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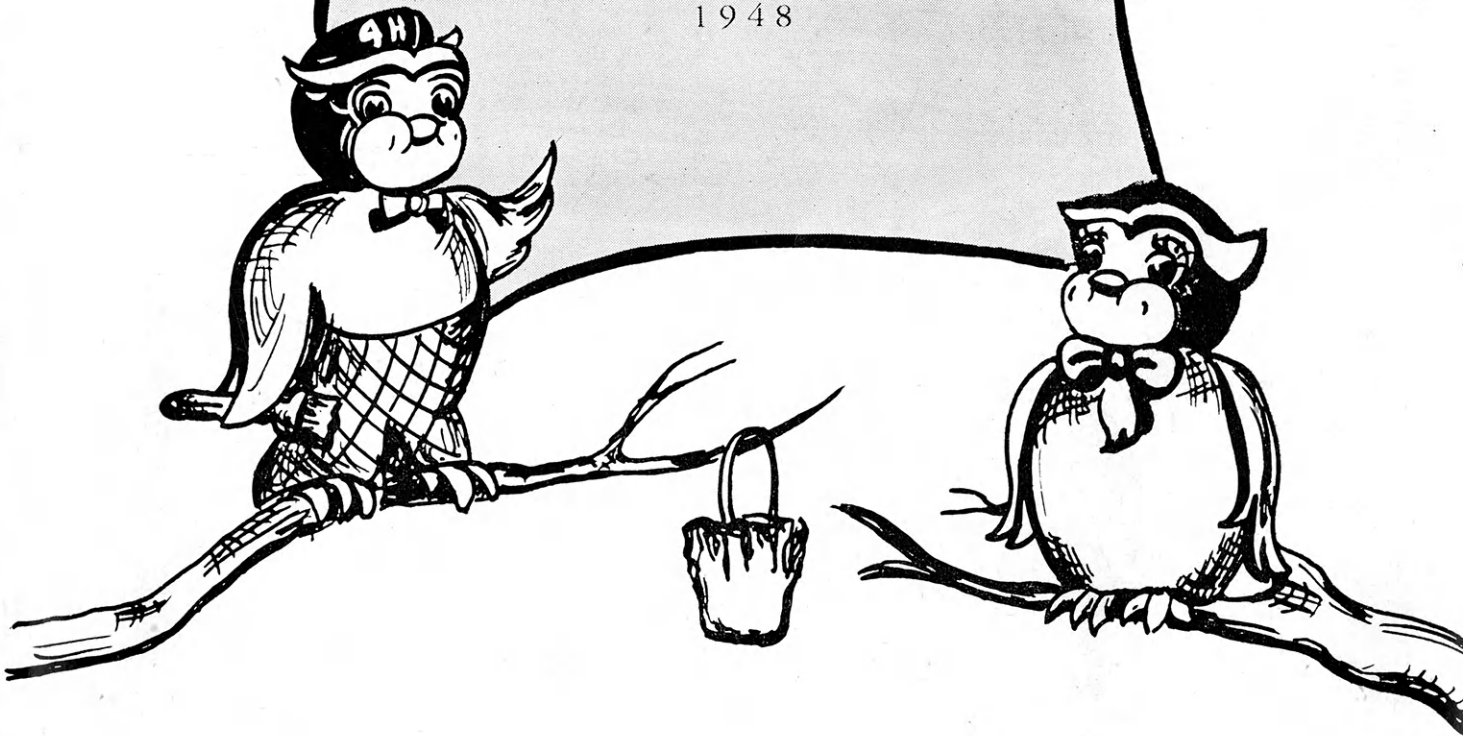
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4-H MEMBERSHIP

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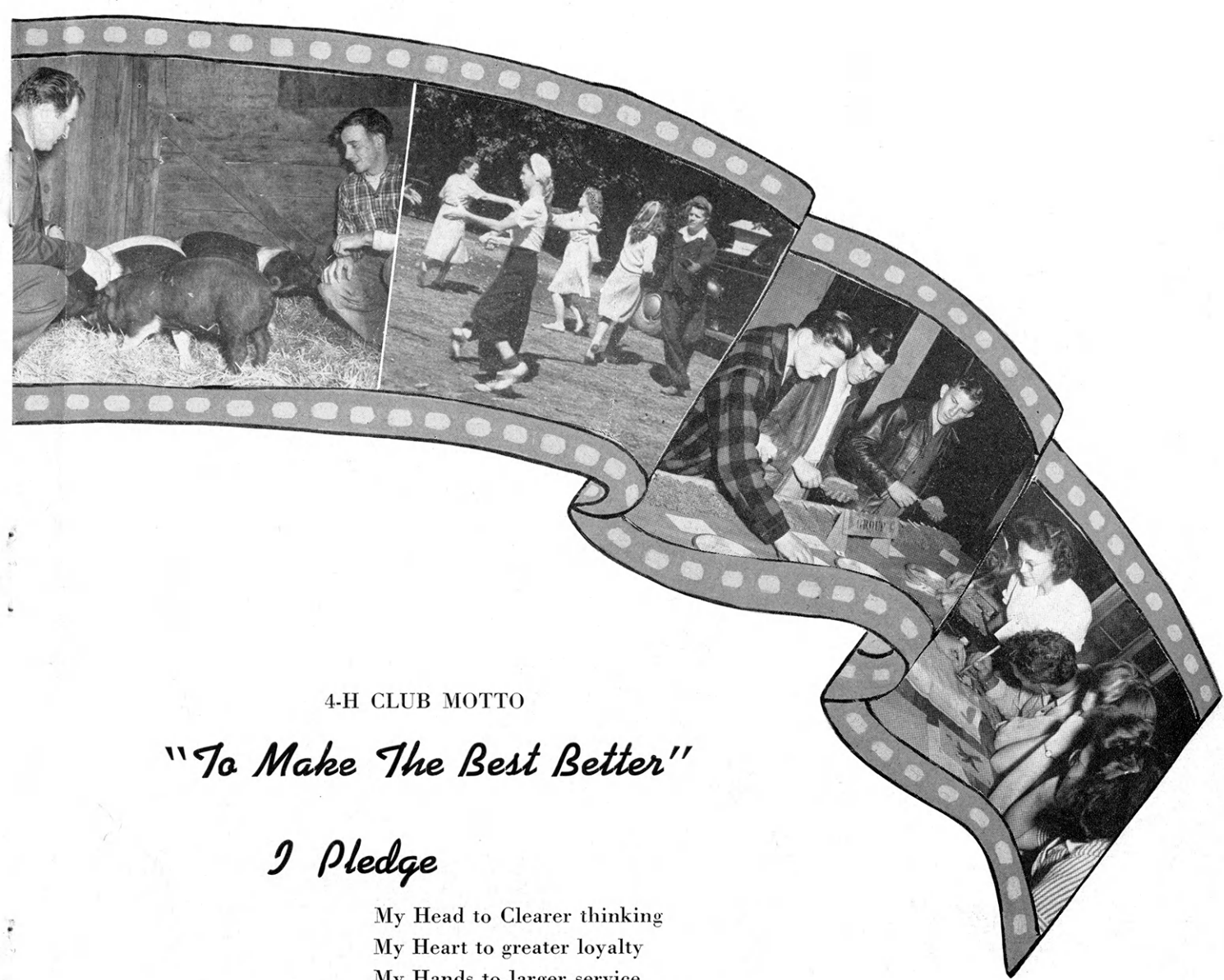
The boys and girls of Kansas constitute one of the greatest of this state's resources. They are the fountain of youth that can bring new vision to a needy world.

Our present membership is far below the potential possibilities of 4-H in Kansas. Let's each win a new member for next year, and give the opportunities of 4-H to all.

What do you say? Let's go and get them! What are we waiting for?"

L. C. Williams
Director of Extension





4-H CLUB MOTTO

"To Make The Best Better"

I Pledge

My Head to Clearer thinking
My Heart to greater loyalty
My Hands to larger service
My Health to better living
For my Club
my community
and my country.



RURAL LIFE MEETS



Do you know that there is an organization that wants your membership after you are graduated from 4-H work? The Rural Life Association is organized in 42 counties for people 18 years and older, interested in rural living.

Members meet for business, educational features, and recreation. Some devote a monthly meeting to an entirely social evening.

Educational features include discussions of "How to Increase Income," "Qualities to Look for in a Life Partner," "Getting Along With People," and "Good Livestock Management."

Recreation hinges around group interests such as social dancing, sports, games, scavenger hunts, hayrack rides, and bowling.

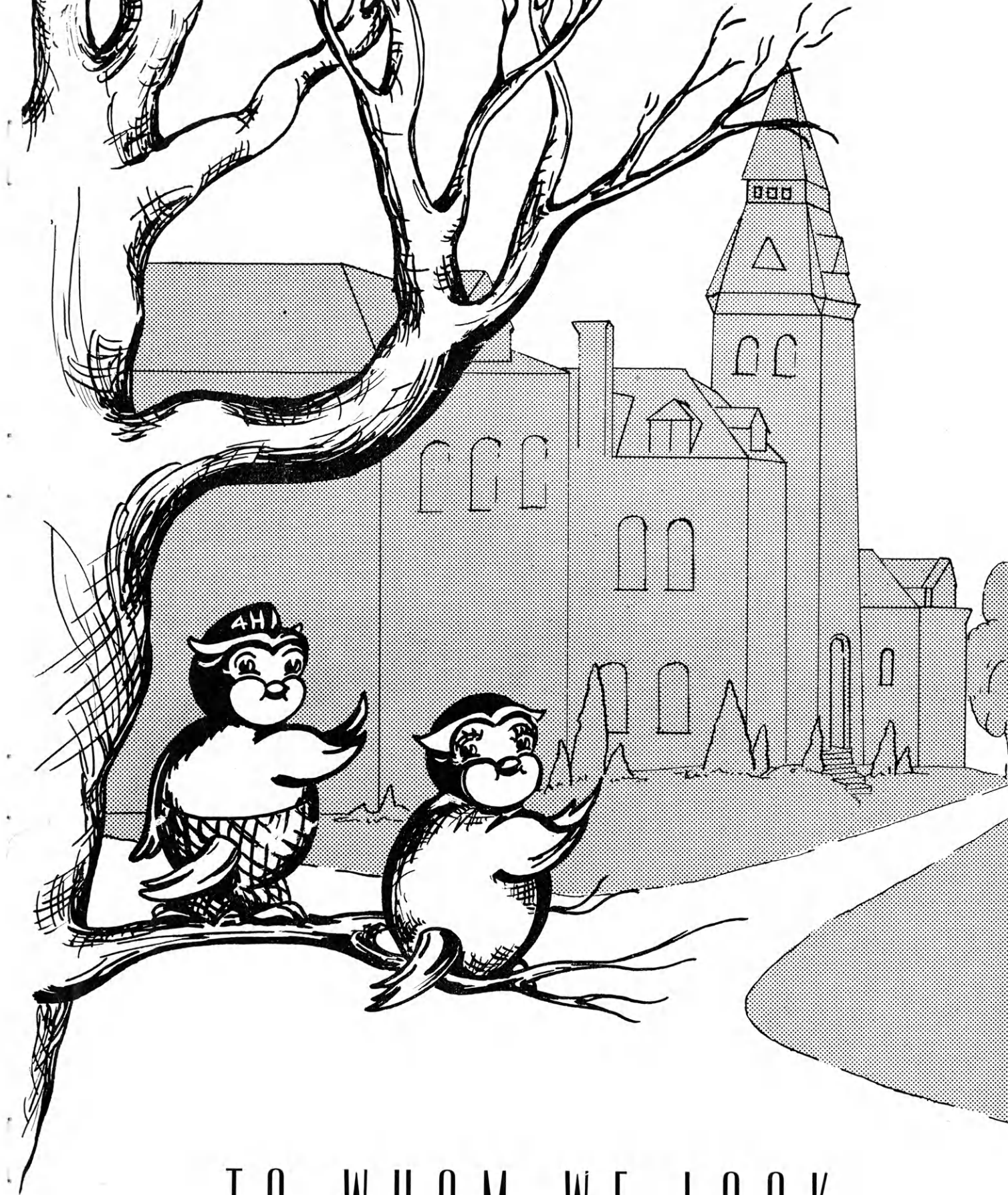
Some groups take trips to the Ozarks, Yellowstone Park and old Mexico.

Directing the state program this year are: Marjories Stapleton, Shawnee; Paul Johanning, Douglas; Bernadine Butler, Sedgwick; Harlan Hutchison, Sumner; Harriet Long, Ellsworth; Allan Knapp, Dickinson.

CAMPING

At Rock Springs Ranch, the new State 4-H Camp, and at the Southwest 4-H Camp, many new and enjoyable experiences await thousands of Kansas 4-H members. More than 4,000 4-H members found relaxation at county and state camps during the 1947 camping season and, also, gained knowledge and inspiration from the various classes. Contacts made through camping form friendships which often last a lifetime. Participation in the democratic atmosphere of 4-H camps is an important step in the training of the citizens of Kansas rural youth.





TO WHOM WE LOOK

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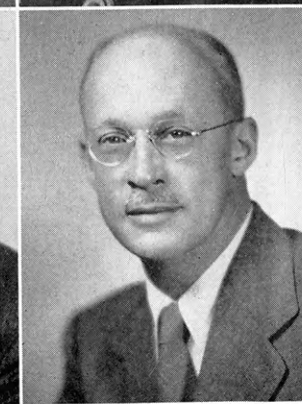
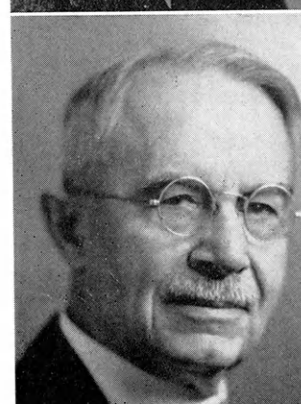
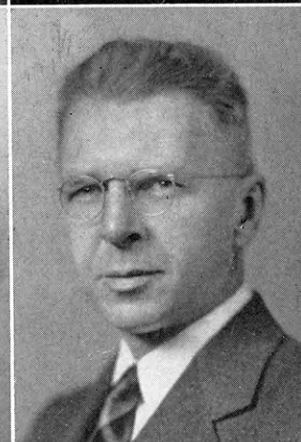
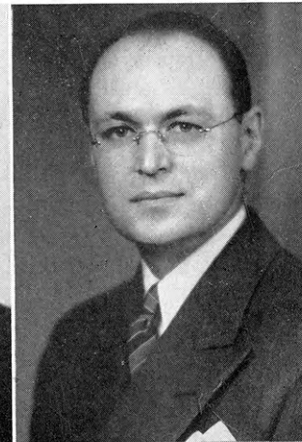
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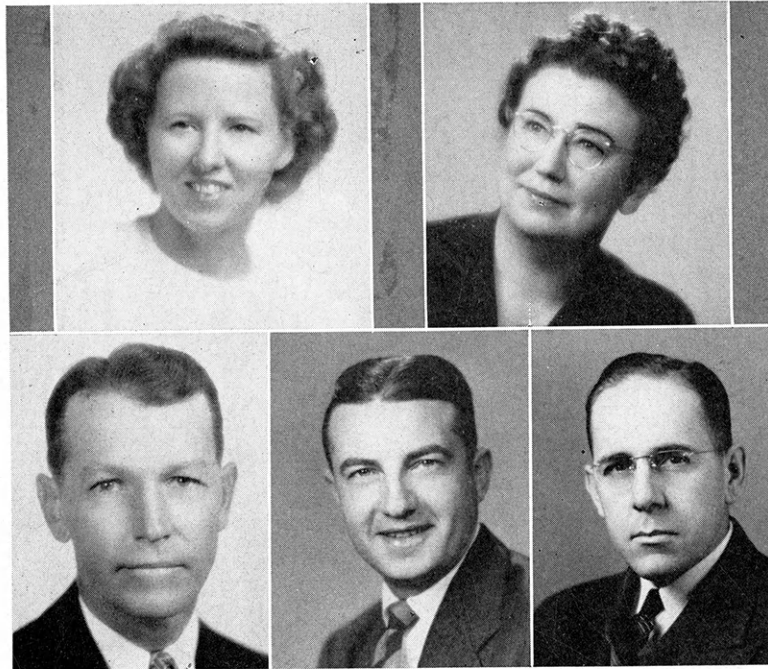
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Mary Elsie Border
Roger E. Regnier

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Association

Ida Hildibrand, *President*
County Home Demonstration
Agents Association

Charles W. Pence, *President*
County Club Agents
Association

To the 103 county agricultural agents, the 74 home demonstration agents, and the 25 county club agents in Kansas, the 4-H members of the State owe a tremendous debt of gratitude for their cooperation in the 4-H program and their assistance in making this WHO'S WHOOT render a real service to the rural youth of Kansas.



Dick Winger

Howard Lindholm

Carolyn Anderson

COLLEGIATE CLUB OFFICERS

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 Pianist Roger Wilk
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 Reporter Dale Apel

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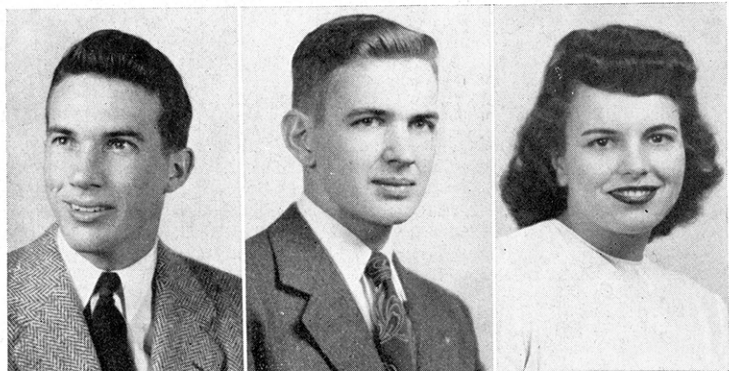
Robert Acre, Betty Warren, Mary Schlagel, Willa
 Dean Mills, Carrol Ramsey.

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Corresponding Secretaries—

Richard Chase, Armin Samuelson, Harold Ramsey,
 Ruby Dickey, Donna Gies.



John Sjo

Harold Dalbom

Betty Warren

COLLEGIATE 4-H CLUB

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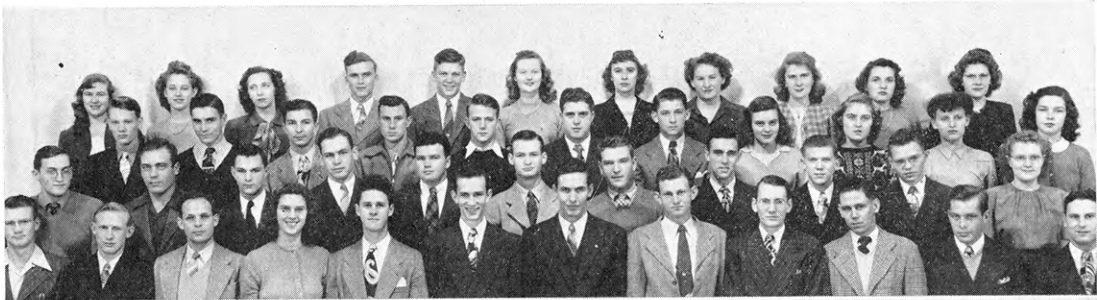
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Back row: Virginia Sedgwick, Barbara McCoid, Lyle Snider, Dorothy Bebermeyer, Howard Wood, Martha Adee, Twila Oltjen, Carol Hoyt, Ruth Tichenor, Esther Page, Carrol Ramsey. *Fourth row:* Marjorie Roepke, Verla Meyers, Vada Walsten, Wallace Terrill, Marion Thomas, Ray Rose, Arthur Schumann, Bob Snyder, Marilyn Keeshan, Jeanne Frisbie, Edith Wilson. *Third row:* Theresa Navinsky, Marjorie Schowengerdt, Weldon Riley, William Stiles, Robert Chesney, John Sjo, Hal Ramsbottom, Richard Tesche, Dale Schwindaman, George Moors, Mary Ann Swenson, Mary Smith. *Second row:* Gale Beck, Jim Kirkemide, Jim Pattison, Don Quakenbush, Dean Schowengerdt, Raymond Neher, Bob Williams, Robert Weatherbie, Dean Newell, Dale Paulson, Jeanne Warren. *Front row:* Neva Seiler, Betty Wilson, Marjorie Rezac, Margaret Russel, Edward Robins, Mary Nelson, Janey Hackney, Bonnie Mallory, Betty Warren, Elizabeth Mayall.

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COLLEGIATE 4-H CLUB



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Back row: Stanley Wood, Doris Hopkins, Margie Pishny, Margaret Austin, Irma Ready, Charlene Cusic, Marcelyn McCoy, Lavonne Harrison, Betty Harding, Helen Cool, Louise Mosier, Marvin Riggs. *Fifth row:* Bernice Lehman, Frank Mosier, Steward Mettler, Victor Tilley, Lewis Stratton, Florence Larsen, Kay Larson, Jane Foster, Vadaline Strobel, Iris Rahn, Elizabeth David, Bob Severance. *Fourth row:* John Wilk, John Watt, Paul Nelson, Kenneth Jones, Ross McPhail, Donald Lawrence, Lawrence McCarty, Allen Watts, Calvin Schridde, Marshall Schirer, Michael Murphy, Don Riegel. *Third row:* Robert Wilson, Walter David, Bernard Kastens, Ervin Williams, Marvin Gough, Armin Samuelson, Dale Watson, Stanley Meinen, Lewis Boys, Harold Mertz, Durreth Robbins. *Second row:* LaVerne Dewees, Rosemary Wright, Mary Alice Nelson, Betty Pressgrove, Betty Butler, Peggy Noble, Willa Mills, Willis Cross, Bonnie Sobers, Marlys Waln, Doris Lehman. *First row:* Lloyd Wiseman, Ed McGinness, Clifford Houghton, Robert Ward, Harold Ramsey, Marguerite Nebergall, Helen Gillmore, Norma McDowell, Frank Overley, Roger Wilk, Bill Parker.

Collegiate 4-H Club besides being the largest organization on the campus last fall, with a membership of 590, was the largest in the Club's twenty-year history.

During the fall semester, the Club sponsored an all-campus project to give \$150 to the Memorial Chapel Fund and to build an all weather bulletin board on campus.

The fall dinner-dance was held on November 14 at the Methodist Church and the Avalon Ballroom. Highlights of the dinner program were the awarding of the membership cup to Ruby Dickey, Ashland, and a talk by Dan Casement, prominent Kansas livestock man. Each table at the dinner was decorated to represent a different holiday in the year.

The Collegiate Club started in 1927 with a membership of sixty. The goal of this year's membership committee became "60 to 600 in twenty years." The final tally shows 633 active members.

Under the leadership of Lloyd Wiseman, Centralia, a group for students interested in extension work was formed. This program brings members in contact with extension work and workers. Each month, a special meeting was sponsored by the group.

Major event of the spring semester was the semi-formal Tu-lip Ball at the Community House on April 3. Howard Lindholm, Cheney, planned the event at which 110 couples danced as the wheel of the Old Dutch Mill slowly turned.

Armin Samuelson directed organization of a softball team which entered college intramural competition.

Collegiate Club members were prominent in the organization of the Kansas State UNESCO. John Sjo, Salina, spring semester Club president, is chairman of the college UNESCO group in Kansas and vice chairman of the Kansas State College UNESCO. This spring, the Club sent Kate Clark, Mayfield, and Norman Collins, Topeka, to Denver for the regional UNESCO conference. At the start of the fall semester, several Collegiate members were on the committee that made plans for the organization of the UNESCO council. Since that time, the club has taken an active part in UNESCO activities.

The Radio Committee has been under the able leadership of Floyd Ricker of Ford. Each Saturday, the committee presents music, news, 4-H talks, and the doings of the Sunnybrook Club over radio station KSAC for 4-H members over the state.

Final Club event this spring was the annual picnic at Rock Springs 4-H Camp, south of Junction City, on May 1.



VIRGINIA GRANDFIELD
Editor



DALE APEL
Assistant Editor

WHO'S WHOOT STAFF

The 1948 Who's Whoot staff proudly presents this yearbook of the activities of the 4-H youth of Kansas. Many willing hours of service have been spent to make this twentieth edition the largest book in Who's Whoot history.

Publishing the Who's Whoot is a major project of the Collegiate 4-H Club. Club members were selected last spring to edit and publish the 1948 edition. The staff is greatly indebted to the state 4-H club leaders, county representatives, junior staff members, and others who have given so generously of their time to make this picture of Kansas 4-H Club activity complete.

Jean Hare, Advertising Manager; Mary Nelson, County Page Editor; Maridell Byler, Artist; Victor Tilley, Sales Manager.

Mike Burns, Collegiate Editor; Pearl Lilliequist, Business Manager; Louise Mosier, Special Features Editor; Harold Wise, Photographer.



HONORED SENIORS



KATE CLARK PEARL LILLIEQUIST VIRGINIA GRANDFIELD

Kate Clark, Virginia Grandfield, and Pearl Lilliequist were selected as this year's outstanding seniors, with honorable mention going to Patricia Adams, Howard Borchardt, Carrol Ramsey, and Richard Warren. The appointed committee based its selection primarily on participation during all four college years in all phases of club activity.

COUNTY REPRESENTATIVES

New to the Who's Who staff this year are the County Representatives, chosen from those Collegiate members volunteering to serve. These people were the personal contact of the yearbook with each county. Through their efforts, pictures, stories, and sales were handled, to make this the largest Who's Who of the yearbook's twenty editions.



Back row: Bonnie Mallory, Patricia Adams, Ruth Kelling, Louise Mosier, Loren Goyen, Donna Gies, Rosalie Germann, Carolyn Anderson, Mary Arlene Nelson, John Finley. *Middle row:* Howard Wood, Paul Enders, Gene Craig, Dale Johnson, Mike Murphy, Dale Allen, Floyd Leonard, Dale Apel, Vadaline Strobel. *Front row:* Hal Ramsbottom, Laurel Sundgren, Kenneth Dageforde, Kay Siron, Arnold Bandel, Harold Eversmeyer, Dale Handlin, Jack Hayward, Merrill Ray, Victor Crotinger.

Back row: Norma White, Claribel Dole, Jeanne Warren, Willa Deanne Mills, Ruby Dickey, Roberta Keas, Delores Knoche. *Third row:* Victor Tilley, George Stauffer, John Holden, Lavone Harrison, Peggy Markham, Mary Jane Meili, Laureen Mueller, Genevieve Reed. *Second row:* Bill Sheppard, Bill Langhofer, Dick Winger, Douglas George, James Grandfield, Byron Albers, Virginia Sedgwick, Thyra Bollinger, Lois Billington. *Front row:* Bill Parker, Ed McGinness, Allen Watts, Edwin Draney, Don Quakenbush, Floyd Ricker, Stanley Meinen, Henry Starkey, Harold Ramsey, Kenneth Harkness.

COLLEGIATE SNAPSHOTS



1. Collegiate Club boosts K-State chapel fund. 2. Fall officers meet. 3. Dale Watson airs a story over KSAC. 4. 4-H'ers dine at Christmas Party. 5. Gathering around the Christmas tree. 6. Dale Apel talks to KSAC audience. 7. The Christmas dance. 8. 4-H Glee Club sings at fall banquet. 9. Working on Who's Who. 10. Vada Walstein talks over KSAC. 11. Howard Lindholm presents Collegiate Club membership trophy to winner Ruby Dickey. 12.-15. 4-H'ers "on the air"—Floyd Ricker was chairman of the Collegiate Club broadcasts.

COLLEGIATE SNAPSHOTS

1. John Sjo chats at Spring Tu-Lip Semi-formal. 2. Spring officers meet. 3. Collegiate members attend Rural Life program. 4. Dick Winger chats with Collegiate Club seniors. 5. Guests chat, watch at Spring Formal. 6. Who's Whoot Staff. 7. At the Ball. 8. Who's Whoot is processed. 9. Who's Whoot Workers: Dale Johnson, Harold Eversmeyer, Mowry Gilbert, Armin Samuelson, Rollin Casement, Jim Grandfield, Lester Goyan, Loren Goyan, Roberta Keas, Marlys Waln, Nellie Bauman, Donna Gies, Lois Billington, Enid Keiswetter, Jeanne Warren, De-lores Knoche. 10-12. At a Collegiate Club meeting.





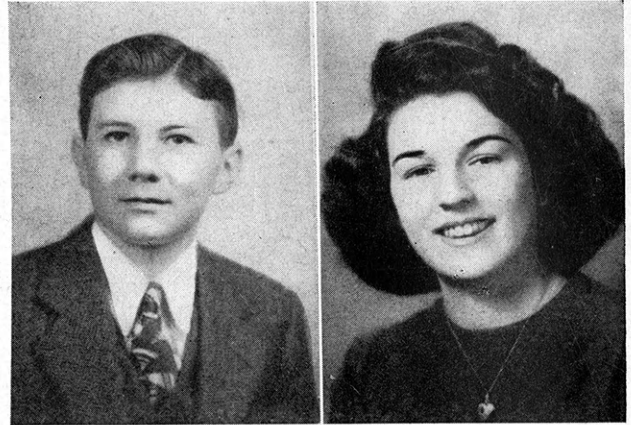
THOSE WHO ACHIEVE

ACHIEVEMENT WINNERS

Marlys Wahn of McPherson County has completed 10 years of club work with a total of 82 projects, 47 of which were in home economics. Marlys has been in junior leadership for 4 years, held 6 offices, participated in 24 demonstration teams and 12 judging teams. She also has taken an active part in many country-wide activities and has helped to stimulate interest in quality of project work by her own examples.

Stanley Wood of Chase County has been in club work for 8 years and has completed 38 projects while his major emphasis has been on swine. He has also completed projects in beef, crops, and poultry. Stanley was a blue ribbon winner in the State Health Contest in 1946, and has been very active in his county as a junior leader for 3 years.

John Morrell and Company has awarded these achievement winners with a \$250 scholarship.



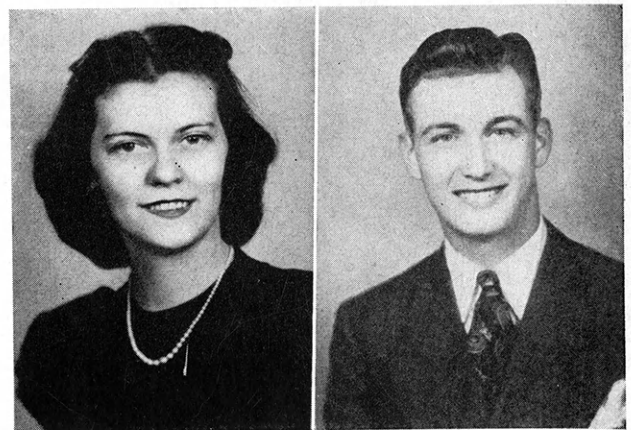
Stanley Wood

Marlys Wahn

LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE

Mildred Gibson, Dickinson County, 18 years of age, has been in club work 8 years carrying 38 projects including 4 years of Junior Leadership. Mildred has held various offices in her club and has participated in county and state judging teams. Clothing, which is probably her outstanding project, has resulted in Mildred entering the state style revue. She is now attending Kansas Wesleyan College.

Herman Wingert, Lyon County, 19 years of age has carried 42 projects during his 7 years of club work. This year his projects numbered 15. In 1946 Herman was selected state and national health champion. His activities have not been limited to 4-H, however; Herman is also active in church, P.T.A., and other community activities.



Mildred Gibson

Herman Wingert



CAPPER SCHOLARSHIP

Wilma Worthington, Pottawatomie
Edward Kaiser, Phillips

Wilma Worthington, Victory 4-H Club of Pottawatomie County, has been a member for six years. She has completed thirty-seven projects in nearly every phase of home economics. She has received nine county championships and has been a junior leader four years.

Edward Kaiser, Iowa Union 4-H Club of Phillips county, was a 4-H member ten years and is now an adult leader. He operates his mother's 200-acre farm. He has held offices as president, vice-president, and secretary of his own club as well as president of the county council.



NATIONAL TRIP WINNERS

Amos Blecha, Republic
Norma Jean Patterson,
Montgomery
Billy Williams, Morris
Loranelle Anderson,
Sherman

AMOS BLECHA

Four head of dairy cattle and a partnership with his father, as well as an outstanding financial profit of more than \$6,500 accounts for part of Amos Blecha's 12 years of club work. This Republic County 4-H member has assisted his local leaders for 6 years and has acted as the local club leader for two years.

NORMA JEAN PATTERSON

After eight years of club work, Norma Jean Patterson has laid away \$1,000 for a college fund from profits on her poultry project. She has represented Montgomery county well as a member of the judging teams at the state fairs.

BILLY WILLIAMS

Billy Williams, 20 year old 4-H boy of Morris County, has a record for his 9 years of club work to be envied and marveled by many. For four years he has managed his Mother's 320-acre farm, using improved methods and practices with favorable results. In 1946, he had a total net income of over \$2,500.

LORANELLE ANDERSON

A top-notch judger and demonstrator is Loranelle Anderson from Sherman county. During her 11 years of club work Loranelle has given 25 demonstrations at club meetings as well as several at county and state fairs. A \$25 bond and trip to camp Miniwania are awards she has received.

CHICAGO TRIP WINNERS



On November 29, 1947, 25 excited 4-H members from all corners of Kansas met in Union Station in Kansas City to journey together to the twenty-fifth annual National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago.

For a week the delegates were treated royally. They attended banquets, luncheons, and breakfasts with the top in entertainment. At group meetings, they had the opportunity of meeting with 4-H members from every state in the union as well as people from several foreign countries. These meetings gave the young people new ideas and inspiration for advancing democracy in their own community. The Club Congress serves as an incentive to club members for better work. Those fortunate enough to attend came home inspired and better able to help other 4-H members who are striving "To Make the Best Better."

The delegation included state and national champions and Rock Island and Santa Fe trip winners.

PROMOTIONAL ACTIVITY



“Talk pays no debts” goes the ancient proverb, but talk did make a fine award possible to four Kansas club members during 1947. These junior leaders were winners of the Promotional Activity and made an air trip to attend part of a Rural Life Conference at Jackson’s Mill, West Virginia’s State 4-H Camp, in November.

A prerequisite of the Promotional Activity is sound 4-H Club experience. Most members who take part in the activity are junior leaders, are or have been club officers, have excellent project program and can make others recognize the values of 4-H work which they so clearly see themselves. Nearly 1,100 boys and girls participated in this new activity during 4-H Club Days of 1947. From this group, 31 blue ribbon winners were invited to attend Round-up for further training and judging. Finally, the work done on club and county activities, organizations and 4-H Club promotion were considered in making the final selection for the trip by T.W.A. to West Virginia.

Bill Strauss, Geary County; Vera Barnett, Allen County; Norma Wohlgenuth, Marion County; and Dale Johnson, Saline County, were the promotional winners, accompanied on the trip by Miss Annabelle Dickinson, Rush County Home Demonstration Agent, and Glenn Buset, Assistant State Club Leader.

