4-H'ers about the dairy industry. This makes the program educational as well as profitable for the members.

The committee sent details of the program they had drawn up to Washington County businessmen. Each businessman was asked to make a pledge of support to the Washington County 4-H Dairy Fund if they felt it was a fine program for young people.

The first letter sent to businessmen brought in \$275. That was enough to support the program in 1966 and 1967. In 1968 three firms contributed \$100. A second letter was sent out in 1969 and \$325.50 was mailed in. One hundred ten dollars was contributed by four firms in 1970. At fair time 1971, \$90 had been sent in by two firms.

"The program has been very effective since it started six years ago," said Lohmeyer. In 1965 there were only seven dairy entries at the Washington County Fair. All of these entries were heifer calves. Since then the number of dairy entries has increased considerably. There were 23 entries in 1968, 33 in 1970, and 40-45 in 1971.

The committee hoped 4-H'ers would start with a heifer calf and continue showing her along with her offspring as long as they were in 4-H. The beginning heifer and her progeny are considered as one entry for this program. Premiums grow each year, but only as long as the same projects are shown each year.

A 4-H'er receiving a blue rib-

bon his sixth year gets an extra premium of \$30. The \$30 does not include the extra premium received by the project's offspring. This can make the project very worthwhile for some 4-H'ers.

My brother, Stanton, is a very good example of this. He showed for his sixth year this year. He began showing in 1966 with Nellie, who has produced three heifer and two bull calves.

Nellie's first daughter, Boots, has given Stanton a heifer and a bull calf. Penny, Nellie's second daughter, gave birth to a heifer calf in March. Nellie's latest heifer arrived in August. Stanton's extra premium for Nellie will remain the same from now on, but it will continue to increase for her daughters up until the sixth year they are showed.

Stanton and I both started out with a registered Holstein heifer calf. Mom and Dad charged us \$200 each for the heifer and \$200 for raising and feeding them until they came into production. We keep very complete feed costs and production records at our farm. When the cows have produced enough profit above feed costs to pay off their \$400 investment, then the profits go into our college savings account. When the money the cows make and the fair premiums are added together some 4-H'ers deposit a sizeable amount in the bank.

According to Lohmeyer the committee feels the program has been very successful. The future for dairy projects at the Washington County Fair seems very bright.

## Trip for dairy winner

Good news for 4-H'ers enrolled in dairy—the state 4-H dairy winner in 1972 will receive a trip to National 4-H Congress in Chicago.

Sponsor is the Kansas City Division of Mid-America Dairy-men, Inc., Merle Eyestone, executive director of Kansas 4-H Foundation, announced recently. Eugene Marti is executive vice-president and general manager of the Kansas City Division of Mid-America Dairy-men.

## Parents' Night at 4-H

By Mrs. George Cramer,  
a Sherman County 4-H Parent

"Come on, Mom and Dad," said  
Cindy Jo —  
"It's off to the 4-H club we go!"

"Once a year it's the parents' show—  
Tonight is the night, so come on,  
let's go!"

"Hurry up, Dad," said sister Peg —  
"It's getting late, so shake a leg."

"Oh no," said Mom, "What a  
revelation —  
I just found out, I've a demonstration.

"Should I tell about cooking, or  
should I knit?  
Or how about if I just quit.

"Perhaps with my camera a picture  
I'll take —  
Or would it be better to bake a  
cake?"

"Hey, Mom," shouted Candy, "Why  
not show your pig?  
A number like that ought to go over  
big.

"Or how about a lamb that you could  
block —  
Our club doesn't know you're taking  
livestock."

The laughter that followed was a  
terrible roar,  
But by this time, Mom was getting  
sore.

"About all your laughter, now just  
cut it out  
Or I'll give a smack you won't laugh  
about."

"I didn't realize how soon this night  
would come 'round,"  
Moaned Mom to the kids as they  
drove into town.

The meeting got started. Ev'ry family  
was there.  
By now Mom was just about pulling  
her hair!

The program went swiftly; in fact,  
it went swell,  
And Mom sat there shaking, not  
feeling too well.

And now the time came. Mom was  
up on her feet  
With Dad and the kids pushing her  
out of her seat.

Mom took a deep breath and she  
smiled at the crowd  
And she started her talk, in a voice  
not too loud.

"I'll show my best project for my  
demonstration;  
I'm sure you'll agree it is quite a  
creation.

"I can't really say that my project  
work's done,  
But I can say my project brings me  
lots of fun.

"My project is here — it's my pride  
and my joy.  
I'm sure you all see it — three girls  
and a boy.

"There's Peggy and Cindy and Candy  
and Brad  
And to round out the gang is the guy  
we call 'Dad'."

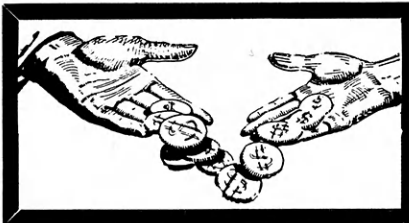
Mom finished her talk and sank down  
in her chair,  
But she got some applause from  
everyone there.

On the way home a voice Mom did  
hear  
Saying, "What do you reckon Mom  
will think of next year?"

"Next year," replied Mom, "when  
Parent's Night comes 'round  
You can be sure that I'll be out of  
town!"

### Correction

Shanna Gibson, pictured in  
May Kansas 4-H Journal at Mc-  
Pherson County 4-H Day, is not  
a member of New Frontiers 4-H  
Club as stated; she is a member  
of Cottonwood 4-H Club.



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# IDEAS \* & News

For its community project this year, the **Willing Workers 4-H Club of Morris County** has been working with the older people of White City. Members made and delivered valentines and May baskets. On 4-H Sunday, the 4-H'ers presented a special program for all senior citizens in the White City area. Reporter **Jeannine Comp** writes, "All the members agree that this project has proved worthwhile and rewarding by the happy smiles, thank-yous, and notes given by the senior citizens!"

Ten new members have boosted membership of the **Solomon Valley 4-H Club of Sheridan County** to 25. They got their 4-H career off to a successful start by attending the model meeting at County 4-H Day. Some participated, writes **Janet Karnes**, club reporter. The new members are **Melissia Niblock; Eilene, Joan and Linda Schieferecke; Rick and Steve Shipley; Mark Karnes; and Vicki, Alan, and Gregg Mills**. Community leaders are **Wayne and Lila Karnes**.

**Wildcat 4-H Club of Riley County** recently conducted a paper drive within the community. After several weeks of gathering and bundling newspapers, magazines, catalogues, and papers, more than a ton of paper was taken from the garage where it was stored and loaded on a pickup truck to be taken to a nearby town to be recycled. Members decided to continue the drive for a month or so, until several more loads can be collected. **Donise Flohr** is club reporter. (See picture below.)

He's too young to be a 4-H member, but not too young to help with the paper drive. **Kurt Anderson** is the son of **Dr. Neil Anderson**, a leader of **Wildcat 4-H Club, Riley County**.



## Leavenworth County steer weigh-in

By **Lori Hagenbuch**  
Leavenworth County Junior  
Leadership Club Reporter

The annual Leavenworth County steer weigh-in was held in March at the Leavenworth County Fairgrounds. 4-H'ers who are enrolled in the baby beef project are required to bring steers to this annual weigh-in to be eligible to sell their steers at the county fair auction.

With **Jack Smith**, county agricultural agent, and **Ralph Reçtor**, county 4-H agent, in charge of scales, calves were first weighed and then sent through a squeeze chute to be tattooed and tagged with a permanent identification number by 4-H leaders **Sandy Murphy** and **Frank Hagenbuch**. A total of 114 steers of all breeds were weighed and tagged.

The steers that are weighed at this weigh-in will be exhibited at the Leavenworth County Fair



**Frank Hagenbuch and Sandy Murphy** tagging and tattooing a Hereford steer.

"Signs of old age" was the roll call at **Walton 4-H Club Parents' Night**. For recreation, 4-H members and parents of the **Harvey County** club divided into groups and acted out favorite TV programs.

Winning recognition for their leadership and service were six seniors honored by **Kansas State University Collegiate 4-H Club**. Named as Honored Seniors are **David Todd, Topeka, and Trudy Kloefkorn, Caldwell**. Winning Honorable Mention are **Doug Stueve, Olpe; Susan Phillips, Valley Falls; Rita Stolz, Wichita; and Rick Norton from Nebraska**.



**Jack Smith, Leavenworth County agricultural agent, weighs a steer on portable scales.**

in August. The steers are weighed again at the fair. Rates of gain are then computed for the steers and a card is made for each exhibitor to wear in the show ring to aid the judge with statistics about the exhibitor's animal. The judge then places the live animals not only by outward appearance, but by rate of gain also.

After steers are sold at auction at the fair, they are shipped to the **Wiley Packing Company** where they are slaughtered. **K-State** meat specialists grade the carcasses and also hold a carcass evaluation meeting, where they explain to 4-H'ers and parents the grading system and why carcasses received the grade they did. This meeting is a great educational service to 4-H'ers and parents in Leavenworth County and the climax of a year's work in the baby beef project.

The **Barber County 4-H** team won the range judging contest for 4-H'ers at the international Land Pasture and Range Judging Contest at Oklahoma City. Team members **Warren Etheridge, Steve Thompson, Jeff Baier, and John Forrester**, alternate, were coached by **Ray Etheridge, Barber County** extension director.

The **Saline County Falun 4-H Club** team of **Charles Lindshield, Clair Oleen, and Mark Carlson** won the 4-H livestock judging contest at Fort Hays Branch Experiment Station. Two hundred sixty-six 4-H teams competed.





The Hoxie Go-Getters 4-H Club went trash hunting on the roads near Hoxie in Sheridan County, and found plenty to pick up. Items as varied as diapers, gloves, and a can of hash were found. John Campbell is reporter. This was one of the club's community projects.