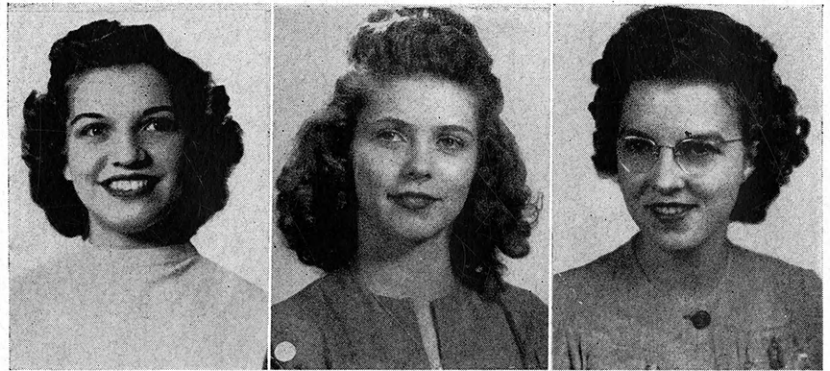
ROCK ISLAND - SANTA FE TRIP WINNER

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Virginia Armstrong, Sumner, Santa Fe

Wanda Bacon, Lyons, Santa Fe

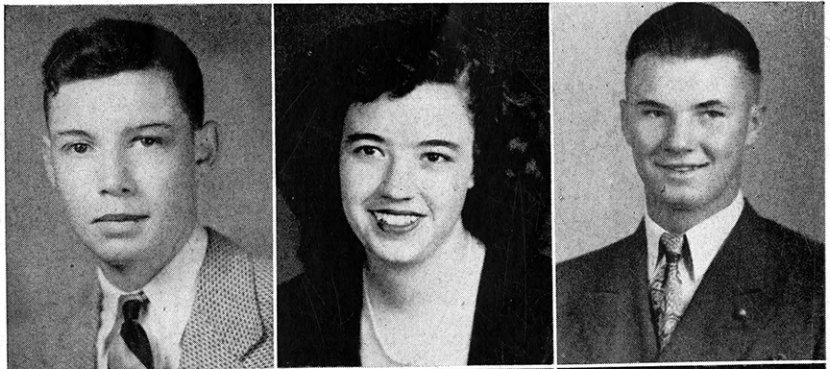
Anna Marie O'Malley, Cherokee, Santa Fe



Harold Dalrymple, Cloud, Rock Island

Betty Stephens, Sherman, Rock Island

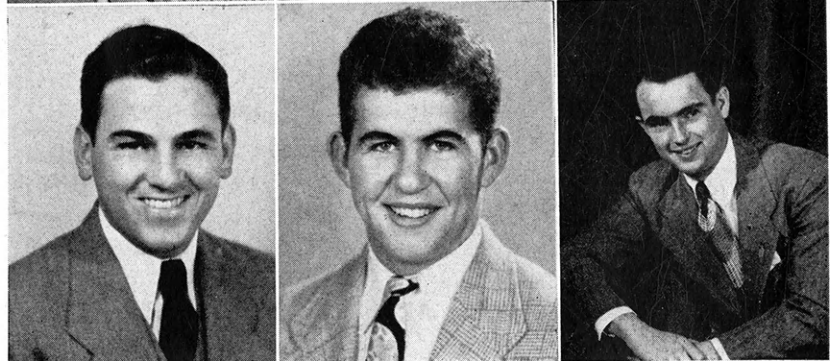
Marvin Young, Jefferson, Santa Fe



Max Ortman, Jewell, Rock Island

Gerald Knowles, Saline, Rock Island

Duane Sanders, Sedgwick, Santa Fe



CHAMPIONS



NATIONAL CHAMPIONS

<i>Left to Right</i>	<i>County</i>
Almeda Stevenson	Labette
Lois Crooks	Franklin
Jean Howland	Allen
Betty L. Williams	Labette



STATE CHAMPIONS

Maurice McClure	Harvey
Doris Hahn	Ford
Donna Jean Johnson	Saline
Gene Gates	Comanche



Virgil Sandahl	McPherson
Geneva Rarick	Mitchell
Raymond Otto	Geary
Verle Krehbiel	Butler



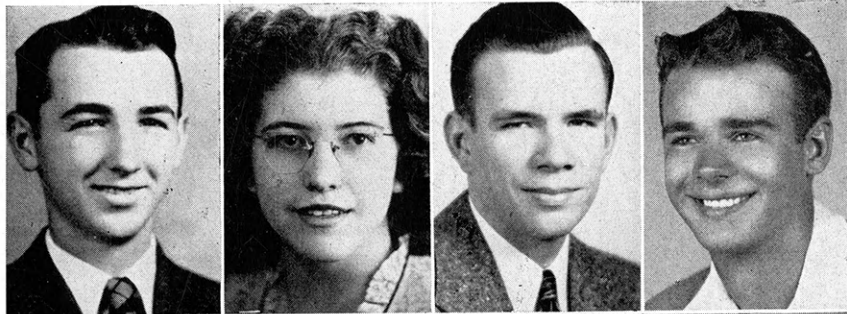
Donald Thurlow	Dickinson
Phyllis Bunker	Sumner
Don Walker	Jewell
Kay Melia	Ford

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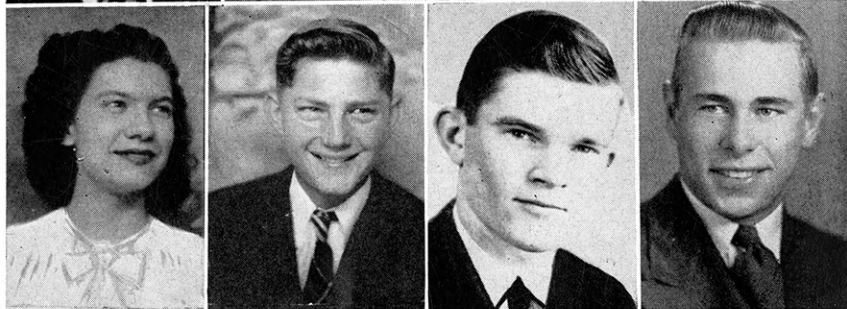
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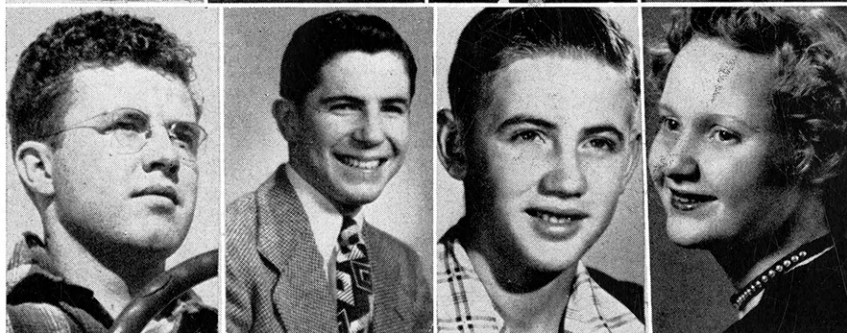
Andrew Drummond Chase
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 John Clark Wilk Sedgwick
 Paul Holovach Haskell



Nancy Pinkney Ford
 Wayne Upham Geary
 Bill Gfeller Geary
 Dwight Reece Atchison



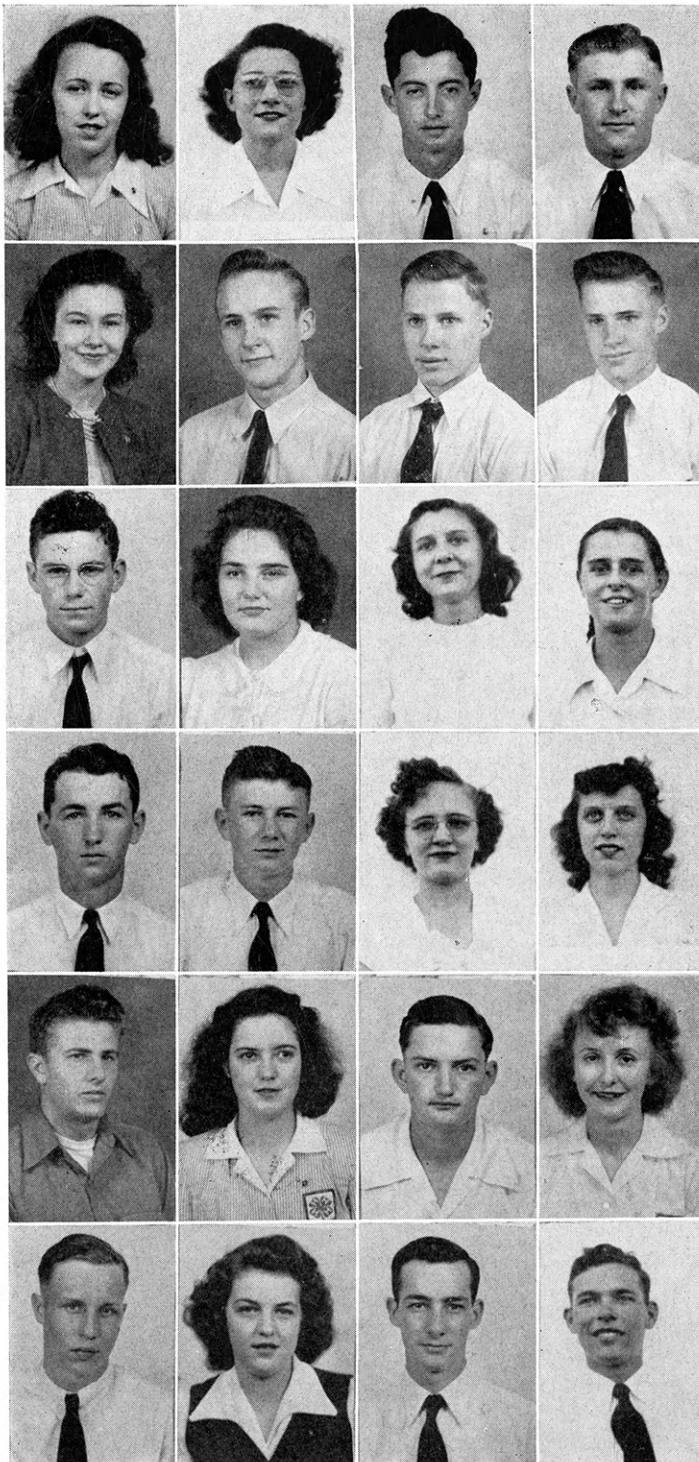
Clyde Schinnerer Scott
 Richard Hodgson Riley
 Gordon Markley Dickinson
 Nancy Lee Richardson Edwards



Not pictured—

Clarence Garten Dickinson

WHO'S WHO



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Vera Barnett Allen
 Rosalia Hess Allen
 Don Ellison Allen
 Wayne Doll Barton

Ruth Larson Butler
 Duane Traylor Butler
 Merle Krehbiel Butler
 Verle Krehbiel Butler

Ralph Rector Butler
 Eleanor Cherryholmes Butler
 Pauline Wood Chase
 Jane McKee Chase

Andrew Drummond Chase
 Stanley Wood Chase
 Almeda Stevenson Labette
 Barbara Chapman Chase

J. M. Frey Chase
 Patsy Murphey Comanche
 Donald Whelpley Comanche
 Betty Jane Good Cowley

James Hodges Crawford
 Maxine Hicken Ellsworth
 Dale Handlin Ellsworth
 Jim Russell Finney

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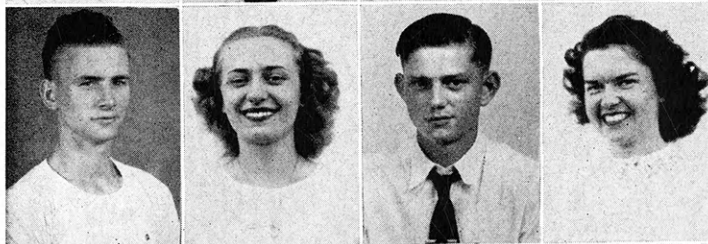
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Robert Zumbrunn
 Irma Baresel
 Wayne Upham
 Marie Baresel

Geary
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Mary Ann Miller
 Marilyn Baer
 Dorothy Hoover
 Jean Martin

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Norman Bauer
 Jeanne Frisbie
 Helen Cool
 Gerald Neher

Harper
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 Labette



Nadine McConnell
 Norma Jean Dumm
 Doris Stevens
 Dorothy Turnquist

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Virgil Sandahl
 Billy Joe Drumeller
 Claudine Shope
 Arthur Schenk

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WHO'S WHO



<i>Left to Right</i>	<i>County</i>
J. Russell Holden	Montgomery
Norma J. Patterson	Montgomery
Loren Schenk	Montgomery
Selma Shope	Montgomery
Bill Brinkman	Montgomery
Wayne Scovel	Montgomery
Joan Gillen	Montgomery
Meredythe Hall	Montgomery
Margaret Guy	Montgomery
Charles Bergner	Pratt
Rose Mary Hubman	Butler
Amos Blecha	Republic
Russell Frey	Riley
Mary Wendland	Riley
Don Hodgson	Riley
Charlotte Sundgren	Saline
Doris Johnson	Saline
Gertrude Komarek	Saline
Carl Sundgren	Saline
Ella Will	Saline
Peggy Cooley	Saline
Kurtes Blomquist	Saline
Isabella Hutchinson	Sedgwick
Maurice Barnes	Sherman

WHO'S WHO

Left to Right

County

Albert Facklam
Ruth Meyer
Joyce Schrader
Arletha Almack

Geary
Stafford
Stafford
Sumner



Ramona Schacht
Arleta Rusk
Evelyn Scott
Dale Lee Handlin

Ellsworth
Sumner
Scott
Ellsworth



Robert Clarke
Oma Lou Frey
Jeanne Kueny
Donald Smischny

Jefferson
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Alice Ann Handlin
Joan Long Wilson
Carol Spitzer
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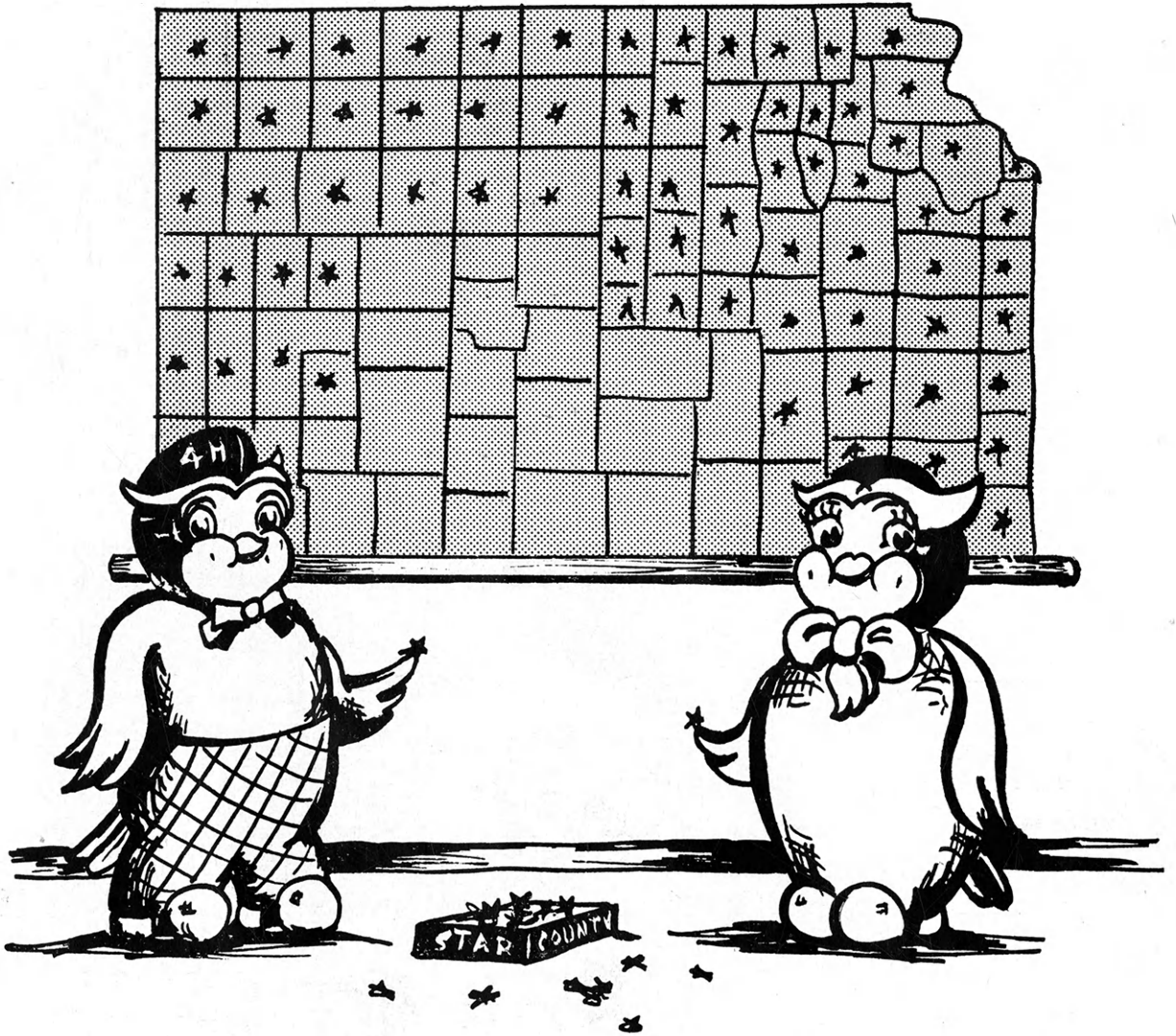


WHO'S WHO AMONG LEADERS

John Kugler, 15 years, Dickinson
Mrs. Robert Lofthouse, 20 Years, Ford
S. R. Hutcheson, 15 years, Johnson
Mrs. Chester Wright, 21 years, Lyon

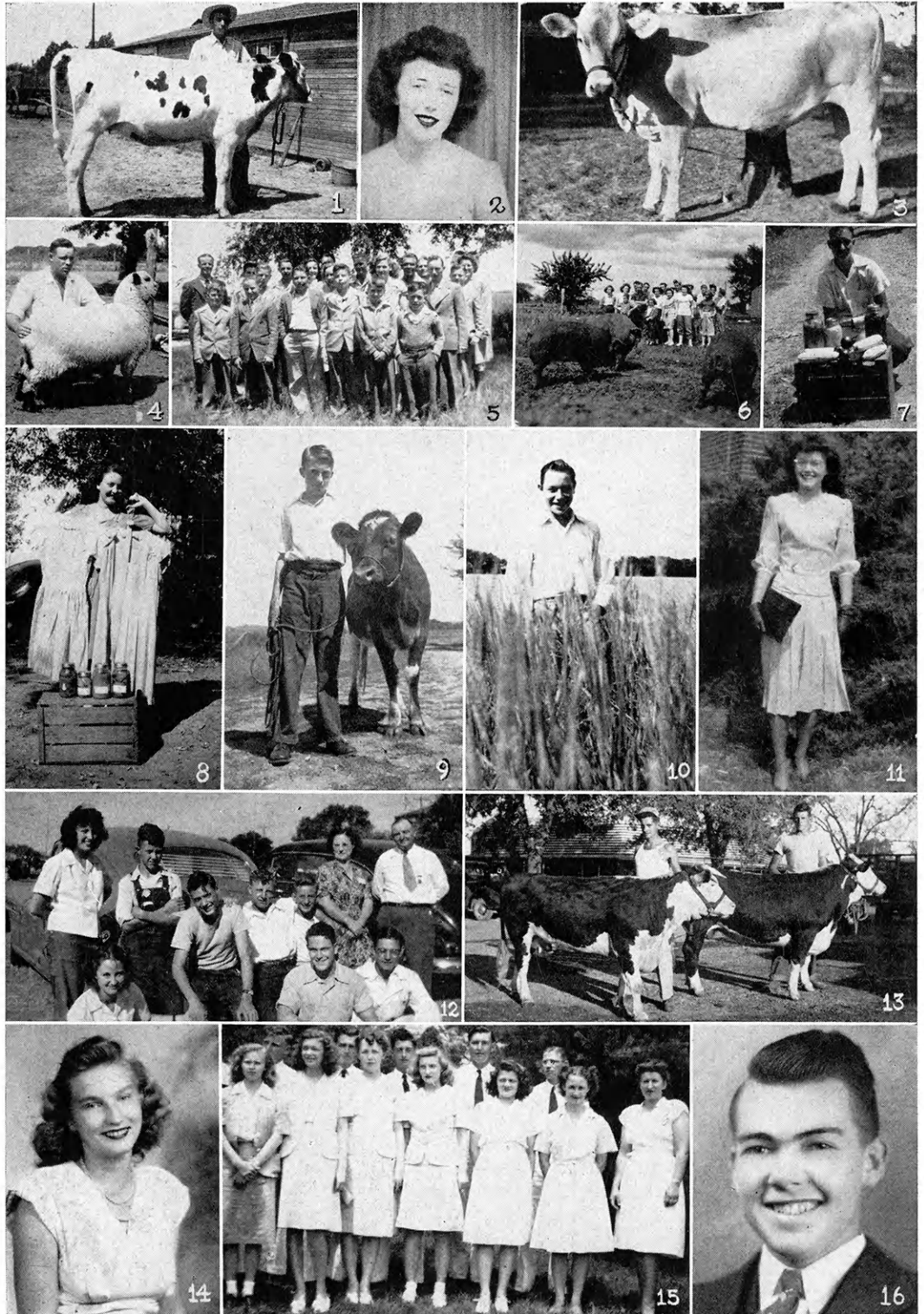
Mrs. Laurence Fauver, 15 years, Marshall
Walter Holton, 20 years, Reno
Mrs. Lucy Pottorf, 22 years, Riley
W. A. Young, 20 years, Sedgwick

Thos. Curry, 18 years, Sedgwick
Mrs. G. E. Stuckey, 17 years, Sedgwick
Mrs. John Theilen, 19 years, Neosho
George Vitt, 16 years, Neosho



THOSE WHO COOPERATE

ALLEN



1. Glen Summerville, South Logan Club, and his Holstein heifer. 2. Vera Barnett, State Promotional Talk Winner. 3. Charlotte Townsend, Onion Creek Club, owns State Grand Champion Brown Swiss heifer. 4. Charles Bachlor, South Logan Club, County Sheep Champion. 5. Dusk Patrol goes to church. 6. Laverne Lassman, Sunflower Club, shows McDonald Gilt Project. 7. Allan Ray Wiles, South Logan Club, with garden project. 8. Jean Wiles, South Logan Club, and her Home Economics project. 9. George Daniels, Busy Bees Club, and his Dairy project. 10. Charles Mueller, Sunflower Club, shows his wheat project. 11. Marlene Townsend, Allen County Style Revue Champion. 12. Some State Fair Encampers. 13. Don Ellison, Onion Creek Club, shows two Herefords. 14. Jean Howland, National Food Preparation Winner. 15. We attend Round-Up. 16. Rolland Larson, Camp Miniwanca "tripper."



325 Club members of Allen County completed a successful club year in 1947.

They participated in county wide camp, picnic and vesper service for civic organizations and their families, weekly judging schools, presentation of programs for civic organizations, and a fair with 1400 entries.

They participated in state wide events- Round Up, 40 members exhibiting at the state fairs receiving 84 ribbons, and Jack Womack—blue ribbon health contestant.

The year climaxed with Jean Howland, National Food Preparation Champion; Rolland Larson, Camp Miniwanca trip winner; Vera Barnett, State blue ribbon promotional talk winner.

The members are looking forward to redecorating their own 4-H council room in 1948.

ANDERSON

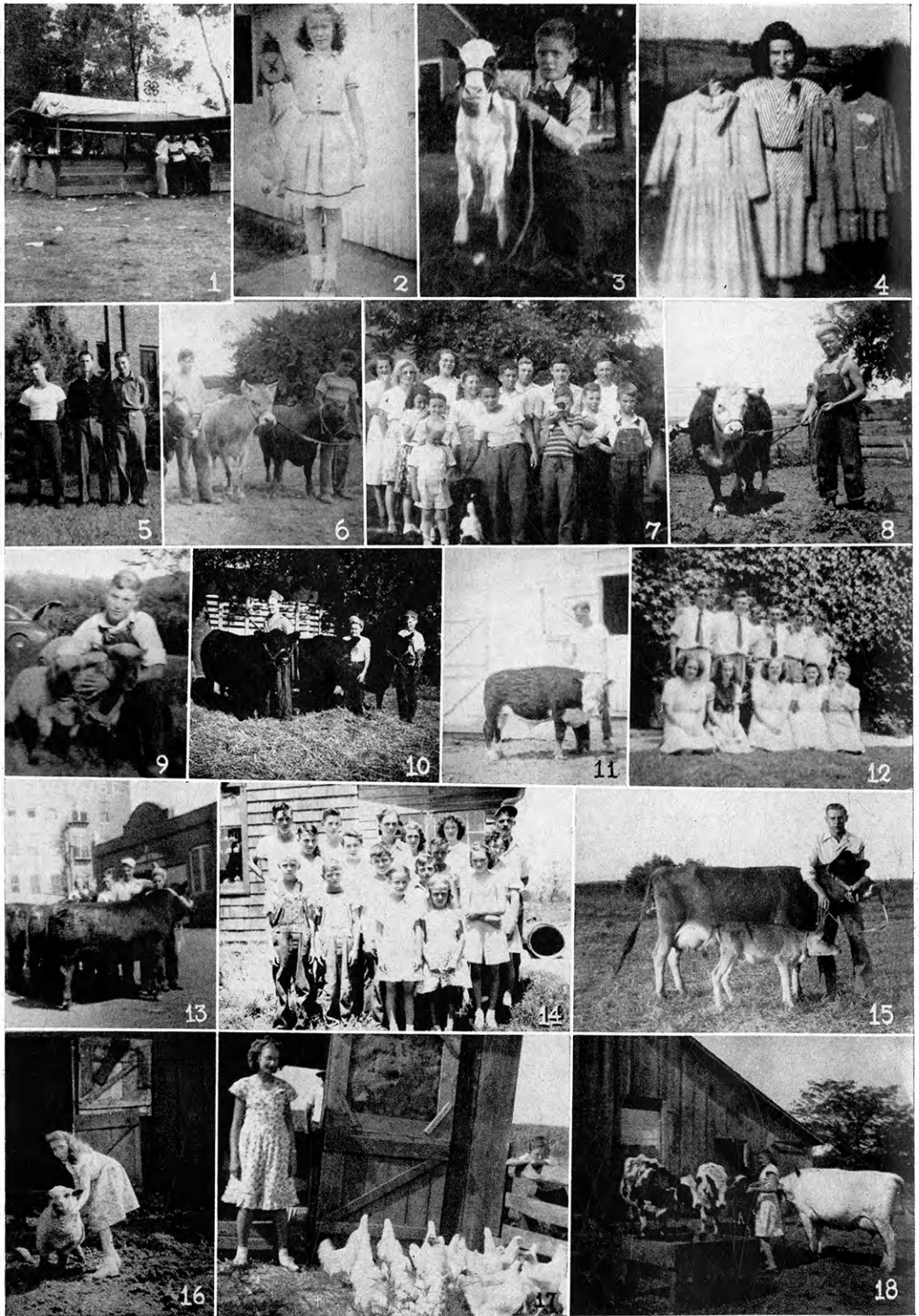


1. Gracye Wycoff, Flying "W" 4-H Club. 2. Wilma Jean Bowman, Lucky 13 4-H Club. 3. Leonard Hackstatter with safety sign he made for a dangerous corner near his home. 4. Edwin Lankard, Lucky 13 4-H Club. 5. Shooting Arrow First Aid Class. 6. Mariellen Benjamin with her Grand Champion Baby Beef, Silver Dollar 4-H Club. 7. Members of Atomic 4-H Club. 8. Conrad Hermreck with his Angus calf, Scipio Hustlers 4-H Club. 9. Jack Mahan, Flying "W" 4-H Club. 10. Members of Silver Dollar 4-H club members. 11. Lucky 13 4-H club members. 12. Members of Seekers not Slackers 4-H Club. 13. Silver Arrow 4-H members on tour. 14. Frankie Christy, Tom Creek Hustlers.

With an enrollment of 246 members in 1947, Anderson County is moving toward its membership goal in 1948. The work has been progressing under the leadership of the county agent, J. A. Hendriks. Special events last year were the county fair, the barbecue for 4-H members sponsored by the Lion's Club of Garnett, the style revue, sponsored by the BPW club of Garnett, and the American Royal trip sponsored by the Garnet Chamber of Commerce. The C. of C. furnished transportation and admission to the horse show at the American Royal for 4-H leaders and members who finished their projects. 235 people participated in this event.



ATCHISON



1. 4-H Stand, Effingham Fair. 2. Clella Schurman, Effingham 4-H. 3. John Shrader, Huskie Rustlers 4-H. 4. Stella Wagner, Mt. Pleasant 4-H. 5. Livestock Judging Team—Tommy Figgs, Max Hargrove, Chas. Overmiller. 6. Norbert and Charles Wagner, Float 4-H. 7. Parallel 4-H Tour. 8. Richard Hubbard, Rose Valley Rustlers 4-H. 9. James Watowa, Cooperative 4-H. 10. Clear Creek Baby Beef—Carl Otto Dahl, Roy Lanter, Gilmore Dahl. 11. Bill Putthoff, Effingham 4-H. 12. Round-Up Delegation. 13. County Beef Group—2nd place winners St. Joseph Baby Beef Show. 14. Sumner Comet 4-H. 15. Dwight Reece, Brush Creek 4-H, State Dairy Champion. 16. Darlene Leota Gill, Rose Valley Rustlers 4-H. 17. Linette Miller, Friendly Farmer Fellows 4-H. 18. Doris Keas, Shining Star 4-H.



Atchison County made several notable records during 1947. They had the highest enrollment, reaching 374. With 39 calves entered in St. Joseph Baby Beef Show they won 4th in carlot, 2nd in county group, a third, fifth, and two placed eighth in single classes. Members exhibited at County Fair, Tri-County Fair, Topeka Free Fair, St. Joseph Dairy Show, St. Joseph Baby Beef Show, American Royal and had judging teams and demonstration at Hutchinson Fair. Dwight Reece was selected state dairy champion. Sixty-five attended district 4-H Day. Summer tours and a camp with adjoining county added pleasure to club work.

BARBER



1. Champion and Reserve Champion of County Style Show, Janna McEndree and Melba Marquand. 2. Ridge 4-Hers and parents visit the quail hatchery at Calista. 3. Viola McCullough, Mrs. Oliver Singer, and Guy Aubley, Ridge 4-H leaders. 4. Ridge, Sunflower, Mingo and Medicine Lodge 4-H Clubs in 4-H section of July 4th parade. 5. Gene Aubley of Ridge 4-H giving his Grand Champion demonstration, Preparing a Quail Shelter. 6. Bobby Farney, Kiowa 4-H, shows his Angus breeding heifer on the club tour. 7. Barber-Harper County 4-H Campers in the pool at Camp Wentz. 8. Charlene Denison of the Hazelton 4-H, exhibits articles used in the State Fair exhibit prepared by the Hutchinson downtown decorators. 9. Hazelton 4-H UNESCO booth; Grand Champion at County Fair and one of the two UNESCO booths at the State Fair at Hutchinson.

12 clubs in Barber County had 93 per cent completion in 1947. The Spring Show and Judging School held in Medicine Lodge on May 20th began the summer's activities. 4-H club members had 512 exhibits at the 4-H show in 1947. 61 members attended the Barber-Harper 4-H Camp. 23 members made 32 exhibits at the Kansas State Fair. Trip winners in the American Royal this year were outstanding club members in Livestock and Home Economics plus the wheat champion. At the 1947 Achievement Banquet the 4-H Council invited the parents of club members for the first time.



BARTON

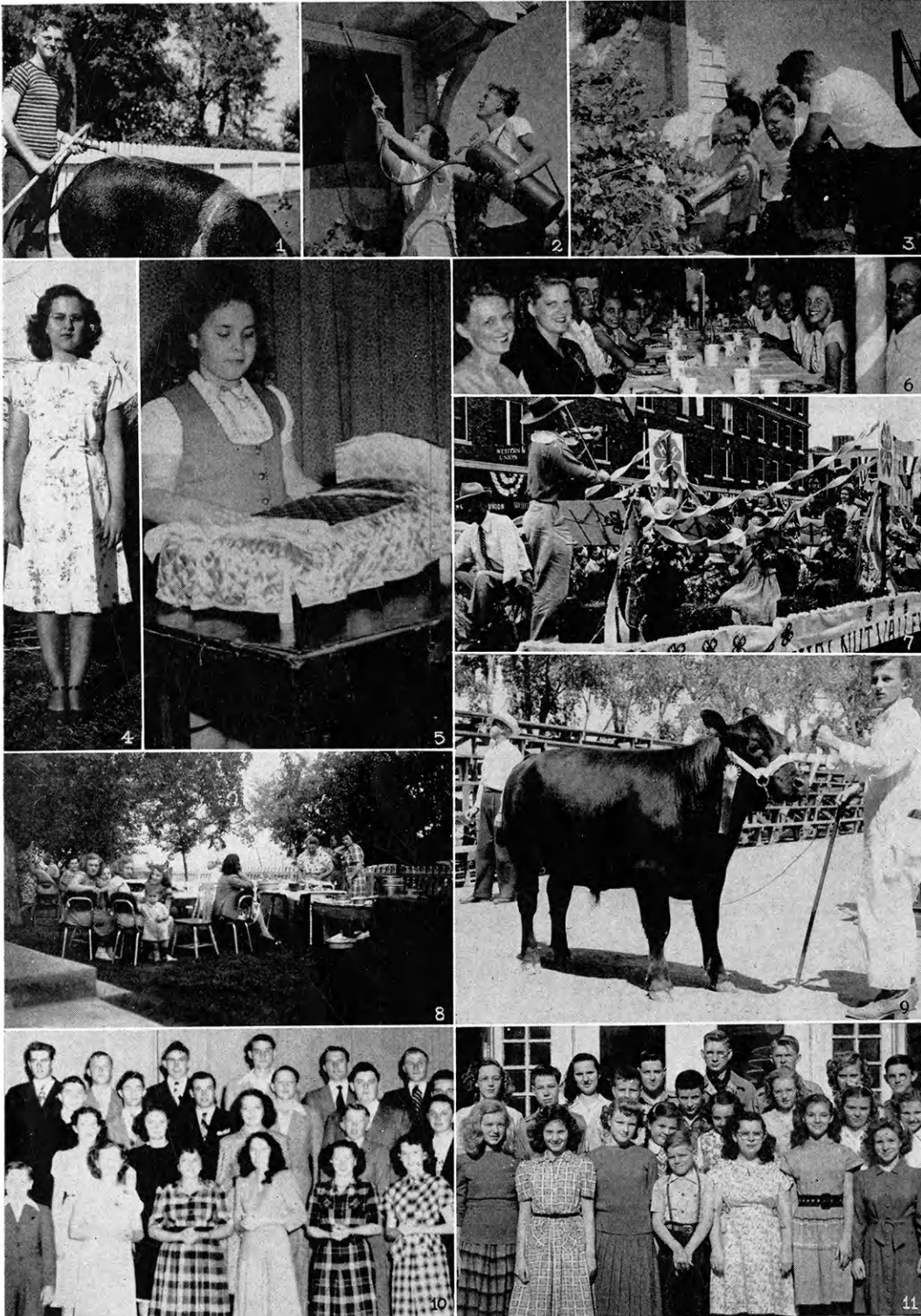
1. Cleveland 4-H wins blue ribbon square dance at County 4-H Day. 2. LeRoy Weathers, South Bend Jolly Workers, and his Angus Baby beef steer. 3. Busy Beaver 4-H club tour. 4. Herbert Besthorn, Cleveland 4-H Club, County Wheat Champion. 5. Eldon Hammeke and Ann Therese Schwartz, Cheyenne View, dairy production demonstration. 6. Eureka Homesteaders play cast at County 4-H Club Day. 7. William Thomas, Jr., Cheyenne View, and Shorthorn steer. 8. Robert Thomas, Cheyenne View, and Shorthorn steer. 9. South Bend Jolly Workers, blue ribbon model club meeting. 10. Larry Morgenstern, Union Jayhawkers, garden project. 11. Union Jayhawkers 4-H float, first prize winner at Hoisington Labor Day Parade. 12. Busy Buzzers 4-H Club model meeting at County 4-H Day. 13. Eddie Funk, Fairview Scouts, with red ribbon fat barrow at county 4-H fair. 14. Union Jayhawkers Club. 15. Donna Calhoun and Janice Murphy, South Bend Jolly Workers, Blue ribbon demonstration at Kansas State Fair. 16. Georgia Jaeger, Willing Workers 4-H. 17. Cleveland 4-H Club putting up safety signs.