Les Harrod

## New assistant director at Rock Springs Ranch

Assistant director of Rock Springs Ranch as of April 1 this year is a 23 year old who likes athletics and outdoor activities. He is Les Harrod, a December 1971 graduate of Kansas State Teachers College, Emporia, where he received a degree in business economics. He is a member of Phi Beta Lambda business fraternity.

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Les is a 1967 graduate of Yates Center High School.

His initial responsibilities at Rock Springs Ranch will center on co-ordinating program schedules conducted at the center.

### Bridge the gap —

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people in the community are thanked by 4-H'ers for their help and interest in 4-H projects and activities.

4-H is not all work; it is fun too. Individual and club work may take a lot of planning and require work to carry these plans out, but it is fun; fun to work together, fun to share the end results with others. In fact, it is hard to see where the work ends and the fun begins.

Anyone interested in becoming a part of this great organization should visit a club meeting, or talk to a 4-H'er, or talk to leaders, or call the county extension office.

Ask questions; we want you to! Younger members may begin their growth in 4-H club work at 7 years of age but they can join at any age through 19. As children grow in 4-H, they gain poise and experience in areas they are interested in, create friendships, and gain knowledge until they are able to reach high goals and standards they set for themselves. There are many types of awards, not just ribbons or pins or trophies, but the joy and satisfaction of a job well done. or just a smile or a compliment from a leader or parent.

4-H means a lot to me and I feel that 4-H has bridged the gap for my family in many of the ways listed above. I think every child should have the opportunity to be a member of this great educational organization.

# Kansas Ecology Conference

One of the most informative weeks of your summer may begin July 16, if you choose to attend the second state ecology conference at Rock Springs Ranch. The outdoor campus is a natural site for study of ecosystems in forest, grassland, and water.

The relationship of human population and environment, and environmental concerns, such as food, health, and pollution, are other areas of study.

In a special session, participants will prepare and present mock bills pertaining to areas of environmental concern.

The conference isn't all work and no play; time is provided to enjoy the variety of recreational facilities at Rock Springs Ranch.

Open to all young people from 14 to 19 years of age, the conference begins Sunday evening, July 16, and ends at 1 Friday afternoon, July 21. Cost is \$25.

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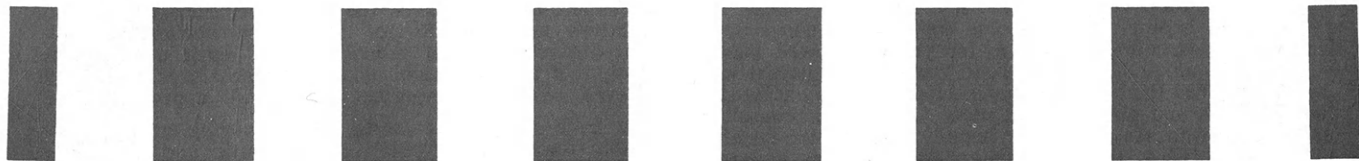
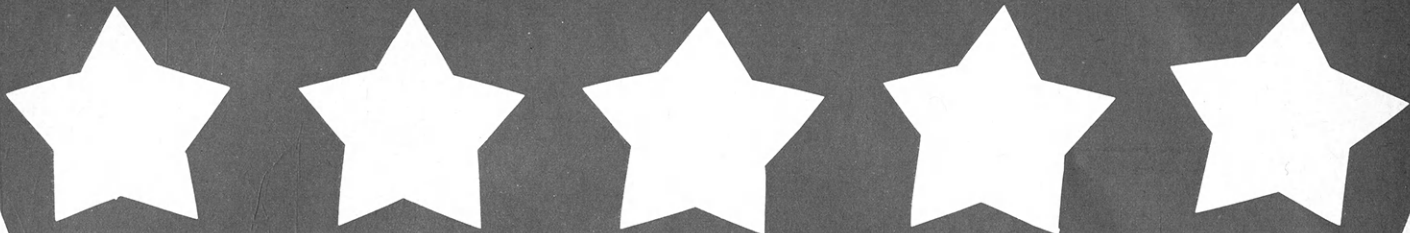
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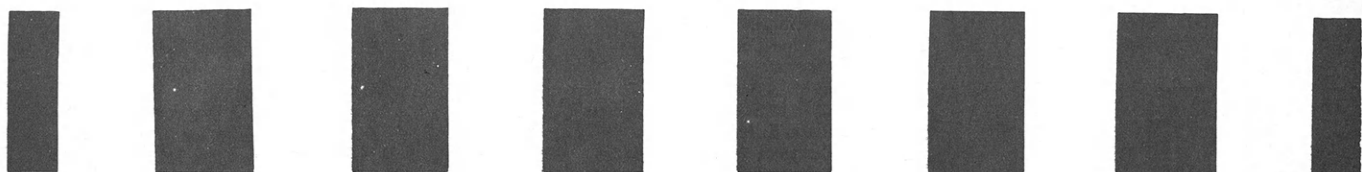
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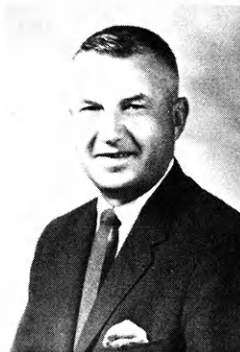
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# A message from Glenn M. Busset



Some of you will recognize my name as State 4-H Leader, and expect me to endorse support of Kansas State University's educational program for youth, the well known 4-H clubs. I do, and I also speak to you as a 4-H parent who has experienced the benefits of your support in the encouragement of boys and girls to enter more educational programs; as a parent who has a daughter happily enjoying the benefits of life in CLOVIA, the 4-H Scholarship House; as a parent who has seen a shy son develop and bloom within the encouragement of junior leadership; and as a 4-H project leader who proudly wears the silver fifth year clover, provided by a donor and supporter of 4-H work.

Every Extension agent knows that the clubs in his own county differ amazingly, so that at times it seems that the only thing they really have in common is the name, 4-H. This isn't quite true, but no matter where any of these young Kansans live or what their varied project experiences might be, it would be difficult to find one who has not benefited from help and encouragement originating outside the "green circle" of club and community. Whenever a 4-H member attends an achievement banquet; sells a calf at the county fair; receives a medal, ribbon or award; or goes to Ecology Conference or State 4-H Round-up, it is usually the result of someone's thoughtfulness and support.

Not many companies actually know the boy or girl who has benefited from the support they have paid for, but they do know the name, 4-H, and by their participation in the support of the program express confidence in its objectives and methods. There are two separate but closely interlocking benefits when a company or an individual makes resources available to 4-H:

1. Boys and girls know when they are being noticed, when they are being appreciated. The "watched pot" does boil. The horizon of adulthood that stretches far into the seemingly impossible distance is relieved by the familiar and friendly

figures of interested adults who have cared enough to provide incentives and rewards for those who accomplish. The great business concern cannot "notice" each member personally, but the pin, medal, trip, scholarship says, "You have achieved. You are important to us. We appreciate you."

2. In a world that seems to be moving young people steadily toward the hypnotic, the neurotic and the idiotic, deeply concerned people are looking for a stabilizing influence, a force for good, to which they can give support. When these people as individuals or as representatives of business, religious, civic, or educational concerns come to know and appreciate the objectives of 4-H work, they attempt to satisfy their social conscience by support of such work. There is a "good feeling" about supporting 4-H or any other youth serving group with high educational objectives.

Perhaps the greatest benefit of private support to 4-H is to add immensely to the depth and breadth of youth educational experiences. Trips, tours, scholarships, incentives, medals, awards, camps, and conferences offered and paid for by private support add enormously to the flexibility and attractiveness of the university's educational program for youth, the 4-H clubs. It is really this freedom of movement that has permitted 4-H to become more than just another idea and has made it into an organization that has captured the imagination of more than 25 million Americans and spread to more than 75 foreign countries.

It is a tremendous tribute to 4-H that so many philanthropic individuals and organizations are making financial contributions to further stimulate and develop the 4-H program. Those of us whose whole lives have been caught up in the impact of the 4-H idea are convinced there is no better investment in the world.

Glenn M. Busset  
State Leader, 4-H and Youth

## This honor roll of friends of 4-H is dedicated to the good citizens who have contributed to 4-H work in 1971

5 Allied Mills, Inc.  
6 Altman, H. C.  
6 American Dairy Assn, Kansas  
4 American Legion of Kansas  
11 Apel, Dale  
9 Appleby, Mr. & Mrs. Tom  
7 Area, Mr. & Mrs. Don  
  
9 Baker, Louis A.  
9 Barr, Mr. & Mrs. Bernard  
6 Bates, Mr. & Mrs. Kay  
5 Beninga, C. T.  
13 Bevelhimer, H. C.  
3 Bird, Byron G.  
17 Bly, Erna  
3 Booth, Arden  
3 Border, Mary Elsie  
7 Bowman Farm Implement Co.

9 Boyce, Mr. & Mrs. Hugh  
2 Braden, James D.  
10 Brown, Mr. & Mrs. Ralph E.  
4 Busset, Mr. & Mrs. Glenn  
4 Butler Rural Electric Co-op Assn.  
  
6 Carr, Francis E.  
1 Casebier, Mr. & Mrs. Louis J.  
3 Caspar, Charles, Sr.  
7 Central National Bank,  
Junction City  
5 Chapman, William  
21 Cities Service Company  
2 Citizens State Bank, Ellsworth  
3 Clark, E. Jean  
9 Clemence, Mr. & Mrs. Joe  
1 Coberly, Goldie  
1 Cole, Mr. & Mrs. Robert

6 Cole, Dr. Ward M.  
16 Contractors Supply Company  
5 Coursen, Lenora  
7 Cox, M. Lester  
17 Critser, W. Dale  
8 Darby, Harry  
7 Diacon, Dr. James L.  
2 Dies, Mr. & Mrs. Edgar  
1 Dubbs, Clara Louise  
  
5 Eli Bowen Insurance Agency  
7 Ervin Bros., Inc.  
10 Eyestone, Cecil  
11 Eyestone, Mr. & Mrs. Merle  
3 Fager, Mrs. Lawrence  
11 Farmland Industries, Inc.  
18 Federal Cartridge Corp.  
6 Federal Intermediate Credit Bank

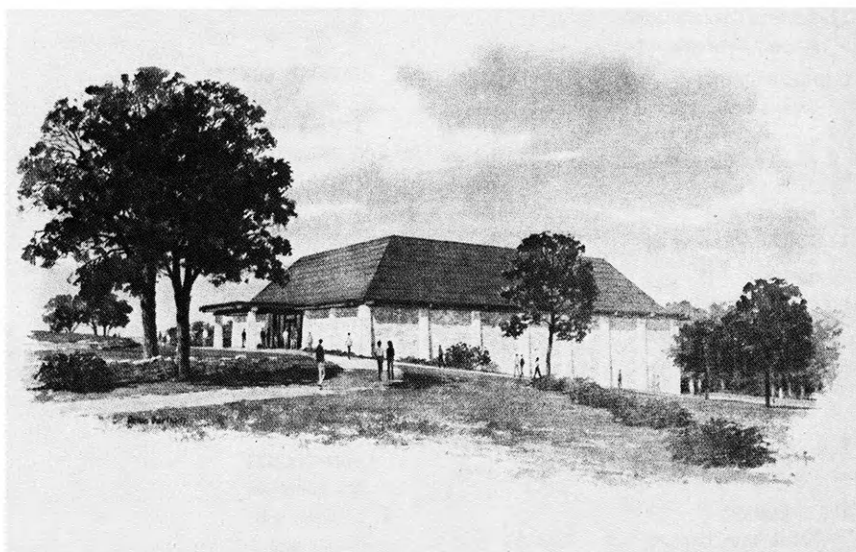


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 4 Fegan, T. B.  
 9 Felt, Esther L.  
 9 Felt, Sylvia S.  
 7 First National Bank, Junction City  
 1 Florence State Bank  
 18 Folger Coffee Company  
 4 Fourth National Bank, Wichita  
 16 Fox & Company, Elmer E.  
 1 Friesen, Mr. & Mrs. Samuel  
 4 Fry, Mr. & Mrs. Ralph A.  
 4 Frye, Raymond G.
- 13 Garten, Mr. & Mrs. Frank  
 12 Garvey Foundation  
 2 Gfeller, Mr. & Mrs. Harvey  
 6 Gollightley, Mrs. Ernest  
 10 Gugler, Donald P. & Evelyn  
 6 Gugler, M. C.  
 9 Gwin, Paul B.
- 7 Haines, Joe D.  
 11 Hamilton, Mrs. Dean  
 4 Harding, Clifford L.  
 2 Harris, Kent  
 1 Heiser, Harry  
 1 Henry, Mr. & Mrs. J. Leroy  
 1 Herkimer Co-op Bus. Assn.  
 4 Hesston Corporation  
 1 Hesston State Bank  
 17 Hicks, Mr. & Mrs. W. H.  
 18 Holstein Friesian Assn., Kansas  
 11 Hoover, Mr. & Mrs. Laurence J.  
 13 Houghton, James  
 5 Hubbard, C. R.  
 14 Huff, Ruth K.  
 3 Humboldt National Bank  
 8 Humphrey, Henry A.
- 11 Ives, H. M. & Sons
- 18 Jellison, A. D.  
 1 Jenista, Harry & Edith  
 2 Jensen, Mabel  
 17 Johnson, Mr. & Mrs. J. Harold  
 12 Jones, Mr. & Mrs. Eugene  
 6 Junction City Daily Union  
 1 Junction City Lions Club
- 4 K. T. Wiedemann Foundation  
 3 Kansas Arabian Horse Club  
 18 Kansas Ayrshire Breeders Assn.  
 18 Kansas Bankers Association  
 16 Kansas Brown Swiss Breeders Assn.  
 8 Kansas Electric Co-ops  
 19 Kansas Electric Power Suppliers  
 16 Kansas Farm Bureau & Insurance Services  
 11 Kansas Guernsey Breeders Association
- 14 Kansas Jersey Cattle Club  
 13 Kansas Milking Shorthorn Society  
 18 Kansas Power & Light Company  
 2 Kansas Saddle Horse Association  
 3 Keas, Mr. & Mrs. John C.  
 6 Killian, Howard S.  
 12 Kirkwood, Frances  
 9 Kleymann, Mr. & Mrs. Fred
- 6 Laing, Verne M.
- 1 Martin Tractor Co.  
 11 Matney, Peggy Zweifel  
 9 McClelland Sound Equipment Co.  
 6 McClung, Irvin A. Family  
 5 McGinness, Kenneth E.  
 3 Mickey, Vernon  
 7 Mid-Continent Elevators  
 3 Miller, Mr. & Mrs. Don  
 7 Mohn Implement Company  
 4 Morgan, Fred  
 3 Morgan, Mr. & Mrs. L. D.  
 7 Morrison Grain Elevator  
 3 Mull, Mr. & Mrs. Keith  
 7 Munson, Gaylord R.  
 7 Munson, Ralph C.
- 1 Nelson Poultry Farm Inc.  
 5 Nixon, Mr. & Mrs. Robert S.  
 7 Norby, Oscar W.
- 12 Orsborn, Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence J.  
 1 Osborne, R. R.  
 6 Overstreet, Charles  
 7 Packard, Bryan  
 1 Poole, Grant C.  
 20 Powers, George B.  
 9 Presnal, Glade C.  
 8 Presnal, Mr. & Mrs. Ross  
 4 Price, Dr. P. G.  
 3 Pucket, Dale W.
- 18 Quinlan, L. R.
- 10 Regnier, Mr. & Mrs. Roger  
 4 Riley, Mr. & Mrs. Wm. M. Jr.  
 5 Rogers, Irene  
 7 Rolfs, E. W.  
 2 Rowland, Virginia Sourk  
 6 Ruhnke, Mr. & Mrs. John H.  
 5 Rusk, Mr. & Mrs. Ralph  
 13 Russell, Mr. & Mrs. M. L.  
 2 Ryan, James J.
- 18 Safeway Stores, Inc.  
 10 Samuelson, Mr. & Mrs. Armin  
 2 Schuler, Mr. & Mrs. Andrew J.  
 18 Sears-Roebuck Foundation  
 7 Security State Bank, Wellington  
 1 Shaw, Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence  
 8 Shawver, E. B.  
 15 Simons, Dolph  
 5 Simpson, Mr. & Mrs. Roderick H.  
 7 Slaten, Mr. & Mrs. J. M.  
 1 Smith, Irma I.  
 4 Smith, Mabel R.  
 2 Sourk, Ed  
 8 Sourk, Mrs. Ward  
 12 Southwestern Bell Telephone Co.  
 11 Springlake Stock Farm  
 2 Stark-Bruce Depot  
 2 Stephens, Mary Lee Sourk  
 10 Strickler, Mr. & Mrs. Ivan & Sons  
 1 Sullivan, Mrs. R. J.
- 6 Taylor, Ethel  
 8 Teagarden, Mr. & Mrs. E. H.  
 3 Tennant, Marjorie Ann  
 4 Thompson-Hayward Chemical Co.  
 5 Turnbull, Mr. & Mrs. J. K.
- 10 Vanskike, Mrs. Harry  
 11 Veatch, N. T.
- 13 Walker, Mr. & Mrs. Howard R.  
 6 Wallace, Mr. & Mrs. Dwane  
 1 Walton, Mrs. Keith C.  
 5 Welco Aerospace Corp.  
 4 Wellington Daily News  
 1 Werner, Wilda  
 7 Weside All Star Dairy  
 1 Westover, Roy  
 7 West's IGA  
 8 Wichita Bank for Cooperatives  
 6 Wm. Carpenter 4-H Foundation  
 1 Wilson, Don  
 2 Wolfenbarger & McCulley, Architects  
 16 Woolworth Company, F. W.  
 11 Wright, Mrs. Chester  
 6 Wyckoff, Mr. & Mrs. Maurice Jr.
- 9 Yingling Chevrolet Motor Co.
- 11 Zweifel, Barbara  
 13 Zweifel, Bernice  
 13 Zweigel, Robert  
 11 Zweifel, Robert Jr.

Another group of Friends of 4-H are those who have contributed to the construction of the Citizenship Building at Rock Springs Ranch. If this list were included here, it would contain more than 8,100 names!

The names of these investors in training for good citizenship will be permanently recorded in a Book of Honored Donors in the building.

Construction is nearing completion, with dedication planned for late September or early October. An 11-member committee headed by former U. S. District Judge Arthur Stanley is already at work planning programs and exhibits.



# Extension home economics and 4-H —

Many Kansas 4-H clubs and extension homemaking units regularly contribute to 4-H work by sending a donation to Kansas 4-H Foundation. Those who contributed in 1971 are listed here as more friends of 4-H.