374 members in 20 Barton Co. 4-H clubs completed 88.2% of their projects with a total value of \$96,994.55 in 1947.

Outstanding events of the year included the Achievement banquet, 4-H Sunday with an attendance of 275, the Annual picnic at Lake Barton for the Great Bend Chamber of Commerce, and the County Fair of 1,025 exhibits for which no prizes were awarded. Seventy-five exhibits were entered at the State Fair at Hutchinson and John Taylor, member of the Fort Zarah 4-H Club exhibited the Grand Champion Hereford female in the 4-H division.

BARTON



1. Dean Asher, Willing Workers, and Hampshire sow. 2. Alice Degner and Howard Frees, Cleveland 4-H Demonstrators. 3. Alice Degner; Robert J. Danford, County Club Agent; Howard Frees; and Herbert Besthorn; demonstrating to Cleveland 4-H members. 4. Evelyn Haberman, Eureka Homesteaders, County Style Revue Champion and Wheat Queen. 5. Lois Otte, Fort Zarah 4-H Club, with miniature bed for demonstration. 6. Walnut Valley 4-H Achievement Banquet. 7. Walnut Valley 4-H Club Float in Great Bend Diamond Jubilesta parade. 8. Willing Workers 4-H Club picnic. 9. Jerry Schrader, Fort Zarah 4-H Club, and Champion Angus-Reserve Champion of Show. 10. 1947 County Champions—Darrell Keener, Evelyn Haberman, Ann Therese Schwartz, Geraldine Stoskopf, Donna Calhoun, Rachel Ann Kramp, Joyce Nicholson, Verna Hiss, Carol June Hays, Bob Leroy, Lawrence Hiss, Vernon DeWerff, Eldon Hammeke, LeRoy Reif, Darrell Clarke, John Taylor, Herbert Besthorn, Francis Haberman, Bob Maneth, Kenneth DeWerff, Bob Merten, Howard Frees, Wayne Doll. 11. Members of Claflin 4-H Club.

Another highlight was the Wheat Festival at which Norman Held and Evelyn Haberman were crowned king and queen. Total proceeds were \$2,108.00 for the State 4-H Camp.

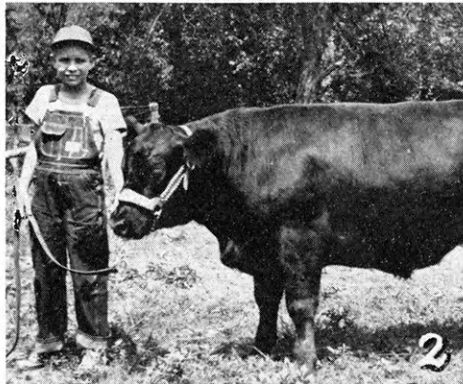
The Fort Zarah Club was honored when Norman Held was chosen as one of the four Washington Trip winners. It was also one of the seven typical 4-H Clubs of Kansas to receive the WIBW bronze plaque.

The county 4-H Day had 47 entries and 9 were represented at the District in Hays. Blue ribbons were awarded to the Composite model meeting group, the Fort Zarah play, the promotional talks by Geraldine Sloskoph and Wayne Doll, South Bend Jolly Workers demonstration, and the musical game by the Cleveland 4-H Club.



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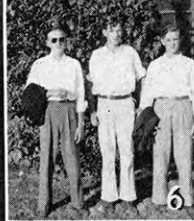
1. Bourbon County 4-H Council Float in Armistice Day parade. 2. Richard Coonrod of the Drywood Club and his 4-H Calf. 3. Northwest Scott Club on their tour. 4. Drywood Club on their tour.



Bourbon County 4-H Club work has received its inspiration and impetus through a set of outstanding 4-H Club leaders. At present there are ten clubs in the county and leaders who have been on the job for twelve years are Mrs. W. E. Collins, former leader of the Goodluck Club, and Mrs. Calvin Hunley, former leader of the Drywood Club. Mrs. C. C. Cole, leader of the Northeast Scott Club has served as a leader longer than any other club leader in the county. The work of these excellent leaders has spurred our clubs on to outstanding achievements in 4-H festival work as well as fair awards.

We, as club members, will always owe a debt of gratitude to our leaders for inspiring us to whatever achievements we have made.

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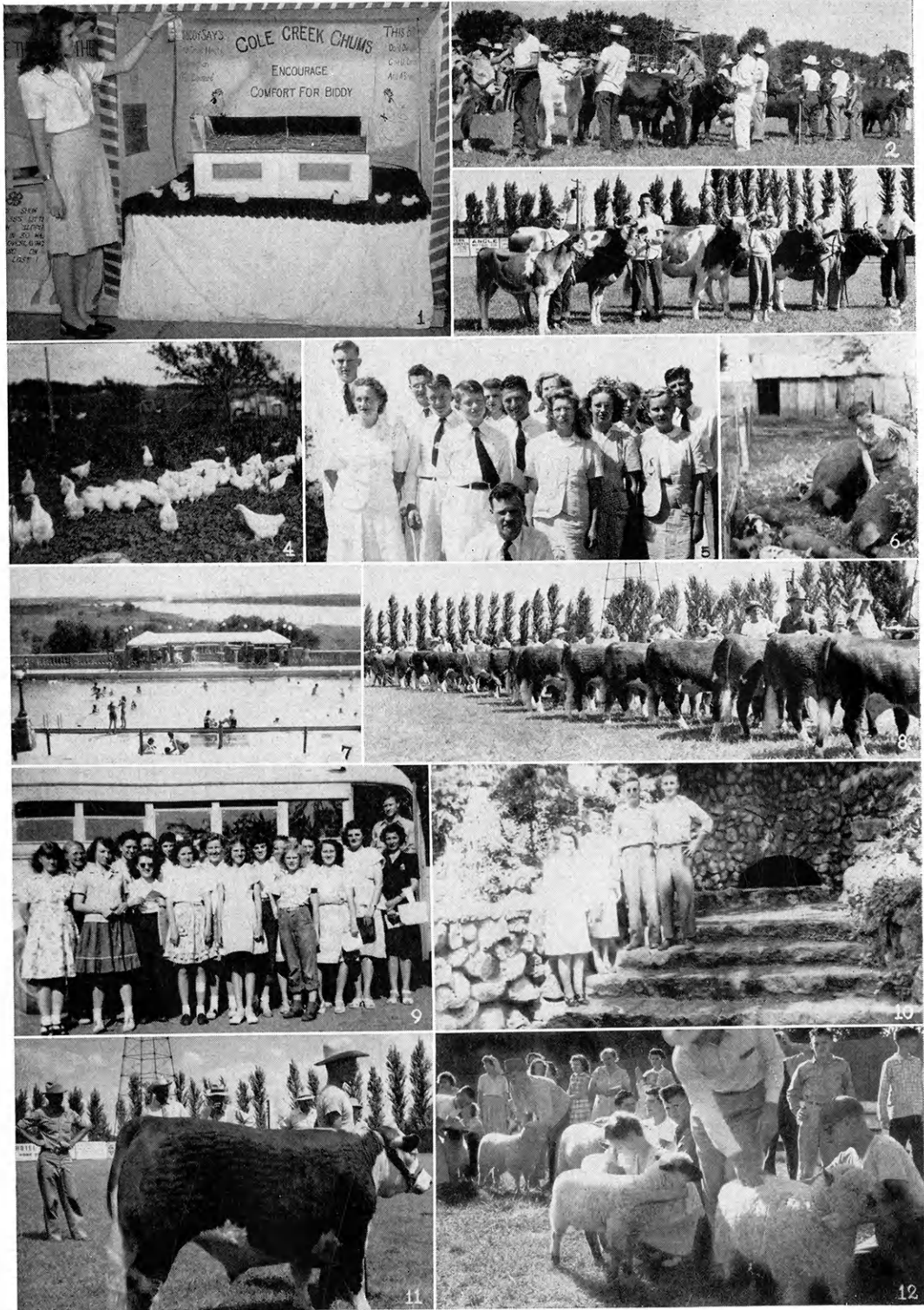
1. Jeanne and Agnes Schuetz, state champions in the clothing demonstration contest, demonstrate "Care of the Hands." 2. Round-up delegates leave the campus. Left to right, Bill Schilling, Edna Mueller, Delaine Hinkle, Ilene Severson, and Jean Thompson. 3. An afternoon meeting at the county 4-H camp. 4. A group listen to the program at the WIBW award dinner in Hiawatha. 5. 4-H Harvest Queens riding the 4-H Float include Queen Charlene Sawyer and attendants Irene Nolte and Pat Draney. 6. Brown County boys on livestock judging team, Max Oltjen, Leon Shannon and Billy Oltjen. 7. State winner in demonstrations and best groomed boy contest, Harold Sommers. 8. The 4-H Float in the Annual County Halloween Parade at Hiawatha. 9. Fairview Willing Workers present a model meeting at the county 4-H Day. 10. The Robinson Meadowlarks is recognized by WIBW as a typical Kansas 4-H Club. From left to right: W. W. Duitsman, county agent; M. Oltjen, vice-president; H. Sommers, president of 1948 4-H club council and past president of Robinson Meadowlarks; B. Oltjen, president; P. Martindale, secretary; and Margery Shideler, Home Demonstration Agent. 11. Lorene Chase preparing for a demonstration on a "Balanced Dairy Ration" receives assistance from the county agent.

There were over 300 boys and girls enrolled in the 13 Brown County 4-H Clubs in 1947. These members had projects which grossed over \$80,000, which shows "Earnen while Learnen". Highlights of the year were the county camp at Sycamore Springs, County health contest, the county tour, fall shows, Harvest Festival at Hiawatha and the 4-H Achievement Banquet. Livestock and home economics judging was stressed during the year, as was the development of demonstration teams. Maximum use was made of promotional talks before civic organizations of the county.



BUTLER

1. County Grand Champion Booth — Marilyn Stackley, club president. 2. County Shorthorn class. 3. Guernsey dairy class—left to right, D. Baker, B. Maddux, J. Mossman, K. Phillips, D. Traylor. 4. Wayne Cook's profitable White Rock chickens, Sears, Roebuck Gilt award. 5. County Round-up Group—A. Weber, R. Rector, M. Stackley, C. Seglem, G. Howrey, D. Overby, Mrs. K. C. Widler, K. Simmons, F. Hubman, Jr. 6. Richard Pennington and his Sears gilt project, separating the registered Durocs from the rest. 7. 4-H members learning to swim at Camp Wentz during county 4-H Camp. 8. County class of hereford steers — only 33 head in the class. 9. County Home Improvement tour—21 members and leaders in county bus. 10. Council Officers, R. Hubman, G. Nuttle, L. Willhite, and D. Traylor—a stop at the state 4-H Camp for a good cool rest. 11. County Grand Champion Steer — Olin Claasen, owner. 12. County class of sheep and Judge Holbart Fredrick.



Butler County 4-H members have made outstanding achievements through the leadership of adult and junior leaders with lots of backing from everyone. Membership and quality of work have been on the increase since World War II. In 1947, 374 members profited \$45,623, the main projects being beef and food preparation. Members receiving state awards were Merle Krehbiel, Safety Winner and Ronald Widler, Soil Conservation Winner. State Home Improvement Judging Team winners were Eleanor Cherryholmes, Jerry Robbins and Florence Larsen. The Livestock Judging team must not be overlooked either as it placed third at both State Fairs.



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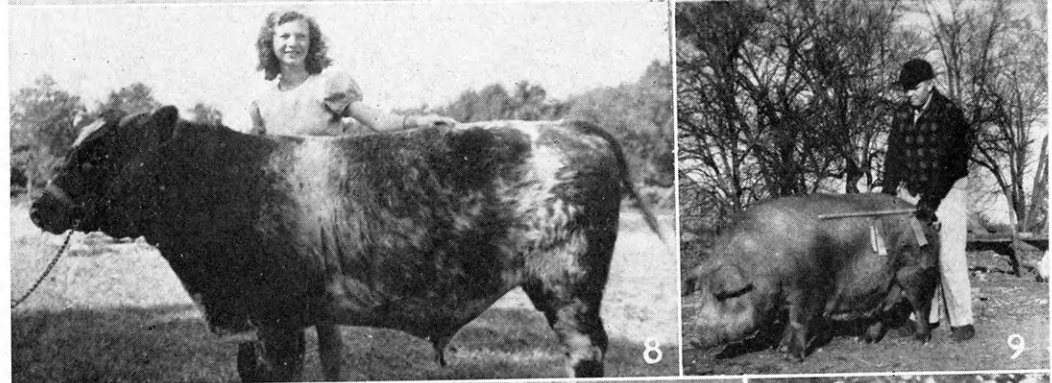
1. Wheat Queen Norma June Passmore and King Howard Wood. 2. Champion show-woman, Jane McKee, and her reserve champion Hereford at Wichita Fat Stock Show. 3. "Well Dressed for School" are these Emerald 4-H Clothing girls. 4. Posing and reporting at Roundup. 5. Jane McKee's calf gets "once over" by Dr. A. D. Weber and Phil Ljungdahl at Spring Beef Show. 6. Bazaar 4-H'ers look at Wayne Jeffrey's Calf. 7. County Champions receive medals at 4-H Achievement Banquet. 8. Charles McCabe and his fat pig project. 9. Mary Lou Davis and Joan Thompson-clothing demonstration team. 10. Home Ec Judging winners at Kansas Free Fair: Barbara Chapman, Pauline, and Norma June Passmore. 11. Norma June Passmore and Barbara Chapman, demonstration team. 12. Bobby Reidel exhibits his sheep at county fair. 13. Carol Ann Croy and her champion calf at county fair. 14. Arlene Andrews, blue ribbon winner in State Fair style revue. 15. Margaret Ann Talkington and "Dimples".

With 124 members and a 97% completion Chase County 4-H members received a good share of the state awards. Andrew Drummond was State Champion in "The Health for Better Living Activity" and received a trip to the 4-H Club Congress at Chicago. Stanley Wood was State Champion Boy in Project Achievement and later won a scholarship given by John Morrell and Company. Miles McKee won a scholarship given by Kroger for his outstanding work in 4-H.

The Home Economics judging team won first at the Topeka Fair and Jane McKee had Reserve Champion Hereford at the Wichita Fat Stock Show.



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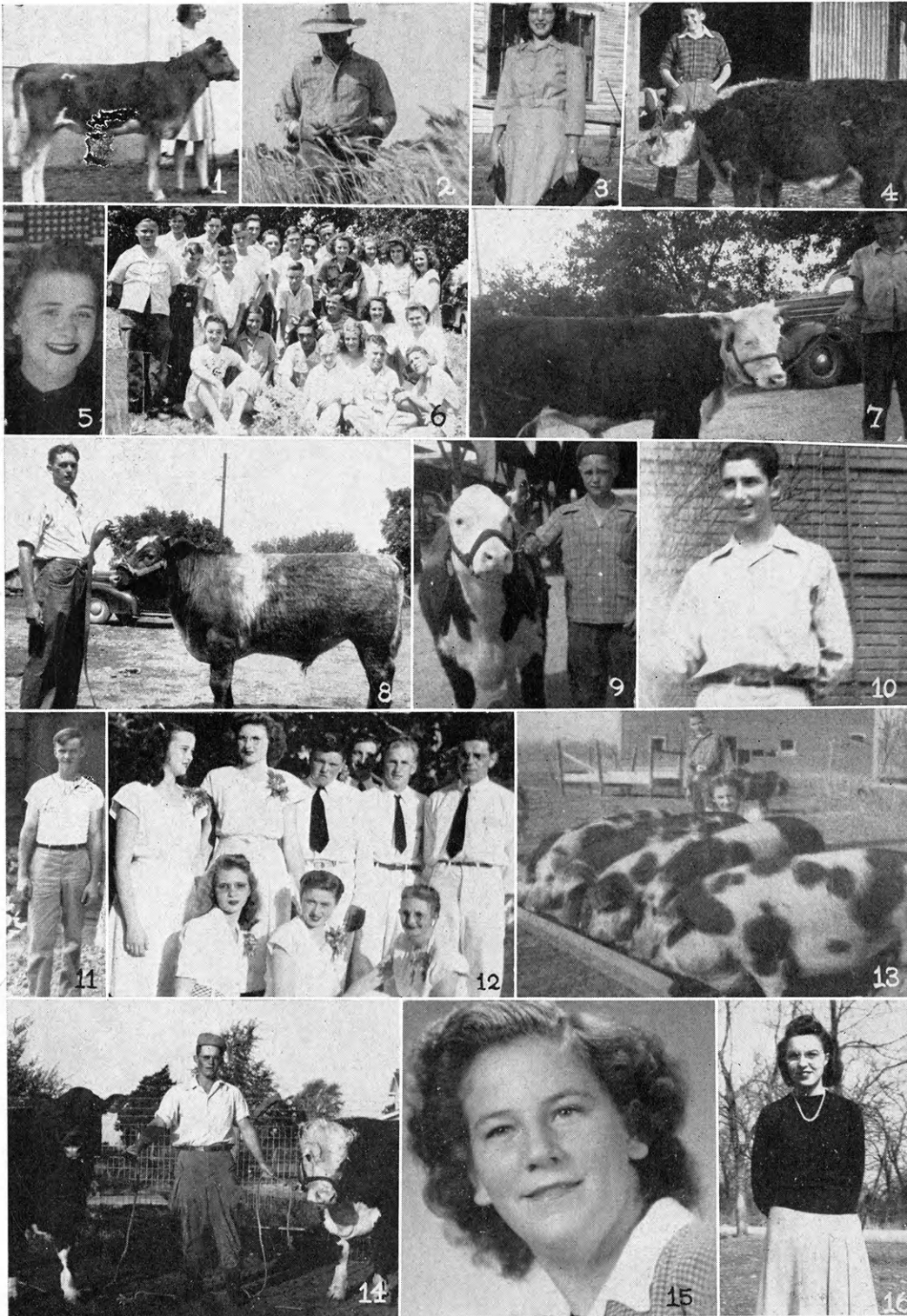


1. Betty and Shirley Fletcher with their winning breeding gilts. 2. Wanda Lee, winner of individual demonstration. 3. Kent Warstler, King of the Fall Harvest Festival. 4. John Robert O'Malley, Health Camp and County Wheat Champion and Tractor Maintenance. 5. Instrumental Ensemble who were guests at Round-Up. 6. Anita Beighey, Health Champion and member of girls county judging team. 7. Eddie Joe Meyer and his sheep project. 8. Shirley Shaffer and her baby beef. 9. Noel Mintz, county swine champion. 10. Erma Christiansen, county Garden Champion. 11. Gordon Hale, general crops winner. 12. Lynette Bowles, Home Improvement Champion.



With 202 members in 1947 Cherokee County has the highest membership in history. A harvest festival was held with benefits going to the State 4-H Camp. They were represented by an instrumental ensemble at the 1947 Round-up. The county camp was held with Crawford County at Ni Ki Ga Wa near Joplin, Missouri.

CHEROKEE



1. Dorothy Christiansen, and her dairy project, winner of the Girls Project Achievement Award, county sheep champion, and a member of the county demonstration and judging team. 2. Billy Bert Jessee, winner of the project achievement award, general livestock award, and corn champion. 3. Wilma Jean Huston, General Home Economics Champion, Style Revue Winner, American Royal Trip Winner as outstanding 4-H girl, 3rd high individual in Food Preservation Judging at State Fair; and Chicago trip winner in Food Preservation. 4. Norman Jarrett and his beef project. 5. Queen of the Fall Harvest Festival, Maxine Paxson. 6. Anna Marie O'Malley, County Clothing Champion, Santa Fe Award to Chicago, and Girls Leadership award winner. 7. Warren Wixon and his beef project. 8. Gary Ledford and his red ribbon beef at the Wichita Fat Stock Show. 9. Raymond Hartman and his reserve champion calf at the Joplin Beef Show. 10. Eugene Carr, Dairy Project Winner. 11. Tom Grant, Winner of Boys Leadership Award. 12. Round-Up Delegates. 13. Donna and Verlyn Whites' swine project.

Wilma Jean Huston was State Food Preservation Champion. Anna Marie O'Malley was a trip winner and attended National Club Congress. A county club agent is to be employed and the membership drive is the major project in 1948.



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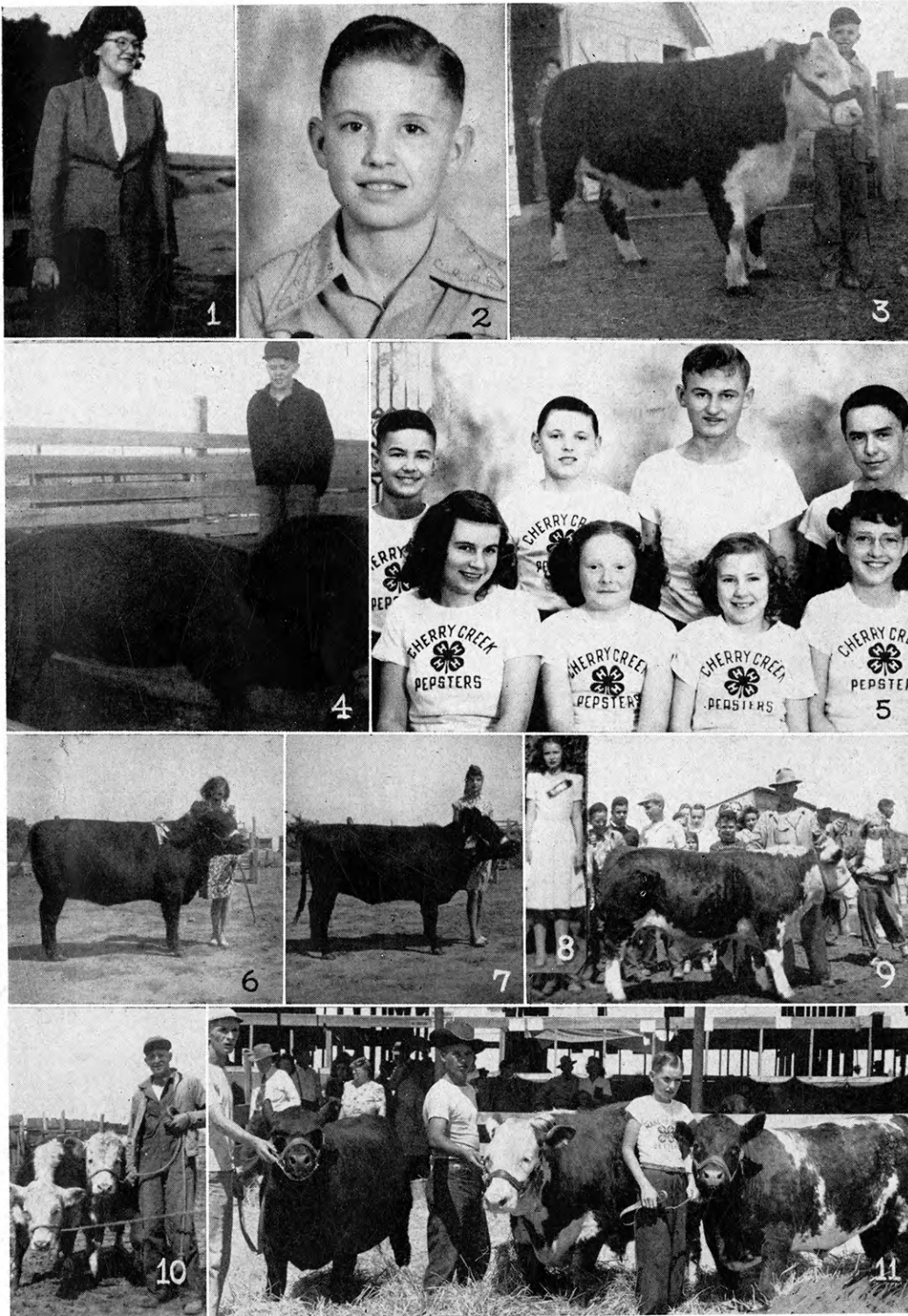


1. Picnic dinner at Achievement Day. 2. A picture caught between swimming and handieraft at summer camp. 3. Four members of the Malone family belong to the Belknap Boosters Club. 4. Junior leaders and county agent at Cedar Bluff Junior Leaders Camp. 5. Mary Louise Appleby is awarded the county beef championship ribbon. 6. Carolee Ward and Mary Louise Appleby, county food preparation and home economics champions. 7. Class in handieraft at Chautauqua-Elk County camp. 8. Blue ribbon group of beef calves and their owners. 9. Round-up delegates at Manhattan. 10. Marjorie Archer, Cloverdale Club, and some of her clothing projects. 11. A demonstration by a Cloverdale Club team. 12. Style revue entries at Achievement Day. 13. Some 4-H boys are interested in a new tractor. 14. Judging county 4-H beef show.



Activities and interest in 4-H Club work steadily increases showing a 43% increase in enrollment this year. Six clubs with 102 members carried 181 projects, the baby beef project being the most popular. A baby beef show, Achievement Day, and tours or picnics combined to create interest in club work. A two day camp at Sedan Lake provided wholesome recreation and profitable education. Dale Apel represented Kansas at the National 4-H Camp in Washington, D. C. and received the State Board of Agriculture Medal at the State Fair. Chautauqua county was represented at 4-H Round-up, State Fair, Fat Stock Show, and the Coffeyville Fair.

CHEYENNE



1. Jeananne McDowell, wearing blue ribbon costume at State Fair. 2. Gary Neilan, county champion in new reporting and blue ribbon at state fair. 3. Bradley Waters, with Hereford that placed high at Denver Stock Show. 4. John Alden with prize pigs. 5. Cherry Creek Pepsters 4-H, organized in 1947. 6. Beverly Brown, holding Angus heifer which held Grand Champion for 2 years. 7. Donna J. Brown with Angus heifer, Reserve Grand Champion at County fair. 8. Charlene Witham, county style revue champion. 9. Lawnridge 4-H Club tour. 10. Terry Gardner, Reserve championship calves. 11. Philip Sherlock, Rubeen Landenberger and Gary Neilan, Plum Creek Boosters Club, and champion calves.

The 200 4-H Club members of Cheyenne County feel they are really growing, in number, in of clubs and in the scope of their projects and activities. 124 4-H Club calves were on display at the County Fair. Several clubs are cooperating to help improve the county fairgrounds.

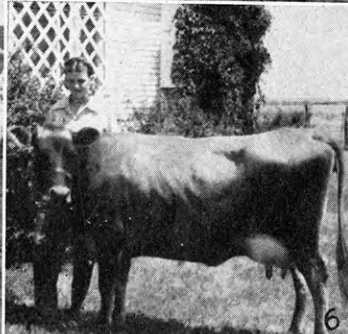
Forty club members from the county joined with 4-H'ers from Sherman, Thomas and Rawlins County to enjoy a 3 day camp at Cameron Pass, Colorado's State 4-H Club Camp.

Money is now being raised to purchase a movie projector to be used in the county by all members of the Extension group.



CLARK

1. Duane Dorsey and his garden project. 2. Cottonwood 4-H Club Tour viewing Ivan Salyer's calf. 3. Bear Creek Club. 4. Club members. 5. Ellen Allison. 6. Irene Crane, Lexington 4-H. 7. Rita Mae Waugh. 8. Carlyn Waugh. 9. Helen Gardiner. 10. Morris Chadwick and a prize tomato.

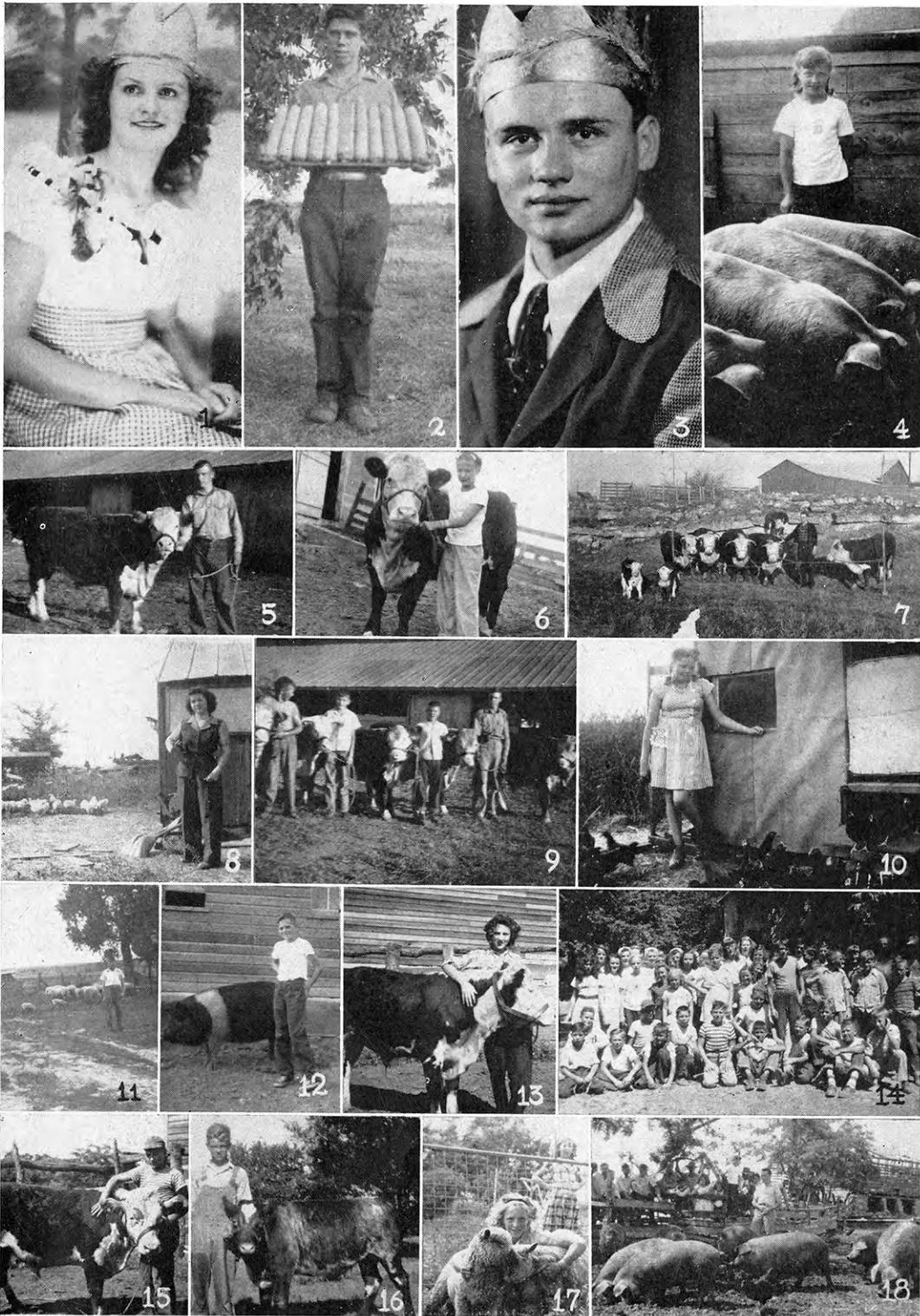


The new 4-H building for county fairs, banquets, parties, training schools, and meeting has been Clark County's project for the past year.

All events have been centered around the new building. One of the biggest things of the year was the 4-H carnival held to raise money for equipping a kitchen. The big 40 by 90 meeting room was filled to the bursting point with carnival enthusiasts, who had come to help the 4-H with its building project.

The quonset is now completed for gatherings of all kinds. A modern kitchen and rest rooms will soon be equipped, making the building usable for all types of events.

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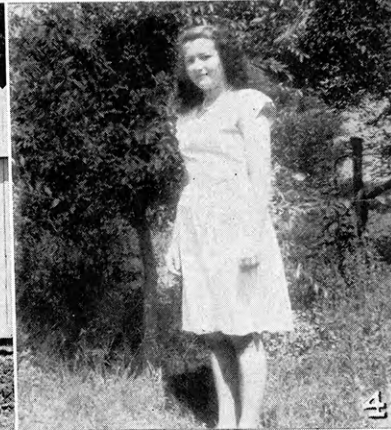
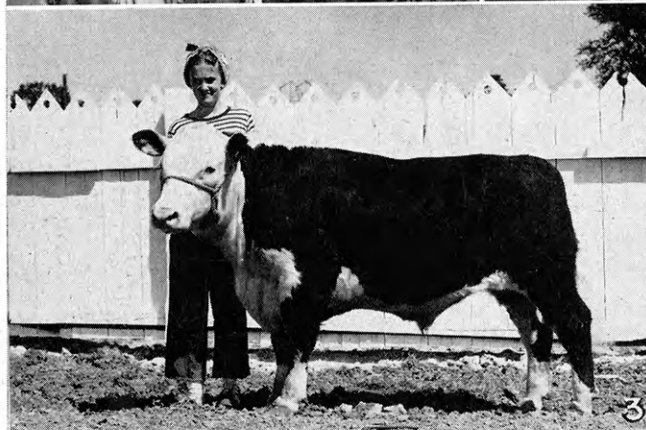


1. Lois Jean Elsasser, Industry Workers, county wheat queen. 2. Eugene Melton, Industry 4-H Club. 3. Karl Raw, county wheat king, Industry Hustlers. 4. Carolyn Hughes, Grant-Go-Getters 4-H, with O.I.C. fat market pig. 5. Harlan Riechers, Schaubel 4-H, Grand Champion Baby Beef. 6. Charlene Haake, Lincoln Creek, beef project. 7. Karl Raw, Industry 4-H Club. 8. Elsie Braun, Olive Hill, County Poultry Champion. 9. Schaubel Club beef exhibit. 10. Dorothy Gewelts, Olive Hill 4-H, displays poultry project. 11. Jimmy Braden, Union Rustlers, and sheep project. 12. Gary Griffith with Hampshire gilt, Lincoln Creek 4-H. 13. Nola Eib, Lincoln Creek 4-H Club. 14. County camping group. 15. Ned Eib with baby beef, Lincoln Creek. 16. Fredrick Lenhart with Shorthorn Heifer, Lady-smith 4-H Club. 17. Linda Rundle and sheep project, Lincoln Creek 4-H. 18. Paul Magler and swine project on Olive Hill Club Tour.

Clay County had 262 enrolled in 570 projects. Club work was conducted in twelve clubs, three of which were organized during year. Clay County 4-H Clubs donated \$1,330.00 to the State 4-H Camp as a result of the Wheat Festival, which was climaxed by the coronation ceremonies conducted by Gov. Carlson at the Clay County Fair. Fund raising campaign conducted by the Council was a Food Stand operated at the County Fair, which netted \$521.00. Other county wide activities were: St. Patricks' Party, climaxing membership drive; 4-H Sunday; County Camp at Rock Springs; Grandstand program at the Fair; and radio program over KSAC.



Coffey



1. Jolly Boosters Folk game at District 4-H Day. 2. Jolly Boosters 4-H Club 4th of July Float. 3. Eleanor George and her grand champion steer "Harrigan." 4. Dorene Hatch, Reporter, Champion 4-H Club. 5. Best Ever 4-H Club. 6. Clark Hatch, Champion 4-H Club. 7. Champion 4-H Sewing Club; Mary Hoach, Dorene Hatch, Aileen Schultz, Virginia Phillips, Kathleen Knapp, and Betty Ann Beyer. 8. Dale Hughes, Best Ever Club.