- BARBER COUNTY**  
2 B-Square 4-H  
6 Stateline 4-H
- BARTON COUNTY**  
4 Hoisington Harmonizers 4-H  
3 Logan E.H.U.  
1 Modernettes E.H.U.
- BROWN COUNTY**  
1 Mt. Zion Rustlers 4-H
- BUTLER COUNTY**  
13 Hickory Helpers 4-H  
2 Lily Lake 4-H  
2 The North Butler 4-H  
9 Towanda Rustlers 4-H
- CHEROKEE COUNTY**  
3 Sheridan 4-H
- CLAY COUNTY**  
6 Industry Hustlers 4-H
- CLOUD COUNTY**  
1 Buffalo Valley EHU  
3 Hopewell Corners 4-H  
5 Jolly Jayhawk 4-H  
3 Miltonvale Hustlers 4-H  
4 Solomon Valley 4-H
- COFFEY COUNTY**  
7 Stringtown Bombers 4-H
- COWLEY COUNTY**  
3 Floral 4-H  
3 I.X.L. 4-H  
5 Polo 4-H  
5 Udall 4-H
- DICKINSON COUNTY**  
2 Carry Creek Rustlers 4-H  
2 Holland Sunflowers 4-H  
5 Jolly Jayhawkers 4-H
- DONIPHAN COUNTY**  
1 Bendena Community 4-H  
1 Midway Meadowlark 4-H
- DOUGLAS COUNTY**  
2 Clinton EHU  
10 Cottonwood 4-H  
3 Four Leaf Clover 4-H  
5 Jayhawk 4-H  
13 Kanwaka 4-H  
11 Stull Busy Beavers 4H  
4 Sunflower 4-H
- EDWARDS COUNTY**  
1 Beautiful Prairie EHU  
9 Better Homes EHU  
9 Sunflower 4-H  
7 Trousdale EHU
- ELK COUNTY**  
1 Paw-Paw Lucky Clovers 4-H
- ELLIS COUNTY**  
9 Saline River Satellites 4-H
- FORD COUNTY**  
2 BBB Unit  
6 D.I.Y. Juniors 4-H  
2 Ford County Council  
4 Happy Hour EHU  
3 Harmony EHU  
6 Wilroads Gardens 4-H
- FRANKLIN COUNTY**  
11 Pottawatomie Valley 4-H
- GEARY COUNTY**  
3 Grandview 4-H Club
- GOVE COUNTY**  
5 Hackberry 4-H
- GRAHAM COUNTY**  
3 Penokee 4-H  
3 Prairie Wildcats 4-H
- GRAY COUNTY**  
4 Charleston Astronauts 4-H
- GREELEY COUNTY**  
6 Go-Getters 4-H  
6 Golden Opportunities 4-H  
4 Straight Ahead Strivers 4-H  
7 Thrifty Thrivers 4-H
- HARPER COUNTY**  
3 Harper County 4-H Council
- HARVEY COUNTY**  
2 Halstead Go-Getters 4-H
- HASKELL COUNTY**  
4 Colusa Go-Getters 4-H
- JACKSON COUNTY**  
6 Mayetta Mustangs 4-H
- JEFFERSON COUNTY**  
11 Rock Creek Boosters 4-H
- JEWELL COUNTY**  
8 Formoso Willing Workers 4-H
- JOHNSON COUNTY**  
2 Greenwood Meadow Lark 4-H  
6 Little Cedar Junior 4-H  
6 Little Cedar Senior 4-H  
6 Oxford Hustlers 4-H  
2 Pawnee Pioneer 4-H  
9 Sharon 4-H  
5 Sunnyside 4-H  
10 Zion Zippers 4-H
- KINGMAN COUNTY**  
7 Belmont 4-H  
1 Hawk 4-H  
5 Zenda Zoomers 4-H
- LABETTE COUNTY**  
5 Leib 4-H
- LEAVENWORTH COUNTY**  
2 Fairmount 4-H  
4 Glenwood 4-H  
4 Lucky Clover 4-H
- LINN COUNTY**  
1 Big Bow 4-H
- LYON COUNTY**  
5 Admire 4-H  
5 Rinker 4-H  
8 Sunflower 4-H
- McPHERSON COUNTY**  
11 Better Farms 4-H  
10 Good Luck 4-H  
4 Lindsborg Golden '60 4-H  
10 Livewire 4-H
- MARION COUNTY**  
12 Happy Hustlers 4-H  
1 Mari-Makers EHU  
10 Peabody Hustlers 4-H
- MARSHALL COUNTY**  
6 Richland Center 4-H  
2 Waterville Busy Beavers 4-H
- MIAMI COUNTY**  
3 Mound Builders 4-H
- MITCHELL COUNTY**  
2 Waconda Winners 4-H
- MONTGOMERY COUNTY**  
4 Banks Ever Ready EHU  
1 Coe Workers EHU  
1 Drum Creek EHU  
4 Elk River Homemakers EHU  
1 Gingham Aprons EHU  
2 Pleasant Hill EHU  
1 Pollyanna Pals EHU  
2 River Rangers EHU  
4 Sycamore Valley EHU  
4 Wayside EHU
- MORRIS COUNTY**  
4 Willing Workers 4-H
- MORTON COUNTY**  
5 Richfield Best Yet 4-H
- NEMAHA COUNTY**  
2 Lakeshore 4-H  
8 Nemaha County 4-H Council  
4 Rustlers 4-H
- NESS COUNTY**  
1 Pawnee Valley 4-H  
1 Tri Circle EHU  
4 Triple H EHU
- NORTON COUNTY**  
8 Busy Beavers 4-H  
7 Four-Square 4-H  
7 Good Hope Boosters 4-H
- OSAGE COUNTY**  
17 Carbondale Rustlers 4-H  
4 Melvern Jr. Highlines 4-H  
2 North Osage 4-H
- OSBORNE COUNTY**  
2 Coronado EHU  
3 Cosmopolitan EHU  
1 Covert EHU  
1 Jolly Janes EHU  
3 Modern Mrs. EHU  
5 Penn 4-H  
5 Solomon Valley 4-H  
1 Sumner EHU  
3 Utopia EHU
- OTTAWA COUNTY**  
7 Culver Livewires 4-H  
2 Pleasant Valley 4-H
- PHILLIPS COUNTY**  
11 Deer Creek 4-H

**POTTAWATOMIE COUNTY**

- 3 Emmett Hustlers 4-H
- 1 Jayhawkers 4-H
- 6 Onaga EHU
- 5 Pottawatomie Co. Home Ec. Adv. Comm.
- 5 Rock Creek EHU

**PRATT COUNTY**

- 5 Ashton Busy Bees 4-H
- 3 Glendale Reapers 4-H
- 8 Golden Valley 4-H
- 2 Lincoln Climbers 4-H
- 5 Preston 4-H
- 9 Richland Rustlers 4-H
- 4 Sawyer Hustlers 4-H
- 2 Southwest 4-H

**RICE COUNTY**

- 1 Chase We Willing Workers 4-H
- 12 Fairplay 4-H
- 2 Midland Lucky Clovers 4-H
- 5 Mighty Mitchell 4-H
- 12 Valley Bluebirds 4-H

**RILEY COUNTY**

- 2 Ashland Boosters 4-H
- 3 Be Busy 4-H
- 5 Bonfire 4-H
- 3 Cloverleaf 4-H
- 5 College Hill 4-H
- 4 Happy Go Lucky 4-H
- 3 Jolly 18 4-H
- 4 Kaw Valley 4-H
- 3 Lee Hilltoppers 4-H
- 3 Leonardville Hustlers 4-H
- 1 Merry Mixers EHU
- 3 Pillsbury 4-H
- 3 Randolph Ramblers 4-H
- 1 Riley Co. 4-H Clubs
- 5 Strong 4-H
- 3 Wildcat 4-H
- 7 Zeandale 4-H

**ROOKS COUNTY**

- 14 4-W 4-H
- 8 Rooks County 4-H Council
- 13 Star 4-H

**RUSH COUNTY**

- 3 Rush Co. 4-H Foundation Comm.
- 5 Timken Roller Bearings 4-H

**RUSSELL COUNTY**

- 3 Lone Star 4-H
- 4 Paradise Dell 4-H

**SALINE COUNTY**

- 4 Sasnak 4-H
- 14 Willing Workers 4-H

**SCOTT COUNTY**

- 7 Go-Getter 4-H
- 7 Lake-Wide-Awake 4-H
- 7 Lucky Clover 4-H
- 7 Manning Jayhawker 4-H
- 7 Pence Busy Beaver - 4-H
- 7 Town & Country 4-H

**SEDGWICK COUNTY**

- 4 Colwich 4-H
- 10 Derby 4-H
- 14 Kechi 4-H
- 8 Mt. Hope 4-H
- 10 Rolling Hills 4-H
- 7 Sedgwick Co. 4-H Clubs
- 6 Valley Victors 4-H

**SHAWNEE COUNTY**

- 3 Auburn 4-H
- 2 Harmony Hustlers 4-H
- 11 Highlander 4-H
- 6 Indian Creek 4-H
- 13 Riverside 4-H
- 15 Rochester Heights 4-H
- 14 Shunga Valley 4-H
- 7 Wakarusa Valley 4-H
- 11 Wanamaker 4-H

**SHERIDAN COUNTY**

- 7 Hi-Plains 4-H

**SHERMAN COUNTY**

- 10 Beaver Valley 4-H
- 13 Glendale Livewires 4-H
- 4 Goodland Go-Getters 4-H
- 4 Jolly Workers 4-H
- 8 Ruleton Eager Beavers 4-H
- 1 State Line Telstars 4-H

**SMITH COUNTY**

- 4 Solomon Valley 4-H

**STANTON COUNTY**

- 10 Big Bow 4-H
- 4 Go-Getters 4-H

**STEVENS COUNTY**

- 6 Jolly Jayhawks 4-H
- 7 Mapleleaf Rustlers 4-H

**SUMNER COUNTY**

- 8 Cardinal 4-H
- 2 Cicero Builders EHU
- 12 Perth 4-H
- 13 20th Malaby Pushers 4-H

**TREGO COUNTY**

- 5 Ogallah 4-H
- 5 South Downer 4-H

**WABAUNSEE COUNTY**

- 6 Friendly Farmers 4-H
- 4 Maple Hill Hustlers 4-H
- 1 Wabaunsee 4-H

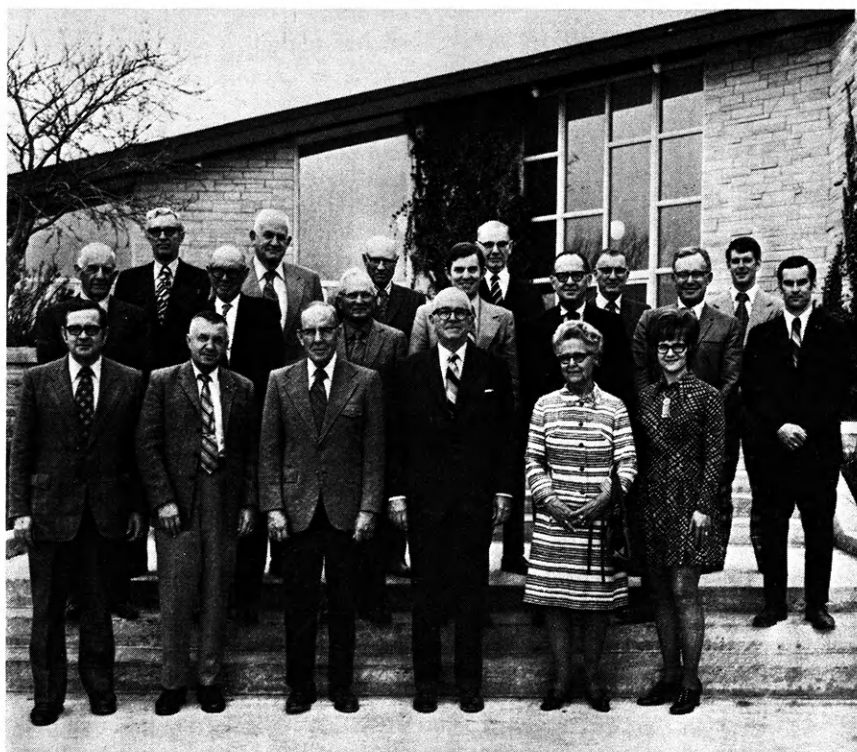
**WASHINGTON COUNTY**

- 4 Greenleaf 4-H
- 2 Joy Creek 4-H

**WYANDOTTE COUNTY**

- 6 Brauer Beavers 4-H
- 10 Hazel Grove 4-H
- 15 Horanif Hustlers 4-H
- 5 Welborn 4-H

Note: The figures preceding the name indicates the number of years of support since the Kansas 4-H Foundation Membership and Share Recognition Plan was started in 1954. Please call omissions to our attention.



The Kansas 4-H Foundation Board of Trustees and the Citizenship Center Committee met recently at Rock Springs Ranch. Pictured are members of these groups and persons on the Kansas 4-H Foundation staff. In the front row, left to right, are Merle Eyestone, Glenn Busset, Roger Regnier, Dolph Simons, Mrs. Olive Garvey, and Mrs. Carol Wagner; second row, Frank Carlson, Jerry Moxley, W. Dale Critser, Robert Brock, Ross Beach, Robert Bohannon, and Bill Riley; back row, Tom Potter, Ray Frisbie, N. T. Veatch, Judge Arthur Stanley, J. Harold Johnson, and Les Harrod.

Members of the Board of Trustees not pictured are Bal Jeffrey, George B. Powers, and E. B. Shawver.



# Memorials also serve youth

Memorials to honor the memory of loved ones and friends and to express respect and affection for living persons have been established with the Kansas 4-H Foundation. These tributes take a variety of forms, such as scholarships, leadership training, trees in the Tree Walk, and facilities at Rock Springs Ranch.

For example, long needed additions to the recreation slab at Rock Springs Ranch will become a reality when the Emil Claassen Memorial will be dedicated this summer in the name of "Claassen Courts." The memorial is made possible by Mrs. Emil Claassen of Harvey County and her daughters, Mrs. Judy Busenitz, Mrs. Beverly Hunter, and Mrs. Joan Wulf.

Improvements for the recreation area will include basketball goals, tennis court standards, lights, storage shed, drinking fountain, sports equipment, a public address system, and fencing of the area.

Dedication is planned during the annual Harvey, Butler, Cowley, Greenwood, and Reno County camp.

**FOR SHORTY BLOCK—**  
Don A. Johnson

**FOR EMIL CLAASSEN—**  
Mrs. Millicent Claassen  
Mrs. Judy Busenitz  
Mrs. Beverly Hunter  
Mrs. Joan Wulf

**FOR MRS. FRANK CRASE—**  
Master Farmers

**FOR HERMAN COTT—**  
Mrs. Herman Cott  
Industry Hustlers 4-H Club, Clay Co.

**FOR HENRY J. & GLADYS DAVENPORT—**  
Coffman, Jones & Hederstedt

**FOR LINDA HENRY—**  
Stull Busy Beavers 4-H Club, Douglas County

**FOR VIRGINIA NUNEMAKER—**  
Arden Booth  
Jayhawk 4-H Club, Douglas County

**FOR MR. & MRS. HENRY L. REIBER—**  
Jolly Jayhawks 4-H Club, Cloud County  
Miltonvale Hustlers 4-H Club, Cloud County

**FOR HAZEL ROTH—**  
Ellsworth County Home Ec. Advisory Council

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Dolph Simons Family  
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Mildred E. Tinker  
Mr. & Mrs. Eugene Van Vranken  
Mr. & Mrs. Richard Wagstaff  
Mr. & Mrs. John Wassmer  
Ethel H. Whitenight  
The Charles Williamson Family  
Mr. & Mrs. Robert S. Wise  
Robert Womack

**TRIBUTES IN THE TREE WALK**  
**FOR VERA LOU BARNEY &**  
**CARL HUGH STOLL**  
MRB Happy-Go-Lucky 4-H Club, Woodson Co.

**FOR ERNA BLY**  
State 4-H Staff

**FOR ROBERT J. CROCKETT**  
Mr. & Mrs. Edgar Crockett

**FOR IDA COOK FREELAND**  
Charles E. Hamon

**FOR MR. & MRS. H. PHILLIPS**  
J. Harold Johnson

**FOR MARY RUTH VANSKIKE WORKS**  
Mrs. Harry Vanskike

**FOR THE TREE WALK—**  
B.P.W. (Manhattan & Junction City)  
Loyal Hustlers 4-H Club, Comanche Co.

The Kansas 4-H Foundation, a non-profit educational corporation, was established to make it possible for all citizens and organizations to share in furthering the 4-H program of the Kansas Cooperative Extension Service. The Foundation is dedicated to getting the highest return from each and every donor's investment in our State's number one resource—its youth.

# National support to 4-H

Outstanding support is being given nationally by public spirited business firms, organizations, and individuals. Many 4-H clubs and 4-H alumni of Kansas are helping finance expansion of the National 4-H Center in Washington, D. C. This is a project of the **National 4-H Club Foundation** which gives tremendous service to the 4-H program. Nearly \$12,000 has been contributed by Kansas 4-H clubs and individuals the past three years. Some \$16,000 is needed in 1972 to complete Kansas' pledge to the National 4-H Center expansion program.

Service to 4-H is also a major objective of the **National 4-H Service Committee** of Chicago. This nonprofit, educational corporation enlists the sup-

port of American business, foundations and individuals in behalf of youth, who seek educational challenges and opportunities through the 4-H program. The Committee's program is carried out at the request of the Cooperative Extension Service of the U. S. Department of Agriculture and the State Land-Grant Universities.

During its 50 years of assistance to 4-H (since 1921) the National Committee has served as a liaison organization between the Extension Service and America's private sector. It has channeled the generous financial and technical contributions of donors into exciting, innovative programs designed to develop and improve the leadership-citizenship potential of young people.

Listed below are the 1971 national donors, together with the year cooperation was begun.

Allied Mills Foundation, 1969  
 Amchem Products, Inc., 1967  
 American Oil Foundation, 1945  
 Carnation Company, 1948  
 Chevron Chemical Company, 1957  
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 Santa Fe Railway System, 1923  
 Sears-Roebuck Foundation, 1942  
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 Standard Brands, Inc., 1952  
 Sunbeam Corporation, 1960  
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- 4 American Legion Department of Kansas
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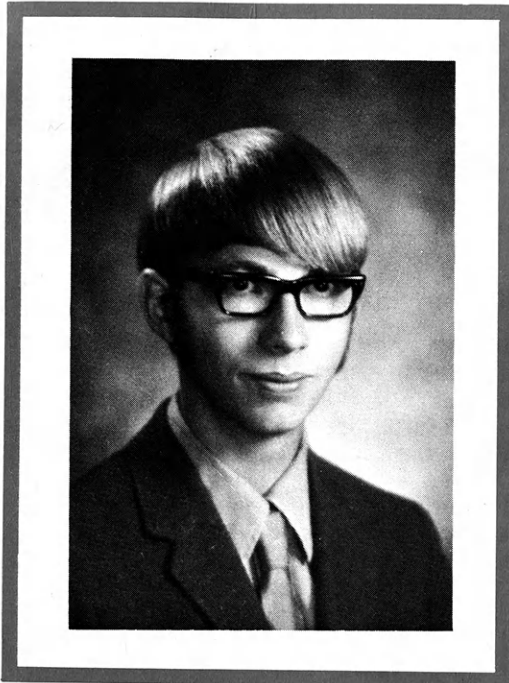
Kansans recognized as winners at the golden anniversary of National 4-H Congress are, back row, left to right, Bill McDaniel, Salina; Steve Schuler, Chapman; William Bradley, Lawrence; Andy Schuler, Chapman; Kenneth Kellogg, Phillipsburg; and Jack Sullivan, Parsons; front row, left to right, LaRita Croucher, Westphalia; Donna Jean Maness, Lawrence; Marjorie Barber, Anthony; and Susan Heitman, Clearwater.