Coffey County boasts a new 16 mm, sound motion picture projector, contributed by 4-H Clubs, Home Demonstration Units, Soil Conservation Service and individuals.

One of the highlights of the year was the achievement party sponsored by the Burlington Commercial Club. The Coffey County Bankers Association awarded a trophy to the Best Ever Club for being the outstanding club in the county. Cash awards were received by all project winners and the outstanding boy and girl in the county.



COFFEY

1. Kathleen Calvert, Blue Ribbon Club. 2. Weighing Vernon Long's pig. 3. Tip Top 4-H Club girls at project meeting. 4. Larry and Randall Schif with Pat and Mike, Champion 4-H Club. 5. David Davies, Vernon Long and Jackson George in Davies' corn. 6. Betty Ingversen, County Corn Champion. 7. Betty Ann Beyer, Champion 4-H Club. 8. Snowden Moore and his corn. 9. Stephen Yoho and baby beef. 10. Mary Ann Markham, Best Ever Club. 11. Glenn Beyer, Champion Club. 12. Norman Clem, Best Yet Club. 13. Best Yet Club Tour.

234 members were represented by 8 delegates to roundup, 4 to the District Festival, 3 to the American Royal and 1 to Health Camp in 1947.

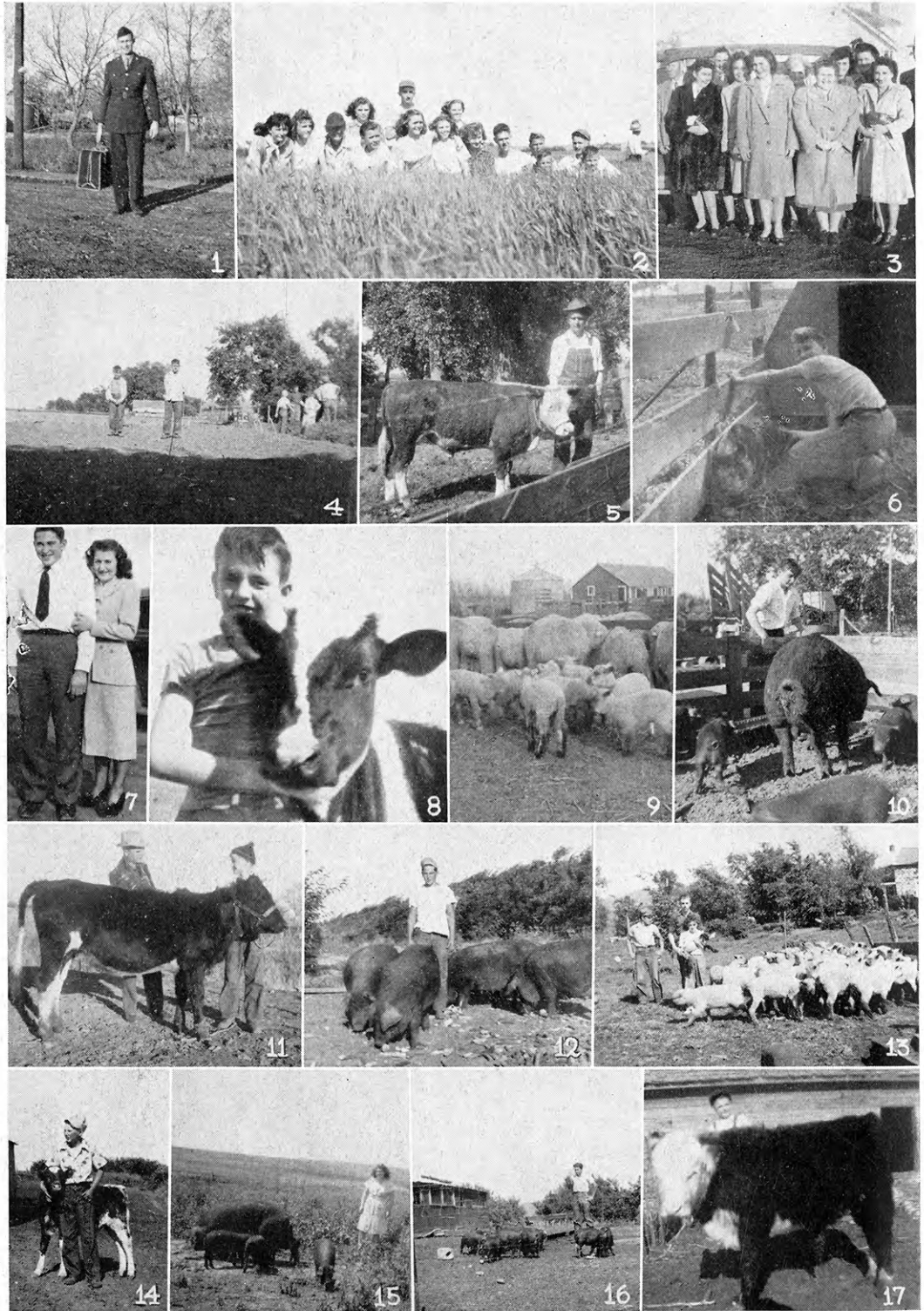
Instead of County Camp an all day picnic was held in the Waverly City Park, sponsored by the Waverly Chamber of Commerce. There were games, contests, and a basket dinner enjoyed by all.

Club members painted mail boxes, planted shrubs, and mowed church lawns as a community project.

Eleanor George received 50 cents a pound for her grand champion steer at the livestock sale at the Coffey County fair.



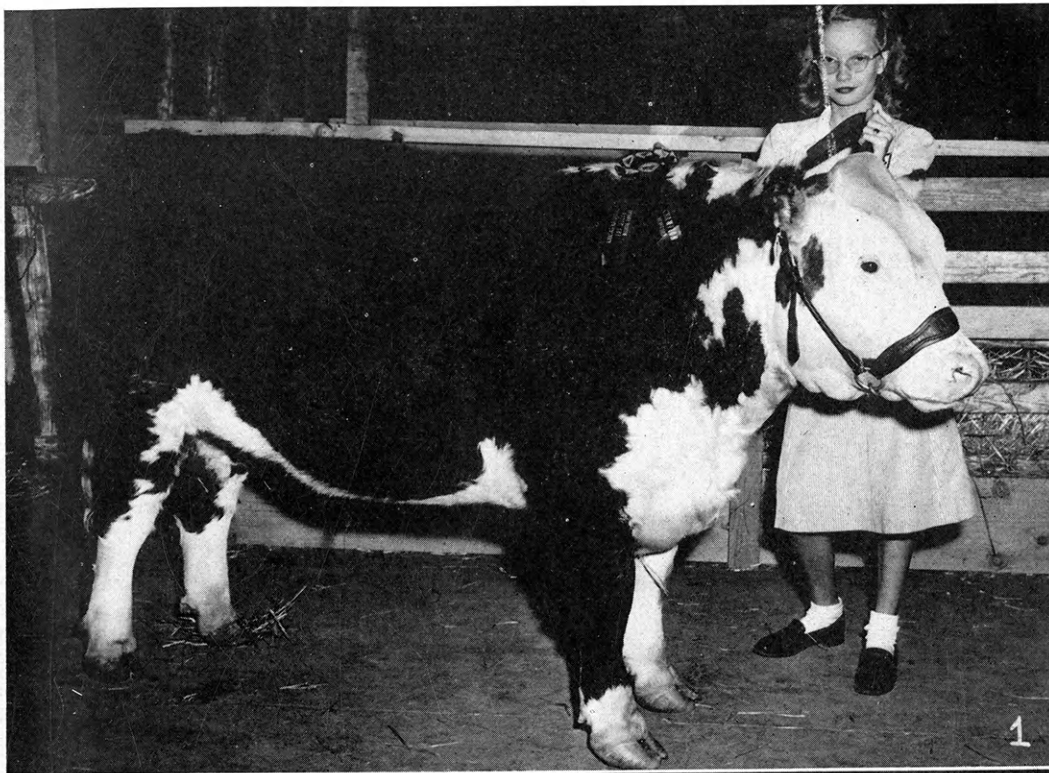
CLOUD



1. Harold Dalrymple, Chicago trip winner, Solomon Valley Club. 2. Republican Valley Club members in Robert Larson's Pawnee wheat project. 3. H.D.A. Miss McCall and 10 club leaders on way to Salina leaders training meeting. 4. John and Gary Davis and their garden. 5. Mark Morgan, Hollis Improvement Club and his baby beef project. 6. Eddie Kocher, Meredith Center 4-H and his Berkshire. 7. Nellie and Don Hudsonpillar, President and Vice-President of Happy Go-Lucky Club. 8. Glenn Swoyer, County Dairy Champion, Solomon Valley 4-H. 9. Duane Owen, Willing Workers, and sow and litter project. 10. December lambs are money makers for Robert Larson, President of the Republican Valley 4-H. 11. Wallace Beery, Happy 4-H'ers Club, talks over his dairy project with the County Agent. 12. Don Hudsonpillar, Happy-Go-Lucky Club and Purebred Durocs. 13. Wayne, Floyd and Betty Bronson, Willing Workers, and sheep project. 14. Earl Guiot, Willing Workers. 15. Joan Ekstrom, Hollis Improvement Club. 16. Floyd Naillieux, Willing Workers Club and his pig project. 17. Larry Pracht, Meredith Center Club.

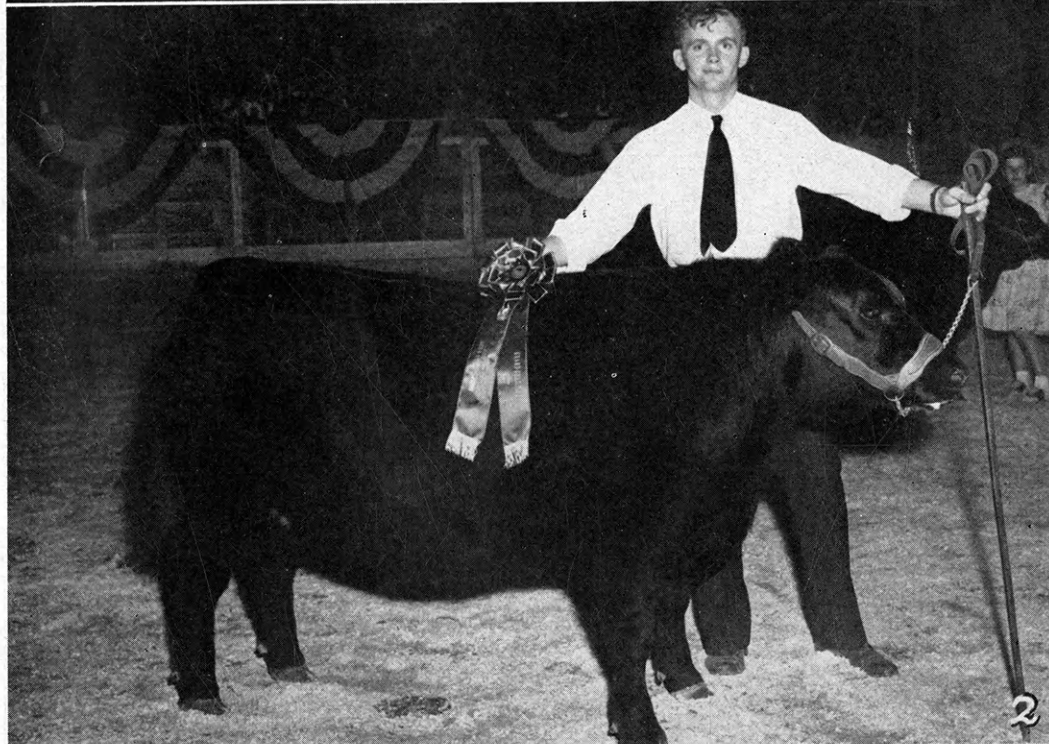


300 club members is the goal for Cloud County in 1948. Leaders meetings are held the second Wednesday night of each month that the council doesn't meet, for subject matter training and a general get-together. Solomon Valley club has a schoolhouse of its own for a meeting place. It seats about 50 and the basement is fixed for the adults to play cards and visit during the meeting. The council is very active under the leadership of Robert Larson of Concordia who is also president of the Republican Valley Club. 1948 started with a bang when 72 leaders and members attended the Cloud County officers training school January 22.



COMANCHE

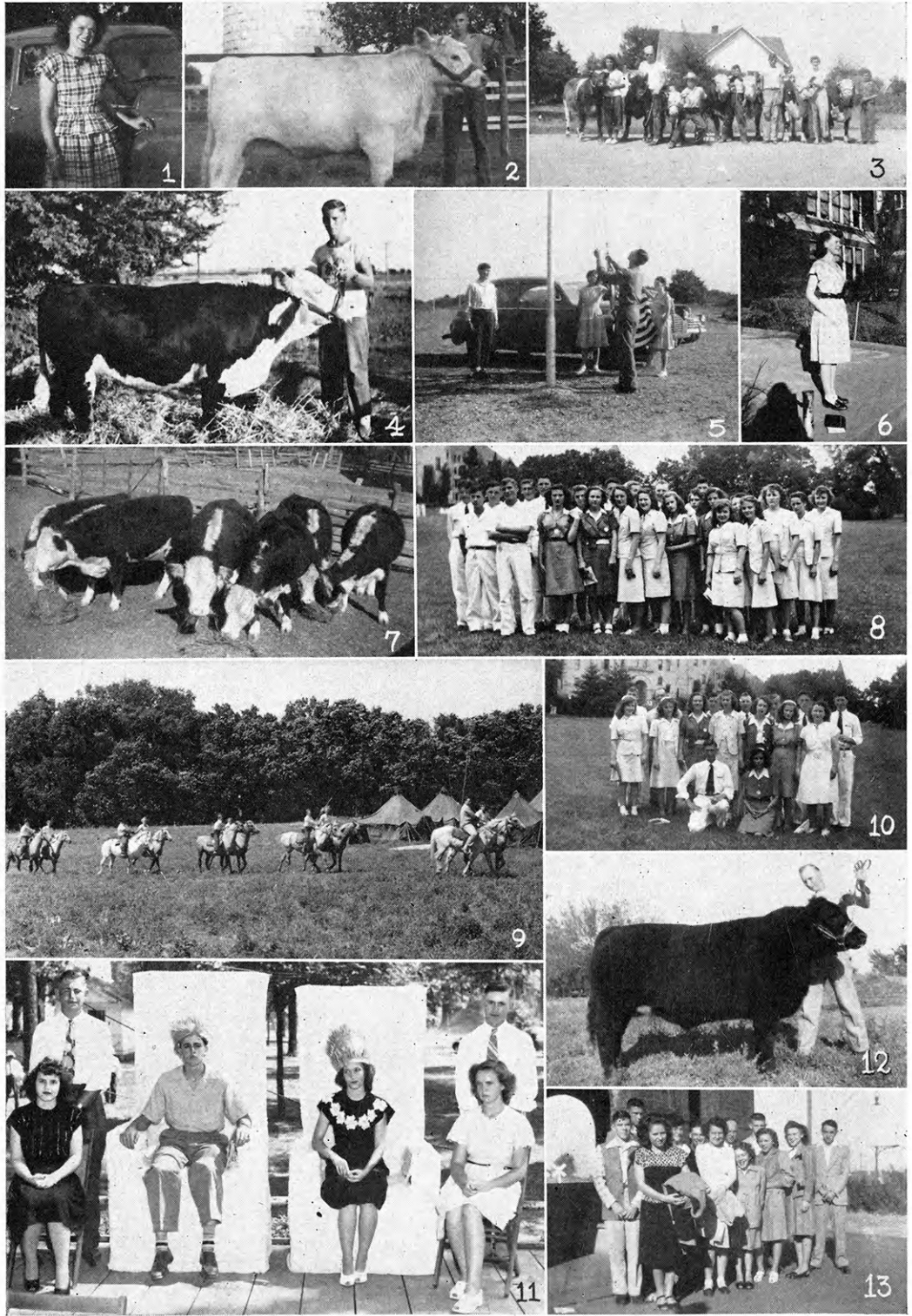
1. Shirley Stewart, Loyal Hustlers 4-H Club, with "Big Stuff", the champion Hereford of the Kansas National Fat Stock Show at Wichita in October, and also Reserve Champion of the entire show. 2. Larry Seaman, Greenleaf 4-H Club with "Shorty", the champion Angus of the Kansas National Fat Stock Show held at Wichita, and also Grand Champion of the entire show. Larry was showmanship champion of the beef division.



Comanche is proud of its champions at the Wichita Fat Stock Show in October. It was the only time in history that one county had a grand champion and also a reserve champion.



COWLEY



1. Eleanor Orłowski, county champion in Leadership and Health. 2. Donald Hunt and Fat Stock Show entry. 3. Beef project members of Dexter Club show animals at Local Club Achievement Day. Group is headed by Patricia Allen, whose short-horn received the championship at County Show. 4. Billy Tharp and Champion Hereford of Cowley County Fair. 5. Flag raising at county camp. Elaine Moon, Donna Lee Williams, Roger Warren and Jess Leith in action. 6. Champion wash dress at county and state fairs was made by Donna Lee Williams who enjoys wearing it to school. 7. Champion Animal and Champion pen of Deferred Steers at Burden Show were these of Don Drake's. 8. Cowley County's 1947 Round-Up delegation. 9. Salem Grove 4-H Club members ride State Camp horses on week-end visit to camp. 10. Cowley County's 1947 State Champion Model Meeting Squad headed by Gerald Wilson, president, and Patricia Lawrence, secretary, shown kneeling in front of group. 11. King, John DeMott, and Queen, Darlene Conser, of the Wheat Festival are attended by Philip Miller and Mary Lee Wood, Merlin Keeley and Joyce Scott. 12. Charles Callahan's 1947 American Royal entry shown by Claude Messner, county Leadership Champion. 13. Burden Club State Winners of "Health for Better Living Activity" and the American Royal Trip.

528 club members completed 1034 projects with a gross value of \$147,852 in 1947. Members exhibited 1512 projects at the county fairs and were represented at the State fairs and American Royal with 125 entries and 11 judging teams.

Training schools were held in judging demonstrations, recreation, health, soil and water conservation and safety and fire prevention.

Cowley county was the first county to camp at the new Camp Horizon near Silverdale. Seventy-six junior leaders and eighty-six adult leaders voluntarily gave their service to 4-H work; in appreciation the 4-H council gave a banquet in their honor.

The Rural Youth group is quite active and takes part in all district and state activities.

COWLEY

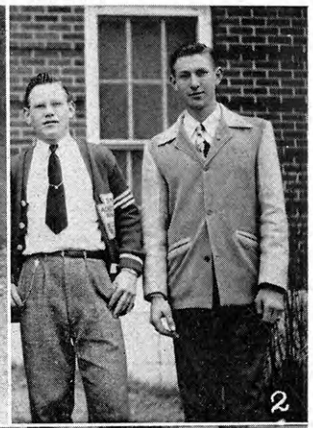


1. Lois V. Gwin, H. D. A. and Charles Hoyt, Club Agent as they judge at Chautauqua county fair. 2. Dorothy Haslett, county champion in News Writing and Food Preservation. 3. Eugene Leftwich, County Council President and County Sheep Champion. 4. Jeanine Womacks, county champion in Home Improvement. 5. Style Revue Champion, Mary Louise Clark and Best Groomed Boy, John DeMott receive champion awards from club agent, Charles Hoyt. 6. Tommy Groene, Camp Mayor, Glen David, Camp Chief, Elaine Moon, Roger Warren and Donna Lee Williams on Camp Weed Identification tour. 7. Betty Jane Good, Washington Trip Winner of 1947. 8. Maxine Beightol and attendants on Champion Float of Wheat Festival Parade. 9. Elden Richardson and father show Elden's beef herd and his Shorthorn Dairy Heifer won as a result of a Champion Sears Foundation Gift. 10. Carol Kennedy and Ruth Ireton, County demonstration champions with Dairy Production Demonstration. 11. LeRoy Osborn and father with Sears Foundation Gilt. 12. Tisdale Club's champion float in Armistice Day parade.

With 182 additional club members in 1947 Cowley County continued their steady membership increase. Club tours, judging schools and County camp were attractive summer activities. Betty Jane Good, Leadership Champion, attended National Club Congress, Washington, D. C., in June. Cowley County Model Meeting Squad was chosen to attend the 1947 Round-up as the outstanding group. Ten club members and two adult leaders of Burden 4-H Club attended the American Royal as State winners of "Health for Better Living Activity." A membership of 657 members in 23 clubs, placed Cowley County second high in 1947.



CRAWFORD



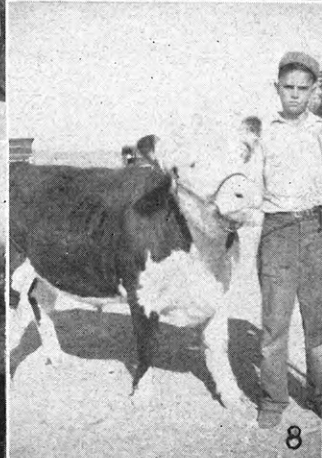
1. County Camp group at Joplin. 2. Donald Ginardi 4-H Council President and Jean Morey. 3. Norma Laferty, Jolly Sunflower 4-H Club, Demonstration Champion. 4. Darlene Hanks, Meyers Mixers 4-H Club, County Style Revue Champion. 5. State fair delegation. 6. Jolly Jayhawks 4-H Club Tour. 7. Round-Up Delegation.



With a total of 376 members in 20 clubs, a 33% increase over 1946, Crawford County has made steady progress during 1947 with a vast project and activity program.

Four-H'ers and leaders actively participated in the following:
 Junior Leadership Camp at Coffeyville, State Health Camp, County Basketball Tournament, County and State 4-H Fairs, County Camp at Joplin, American Royal, County Achievement Banquet, Joplin Jr. Beef Show and the Wichita Fat Stock Show.

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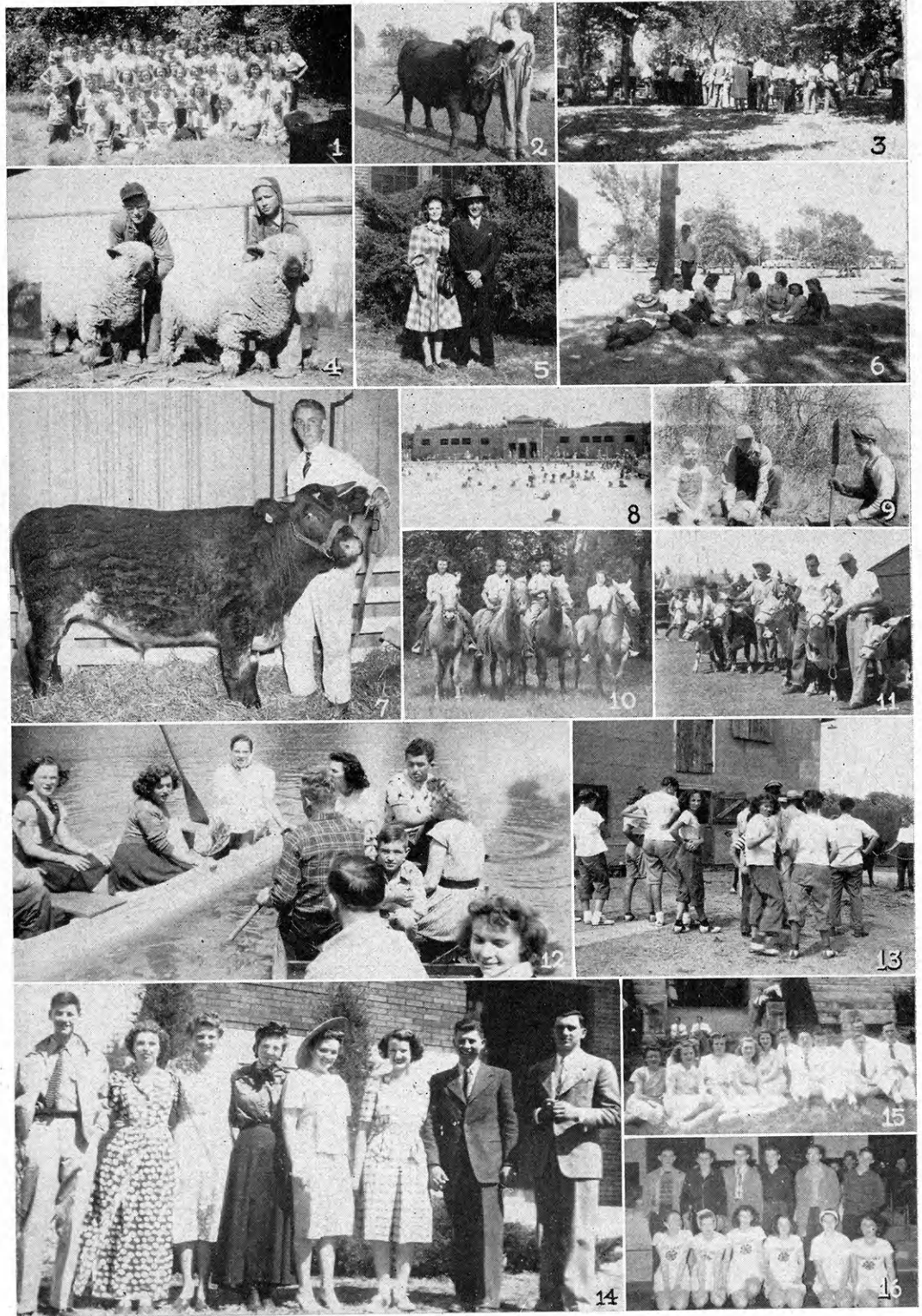


1. Decatur County Delegates to Round Up at Manhattan. 2. Oberlin Hustlers 4-H Club, winner of Scrap Paper Drive. The club turned in 4840 pounds. 3. Arlo Wurm and his purebred Holstein dairy heifer. Sappa Valley 4-H Club. 4. Eight sisters, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Al Hickert, who are or have been members of Lone Star Hustlers 4-H Club. 5. Karen Nielsen, County Style Review winner and Champion potato grower, and was also first in Leadership. 6. Prairie Meadowlarks 4-H club officers. Carl Lafferty, Sec.; Joy Cathcart, Pres.; and Donna Rush, Reporter. 7. Delmar Anderson and his Angus calf. Sappa Valley 4-H Club. 8. Willis Carman, of Oberlin Hustlers 4-H Club and his Hereford calf. 9. 4-H group from Decatur County that attended State Fair. 10. Henry and Wayne Cooter of Mt. Pleasant 4-H Club and their calves that were shown at the Denver Stock Show. 11. Dole Anderson and his Hereford calf. Sappa Valley 4-H club. 12. 4-H refreshment booth at the 1947 County Fair. 13. Voyle Miller of Prairie Meadowlarks 4-H Club giving a health talk at a regular meeting.

Under the leadership of Mr. Rodney Partch, County Agent, the Decatur County 4-H Clubs are progressing and prospering. The membership has increased from over 100 members in 1944 to 238 in 1947. In 1947, 4-Hers produced 36,500 lbs. of beef, raised 5,900 bu. of wheat and raised \$3500 to contribute to the county 4-H building. The club activities are varied, interesting and educational. They include Spring Festivals, 4-H tours, camps, achievement banquets, and County and State Fairs. There were six delegates to Round-Up at Manhattan, eleven members to State Fairs, and three members went to the American Royal at Kansas City.



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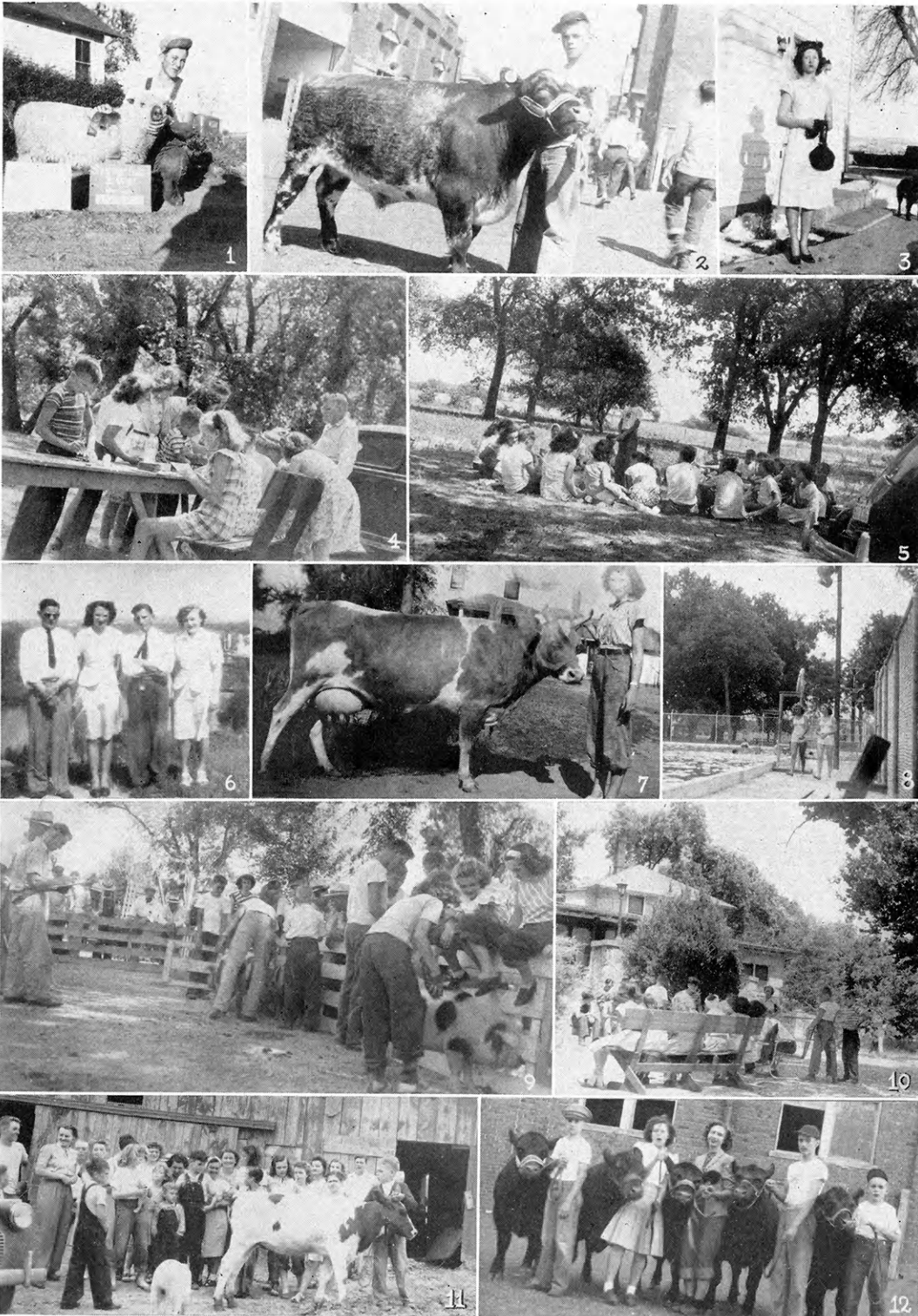


1. 4-H members at Rock Springs Ranch. 2. Joan Heiens, Abilene Aggies 4-H Club, with her Grand Champion baby beef. 3. 4-H'ers and parents at basket dinner on 4-H Sunday. 4. Donald and Kenneth McCosh, Talmage Progressive 4-H Club and their lamb projects. 5. Mildred Gibson and Clarence Garten, state blue ribbon winners in style revue and best groomed boy contests. 6. State Fair delegates rest before starting home. 7. 1947 Dickinson County camp calf fed for Sand Springs Rustlers Club by Merlin Moorman, club president. 8. 4-H members swimming as guests of the chamber of commerce, business men's picnic. 9. Navarre Boosters 4-H Club build a wildlife reserve in their community. 10. Members from Carry Creek Rustlers 4-H Club enjoy horseback riding at State Club Camp. 11. Navarre Boosters 4-H Club on annual tour. 12. Willing Willowdalers boating before the taking of the county 4-H motion picture. 13. Holland Sunflowers on annual club tour. 14. Harmony Hustler's blue ribbon play cast at district festival at Council Grove. 15. Round-up delegates in 1947. 16. Holland Sunflowers basketball team which was runner up in finals.



Dickinson County 4-H Club members have an active year-around program under the direction of Merlin Line, county club agent. In addition to regular project work, basketball games, skating parties, and spring festivals play an important part in the club members life. In 1947 over two hundred members took part in the filming of a 4-H motion picture. A basket dinner for club members and parents follows the 4-H Sunday services. Along with their regular summer's work the members find time to have a fried chicken dinner for the business men who sponsor the Achievement Banquet in the fall. County Camp and exhibiting at the fairs are always highlights.

DONIPHAN



1. LeRoy Sherman and ewe lamb, Champion at County and Tri-County fairs. 2. Warren Prawl and Reserve Champion Steer in County and Tri-County fairs, 3rd St. Joseph Interstate Show. 3. Leota Elliott, County Style Review Champion. 4. Handicraft class at Sycamore Springs. 5. Recreation period, 4-H Camp. 6. Round-up delegates: Warren Albers, Elaine Rainwater, Lawrence Loroff, and Patricia Warren. 7. Luella Lewis and her Champion Guernsey. 8. Swimming period, 4-H Camp. 9. Exhibiting Spotted Poland China Barrows at County 4-H Fair. 10. Group organization at 4-H Camp. 11. Sammy Warren exhibiting his Ayrshire calf on Troy Triangle Tour. 12. County group at Interstate Show—Eldon Prawl, Dorothy Joyce, Leota Elliott, Richard Boos, and Larry Gilmore.

Doniphan County has ten 4-H Clubs with an enrollment of 194 members carrying 325 projects. Beef is the favorite project for boys while girls prefer clothing. Thirty-five members attended a joint camp with Atchison County at Sycamore Springs in Brown County. A livestock and dairy judging school was held June 24 and was attended by 30 4-H members.

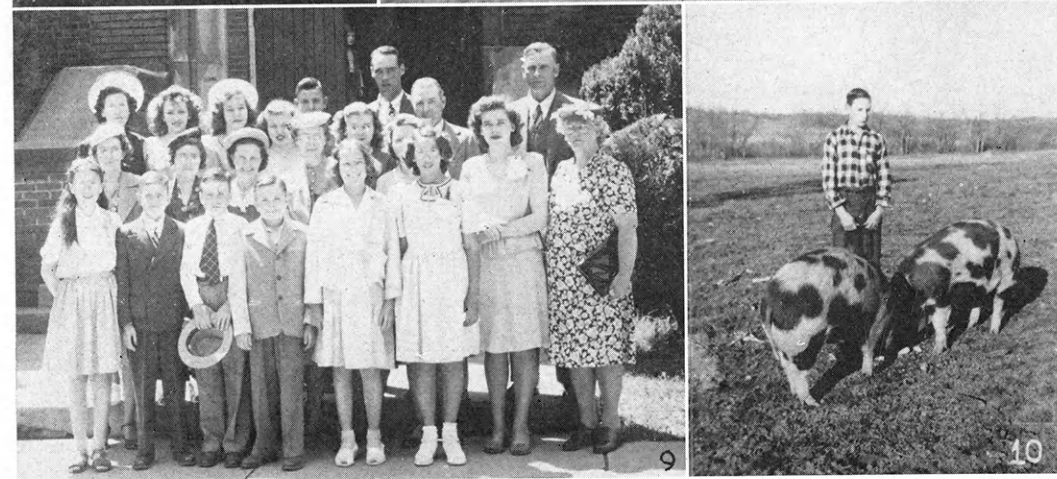
Members were active and participated in the county fair, the Tri-County Fair, the Topeka Fair, the Topeka Free Fair, the State Fair at Hutchinson, the St. Joseph Interstate Show, and the American Royal.