# *Good citizenship is working to maintain and preserve our freedom, while protecting the rights of all people.*

By Donald Olson

Riley County

A 1971 State Winner in Citizenship



I feel that citizenship is one of the most vital but neglected facets of our American way of life. We seem to be rapidly becoming a nation populated by individuals whose prime concern is for themselves alone. Much of the lawlessness which is so prevalent today comes from selfish desires of people. These biased individuals rarely show concern for those persons whose opinions differ from their own. Good citizenship is working to maintain and preserve our freedom, while protecting the rights of all people.

Freedom is the most precious thing anyone can ever possess. Anything that can be named as having value is quite worthless if one lacks the freedom to use and enjoy it. Too much, and too often, we are taking our freedom for granted, living only for the present. Rarely do we consider the men who fought and died so that we could keep our freedom.

These men were preserving our future as well as their present, so that we, their descendants, would be free.

America is the melting pot of the world. Each nation and race has made contributions toward making America what it is, was, and could be. They have all had a part in creating America's life style. It is good if certain groups have and retain certain unique individualities. However, no race or ethnic group should have more privileges than any other. The rights, benefits, and penalties should be equal for all.

Good citizenship is a responsibility that should be practiced every day of the year. Realistically, this isn't the easiest thing to do. Everyone's basic instinct is to work for his own good not toward the good of all the people. Human nature is basically selfish. As we grow in compassion, we mature in understanding.

Our system is so set up that if something is brought up against the will of the people, we, the people, have the right to bring about change. This is rule "of the people, by the people, and for the people." No one is too great or too small, rich or poor, educated or illiterate. Everyone in a democracy is important. When all of the people work together toward a common end, they all benefit. I feel our citizenship is best exemplified by this famous quote: "United we stand, divided we fall."



# Olympic trials next for former 4-H'er

By Teri Anderson

Editor's note: When the Olympic trials come in June at Frederick, Maryland, a former Kansas 4-H member, Teri Anderson from Leonardville in Riley County, will be there taking part.

Since this article was written, Teri set both a meet and personal record in the 880 at the Texas Southern University meet in 2:14.6, and shortened her time at the Kansas University Relays where she placed third in the 880 in 2:10.7.

Then at the Drake Relays she ran the mile in 4:41.6, a Drake record. This is the fourth fastest mile ever recorded by an American woman.

Teri was a 1970 national award winner in the 4-H safety project; you may have read her article about safety in the November 1971 Kansas 4-H Journal. Now the young freshman at Kansas State University shares her philosophy and experiences with Journal readers, as at our request she tells how she became a track star.

Don't feel sorry for me. In the 880 yard dash last summer at the National Junior Olympics it seemed that I was gaining on the front runner. As we were 20 yards in front of the others with five yards to go I thought I was a definite second place winner if not the winner. Then I fell! That was my last chance to win, as this year I am too old to run in the Junior Olympics Program.

Cry — sure I cried. I had wanted to win and I blew it. Why not quit? What's the use? But something told me that I couldn't stop. I must go on and try again. I had had a dream . . .

This wasn't my first disappointment either. But then track didn't bring only disappointments.

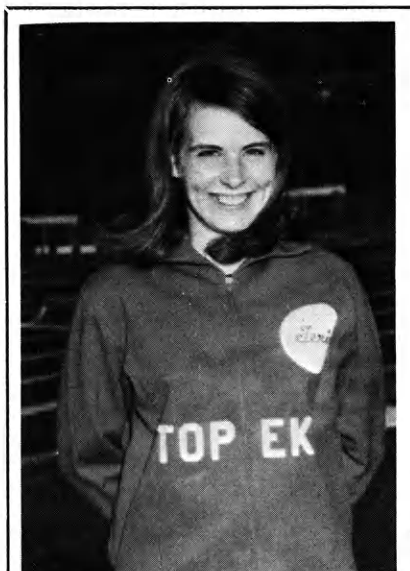
It all started when I was a freshman at Riley County High School. My physical education teacher, James Koftan, thought I had ability, and I became one of the runners in the summer track program of the Riley County Track Club, coached by Vincent Alstatt. By the end of the summer I was jogging a couple miles a day and I entered my first half-mile race and won

it. From then on I was sold on the half-mile.

When the next summer came, with increased dedication I ran almost four miles a day. This brought an improvement of 22 seconds in the half-mile. Those 22 seconds brought me the Kansas Junior Olympic half-mile record and several victories. Dr. John Davis Jr. of the famous Topeka Cosmo Track Club noticed me and thought I could maybe help fill out his cross-country team for that coming season.

After placing ninth in my first meet and second on the team, I decided that I liked running two miles and was **not** JUST going to fill out his team. The next meet was at Wahoo, Nebraska, and I not only ran first for our team but won the meet too. Since then I have not been beaten by anyone on my team or from Kansas in the 880 or over.

At first I ran just to improve my own records. Then I went on to break the club and then state, district, and finally national records.



Teri Anderson

For a little girl who had hardly been out of Kansas, it was like dreams come true to receive invitations to run representing the Topeka Cosmopolitan Club all over Kansas and in Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, Illinois, Iowa, Colorado, Ohio, Tennessee and Arkansas. One

of the biggest thrills was being named Most Outstanding Female Track Athlete of the Missouri Valley AAU of 1970 when Ken Swenson received the most Outstanding Male Track Athlete award.

This year has taken me to Kansas State University and I've received additional outstanding coaching from the track staff there. Coaches Lon Floyd and DeLoss Dodds have given me the most help. With their help I won four straight cross-country meets and went to the Women's National Cross-country Meet at Cleveland, Ohio. My practices have changed over the years and now I run from 14 to 22 miles daily as routine.

What have I learned from all this? It is better to try and to fail than not to try at all. The person who never tries never accomplishes anything. The person who earnestly tries may fail many times. But in the end he will succeed in accomplishing something, even if it is no more than strengthening his own character. It is better to aim high even if we miss by a little than to focus our sights too low. So as I'm preparing for the Olympic trials, I know I may fail but I've already gone farther than thought imaginable "for that little Anderson girl." The dream I had, told me I would have many failures but would succeed in the end, reminding me that each person has an individual personality with his own unique talents to be developed for God's glory.

This reminds me of a woman's dream which, she said, dominated her life and turned all bitter channels of life into sweetness. She dreamed that she beheld a narrow, steep, rugged, hemmed-in canyon. It led always uphill and was carpeted thick with Scotch thistles and the needles of the thorn tree. A voice full of imperativeness said to her, "This is your way of life. Walk in it." She cowered and shrank and refused.

She said, "No human feet could tread those thistles and not bleed. No human strength can always climb a rugged

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## IDEAS \* & News

At a countywide meeting in Seward County, Nick Wells of the Eager Beavers 4-H Club presented slides and told about his trip to 4-H Congress in Chicago as state 4-H livestock winner. The meeting was in honor of county extension staff members Joe Van Cleve, Nancy Bowman, and Darrell Bilke. Mrs. Bowman is moving to Arizona, and Mr. Van Cleve and Mr. Bilke are employed by Farm and Ranch Real Estate and by People's National Bank, respectively. Gifts of appreciation were presented to them for their work with the 4-H'ers of Seward County.

Steve Nix, president of Seward County 4-H Council, introduced the new extension agents and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kivett and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Snapp. Paula Roth is council reporter.

Leon Patton, Riverton, a sophomore in pre-law, will be president of the Kansas State University Collegiate 4-H Club during the fall 1972 semester. Other recently-elected officers will be vice-president, John Reynolds, Paradise; secretary, Pixie Pickrel, Overland Park; treasurer, Janet Kidwell, Enterprise; reporter, David Carnahan, Wamego; marshal, Chris Schmidt, Oberlin; agricultural council representative, Brent Larson, Mabel, Minnesota; song leader, Cathy Carswell, Alton; recreation leaders, Bill McDaniel, Salina, and Lila Gattson, Bunker.

Host and hostess will be Jim Miles, Burlingame, and Trudy Macy, Oberlin. Corresponding secretaries will be Deanna Underhill, Ulysses; Charlene Kendall, Topeka; Carol Carswell, Alton; Linda Carnahan, Altamont; Vernon Waldren, Tribune; and Kenneth Kellogg, Phillipsburg. Cecil Eyestone, extension 4-H and youth specialist, is club adviser.

Members of Sasnak 4-H Club, Saline County, worked with the Salina Fire Department in putting up a window display in a local bank building for Salina Clean-up Week. The display showed a doll-sized home partially gutted by fire.

Members also recorded public service announcements telling the public about Clean-up Week. These were used by KSAL radio. Kim Glasgow is safety chairman.

Junior officers presided and parents gave the program at a meeting of the Sunset 4-H Club in Seward County. Gene Schartz is junior president. Dianne Harvey is club reporter.

*This tribute to J. Harold Johnson, retired executive director of the Kansas 4-H Foundation, was written by Mrs. Nathan Carroll of Ransom. It was read at a reception for Mr. Johnson in Manhattan, April 30. Mr. and Mrs. Carroll are long-time members of the Trego County Farm Bureau.*

## J. Harold We Salute You

Johnson is a common name  
To that we will attest.  
But put J. Harold before it  
And it excels the rest.

"What's in a name?" you ask of me,  
And my answer to you all  
Is, "Service to others thru the years,"  
And J. Harold stands ten feet tall.

My thoughts go back some years ago.  
When I first met this man.  
'Twas at an Extension dinner one day  
In the old Hotel Wareham.

We sat across the table  
And we bid the time of day.  
But it wasn't long till J. Harold was launched,  
On the 4-H Foundation way.

The enthusiasm with which he spoke  
Held me practically spell bound,  
And made me want to rush right out  
To canvass the whole town.

So the Rock Springs Center could be built  
Without any needless delay.  
For the boys and girls in our Sunflower State,  
Who were traveling the 4-H way.

Growth and development has been the theme  
Of Rock Springs as it spread o'er the realm,  
Under the watchful eye, and guiding hand,  
Of J. Harold at the helm.

"To develop the best young people possible,  
Is the objective of 4-H work,"  
With this favorite quote of his in mind,  
Mr. Johnson will never shirk.

His friendship with Farm Bureau  
Has grown like a bit of leaven,  
With mutual trust, respect, and love,  
Since the year of twenty-seven.

The last big project at Rock Springs Ranch,  
That they both hold very dear,  
Is the impressive Citizenship Center  
With completion very near.

4-H has been Mr. Johnson's life,  
For nigh onto forty-five years,  
As Agent, State Leader, and Director as well.  
We toast him with our cheers.

As Field Representative he will be,  
The best one in the land.  
Keeping the Foundation work alive,  
Extending a helping hand.

We salute you J. Harold Johnson,  
For the works that you have done,  
The lives that you've made richer  
And the friends that you have won.

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## "Thank you" from the Johnsons

The April 30 reception for Mr. and Mrs. J. Harold Johnson was attended by more than 450 friends in spite of a heavy down-pour of rain. A book of several hundred letters was presented to Mr. Johnson.

Since it is impossible to acknowledge each of the letters personally, the Johnsons wish to express appreciation for the thoughtfulness and kindness of their many friends. Mr. Johnson is continuing part-time work as field representative for the Kansas 4-H Foundation and is especially involved in programming for the Citizenship Building at Rock Springs Ranch.

How does your club raise money for the treasury? Are there any other benefits from your fund-raising activities in addition to the money? Write briefly about your club's fund raising methods, and we'll share ideas with other 4-H clubs across Kansas. Address your cards or letters:

Fund-raising  
Kansas 4-H Journal  
Umberger Hall, KSU  
Manhattan, Kansas 66502

## Olympic trials —

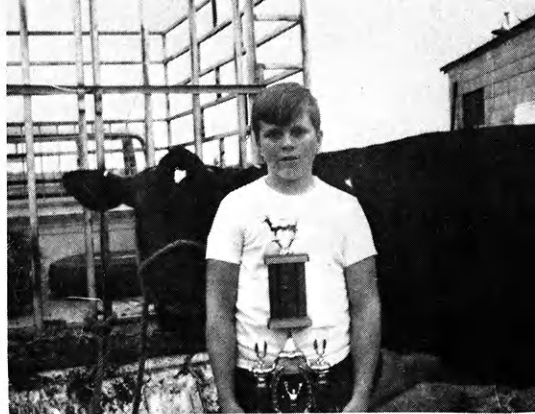
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thorny path—I should faint and bleed and die!"

Sternly the voice said, "It is the path marked out for you. Go in it!"

So she went, and in a few paces came to stones and briers. But behold, when she put out her foot, a little boy, like an angel, stepped in before her and began to clear away space for one foot, and then for another foot, and so on—never more than one step at a time. At last she turned to see how far she had gone. And there, standing at the beginning of the path, was the Saviour, and she saw Him pointing, showing the boy just where to brush away for her foot.

So until I find a new purpose for my life and with the help and encouragement of my terrific coaches and wonderful parents and family, I'm going to continue to run. I'm going to keep taking one more step followed by one more and one more until the steps turn into miles and the miles into success. So don't feel sorry for me. I have found my God-given talent to use and improve. Have you? Take time now to search for it. You may be surprised at what you can do.



Bairdlea Bootmaker III was the 1972 champion of the East Central District Holstein Spring Show at Ottawa. She is shown with her owner, Mickey Morrell of the Lucky Ridgers 4-H Club of Linn County. The trophy was given by the Ottawa cooperative.



Some people were cheerful and some weren't, as tests were conducted at the Miami County diabetes screen-in conducted by Bucyrus Boosters 4-H Club as a community service. Of the 130 persons screened for diabetes, 13 were referred to their physicians for further testing. Debbie Elwood is reporter.



It was a rainy afternoon, but that didn't dampen the spirits of the people who gathered to express their regards for J. Harold Johnson, former state 4-H leader, and Mrs. Johnson at a reception in their honor at Ci-Co Park in Manhattan. Enjoying the event are, from left, Marty Venburg and Brian Dellen, Strong 4-H Club, Mr. Johnson, and Doug Morrison, Lee Hilltoppers 4-H Club, Riley County. As a part-time member of the Kansas 4-H Foundation staff, Mr. Johnson is continuing his efforts for Kansas young people.

## It's great--

to welcome the 150 4-H families in Atchison County as new readers of Kansas 4-H Journal! A special thanks goes to the Atchison Area Chamber of Commerce, sponsor of the Journal in Atchison County. We hope you'll all enjoy being Kansas 4-H Journal readers. Let us hear from you with news or letters to the editor.



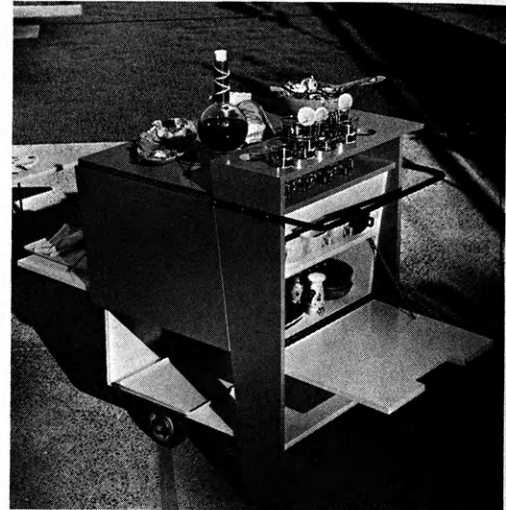
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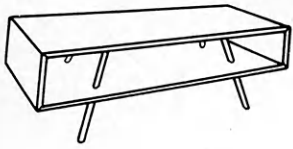
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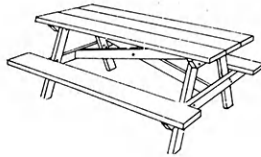
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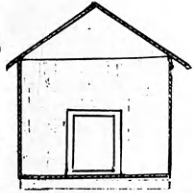
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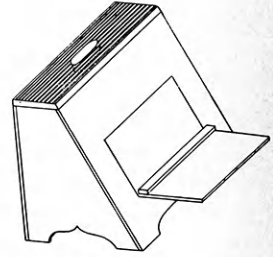


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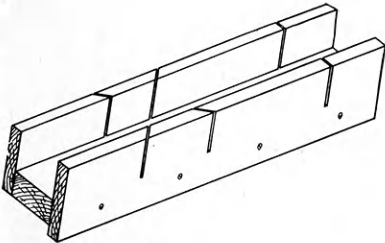


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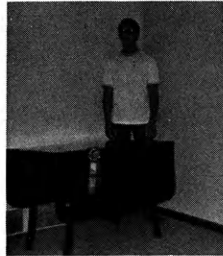
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Participants evaluate a class of pigs at the 33rd annual Livestock Judging School, Contest, and Field Day at Alfalfa Lawn Farms southwest of Larned. Of the 631 persons officially registered for the event, 381 were 4-H members from 79 clubs in 30 counties, according to Clifford Manry, Pawnee County agent, and Jerry Morgans, vo-ag instructor, Great Bend. FFA members, college students, and adults also took part.

The four high 4-H teams were Eden Valley, Stafford County; Kiowa, Barber County; Winners, Ellis County; and Pacesetters, Barber County. The four high 4-H individuals were Clair Oleen, Falun 4-H Club, Saline County; Warren Kroeker, Thomadore 4-H Club, Reno County; Gregg Fisher, Eden Valley 4-H Club, Stafford County; and Tom Arnold, Winners 4-H Club, Ellis County.

## A tribute to leaders

Doris and Elmore Stout have given a combined 60 years of time and energy as community leaders to the Bazaar 4-H Club in Chase County. Reporter Arlene Scott writes, "No figures can be 100 per cent accurate, but as near as we can gather, they have served 124 members, which represent 61 families with a combined 549 years of club work."

A policy which guided the club under the Stout's leadership was that members were to "make the best of EVERY club meeting, tour, model meeting, beef show, fair, rodeo parade float, achievement banquet, businessman's picnic, Christmas party, parent's night, project record, and community project. These were the everyday things. . . . State and national honors and awards were sought and won." Each member was expected to do the things he did to the best of his ability.

"We were told to wish the winner our best and not be a 'grump.' We were to be a good loser, as well as a good winner. If we lost but did our best, we were still winners. . . . Stouts always stressed that competition was just a tool, not important in itself. They also stressed that good records were the most important part of our projects."

"Parents, leaders, and members all worked together in the club and in any activity in which the club took part. . . . Parents were always present, offering their support. Younger brothers and sisters were. . . eager for the time that they could be a part."

"We have benefited from parliamentary procedure training. . . . Business procedure is fun if it is taught by a leader who knows and likes what he is doing."

The Stout's are active in state, area, and community activities.



Members of Merry Meadowlarks 4-H Club, Republic County, canvassed the town of Cuba for the heart fund drive. Their 4-H leader, Mrs. Lad Drapel, was also heart fund township chairman. From left to right are Mike Baxa, Peggy Trecek, Perry Trecek, Sonia Baxa, Janel Baxa, Cecilia Kasl, Karen Kalivoda and Mrs. Drapel.

Health is a club project.