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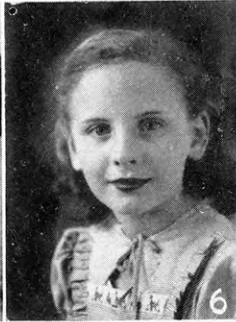
1. Jim Schellenberg, County Potato Champion. 2. Kanu-apa 4-H Club Tour. 3. Jolly Juniors 4-H Club. 4. Bob Howe, 4-Leaf Clover 4-H Club. 5. Palmyra 4-H Club. 6. Owen Craig, County Crops Champion. 7. Alfred Seele, Jr., Meadowlark 4-H Club. 8. Jolly Juniors 4-H Club Tour. 9. 4-Leaf Clover Club on 4-H Sunday. 10. Vernon Heine, Clinton Busy Bee 4-H Club.



Douglas County had the largest club membership in 1947-48 it has had since club work was organized—365 members with 16 clubs. The Council meets in a business meeting every month and has a general 4-H party every other month. The Council forms the policies of the 4-H program, arranging for the fairs, picnics, and festivals.



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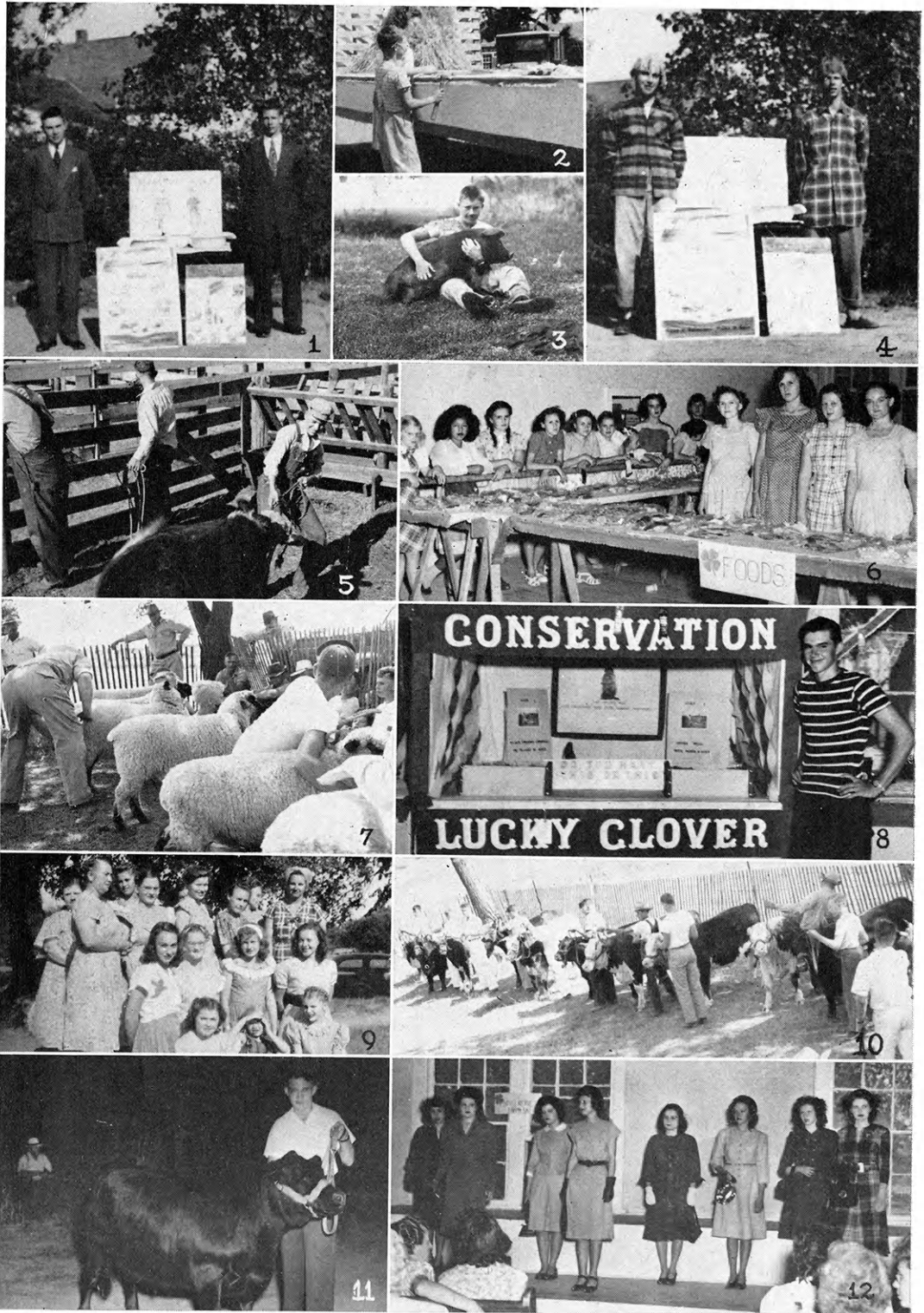


1. Clinton Busy Bee 4-H Club. 2. Lone Star 4-H Club. 3. Meadowlark 4-H Club. 4. Jolly Juniors 4-H Club. 5. Round-Up group. 6. Martha Stevens, Belleview 4-H Club. 7. Cardinal 4-H Club tour. 8. LaVerne Kalb, winner of Sears Roebuck Gilt. 9. Left to right John Morgan, Frank Hagenbuch, Jr., Wayne Leonard, and Vera Hayden with Rock Springs ranch calf.

The 4-H fair at Haskell is the largest fair Douglas County has held in both home economics, and farm crops and livestock. The local weekly paper featured the 4-H Club fair, taking pictures of all the prize winners and running them in the local paper. Eighty per cent of the clubs had tours, and some clubs had 2 tours.



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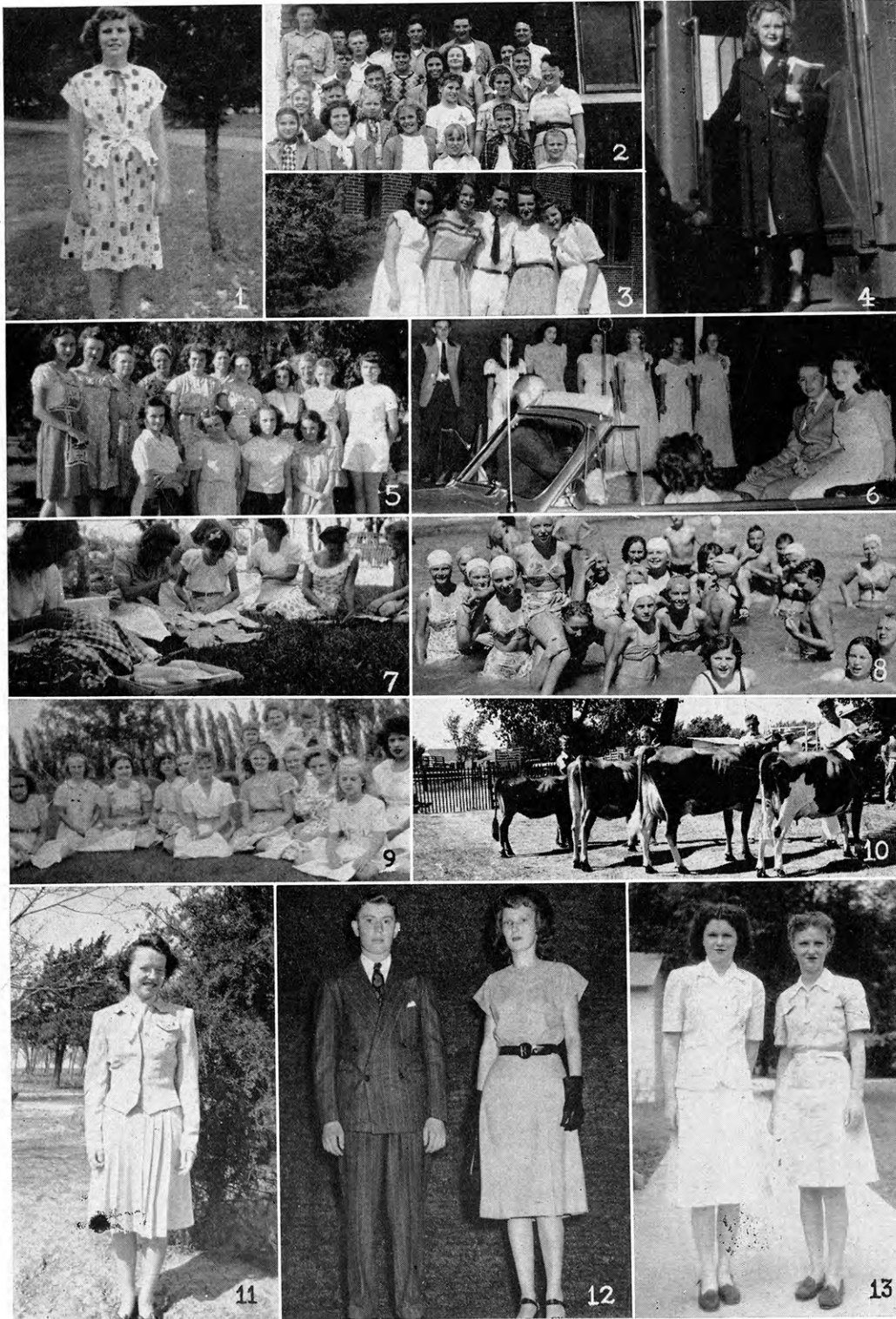


1 & 4. Bernard Meyer and Garman Breitenbach win blue ribbon at state on "Drip or Dream" demonstration. 2. Donna Kay and Rollen Anderson help make wheat festival float. 3. Richard Jensen and his posing pig. 5. Calf purchased at Wichita is led to its new home. 6. 4-H girls view foods exhibits at county fair. 7. Judging of the fat wether class at the county fair. 8. Douglas Fell is proud of the county-winning booth which grew out of his club's project on prairie dog eradication. 9. Belpre Busy Bees learn clothing skills at project meeting. 10. Fitting and showing contest at county fair. 11. Ferol Fell exhibits grand champion baby beef. 12. Wool garment class of style revue attracts much attention.



Edwards County 4-H members are attempting a 25 per cent increase in membership this year, in addition to promoting new activities. A junior leadership camp attended by 29 boys and girls of the county spearheaded the drive for better recreation, music, projects, club and county events. Over one-third of the membership attend the Southwest Camp each summer for three days of fun. In addition, delegates attend the state camps held. Edwards County was represented at the Dodge City Fair, Hutchinson Fair, Wichita Fat Stock Show, and American Royal in 1947. Nancy Richard-state poultry champion, attended National Club Congress.

EDWARDS



1. Virginia Roenbaugh, style revue winner in cotton dress division. 2. Kansas Jayhawkers smile for the camera on their first club tour. 3. Delegates have fun at state fair encampment. 4. Nancy Richardson, State poultry champion, leaves for National Club Congress. 5. Sunflower girls take time out from a project meeting. 6. Wheat festival royalty, Bonnie Weyrich and Byron Roenbaugh, parade to grandstand in a convertible. 7. Happy Clover girls work on clothing projects. 8. 4-H'ers enjoy new Southwest Camp swimming pool. 9. Wayne Workers strive for better clothing projects. 10. Jersey champs vie for top honor. 11. Marilyn Offerle is president of newly-organized Willing Workers Club. 12. Garman Breiterbach, best groomed boy, and Gerda Krupp, style revue champion, at county fair. 13. Donna Kay Anderson and Gerda Krupp at 4-H Round-up.

200 members and guests were present at the Achievement Banquet, using the theme "Thanksgiving." The banquet and its program were planned by junior leaders.

The Lucky Clover Club made over \$40 in its conservation project, eradication of prairie dogs. The cyanide gas used resulted in 99 percent kill the first application, and 100 percent the second.

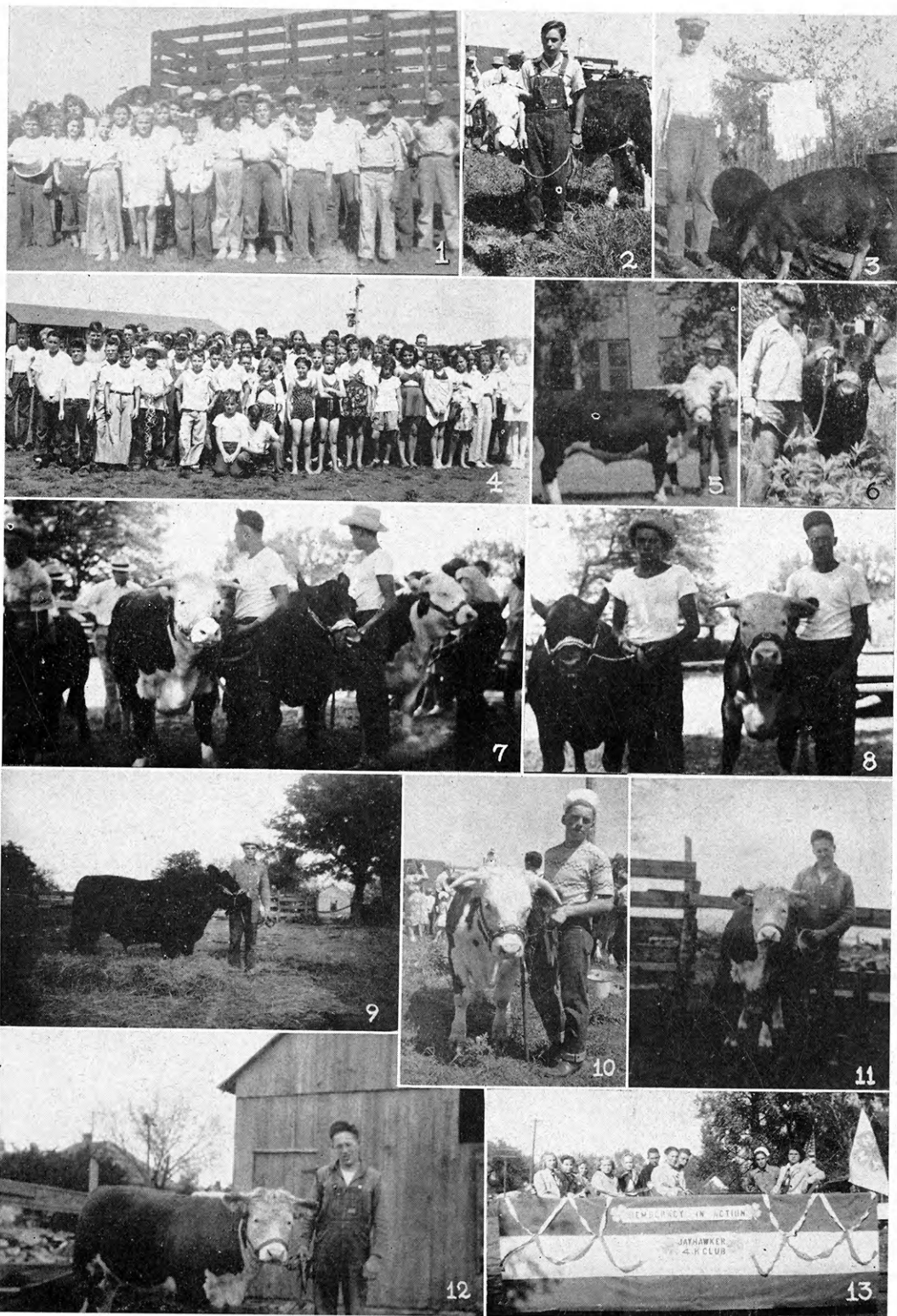
The home beautification activity of the Wayne Workers brought about more trees, filled-in lawns, painted fences, and other home improvements.

Other clubs are making splendid progress, including the newly-organized Willing Workers Club.



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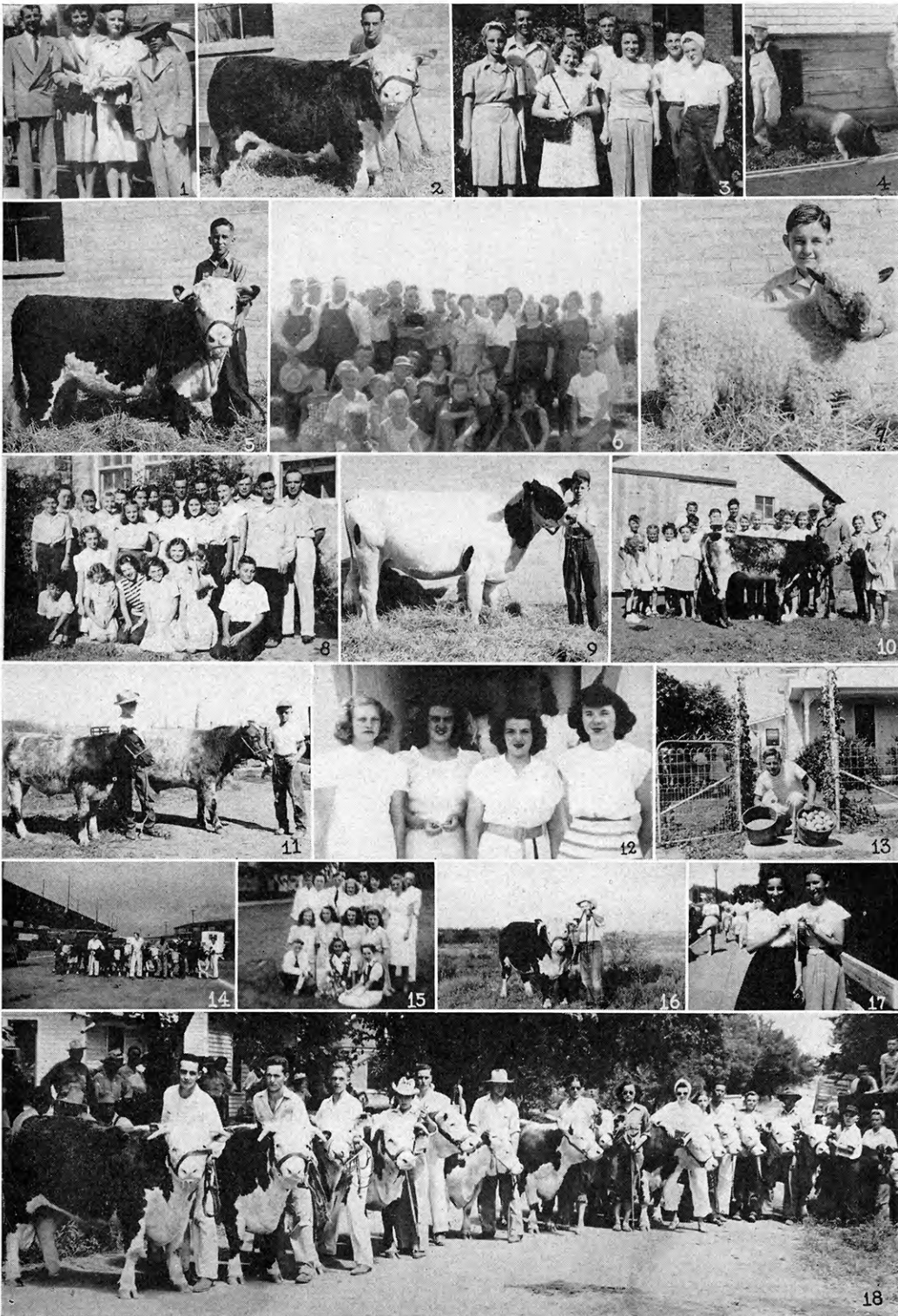
1. Jayhawker's Achievement Tour. 2. Carlton Hopper, Grenola Jayhawkers, baby beef. 3. Elwood Wilmeth, Grenola Jayhawkers, fat pig. 4. 1947 4-H Camp at Sedan Lake. 5. Junior Vestal, Longton Boosters 4-H, Baby Beef. 6. Norman McCabe, Longton Boosters with his breeding heifer. 7. Charles Miller and Roland Jordan, Grenola Jayhawkers; Junior Vestal, Longton Boosters; Colleen Nichols, Flint Hill Boosters; and their baby beef. 8. Junior Vestal, Longton Boosters, and Roland Jordan, Grenola Jayhawkers, with beef projects. 9. Roland Jordan, Grenola Jayhawkers, baby beef. 10. Charles Miller, Grenola Jayhawkers, baby beef. 11. Junior Vestal, Longton Boosters, baby beef. 12. Junior Vestal, Longton Boosters, baby beef. 13. Jayhawkers' Armistice Day Float.



Elk County 4-H enrollment has increased 400 per cent in the last three years. We now have seven clubs with an enrollment of 210 members for 1948. The big project in the county is the breeding heifer project, 35 club members are carrying this project. For two years the Elk County club members have camped with the Chautauqua County club members.



ELLSWORTH



1. 1947 Style Revue winners: Junior Zahradnik, Lois Lee Eggers, Edna Borecky, John Bircher. 2. Dale Handlin and Champion Baby Beef. 3. Junior Leaders at Junior Leadership Camp at Rock Springs: Alice Handlin, Junior Zahradnik, Susie Smischny, Eugene Malir, Bob Stoltenberg, Maxine Heiken, Donald Smischny, June Hulse. 4. Bill Zave-sky with his first 4-H project. 5. Ralph Handlin and champion beef heifer. 6. Palacky Go Getters 4-H Club tour. 7. Ben Handlin and Champion sheep. 8. Ellsworth County club members camp at Fort Hays. 9. John Bircher and Champion Dairy Heifer. 10. Noble 4-H Club with Mrs. Charles Heinze Shorthorn heifer donated to State 4-H Camp Fund. 11. Larry and Keith Lilak and 4-H steers. 12. Lorraine vocal ensemble, blue ribbon 4-H Day winners at 1947 Roundup. 13. Bob Malir showing wheat, potatoes, and home beautification project work. 14. 4-H calves at American Royal. 15. Roundup Delegation. 16. Davie Essick and prize winning hereford. 17. Alice Handlin and Loretta Rous, Home Improvement and Swine Champions. 18. Group picture.

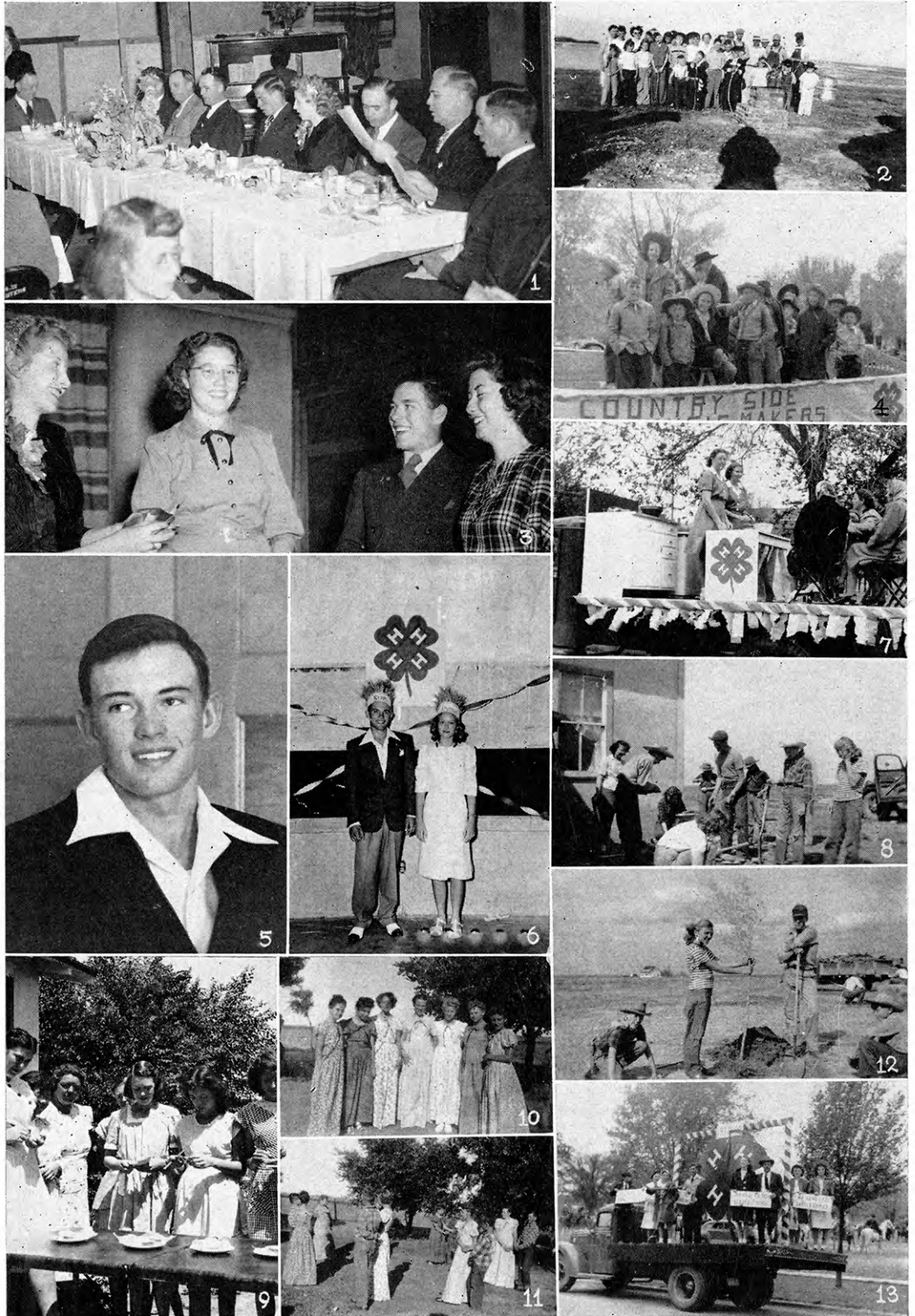
Active junior leaders and a county program that provides a liberal dosage of fun along with good project work has helped maintain and build 4-H Club work in Ellsworth County. Our 1947 enrollment was 242 members, 85 percent of them completing their projects.

The 1947 activities included a 4-H dance held to raise funds for the Rock Springs Camp, 4-H Sunday, a county 4-H tour, Summer Camp; County 4-H Fair; an Achievement Party; a Leader's Recognition Banquet; and a picnic held for Ellsworth businessmen. Other activities participated in were Hays Judging Contest; Roundup; Junior Leader's Camp; Health Camp; State Fair; Wichita Fat Stock Show; and the American Royal, both encampment and beef exhibits.

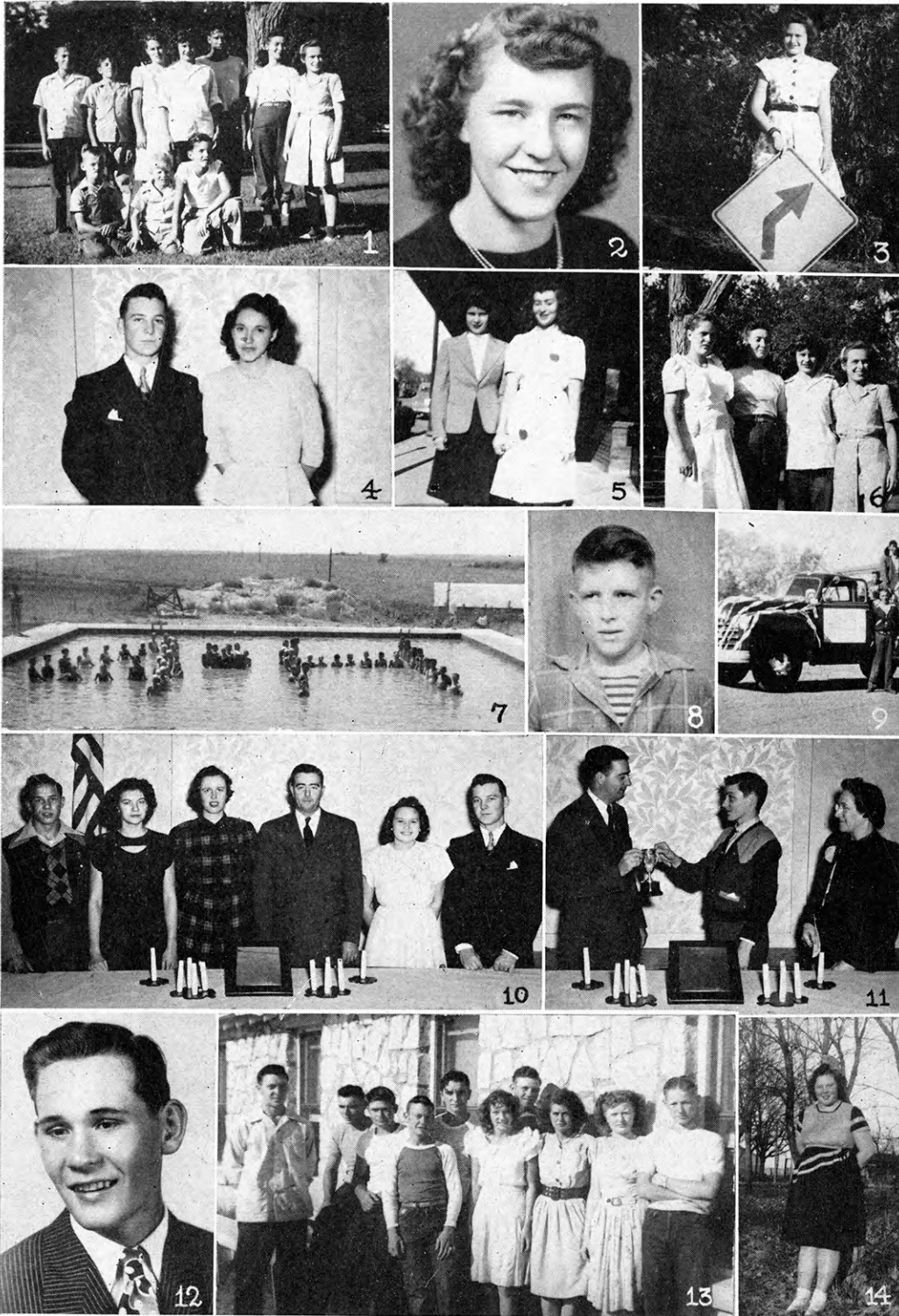


Finney

1. Speaker's table at Annual 4-H Club Banquet. 2. Pawnee Indians 4-H Club tour. 3. Jim Russel and Evelyn Woodard, County Junior Leadership Champions, and June Mayo, Home Improvement Champion receiving awards from Faith C. Stone, HDA, at 4-H Achievement Banquet. 4. Float in Cattleman's Carnival. 5. Walter Rundell 4-H Council President. 6. Jim Russel and Theda Earnest, County Wheat King and Queen. 7. Float in Cattleman's Carnival, Sponsored by the 4-H Council. 8. Ever Willing 4-H Club, Conservation activity. 9. Beacon Booster's 4-H Club, food judging contest. 10-11. Go-Getter's 4-H Club members who participated in musical games at county festival. 12. Ever Willing 4-H Club, Conservation activity. 13. Float in Cattleman's Carnival sponsored by the County 4-H Council.



In the year 1947 Finney County had a total of ten 4-H Clubs with a membership of 189. Several county wide activities were carried on by the 4-H clubs. A waste paper drive brought in \$219. Proceeds were used to help support the Southwest Camp. The Wheat Festival conducted in the county raised \$2,555. The Chamber of Commerce sponsored a health examination for all 4-H members in the county. The Garden City National Bank presented a 16 mm movie projector to the Finney County 4-H Council. The Clubs participated in the 4-H Club Day and entered judging teams at Hays and Hutchinson. All events were enjoyed.



FORD

1. Keen Klippers 4-H. 2. Doris Lembright, County Wheat Queen. 3. Doris Hahn, State Safety Champion. 4. Kay Melia and Vera Lee Unruh, outstanding boy and girl. 5. First aid demonstration at State Fair. 6. Keen Klippers Quartette. 7. Swimming Pool, Southwest Camp. 8. Darrell Williams, County Poultry Champion Poultry Champion and Grand Champion pen at State Fair. 9. Winning float, Armistice Day Parade, Bucklin. 10. Rickerd Kline, Nancy Pinkney, state champions, Miss Deborah Sharp, HDA, H. W. Westmeyer, County Agent, Doris Hahn, Kay Melia, State Champions. 11. H. W. Westmyer presenting outstanding club award to Edward Toles, president DIY Jrs. club. Mrs. Robert Lofthouse, Leader. 12. Richard Roenfeldt, County Wheat King. 13. Camp Officers. 14. Ruth Dirks, outstanding project girl.

Junior leaders are doing an effective job in promoting 4-H club work in Ford County. In addition to assisting with special activities and events, they serve as assistant project leaders and advisors to younger club members.

Nancy Pinkney, state garden champion, attended 1947 Boy's and Girl's 4-H Club Congress at Chicago.

Ford County was represented at the American Royal by five 4-H Club members and five Rural Life delegates.

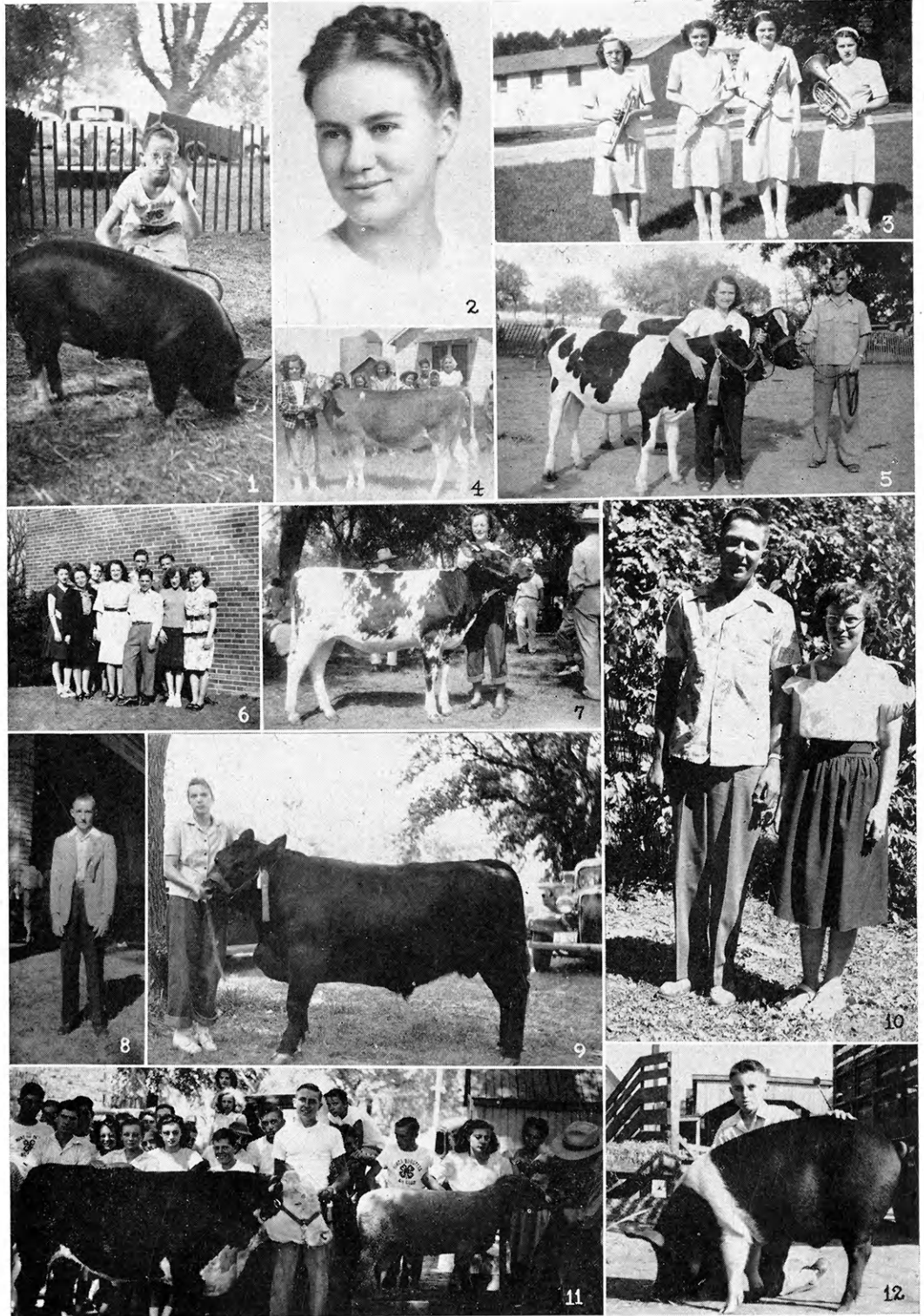
Club members participated in the Great Southwest Fair, Kansas State Fair, and the National Stock Show at Denver.

4-H members assisted and took part in the county wide Farm Bureau picnic.

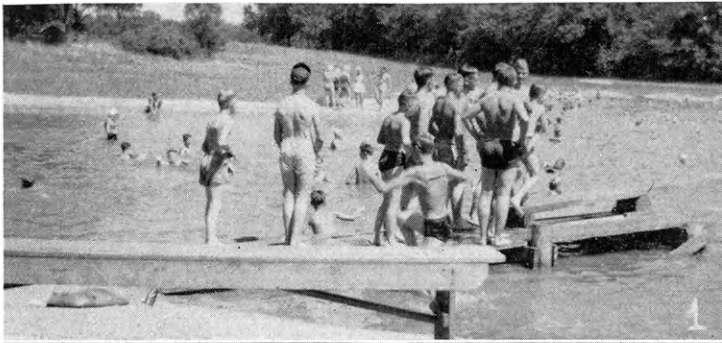


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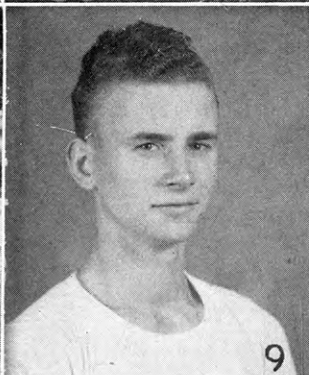
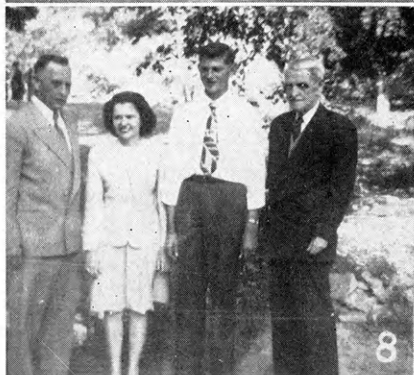
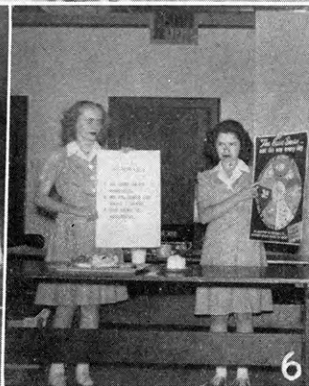
1. Larry Cox, Champion breeding gilt, Berea Boosters. 2. Lois Crooks, National Home Beautification Champion. 3. Junior Judges Instrumental Quartette, County and District winners, Roundup participants. 4. Homewood Hustlers inspecting Virginia Hoyt's Guernsey heifer. 5. Erma and Leonard Humphrey with Erma's Champion heifer and Leonard's blue ribbon winner. 6. Shaff play cast "Love in Bloom," County and District blue ribbon winner. 7. Dorothy Gillette, blue ribbon Ayrshire heifer, Jayhawk Club. 8. Gene Morgan, Best Groomed Boy, Berea Boosters. 9. Aileen Vining, Champion Baby Beef, Rainbow Club. 10. County Health Champions: James Boucek, Jayhawk, and Beverly Briles, Junior Judges. 11. Livestock grooming at County 4-H Camp. 12. Max Dougharty, Champion Fat Barrow, Tauy Toilers.



4-H is well organized in Franklin County with 21 clubs which have 380 members enrolled. Lois Crooks of the Victory Workers 4-H Club was one of the eight national champions in Home Beautification and received an all expense paid trip to Chicago. County health champions who received a trip to the State 4-H Camp were James Boucek and Beverly Briles. Franklin County was represented at Round-up by an instrumental quartet besides the County champions. The county has an active county council who plan such activities as county festivals and the county fair which climaxes the 4-H year. All project work is good but a new project creating interest is tractor maintenance.



GEARY

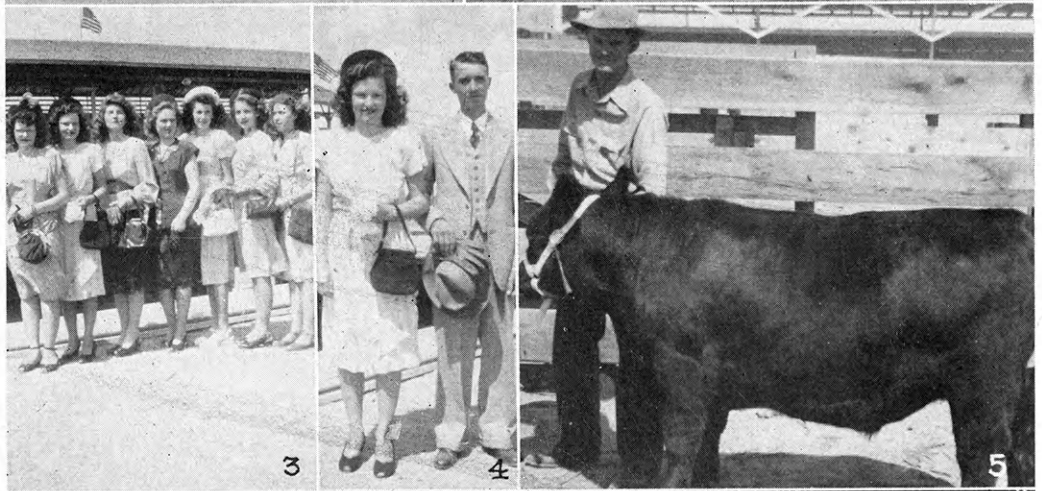
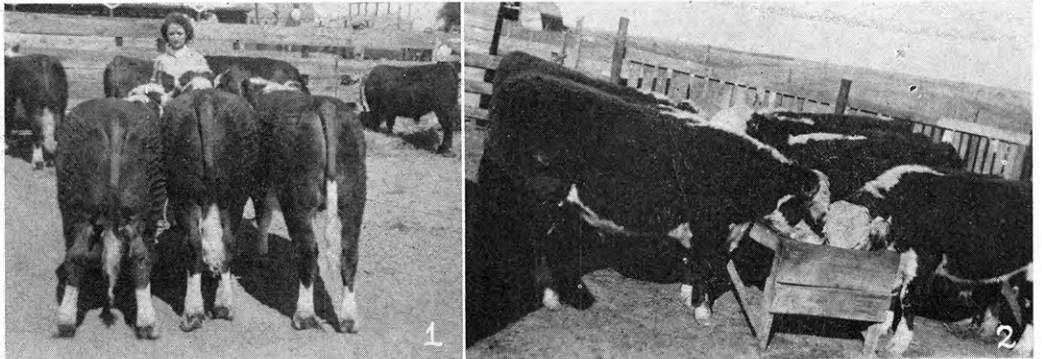


1. Swimming at Geary-Shawnee 4-H Camp. 2. County Wheat King and Queen, Kenneth Hartung and Marie Baresel. 3. Geary County Officers, Councilmen, and Leaders at Geary-Shawnee 4-H Camp. 4. Style Review Winners, Marie Baresel and Kenneth Hartung. 5. Geary County 4-H Folk game group at 4-H Roundup. 6. Blue Ribbon Dairy Foods Demonstration, Marie and Irma Baresel. 7. Marie Baresel, State Wheat Queen, with Governor Carlson and Senator Capper. 8. Marie Baresel, and Wayne Upham, 4-H Speakers at State Camp "Open House" with Governor Carlson and Senator Caper. 9. Bob Zumbrunn, County Who's Who President. 10. Clarks Creek 4-H members present a Health Broadcast at K.S.A.C.

Exceeding their wheat quota two and a half times, the Geary County Wheat Festival took in \$5,000 for the State 4-H Club Camp at Rock Springs. Later, Marie Baresel was chosen State Queen at Hutchinson. At the State events, delegates earned their share of prizes and honors. Marie Baresel was named outstanding girl camper at Hutchinson. The Poultry judging team: W. Upham, B. Strauss and W. Ramsour placed first at the Wichita Fat Stock Show. Chicago trippers were Wayne Upham and Bill Gfeller, State Crops and Better Methods Electric Champions respectively. Bill Strauss visited Jackson's Mill, West Va., as State promotional talk winner.



GRAHAM

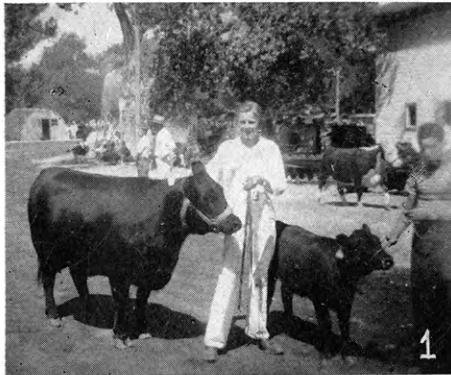


1. Alice Goddard showing her Herefords. 2. Bill Worcester, 1946 Chicago trip winner and State Crop Champion with his deferred-fed Herefords. 3. Some clothing members styling best dresses. 4. Norma White and Charles Worcester, county style revue and wheat festival winners, represented Graham County at the State Fair, at Hutchinson. 5. Arlen Sandlin with his Grand Champion baby beef which sold for 80 cents a pound at the first Graham County 4-H Beef Show at Hill City sale barn, September 12. 6. Delegates to summer camp at Rock Springs Ranch.

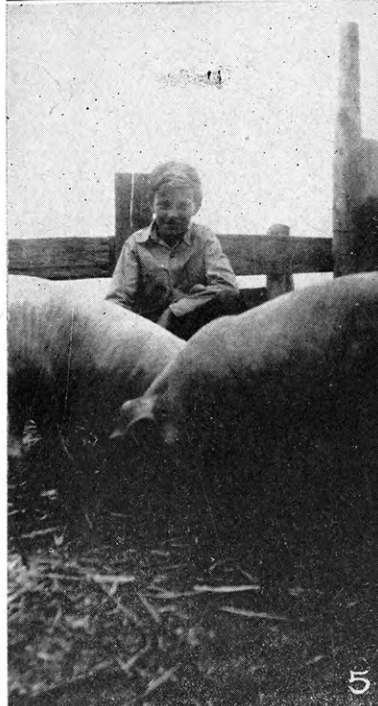
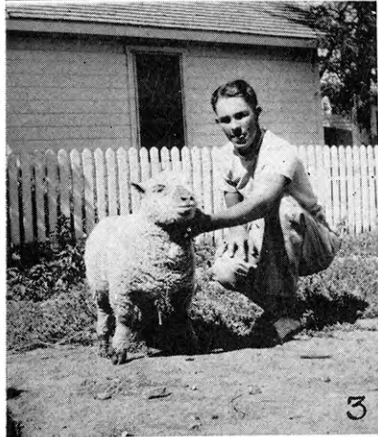


Livestock projects have shown the greatest increase during the last year in Graham County 4-H. Mr. R. W. McBurney, county agent, the chamber of commerce, interested farmers, members and leaders have combined their efforts to make 1947 one of our outstanding years.

Thirty members and leaders attended 4-H camp at Rock Springs Ranch. Graham County exhibited at Stockton's five county fair. Various teams judged at Stockton, Hays, Hutchinson, and Wichita.



GRAY



1. Merrel Dean Flair— County Baby Beef Champion and County Council President. 2. Merrel Flair, Mrs. Wade Richardson Leader, Annabeth Robins, and Hazel Harris, Round-Up Delegates. 3. Dana Lupton Sheep Champion for the County, and Club President. 4. Roger Evens, County Wheat Champion. 5. Rex Hazelton with his Fat Pig project. 6. Earlene Addison, Busy Bee Club with her poultry project. 7. Hazel Harris and Deloris Salmans, County Demonstration Team Champions, represent Gray county at Hutchinson State Fair; also shown in the picture is Mrs. Leatha Shroyer, H.D.A.

The 4-H program of Gray County is steadily growing under the guidance of H.D.A. Leatha Shroyer, County Agent Herman Praeger, and Emergency Club Agent Raymond Potter. A 20-piece county-wide band has been organized. The county council plans a county-wide health and conservation program. Plans are being made to purchase three new exhibit buildings. The Gray County Banks presented a movie projector and equipment to the 4-H Clubs. The outstanding event was the achievement banquet. U.N.E.S.C.O. was the theme of the beautifully decorated banquet. Dolls to represent people and programs to represent the world adorned each table.



GREELEY



1. Alberta and Barbara Young on O.K. 4-H Float at County 4-H Fair. 2. Twenty-nine Greeley County 4-H members attending district camp at Camp Christy near Scott City, August 12-14, 1947. 3. Verdell Young, O.K. 4-H county wheat champion in his field of Comanche wheat on the County 4-H tour. 4. Eldon Smith, Wide-Awake 4-H, county beef and fitting and showing champion with his baby beef, it was showed and sold at the Denver Fat Stock Show. 5. Buddy Peterson, Shirley Ann Hale and Roberta Coleman on the Wide-Awake 4-H float, first place winner at the County Fair. 6. Opal Bare, Cactus 4-H, county swine champion, with her sow and litter project. 7. Go-Getters officers, Margaret Curtis, Berdine Brunswig, Jerry Toadvine, Wilma Byerly, Larry Toadvine, Fritz Hamann. 8. One hundred 4-H members and leaders and parents on county-wide tour, June 16. 9. Inez Ochsner, Live-Wire 4-H, county style revue Champion wearing her costume at the state fair.



120 4-H club members completed their projects in Greeley County in 1947. The Cactus 4-H Club was organized during the past year. Other clubs include the Go-Getters, Wide-Awake, Live-Wire and O.K. 4-H's.

4-H members participated in the following county-wide events: 4-H Sunday, 4-H Day, project tour, fairs and banquet. Twenty-nine members attended camp at Camp Christy and a number attended district 4-H Day at Garden City. Three members, a leader, and the county extension agents attended round-up. Five members and the agents attended State Fairs. Three members were delegates to the American Royal.

Greeley County was represented by two members at each of the following State Camps: health, conservation, and junior leadership.

GREENWOOD



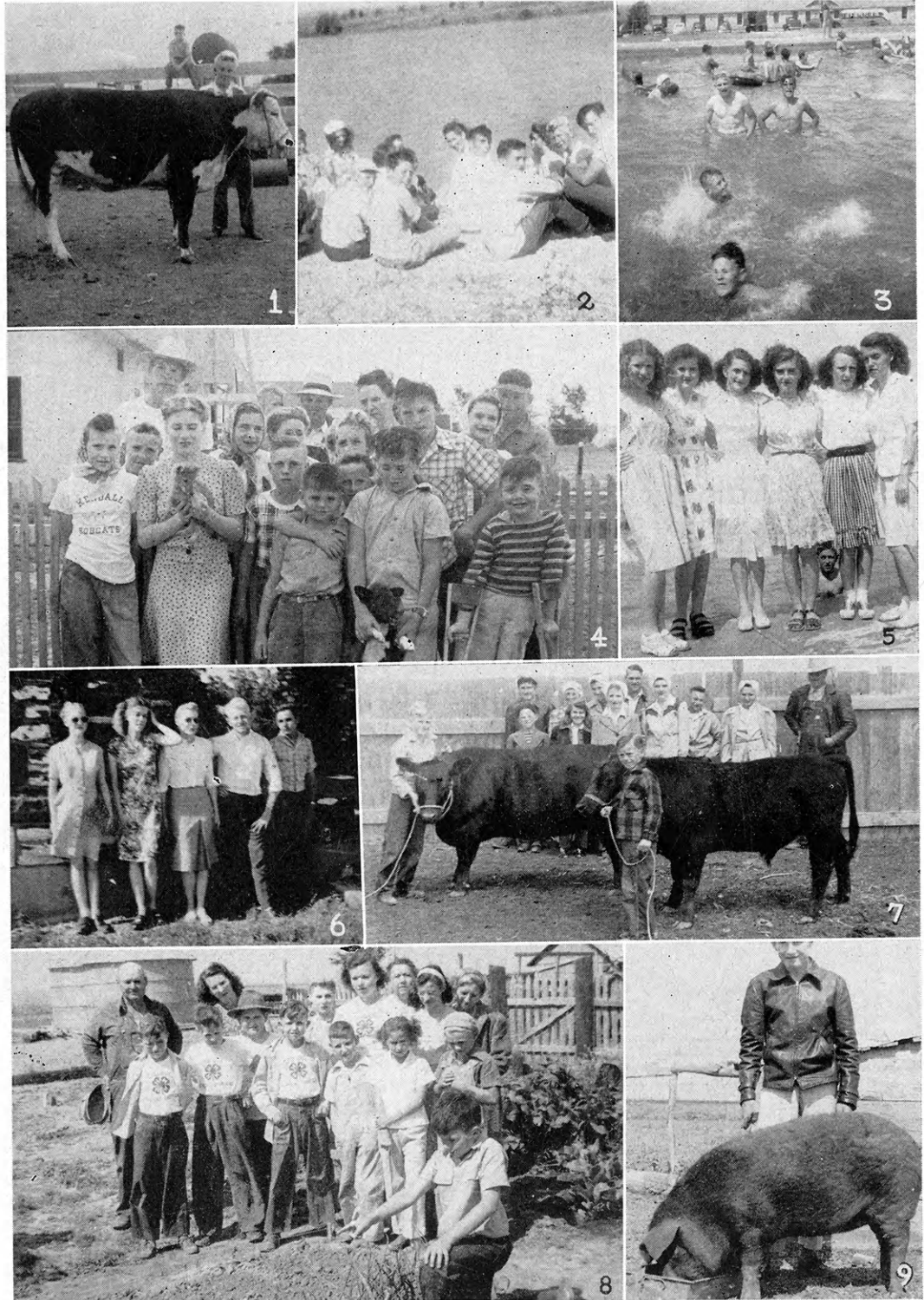
1. Quincy—Go-Getters look over Boyce Ward's corn project. 2. The Victory Farmers 4-H Club and their guests on a hayrack ride. 3. Neal Boosters study Donald and Elvin Lewis's garden project. 4. Robert and Donald Karraker get little sister to help show their lambs on Fall River Busy Bee 4-H tour. 5. George Ann and Drusilla Piatt demonstrate first aid to the Four Corners Happy Workers. 6. Tyson and Bobby Beal tell about their pigs on the Four Corners Happy Workers tour. 7. County campers start for a horse-back ride at the Rock Springs Ranch Camp. 8. Lewis Russell Simmons and his Grand Champion black Angus. 9. Prairie Light 4-H Club goes to church as a group on 4-H Sunday. 10. Carl Ott, Lamont Boosters, with his Grand Champion fat pig at the Greenwood County Fair. 11. Harmony Sunflowers 4-H Club picnic following their tour. 12. Merle Braden, Eureka Boosters, and his calf which topped the Greenwood County 4-H Sale at \$41.00 cwt.

The Greenwood County 4-H Club Program made rapid advances during 1947. Two new clubs and increased enrollment in old clubs increased membership by more than 25 per cent. The outstanding project was Beef with 63 members handling 86 head of calves. Outstanding events were the 4-H Rally, and the 4-H Day in the spring; county camps at Rock Springs Ranch in the summer; the 4-H Fair and Livestock Sale, and the Achievement Banquet in the fall.

Extension agents assisting with the club program were William A. Wishart, County Agent, and Home Demonstration Agents, Alice Jennings and Isabel Fell.



HAMILTON

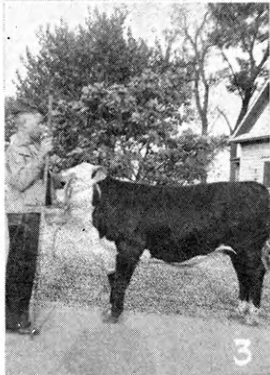
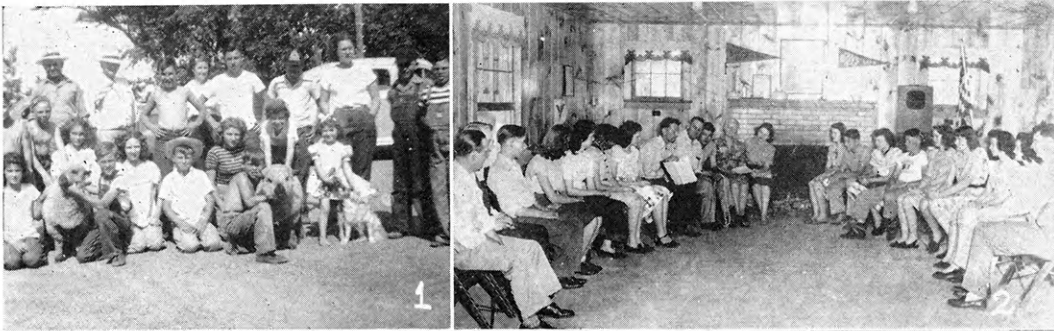


1. Lloyd Hartshor and calf.
 2. Part of County group at Southwest camp. 3. Making use of the new swimming pool at camp. 4. Victory Boosters project tour. 5. Girls at summer camp. 6. Round-Up delegates at Pawnee Rock. 7. C-4 project tour at Huser's. 8. Coolidge Straight Shooters project tour. 9. Ted Turner and pig.

Hamilton County reached an all time high in membership during the year of 1947. Outstanding features included a three day camp at Ford County Lake where a new swimming pool had just been installed on the camp site. 4-H Sunday was held for the first time in June and during July and August special classes were held for Home Improvement girls with a cedar chest going to the County Champion. Trips to Round-Up and the American Royal in Kansas City and the State Fair were won by outstanding members. The county was also represented at the Denver Livestock Show.



HARPER

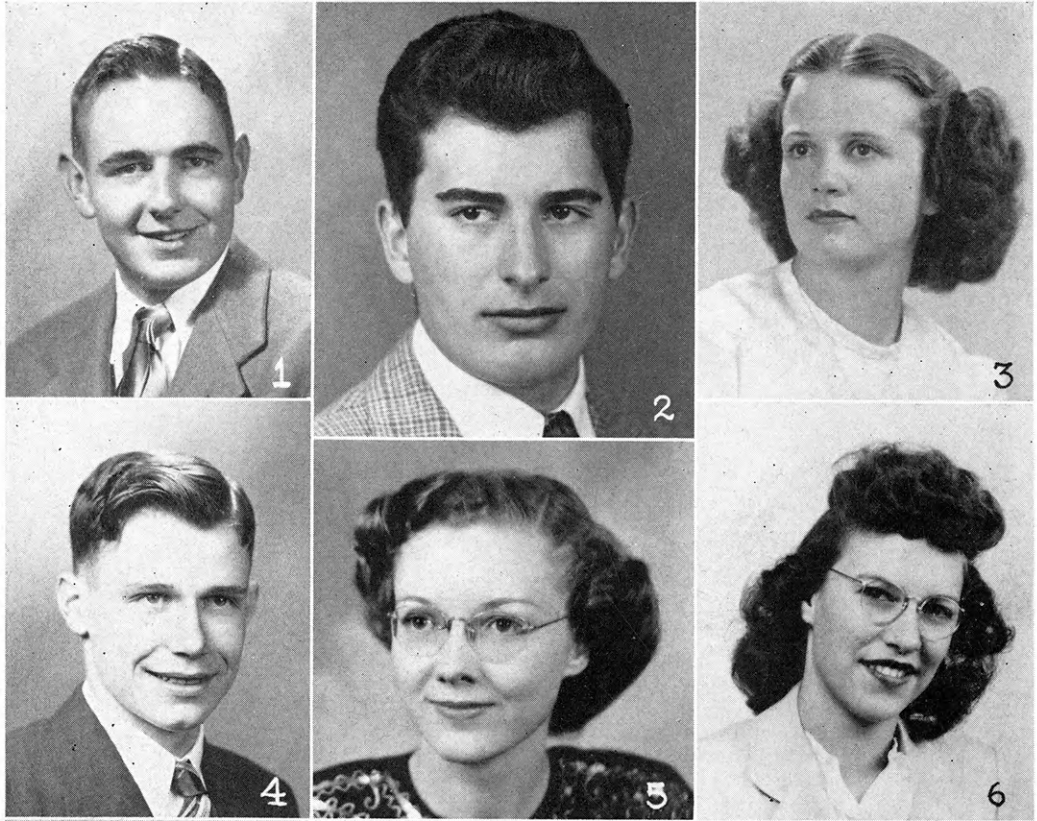


1. Piloteers 4-H Club tour. 2. 4-H Junior Leaders camp conference held at the Anthony Lake. 3. Donny Vornauf and his baby beef, Sunnyside 4-H Club. 4. Tip Top 4-H members dusting cattle for grubs. 5. Bob Greve, president of 4-H Council; Norma Jean Martin, secretary; and Robert Worthington, president of the Freeport Trail Blazers 4-H Club, display the Achievement cup that they won. 6. Tip Top 4-H tour. 7. Club members and their projects at the next 4-H Achievement Day display. 8. Some Harper County girls at Camp Wentz. 9. Duand Pulliam, county and state poultry champion.

Harper County, with a membership of 354, has completed a very successful 4-H Club year. The clubs observed 4-H Club Sunday, held a county spring festival, held a 4-H Club Fair, and carried on other activities. The county Wheat Festival netted \$1650, half of which was donated to the State 4-H Club Camp Fund. The members had 93.5% completion of projects. The new feature in the county program was a Junior Leader's Training Camp. Junior Leaders from Sumner, Kingman, and Barber counties were invited. A highlight of this club year was when the County Council won a red award for 1947.



HARVEY



1. Dean Koppes, Wheat Champion. 2. Keith Boller, Livestock, Swine, and Conservation Champion. 3. Esther Schirer, Home Economics and Foods Champion. 4. Wilbur Kurr, Crops Champion. 5. Joan Stamback, Frozen Foods Champion. 6. Marguerite Nebergall, Girl Leadership Champion. 7. Burrton Western Harvey Boosters 4-H Club.



Membership in Harvey County 4-H Clubs has been increasing each year until 1947 there were 346 members under the guidance of Mr. Roger L. Hendershot, club agent. Some of the 4-H events were: Spring Festival, Achievement Banquet, County Camp with Neosho County at Rock Springs Ranch, Business Mens' Picnic, 767 exhibits at 4-H Fair, 82 exhibits at State Fair at Hutchinson, 50 exhibits at Fat Stock Show at Wichita.

Harvey County participated in the Wheat Festival Contest. A total of \$4,026.50 was contributed to the State 4-H Camp. Miss Betty Kaufman was chosen County Wheat Queen and Mr. Marshall Schirer was chosen County Wheat King. Betty was runnerup in the State Contest and Marshall placed in the top few.



HARVEY

1. Dale Covalt, Poultry Champion. 2. Clayton Harms, member of Pleasant 4-H Club. 3. Harvey County Round-Up Delegation. 4. Macon Happy Hour 4-H Club on Tour. 5. Elaine Titus, Food Preservation Champion. 6. Donna Tangeman, Home Improvement Champion. 7. Beverly Steiner, Clothing and Style Revue Champion. 8. Richard Knott, Beef Champion. 9. Alice Cowan, Farm Safety Champion. 10. Mervin Deschner, county boy Health Champion. 11. Lucky 13 4-H Club at District 4-H Club Days.

Miss Betty McClure and Mr. Mervin Deschner were chosen as County Health Champions and attended the State Health Camp.

Maurice McClure was State Sheep Champion, State Sheep Blocking Champion and State Sheep Shearing Champion. He was awarded a trip to Chicago to the 1947 Club Congress. He placed third in the National Sheep Shearing Contest.

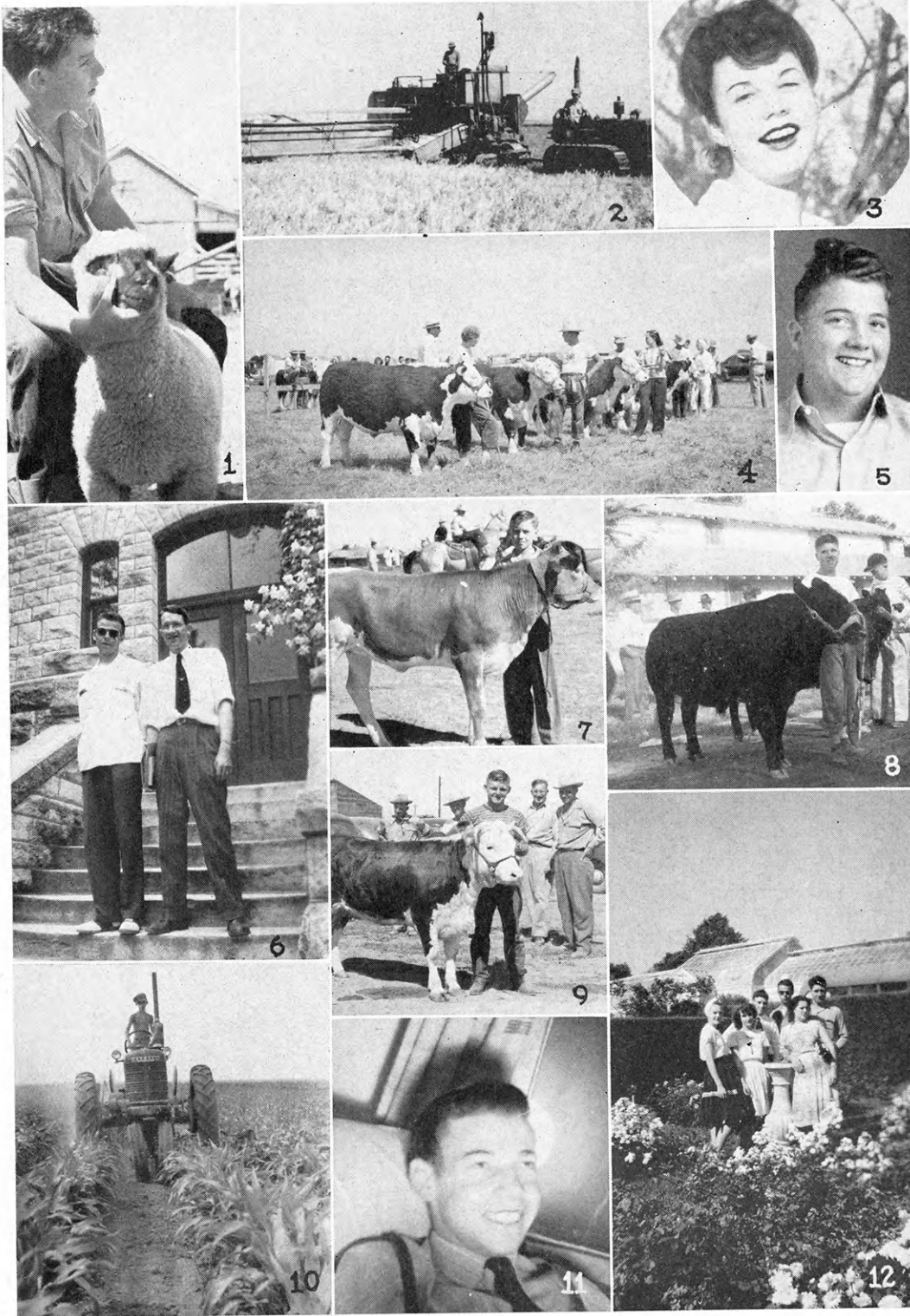


HASKELL

1. Geraldine Hawes and Champion Hereford. 2. Frank McCoy, Sponsor of Haskell County pages. 3. Alice Degenhart, Clothing Champion. 4. Paul Holovach, state wheat champion and blue ribbon health winner. 5. Betty Shotton, Style Revue Champion. 6. 4-H picnic. 7. Junior Leonard, Best Groomed Boy. 8. Colusa Co-Getters 4-H tour.



Haskell County 4-H Club program with five clubs and 95 members under the direction of William H. Patterson, county agent, completed one of the most successful years of Club work in 1947. A completion record of 82 per cent being the highest record attained in the county. An attractive summer program of club and project meetings was climaxed with the county fair. Haskell County was represented at 4-H Round-Up by four 4-H'ers, two leaders and county agent. At the State Health Camp, Haskell County had two delegates, Mary Weidner and Paul Holovach, the latter being chosen in the Blue Ribbon group.



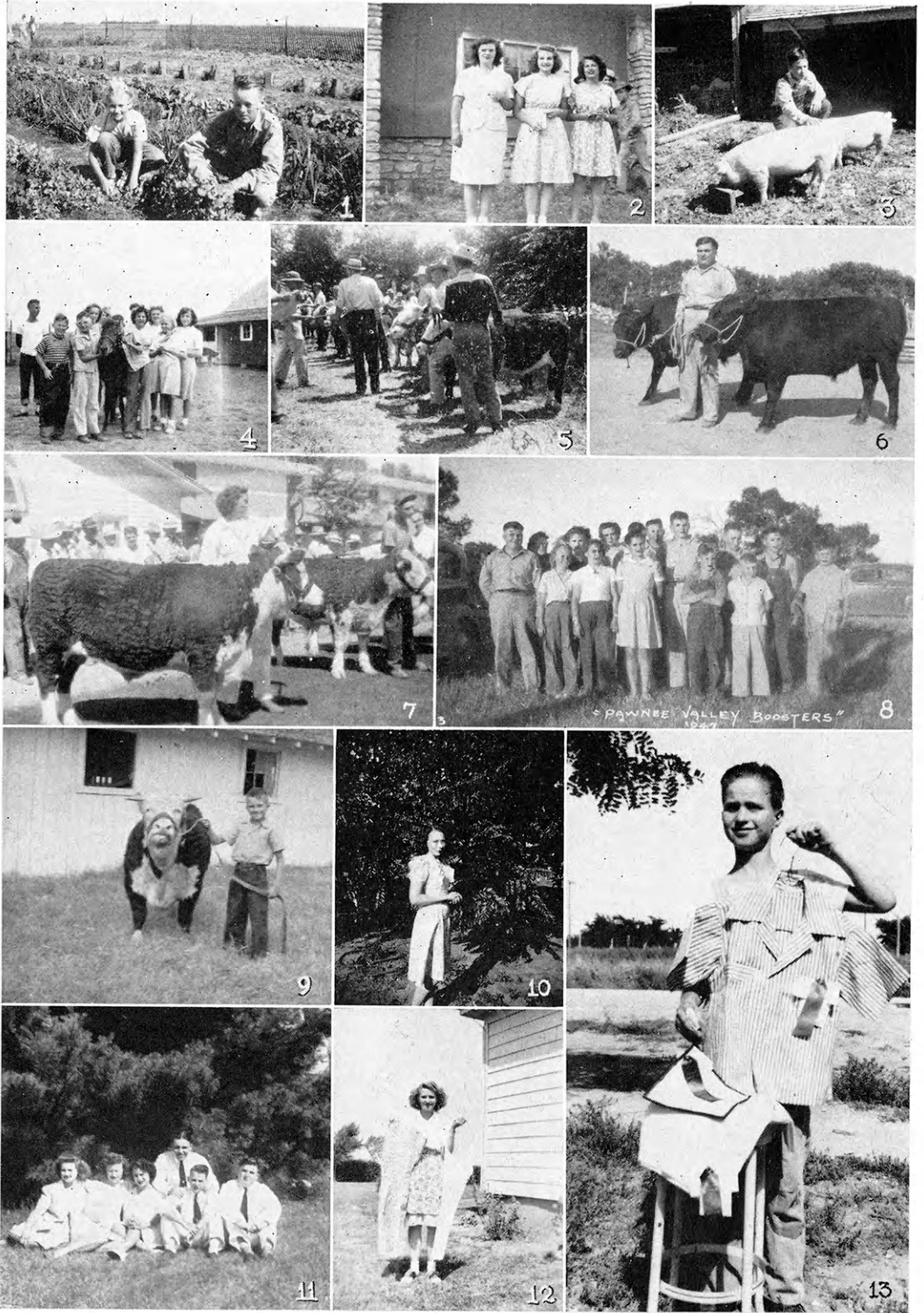
HASKELL

1. Donald Jasserand and lamb project. 2. Don Moore harvesting his wheat project assisted by his father, Warren Moore, 4-H Club leader. 3. Mary Weidner — county health champion. 4. Hereford steers at the county fair. 5. Leon Loucks — Toastmaster at the 4-H Banquet. 6. County Agent Bill Patterson and Paul Holovach, outstanding 4-H member of Haskell County. 7. Bobby Antone with his dairy heifer. 8. Merle Simpson with his Angus calf, champion at Dodge City. 9. Bill Preedy and beef project. 10. Donald Moore—blue ribbon crops winner. 11. Paul Weidner — junior leader. 12. Haskell County Round-up delegation in the rose garden at Kansas State College: Junior Leonard, Paul Holovach, Forest Simpson, Charlotte Hawes, Betty Shotton, and Mrs. Forest Simpson.