## Kitchen Bowl



Editor's note: Marjorie Barber, Anthony, is a 1971 national winner in the dairy foods project. For good eating in Dairy Month and all year round, she shares some of her recipes with Journal readers. The comments are Marjorie's. She is a member of Tip-Top 4-H Club, Harper County.

After spending last summer in Switzerland I became a "fondue fiend." For Christmas our family got a fondue pot and with the abundance of 4-H beef to cube I made these dips of dairy food products and the whole family found them delicious.

### Fondue dips

4 oz. sour cream  
1 teaspoon dillweed  
pinch of parsley

4 oz. sour cream  
3 teaspoons grated onion  
2 teaspoons chili sauce

4 oz. sour cream  
3 teaspoons horseradish (more or less to taste)  
Mix these and as each morsel of meat is done dip into and enjoy!

The last recipe is a regular for our evening meal. Each person can fix his own and, served with celery, carrot sticks, or a tossed salad, it completes all the food groups of the basic four foods. This in another Swiss influence, as we like the "nutty" flavor of Swiss cheese. American cheese or any cheese of your choice could be used.

### Grilled Swiss-beef sandwich

1 oz. slice of Swiss cheese  
2 1 oz. slices of dried beef  
2 tablespoons butter  
2 slices bread (whole wheat or white)

Place cheese and beef between slices of bread. Butter the bread on the outside and brown each side on stove (2 to 4 minutes per side). Garnish with pickles.

These uses of dairy foods are simple enough for young people to prepare, yet nourishing for the family. "Bridging the Gap" with foods like this seems most fitting.



# Notes



By Dr. Margery Neely  
Extension Specialist,  
4-H Child and Youth Education

In notes taken at the northwest and southwest agents' meetings in April, several workable ideas appear. These are in addition to our longtime standard successful 4-H programs. In a subtle fashion, new and adapted approaches are responsive to the needs of youth in the 1970s, and involve youth in planning their programs as they move into more independent roles.

Exciting programs give a 1970s touch to the traditionally successful 4-H experience. Many projects are reaching out to "other" youth by encouraging 4-H members to invite others to share.

Earning money interests many teenagers. William VanSkiike, Barton County, reported on a lawnmowing - safety - horticulture clinic held for all interested teens. The topics that were explored included "how to get customers and keep them," taught by one of the graduates of the clinic!

Another part-time job clinic was held in Dodge City. Nancy Jo Kent reported that a babysitting clinic, held in conjunction with the Dodge City Junior High, had 101 registrants. Certificates were awarded indicating that five of the seven sessions had been completed.

Ford County also has a motorcycle club, Miss Kent reported, which grew under the leadership of John Radke, while he was club agent there.

To meet a job qualification requirement, tractor safety clinics are held in several places at various times, to allow youth to obtain summer work. Training is even arranged for the workers who come in from Denver and other places to work in the fields. Mr. VanSkiike, Ben Mc-

Kay, Ness County, Wilbur Dunavan, Smith County, Lowell Byarley, Osborne County, Dale Schilling, Sherman County, and Don McWilliams, Wallace County, were those who mentioned the clinics. The format ranges from one-to-one training, where an adult can certify the requirements have been met, all the way to many after-school or night sessions, covering a multitude of topics. Even health aspects — "what lifting does to knees, what working in the hot sun does to your body" — are appropriate. Clifford Meireis, Norton County, and Kent Reinhardt, Decatur County, indicated that the program was coordinated through the vo-ag teacher.

New approaches are obvious in the programming for teen groups. Last fall, Clifford Manry, Pawnee County, encouraged the revitalization of the teen leaders' group with the organization structured by the youths' own requirements.

In Ford County, Miss Kent and Mr. Radke spoke of the teenage group, TACT, which meets only for specific purposes, with the site the only item that needs to be cleared with the office. A ski trip, a talk with the county attorney were held.

In Seward County, Gerry Snapp indicated that a longtime

merit system has been operating, with each youth deciding how many activities to complete and thereby deciding the level of award he is opting for.

The teenagers in Seward, Mr. Snapp noted, have no permanent officers except a treasurer, and at each event, a committee is appointed to run the next event; so far, a pizza party, dance, swimming party, taffy pull, and community service project have been held.

Horse projects are very popular, with 4-H members often belonging only to this special project, as Aaron Bates and Cathy Thorsell of Clark County mentioned.

Kite-flying has been mentioned as a special project club!

Ceramics has proved popular in Grant County, where Marshall Walker reported 55 members, and where Alice Frey reported that the young 4-H'ers seem to find a grand relaxation in working with ceramics during the school year. Mr. Snapp also indicated 4-H interest in ceramics.

Finney County 4-H'ers, reported Ron Faulds, might run the staffing and programming at Rip Rocket daycamps. Don Loyd, Greeley County, suggested that helping stuff envelopes and lend other assistance to the Rip Rocket camps would be good involvement, well-received.

## 4-H clubs go on educational trips

Educational trips to Larned, Abilene, and Medicine Lodge have been part of the program recently for some Kansas 4-H clubs.

Larned was only the first stop for seven members of Beacon Boosters 4-H Club in Finney County; they also visited the health museum at Halstead, and Front Street at Dodge City. At Larned the group went through Fort Larned, and also visited the state hospital where they heard talks by the supply department manager, the musical therapy teacher, the librarian, and a man in the crafts department. Leaders Lawrence Odgers and Mrs. Clifford Mayo drove cars.

In Abilene members and parents of Kansas Jayhawkers 4-H Club, Harvey County, visited the Place of Meditation, the Eisenhower home, museum, and library. Then they spent some time in Old Abilene Town.

Carry Nation's home and the Medicine Lodge Stockade and museum were points of interest for families of Richland Rustlers 4-H Club, Pratt County. Kenna Giffin reports.



Jeff DeBey blows into a tube which is part of an instrument to measure wind capacity. The other 4-H'ers in the picture are, left to right, Karol Word, Elaine Mayo, and Greg Boyd. They are visiting the health museum at Halstead.

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## Things made in electric project meet needs on Rooks Co. farm

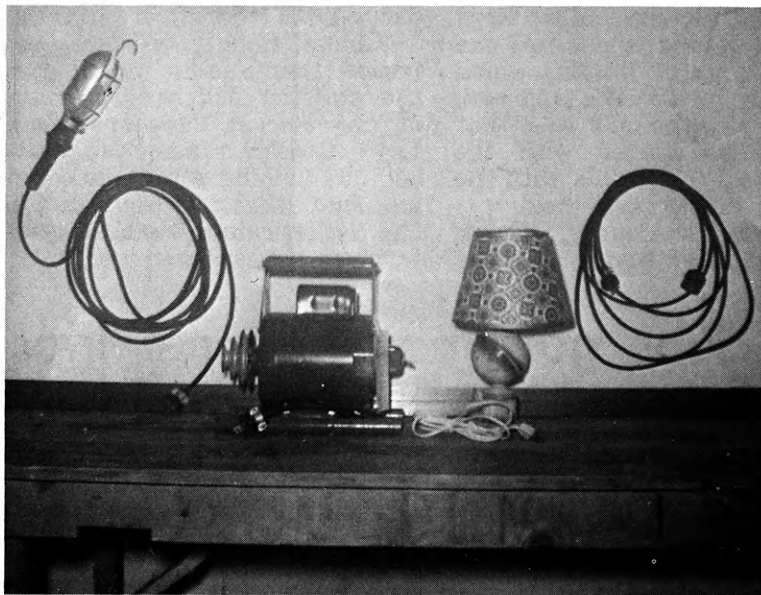
In his seven years in the electric project, 18 year old Jerry Gaines, Phillipsburg, has made a trouble light, extension cords, a portable motor, an outdoor portable light, a shop lamp, air compressor, and a study lamp. He also rewired lamps, rewound two motors, and installed wiring and outlets.

Jerry is a champion swine showman and poultry judge. For three years he was president of Mt. Pleasant 4-H Club, Rooks County, and also a member of the county 4-H council for three years.

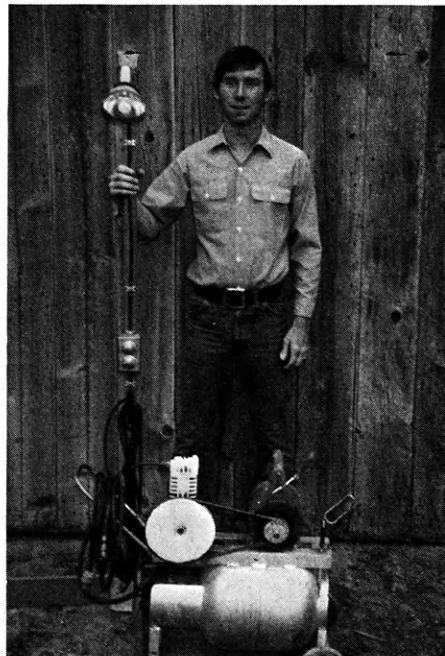
Jerry is a student at Colby Community Junior College.



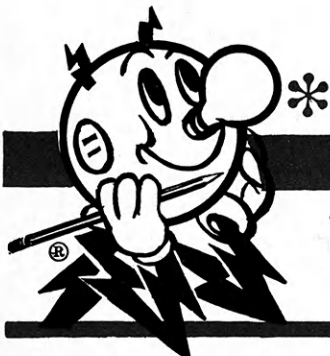
"This portable lamp went to state fair also. It hangs up and also has an outlet and switch box. It serves our needs much better at times than the portable outdoor lamp."



Jerry's earlier electric project items, above, led to work shown in the pictures on the right.



Jerry explained, "The portable light went to state fair two years. After using it we found it did not meet our needs as constructed according to the 4-H plan. So the next year I rewired it and added the outlet and switch box. It received a blue the first year and a purple the second. The air compressor was badly needed on our farm. It received a blue at state fair."



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