Twenty-two boys and girls attended the County 4-H Camp at Dodge City. At the Great Southwest Fair, Haskell County had ten exhibitors and at the sale following received the highest prices of any county group. Haskell County had ten exhibitors and at the sale following received the highest prices of any county group. Paul Holovach represented the county as County Wheat Champion at the American Royal and was selected as the State Wheat Champion for 1947. Junior Leonard was awarded the Sears Foundation Scholarship to Kansas State College. Twenty-one leaders assisted with the club work for 1947 and four of these attended the State Leaders Conference at Hutchinson.



HODGEMAN



1. Virginia and Marion Jordan, garden partners. 2. Jolly Hustlers modeling their dresses. 3. Bernard Brazda with his registered gilts. 4. Jolly Hustlers on club tour and picnic. 5. Judging at the county fair. 6. Tommie Bowie, Project Achievement Boy. 7. Kathryn Lappin's steer, Grand Champion at Southwest and Hodgeman County Fairs, and Reserve Champion at State Fair. Billy Lupfer won his class at Dodge City. 8. Pawnee Valley Boosters on tour and picnic. 9. Billy Billings and his blue ribbon steer. 10. Ruth King, Project Achievement Girl, Girls Record, Food Preparation, and blue ribbon girl in Garden and Style Revue. 11. Round-up delegates. 12. Deloris Harms and her sewing. 13. Sherman Wyatt, a blue ribbon seamstress.



Hodgeman County is underway again in the 4-H program with 110 4-H'ers. The 4-H had dwindled to almost a standstill during the war. This year they have taken part in all county, district, and statewide events and will continue to do so next year. Outstanding project work is being delved into by these beginners. Only one 4-H member in the county has had more than two years of club work.

JEWELL



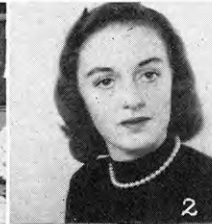
1. Burton Huiting, County Wheat King. 2. Twila Howe, County Style Revue Champion. 3. Myrna Marietta, Reserve Champion in Style Revue. 4. Laura Delle Fearing, Clothing Project. 5. Melvin Shipley, Beef Project. 6. Dwight Berger, Shorthorn Project. 7. Harold Fearing and his colt. 8. Chandler Swan, Radio Cast. 9. Max Ortman, Rock Island Trip Winner. 10. Don Walker, State Corn Champion. 11. Webber—Rural Life Sunday.

317 boys and girls were enrolled in 15 4-H Clubs in Jewell County. This is the largest record of club membership in the history of the county. The erection of a 40 feet by 140 feet 4-H Club Exhibit Building with a cost of over \$10,000 was one of the highlights of the 1947 program. All of the money came from voluntary contributions and the unskilled labor was furnished by the 4-H Club members and their parents.

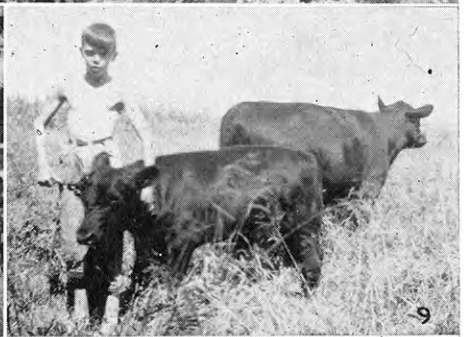
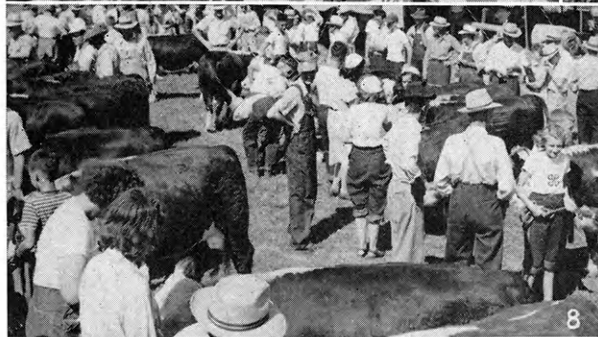
Don Walker of the Limestone 4-H Club won State Championship with his corn project. Max Ortman of the same club won a trip to Chicago by the Rock Island Railroad Company.



JEFFERSON



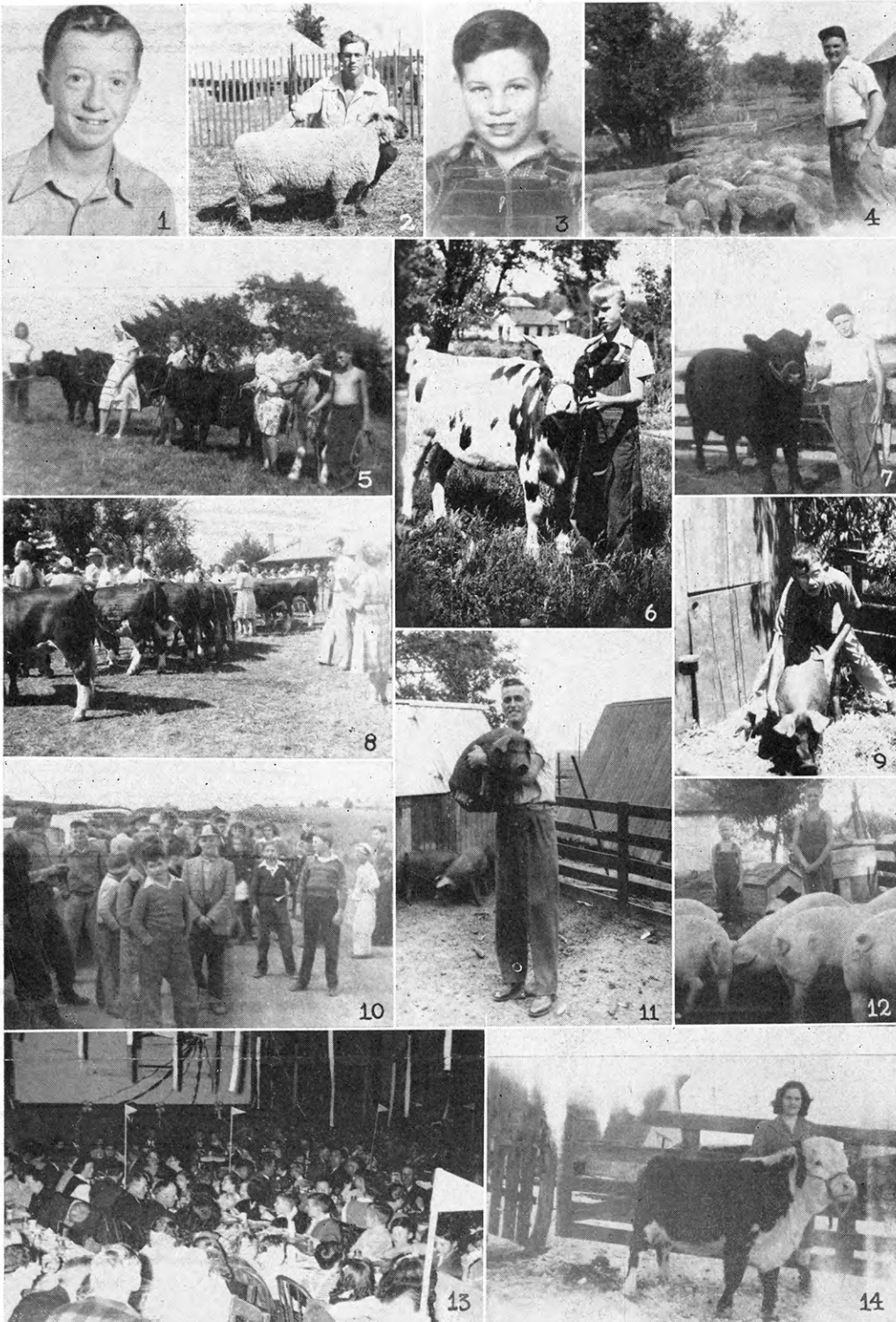
1. 4-H Council. 2. Neola Scarlett, Cedar Circle Club, County and State Corn Queen. 3. Jeanne Frisbie, Grantville 4-H Club. 4. Carol Hamon, Prosperity Club, County Champion Fitting and Showing. 5. Boyle Boosters Play Cast at Roundup. 6. County Group visiting St. Joseph Livestock Market. 7. Eddie Bottom and his gardening project, Valley Victors Club. 8. Jefferson County 4-H Fair. 9. David Murdie and his Angus heifer with her first calf. 10. Daryl Becker, Meridan Club, Champion Steer at Fair. 11. Musical Game Team, Citizens of Tomorrow Club.



The 4-H Club program in Jefferson County is on a very stable basis with gradual increase in members and projects carried. In 1944 there were 80 boys and girls enrolled in 4-H Club work in this county; in 1945 there were 115; in 1946 there were 250; in 1947 there were 362 and in 1948 it is already much in evidence that there will be at least 450 boys and girls actively participating. At the present time we have 17 clubs all of which have plans to increase their membership next year.

The past year was a very enjoyable, educational and inspirational year for everyone concerned with the club program including the agent and leaders as well as the several hundred members.

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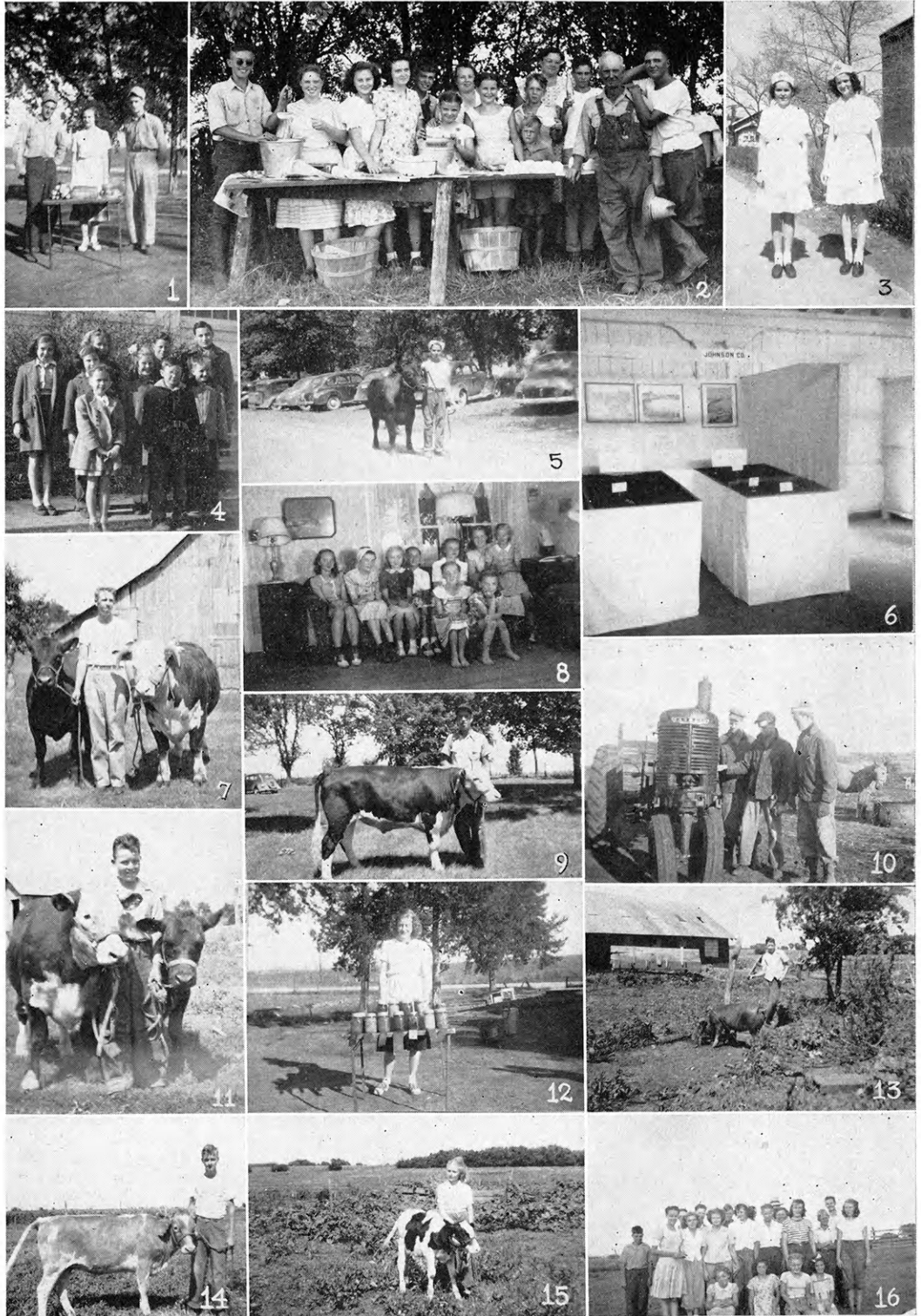


1. Richard Bonar, Ozawkie 4-H, county reporter champion. 2. Robert W. Clarke, Grantville Club, Grand Champion sheep exhibitor at county fair. 3. John J. Fischer, Kaw Valley 4-H. 4. Tom Noll and pigs, Winchester Possums 4-H, Junior Leadership champion. 5. Scarlett Family, Cedar Circle 4-H Club. 6. Dick Bigham, Grantville 4-H, and his Durocs. 7. John Albert Fowler and his Sears gilt, Rock Creek 4-H. 8. Jefferson County 4-H Fair. 9. Ray Curtis Ferrell, Cedar Circle Club. 10. Judging Tour. 11. Eddie Frakes, Blue Mound 4-H, blue ribbon Ayrshire heifer. 12. Patterson Brothers, Perry Club. 13. 4-H Achievement Banquet at Valley Falls. 14. Ruth Burns and her Sears Roebuck heifer won in 1947, Boyle Boosters Club.

Some of the outstanding accomplishments during the year will long hold fond memories for Jefferson County club members. Memories such as the trip to St. Joseph, where nearly 100 members and leaders spent the day visiting the Central Livestock Market and a Packing Plant. Another was the county wide 4-H Club Fair which was a 3-day colorful activity that was enjoyed by all club members and several thousand guests. Another of the outstanding activities was the fall Corn Festival which reached the top in success resulting in Jefferson County having the State Festival Queen.



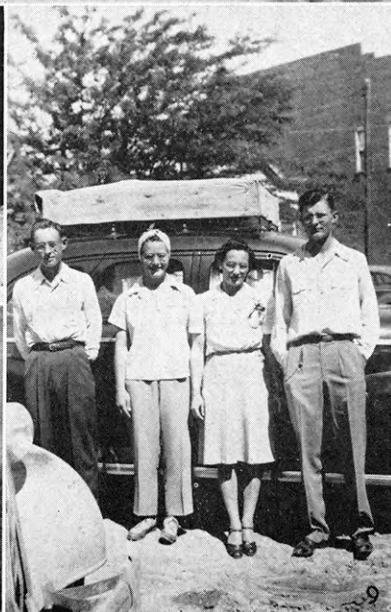
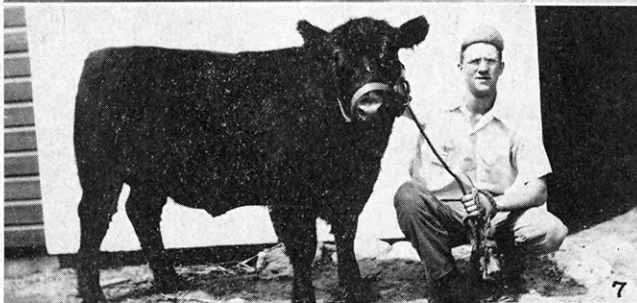
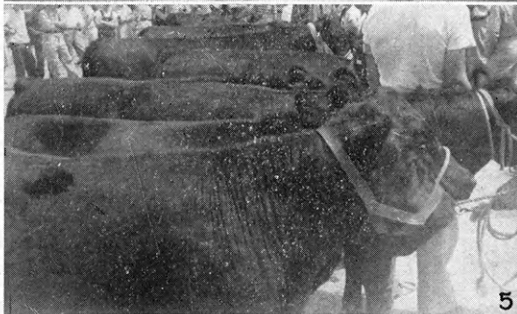
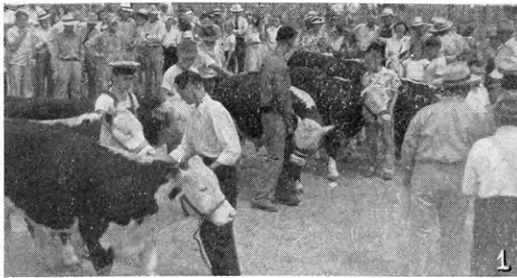
JOHNSON



1. Dale, Marvin, and Lois Allen and county fair exhibits. 2. Oxford Hustlers 4-H Club selling cold drinks at Terracing demonstration on Mr. S. R. Hutcheson's Farm. 3. Betty Worden, and Doris Dempsey, Sharon 4-H members. The girls won first on their demonstration, in the county and a red ribbon at Topeka. 4. Linwood 4-H Club Members. 5. Fredy Olsen and his calf at the Gardner Fair. 6. Conservation Booth of the Sharon 4-H at Kansas Free Fair: The booth won a red ribbon. 7. Bob Plank and calves. 8. Sharon 4H girls-project meeting. 9. Bill Brink and calf. 10. Tractor Maintenance. Dale and Marvin Allen and S.C.S. Club Leader, Earl Allen. 11. Franklin Lane and calves. 12. Christine Allen and food preservation exhibits. 13. Bobby Clayton and pig. 14. Ralph Kurtz and dairy calf. 15. Delores Clayton and her dairy calf. 16. Livewire 4-H Club on Project Tour.



Johnson County 4-H work is rapidly expanding. In 1947, the total club membership was doubled and clubs were increased from 10 to 18 clubs. The progressive program adopted for 1948 calls for 24 clubs and 500 members with special emphasis on quality project work and more participation in worthwhile activities. Highlights on the 4-H calendar include the annual 4-H Chamber of Commerce Chicken Feed, the annual Achievement banquet, the County fair, and a county camp. A 4-H Club agent was employed in the county for the first time in 1947 when Lynndel Old was hired.



LANE

1. Judging of 4-H Hereford Steers at County Fair. 2. Style Review participants at County Fair. 3. 4-H Safety Booth at County Fair. 4. Clothing and Garden exhibits at County Fair. 5. 4-H members Angus steers at County Fair. 6. 4-H members at Camp Christy. 7. Ernest Dean Kuelin, County Council President, with Reserve Champion Heifer at County Fair. 8. Model Meeting champions. 9. Round-Up delegation: Fred Eaton, Phyllis Hanna, Mrs. Fred Wallace and Robert Crow.

Lane County has a 4-H membership of 174 boys and girls in seven clubs in 1947. These members boast a record of 80 per cent completion in project work. Each club gave a model meeting as a part of the 4-H spring festival activities. The project records show a profit of over 25,000 dollars for the members. More than 150 members exhibited at various fairs throughout the state.



LABETTE

1. Arvon Phillips, Valeda Lucky 13, and fat pig. 2. Bob McConnell, Mt. Zion troopers., county sheep champion. 3. Bill Martinie, Stover Steppers, county health champion. 4. Blue ribbon demonstration, Almeda Stevenson and Nadine McConnell, Cheerful Chiefs. 5. Delegates attending encampment at State Fair. 6. John Young, Pioneer Peppers. 7. Lurena Martinie, Stover Steppers, clothing. 8. Second place in Food Preservation Judging contest at State Fair, Almeda Stevenson, Helen Bradley, Mary Hartwell. Almeda was high individual. 9. Frankie and Betty Branham. Frankie was county health boy under 14. 10. Girls attending Round-up. 11. Mary Hartwell, Stover Steppers, county home beautification champion. 12. Ronald Reed, Thrifty Thrivers, poultry. 13. Blue Ribbon winner sextette, 101 Go-Getters, Harshaw, Bolen, Dumm, Royse, Elliott, Royse. 14. Labette County delegation with Kansas Bankers Trophy won for being the most outstanding group at Round-up. 15. One-act play, district winner, at Round-up. 16. Boys at Round-up. 17. Thrifty Thrivers Club tour. 18. Thrifty Thrivers Clothing, Wheat, Karhoff, Jones. 19. Beef Show Grand Champion, Charles Bolen, 101 Go-Getters. 20. Francis Grillot Jr. Sunflower.



Labette County had 400 members in 21 clubs in 1947. Betty Lou Williams, National Home Improvement Champion and Almeda Stevenson, National Clothing Champion, each received a \$200 college scholarship and a trip to the National 4-H Club Congress. Other outstanding awards included the following: 1st place crop judging team at State Fair, first place livestock judging team at Joplin Stock Show, reserve champion pen of poultry at State Fair, three blue ribbon demonstrations at State Fair, blue ribbon booth at Hutchinson and Topeka Free Fair, and reserve champion girl in the State Style Revue Contest.

LABETTE



1. Helen Bradley, Stover Steppers, County Champion-project achievement, food preservation, and baby beef. 2. Paul Johnson, County Pals. 3. State and National Champions, Betty Williams, Room Improvement and Alameda Stevenson, Clothing. 4. Marilyn Elliott, 101 Go-Getters, Reserve Champion State Style Revue, and Bob Robbins, Stover Steppers, Blue Ribbon in State Review. 5. Jack Young, baby beef, 101 Go-Getters 4-H Club. 6. Zora Lou Martin, Valeda Lucky 13, blue ribbon winner. 7. Margaret Schmidt, Geraldine Sullivan, and Norma Lee Robison, clothing members, Thrifty Thrivers 4-H. 8. Gary Hunter and Larry Hunter with sheep, Thrifty Thrivers. 9. Marilyn Reed and Rosadene Jones, clothing, Thrifty Thrivers. 10. Livestock Judging Team, Thrifty Thrivers and Country Pals. 11. Betty and Carola Greer, Pioneer Peppers. 12. Tommy O'Connor, baby beef, Sunflower 4-H Club. 13. Blue Ribbon winner, Leland Elliott, 101 Go-Getters. 14. Bobby Jack, Valeda 13. 15. First place in Crops Judging at State Fair, Harold Hellwig, Gerald Neher, and Bob Robbins, Hellwig high individual. 16. Fat pig, W. A. Banzet Jr., Ripon Rustlers.

Labette County received second place in the food preservation judging contest at the State Fair and Alameda Stevenson was the high individual for the state.

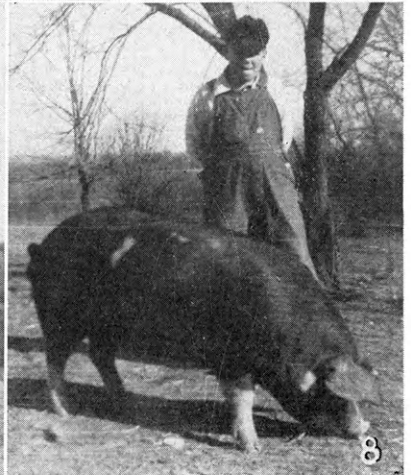
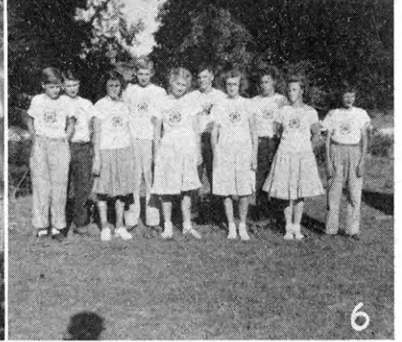
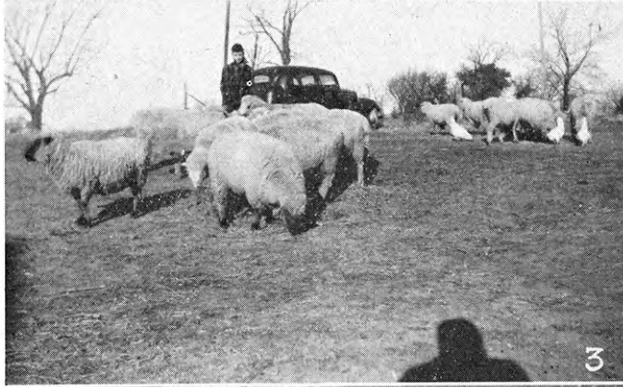
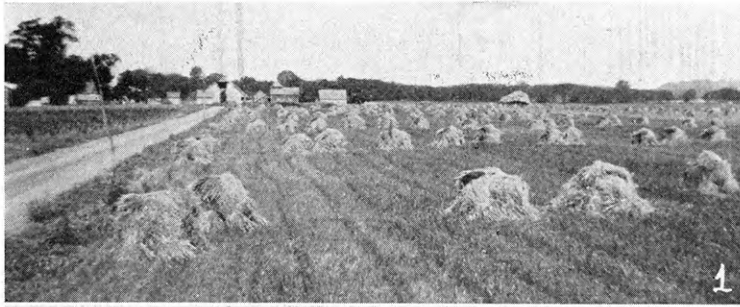
The county came home from the State Fair with 19 blue, 21 red, and 33 white ribbons.

The county one act play group attended Round-Up and Labette County was presented the Kansas Bankers Trophy for having the most outstanding delegation at Round-Up.

All clubs carry on an active health program in cooperation with the County Health Department. Activities include health examinations, chest X-ray, testing well water, TB campaigns, venereal disease and a fly control program.



LEAVENWORTH



1. The splendid oats crop of Wayne Knapp, President of Council members. 2. Lambert Mills—President of the Nine Mile Club, County Dairy Champion. 3. Keefe Wickey—1947 County Champion in Soil Conservation, also is outstanding with his sheep project. 4. Mary Barbara Schwinn. 5. Harold Burre—President of Happy Hollow Club and County Garden Champion. 6. Easton 4-H Club members at 4-H camp, Bonner Springs. 7. Grand Champion Steer on left and runner ups owned by Rosalie, Chester, and Willis Edmonds, Fairmont Club. 8. Roy Jons—Glenwood Club with one of his prize gilts.

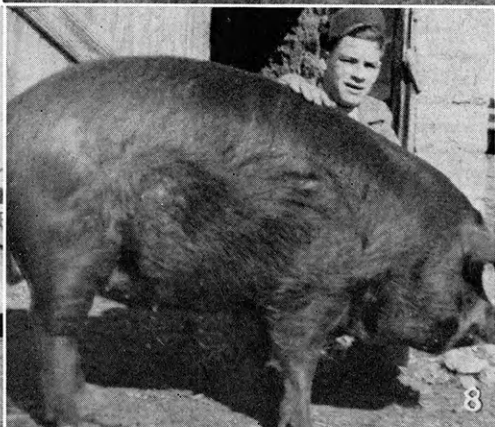


At the 1947 county fair there was 315 4-H exhibits representing 195 farm families, 38 head of fat calves, 15 dairy calves, 20 head of hogs, 23 head of sheep were shown. All the projects carried in Leavenworth County in 1947 had an estimated value of \$35,000.

One of the outstanding activities carried in 1947 was safety. One member was sent to Arkansas for 2 weeks training. Tractor Maintenance, Soil Conservation, and Home Beautification will be stressed in 1948.

Now with a full time club agent and with an enrollment of close to 400 members maybe we can further the progress of 4-H work in Leavenworth County in 1948.

LINCOLN



1. Wheat Queen and King—Loran Heine and Harold Lemmons. 2. Sylvan Hustlers Float. 3. Junior Sunflower 4-H Tour—oldest club in Kansas. 4. Lois Lemmons—Champion girl. 5. Peggy Jane Biers — Champion of style review. 6. Wide Awake Club tour. 7. Lincoln Sunrise 4-H Float. 8. Bennie Crawford and Gilt. 9. Round-Up delegates—Richard Dowlin, Bennie Crawford, Lois Lemmons, Connie Smith, and Mrs. Panzer.

Lincoln County has six 4-H Clubs with a 1947 membership of 130 boys and girls who carried 279 projects.

At the Wheat Festival, held in connection with the County 4-H fair, Lorna Heine and Harold Jay Lemmons were crowned Wheat King and Queen.

Lincoln County Club sent three delegates to American Royal—Roger Lawson, County Wheat Champion; Lois Lemmons, who solicited the most wheat for the State Camp, and Alice Baumann, who sold the most season tickets for the fair.

Roundup delegates were—Connie Smith, Lois Lemmons, Bennie Crawford, Richard Dowlin, Mrs. Herman Panzer, and D. Dean Dicken, county agent.



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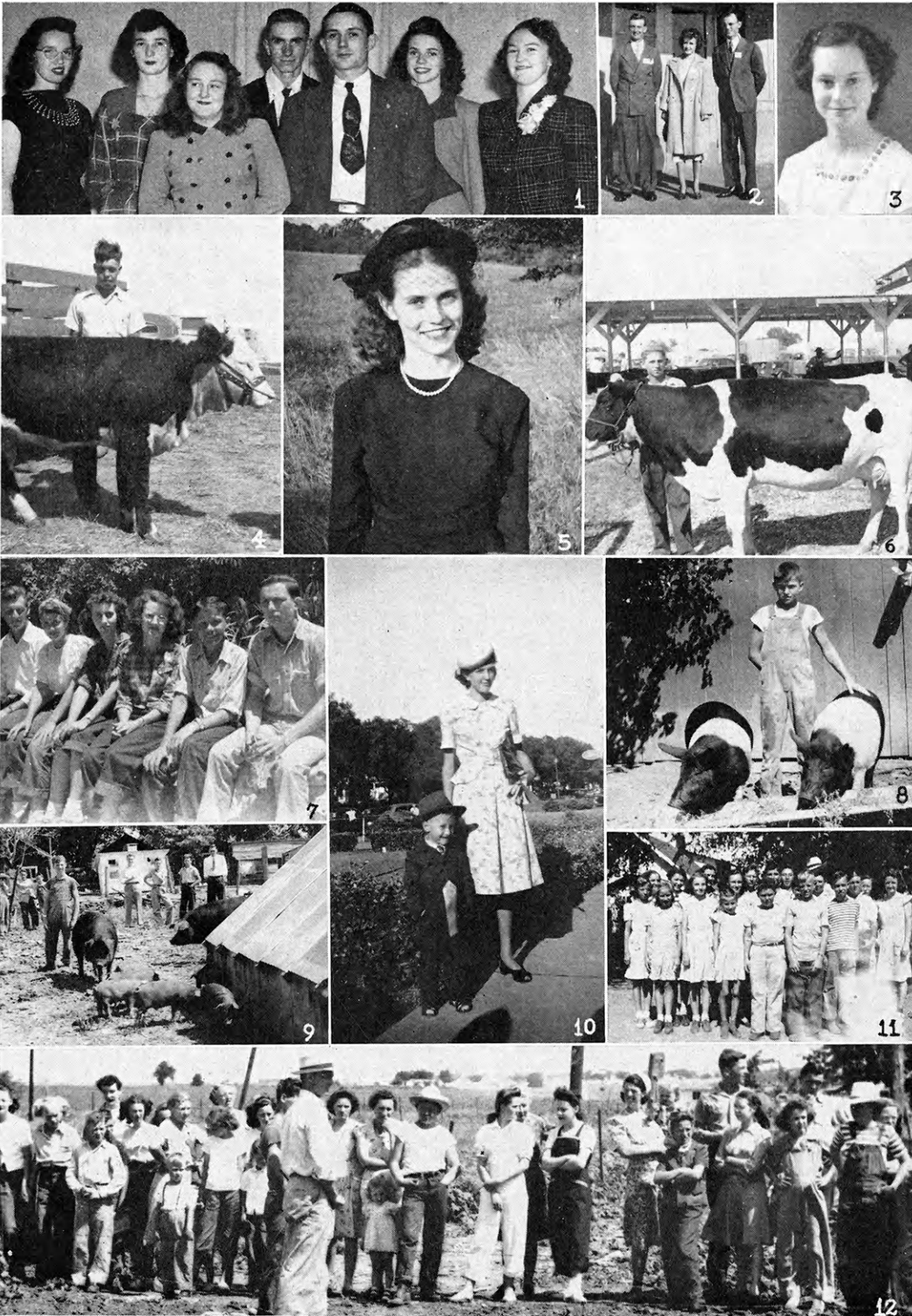


1. Members of the Badger Creek 4-H Club. 2. Bob Long of the Rinker Club and Ruth Hinrichs of the Eagle Creek 4-H Club, county champions in Best Groomed Boy and Style Revue contests. 3. Lorna Lou Smith, Badger Creek 4-H Club, with her 2nd place Hereford steer. 4. Round-up delegates. 5. Mrs. Chester Wright, Admire 4-H Club, receives her diamond pin at the Lyon County 4-H Achievement party as recognition for her 21 years of service. Also shown are Anna Grace Caughron, home demonstration agent, and R. Warren Rhodes, county agent. 6. Iris Huntsinger of the Verdigris 4-H Club being judged in style revue. 7. Carl Winger of the Sunflower Club with his steer which was grand champion steer at the 1947 Lyon County Fair. 8. Bobby Kerr of the Frost Club with his Hereford which was champion at the Lyon County Fair.



1947 was the best on record for Lyon County in 4-H Club work. Membership reached an all time high of 447 members, the largest membership in any two agent county in Kansas. Membership is organized into twenty clubs. Several 4-H members and leaders received recognition for outstanding work. Mrs. Chester Wright of the Admire 4-H Club received her diamond clover leaf for 20 years of active service in 4-H work. Herman Wingert of Sunflower received a WIBW Scholarship to Kansas State College. Wanda Bacon, Rinker 4-H, won a trip to Chicago for outstanding work; and Mary Lou Edwards won a scholarship to Kansas State College.

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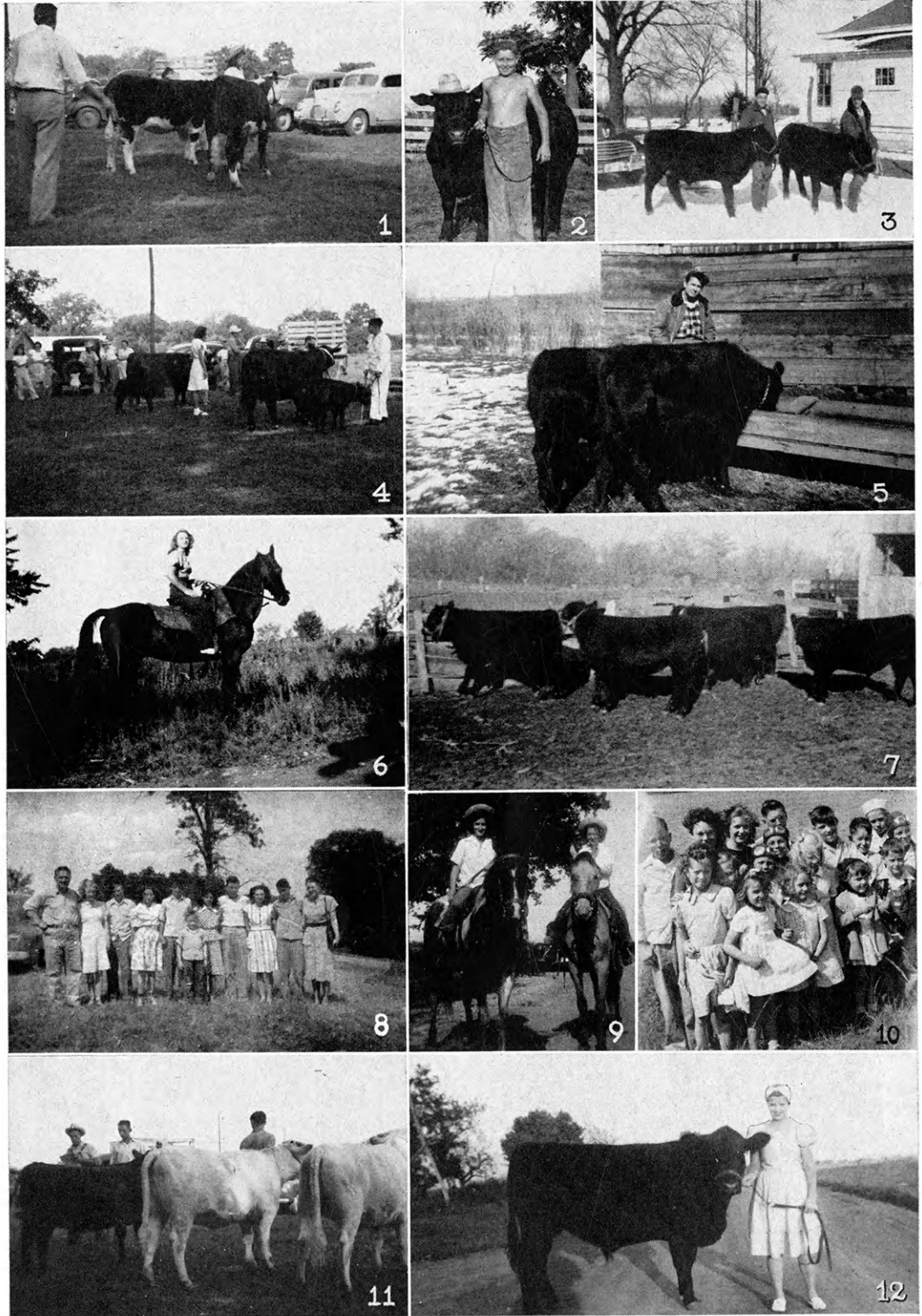


1. Officers of the Rinker 4-H Club. 2. Herman Wingert, Sunflower 4-H Club, and Lola Jane Keech, 20th Century 4-H Club, county King and Queen entrants at the Topeka Farm and Home Industrial Conference, with the county agent. 3. Aleita Wright, Whittier Club, secretary and council member. 4. William Earl Day, Allen Boosters Club, with his champion Hereford heifer, Lyon County Fair. 5. Wanda Bacon, Santa Fe Chicago trip winner. 6. Leonard Chamberlain, Bucher 4-H Club, and his grand champion Holstein. 7. Camp officers, Greenwood and Lyon county camp at Rock Springs Ranch, left to right: Herman Wingert, major; Shirley Mayes, Lorene Nuessen, Lola Jane Keech, Ralph McGrew, and Bob Long—all of Lyon County. 8. Leroy Spade, Admire 4-H Club, with his grand champion fat barrow for 1946-47. 9. Francis Burns, Whittier 4-H Club, and her sow and litter project. 10. Anna Jeannette Brasier and Richard Prohel, Americus Club, style revue winner in complete costume and child's suit. 11. Members of the 20th Century 4-H Club. 12. County 4-H livestock tour.

Project completion in Lyon County was 92.5% last year. Seven clubs won the purple seal and all clubs won seals or charters. Sixty-five attended camp at Rock Springs Ranch. The county council voted that each club in the county raise \$50.00 a year for five years to build a cabin at the camp. Last year over \$2000 was contributed to this fund. Club members completed 952 projects. Nearly every member competed at the County Fair with the largest number of 4-H exhibits on record. Club and county tours, picnics, 4-H Sunday observance, camps, Festival, Achievement party, box and pie socials, sports, and monthly meetings rounded out a full and enjoyable club year in Lyon County.



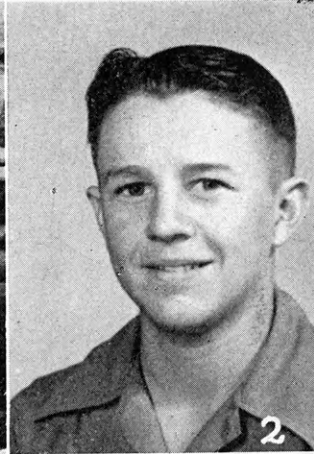
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1. Hereford heifer class at county fair. 2. Billy Jim Murray, Busy Bugs 4-H and his baby beef. 3. Billy and Bobby Browback, Cadmus 4-H and their calves. 4. Angus heifer class at county fair. 5. Billy Capehart, Busy Workers 4-H and his heifer project. 6. Charlotte Shaw, Washington Workers 4-H, County Home Economics Champion. 7. Beginning of the feed, the Newman Girls Project, Busy Workers 4-H. 8. Lucky Clover 4-H. 9. Eleanor and Ada Grace McGee, Washington Workers 4-H, exhibit their Ponies in the activity class. 10. Live-wire 4-H. 11. Shorthorn heifer class at county fair. 12. Avis Elaine Caldwell, Cadmus 4-H Club, "Lucky" Angus Baby beef.



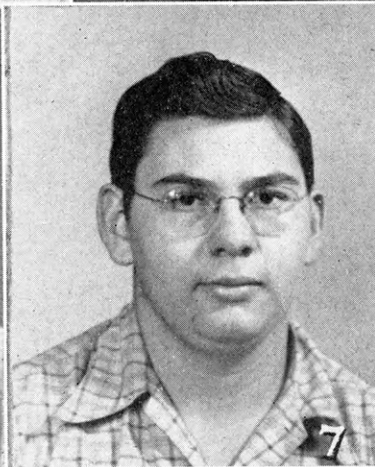
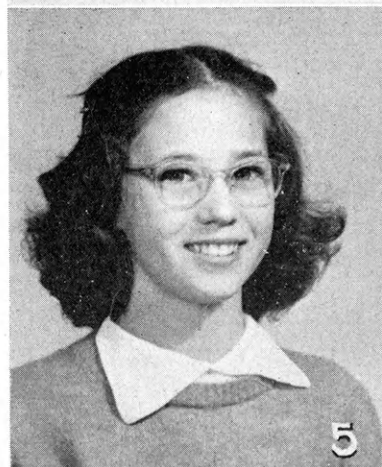
The Linn County 4-H Clubs are working for a 4-H building on the fair grounds. They raised \$350.00 by a contest between the clubs for the county 4-H king and queen. Barbara and Kenneth Bearly were crowned queen and king at the 4-H day at the county fair. Miss Bruel was an outstanding county chairman this year. Sewing is the most popular project for the girls in the county. Baby beef won the favor for the boys but swine and dairy heifers are gaining ground every year.



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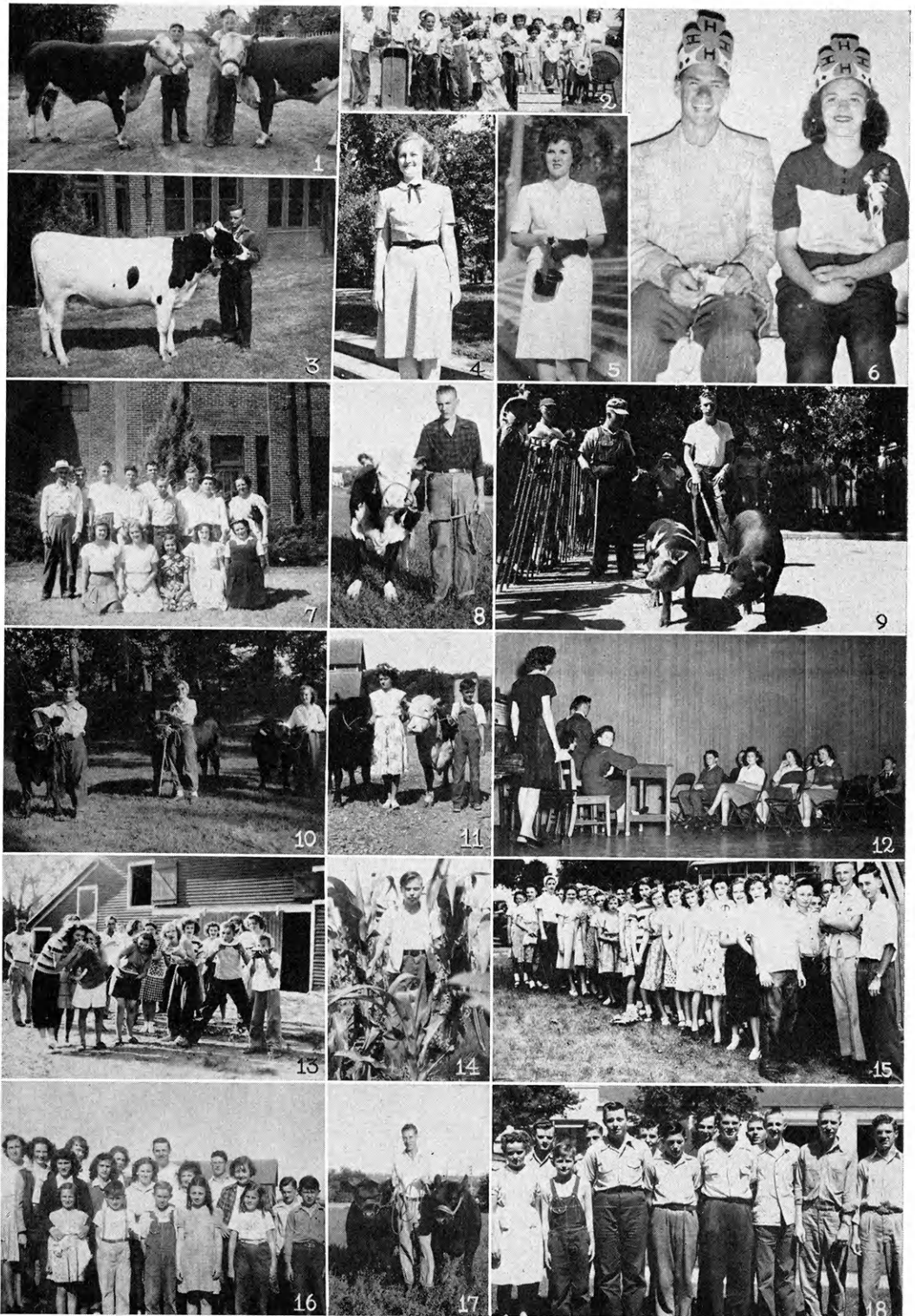


1. James and Gene Taylor and purebred Hampshires. 2. Gene Taylor, best groomed boy Champion. 3. Rainbow Club prize float at Oakley Celebration. 4. Norma Joanne Smith, foods champion. 5. Janet Taylor, blue ribbon winner Dress Revue. 6. Laura Ann Whrich, Clothing Champion. 7. Gene Davis, Leadership, crops and garden champion.

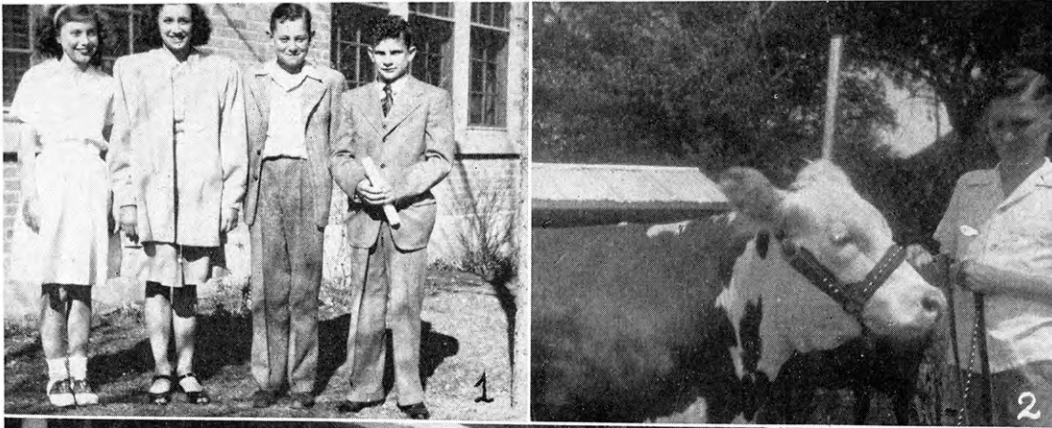


MARSHALL

1. Melvin and Arlyn Scheller and their steer. Community Builders 4-H. 2. Vliets Merry Workers 4-H Rhythm Band. 3. Millard Peterson, Community Builders, Reserve Champion Dairy Heifer at State Fair. 4. County Style Revue Champion, Nancy Tunison, of Cloverleaf 4-H. 5. Carl Weaver, Richland Center Club, reserve style revue champion. 6. Dale Schwindaman, Cloverleaf and Barbara Mill, Blue Rapids, 4-H Carnival King and Queen. 7. 4-Hers and leaders who attended Hutchinson State Fair. 8. Merlin Keller and his beef project, Happy Harvesters. 9. Milo Kratochvil and Charles Griswold show pigs at County 4-H Fair. 10. Raymond Weaver, Caryl Weaver, Jacqueline Tilter and beef projects. 11. Betty and Vester Leinweber, Grand and Reserve Champion beef at State 4-H Fair. 12. Cloverleaf 4-H Club's Model Meeting at 4-H Festival. 13. Happy Harvesters after 4-H tour. 14. R. J. Stedman, Jolly Farmer Club, with his corn. 15. Marshall County 4-H members ready for state camp at Rock Springs. 16. Cloverleaf 4-H Club on tour. 17. Charles Griswold and his beef project, Happy Harvesters 4-H Club. 18. Gilts won by members in Sears Roebuck Gilt contest.



In the year 1947 Marshall County membership numbered 304. The summer project schedule, local tours, and the outside county activities have increased the interest in 4-H. All the clubs took part in the 4-H Day program, our county's model meeting receiving first place at the district festival and our promotional talk was taken to Round-Up. Most clubs observed 4-H Sunday in their own Communities. We were represented by 7 members at Round-Up, 63 at Rock Springs Camp, and eleven at Hutchinson State Fair. The 4-H clubs entertained the business men of Marysville to a fried chicken supper in appreciation for all they have done to promote 4-H work.



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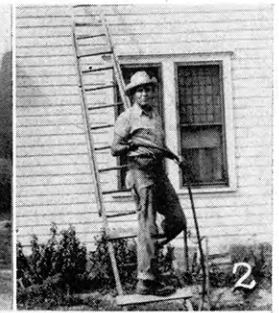
1. Four high in health contest, Nina Hornbaker, Hillsbow; Marilyn McCoy, Lucky Cloverleaf; Ralph Richmond, Sunshine; James Seibel, Hill Climbers. 2. Warren D. Luta, Florence Jayhawkers, and his 4-H heifer. 3. John and Charles Heiser's prize winning sheep, Lucky Clover-Leaf 4-H Club. 4. Norma Wohlgenuth, Round-Up delegate, State Junior Leadership camp, state fair 4-H encampment, state promotional winner to Jackson's Mill, co-preservation and leadership champion '48, member of highest ranking food preparation judging team at state fair. 5. Ruby Funk, French Creek Valley. 6. Hill Climbers 4-H Club. 7. South Cottonwood 4-H Club tour.

Marion County 4-H has concluded a successful 1947 year with the Achievement Party held during December. This party, sponsored by the Marion Kiwanis Club, was complete with county awards, entertainment by a magician and lots of good eats!

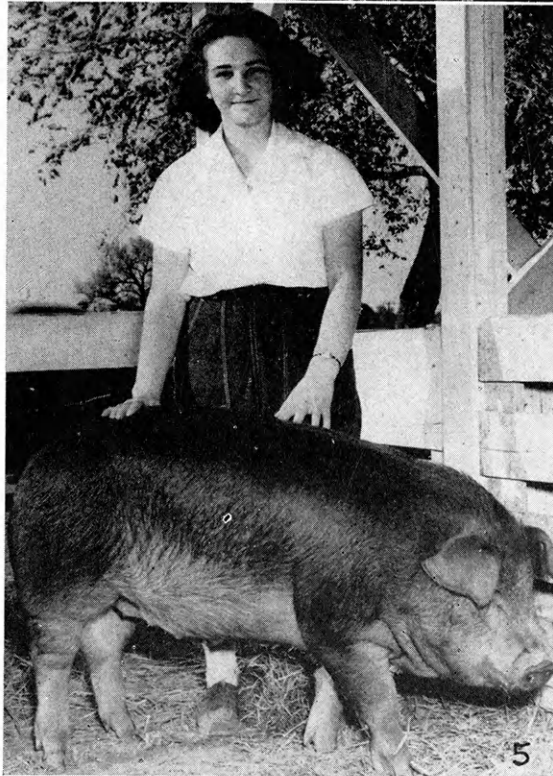
Other highlights of the year's program for the 206 members have included: Round-Up, 4-H Camp, Health Camp, Conservation Camp, Junior Leadership Camp, State Fair Encampment, Wichita Fat Stock Show and the Kansas City Deferred Fed Show and Sale. 4-H members also sponsored the County Wheat Festival, and held their own 4-H Achievement Fair in August. Marion County Clubs also participated in the 4-H Day activities.



MITCHELL



1. Delegates to Hays Judging School. 2. Jim Gurley with his Safety Projects. 3. Asherville Achievers 4-H Club. 4. Ferma Jean Criswell, County Style Revue Champion. 5. Clair Jean Schmitt with Champion Gilt at Salina Swine Show. 6. Earl Houglan, Jr., Champion Boar at District Swine Show, Salina.



As always Mitchell County 4-H clubs were quite active in the year 1947. There were eleven clubs and each one had a full program. Each club took an active part in county-wide activities such as festivals, judging, tours, and picnics.

Mitchell County had fifty-two attend camp at Rock Springs in June and all enjoyed it very much.

Mitchell County for many years has been holding its fair in the old Chautauqua park which is in the bend of the Solomon river at Beloit.

MITCHELL

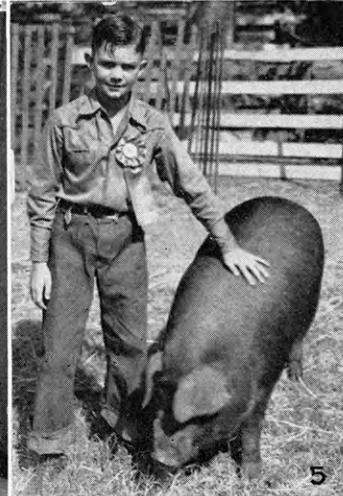
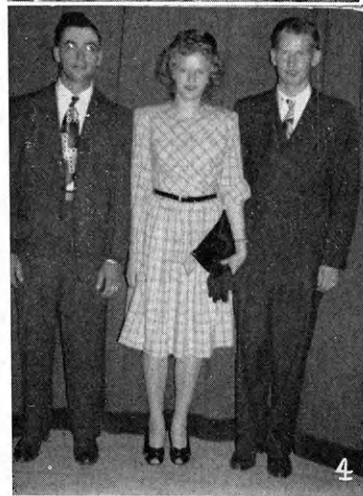


1. Eureka 4-H Club. 2. Members at Encampment at Hutchinson State Fair. 3. Livestock Judging Team at Hutchinson State Fair. 4. Presentation of watches to County Wheat King, Bob Hewitt, and Queen, Phyllis Walter. 5. Pleasant View 4-H Club tour. 6. Delegation at C. K. Ranch for Hereford Field and Judging School. 7. Loyal Workers 4-H picking up waste paper. 8. Dan Schmitt with Angus and Hereford at Wichita Fat Stock Show. 9. Dan Schmitt, State Soil Conservation Winner, with Swine. 10. Round-Up delegation. 11. Louis Magette, and State Champion Deferred Shorthorn Steers. 12. Hutchinson State Fair Angus Exhibitors.

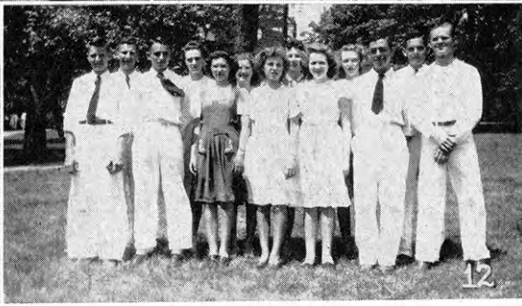
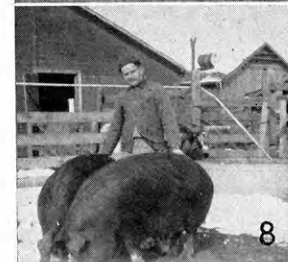
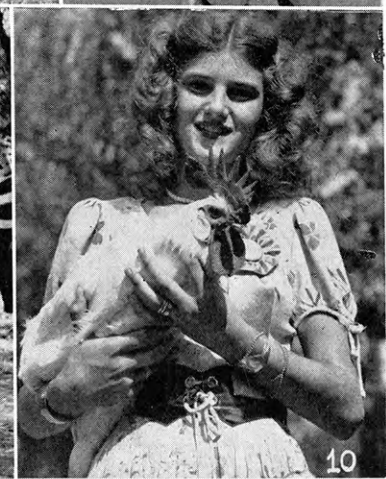
4-H members and leaders did not want heavy rains at fair time because that meant a flooded park. Year after year the fair moved out so 4-H people were glad when the fair officials bought land on higher ground. The 4-H Clubs of Mitchell county solicited funds to help pay for these grounds. They did this by county-wide paper drives, serving of dinners, and so forth. Enough money was accumulated to start this building in the fall of 1947 and the clubs expect to finish this project early in 1948.



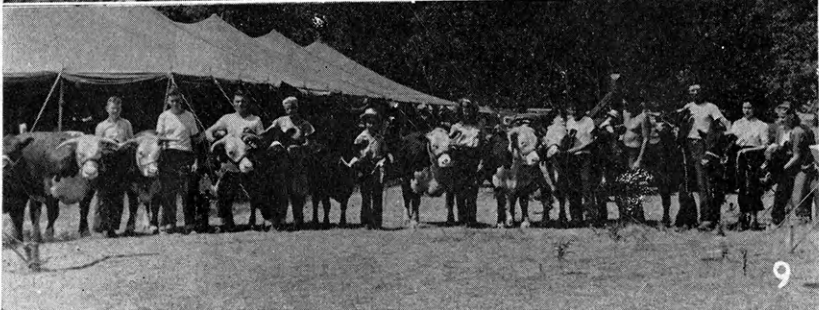
McPHERSON



1. Edward Lee Johnson, Dairy Production winner, Milking Shorthorn Division. 2. Clement Lindholm, Champion Shorthorn, Fat Stock Show. 3. Virgil Sandahl, State Meat Animal Champion and his deferred steers. 4. Martin Stucky, Best Groomed Boy, Lola Beth Goering, Style Revue Champion and Kenneth Briggs, Reserve Champion Best Groomed Boy. 5. Dale Bandy, Champion Barrow, County Fair. 6. Marlys Waln, State Project Achievement girl and her County Champion Baby Beef. 7. Delma Flickner, Champion Ayrshire, County Show. 9. Loren Lindholm, County Swine Champion. 9. Betty Ann Murrey, State Champion Reporter and Hereford heifer. 10. Joyce Esau, Champion of poultry, County Fair. 11. Ronald Wedel and his registered Hampshire ewe lambs. 12. McPherson County Round-Up Delegation.



McPherson County had 385 club members enrolled in 932 projects in 1947. Primary emphasis has been on project work, though a well rounded club program is being conducted. The most important County 4-H Club events during the year are the 4-H Fair, Achievement Banquet, Fun Nite and County 4-H Camp which has been held at Camp Wentz the past two years. Fifteen leaders and club members attended Round-Up, 20 attended the State Fair, 17 attended the Fat Stock Show and 19 attended the American Royal in 1947. McPherson County had State Champions in Girl's Project Achievement, General Livestock and News Writing and received state recognition in the Dairy and Poultry Contests.



MIAMI

1. Plum Creek Club tour and picnic. 2. New Lancaster Club Tour. 3. Touring Kansas City, New Lancaster 4-H Club. 4. Eldon Kohlenberg and "Blue Ribbon Jackie." 5. Winina Kohlenberg, All County Girl Champion. 6. Mrs. Edward Gomerding, New Lancaster leader, shows how to paint mailboxes. 7. New Lancaster Club girls. 8. Miami Hustlers sewing and cooking class. 9. Victory 4-H Club fair entries. 10. New Lancaster Play Cast.

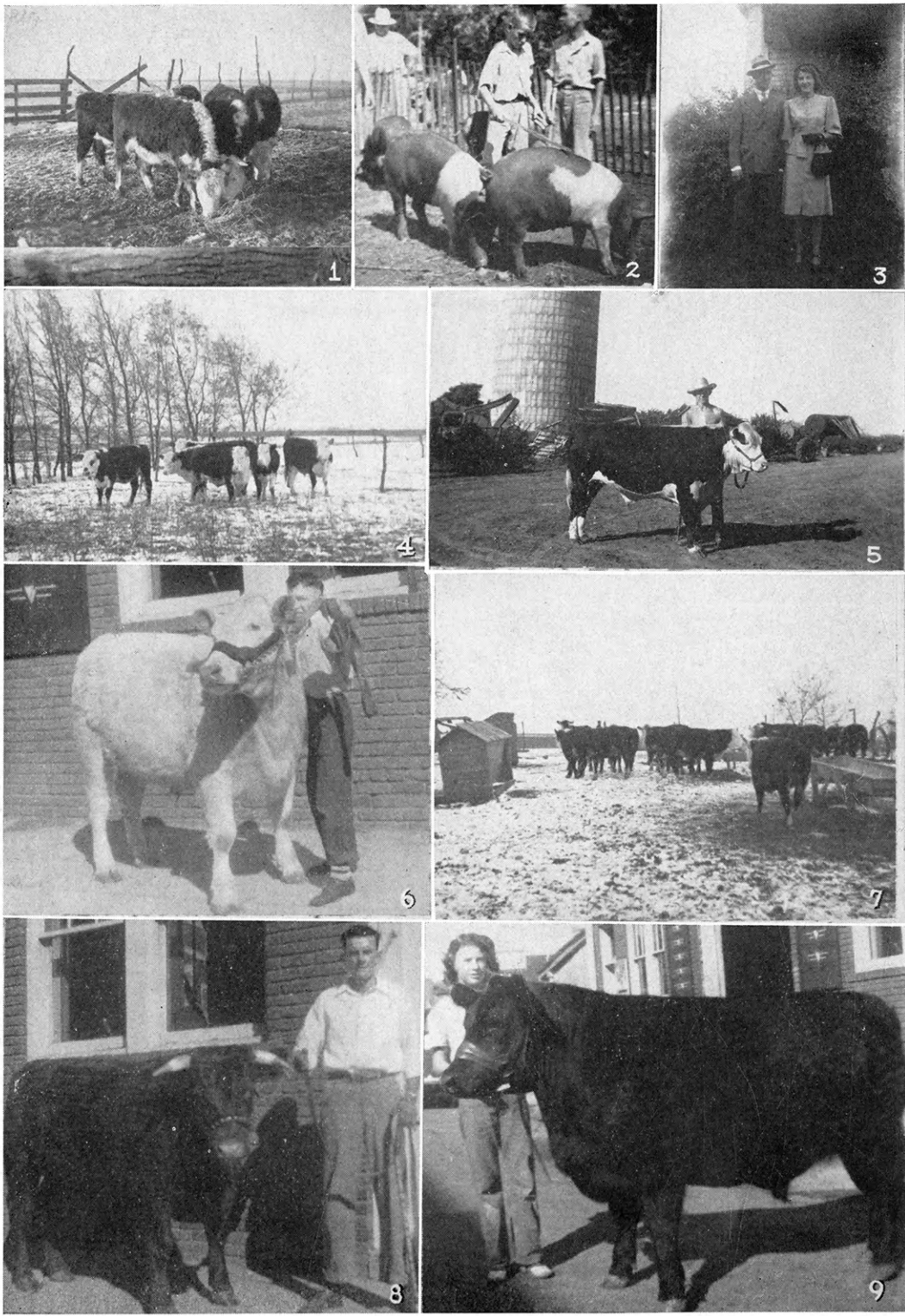
In accordance with national plans, Miami County 4-H Clubs have set their 1948 membership goal at 420 members. This is a 40% increase over the 1947 membership and the largest membership in the history of the county. Plans for 1948 include camp at Rock Springs Ranch, a county judging school for both boys and girls and a bigger and better 4-H fair. In 1947 approximately 200 of the 300 club members attended the American Royal. During the year two clubs took industrial tours of Kansas City.

Miami County also has an active Rural Life Organization for boys and girls who graduate from 4-H Club work.



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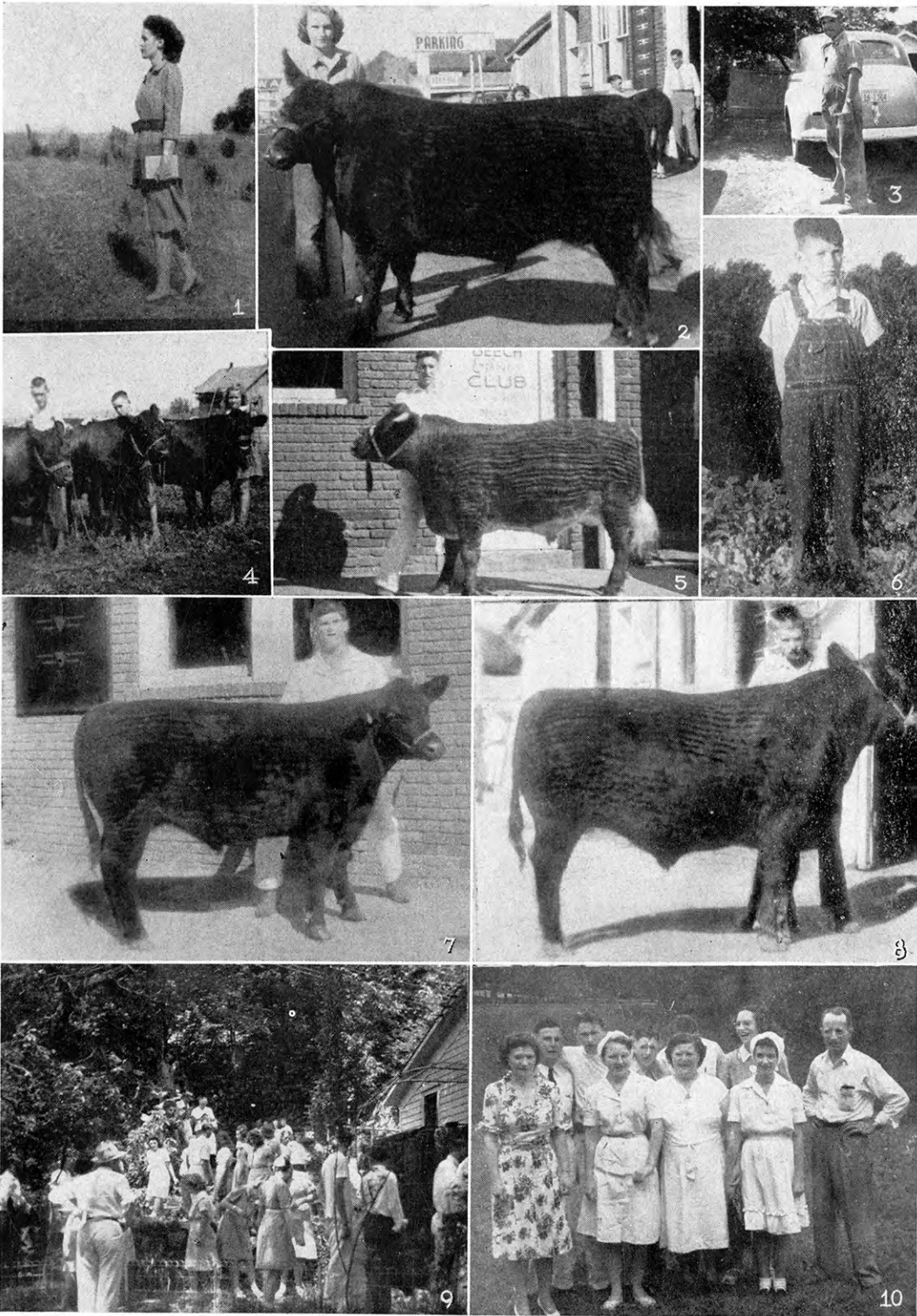
1. Donald Peterson's registered heifers. 2. The Harmon Brothers pig project. 3. The county's best dressed, Billy and Billy Mae Williams from the Neosho Valley 4-H Club. 4. Deferred fed steers. 5. Bill Hutchinson and his baby beef from the Wilsey Busy Bees Club. 6. Kay Hutchinson, Wilsey Busy Bees Club, and his baby beef. 7. Clair and Bill Hutchinson's deferred steers. 8. Evan Swartz, Busy Workers 4-H Club, and baby beef. 9. Elaine Olson, Four Mile 4-H Club, and baby beef.



Morris County has eleven 4-H Clubs with over 300 active members. These members participated in a radio program over radio station KSAC last summer. They sponsored a wheat festival to raise funds for the Rock Springs Camp. The Neosho Valley Club is feeding a calf for the State Camp fund.

Morris County was host to the District Judging School last summer. 276 4-H members from 27 counties attended this school. Our judging team placed third at Wichita, sixth at Hutchinson, and ninth at Topeka.

MORRIS



1. Mary Jean Harmon, Style Review winner, Full-O-Pep. 2. Grand Champion Steer, Jean Alexander, Four Mile Club. 3. Morris County Wheat King, Harry Granzlow. 4. Steers owned by Harmon Children, Full-O-Pep Club. 5. Billy Williams and calf, Neosho Valley Club. 6. Charles Fisher and Garden Project, Willing Workers Club. 7. Bill Schoof and calf, Four Mile Club. 8. Ronnie Francis and calf, Wilsey Busy Bee Club. 9. Morris County Group at Rock Springs Ranch. 10. Morris County Round-Up group.

An investment of \$29,119.28 realized a profit of \$15,611.52 for Morris County 4-H Club members. This is an average of \$536 for each member. Sixty nine beef projects netted the most with a net return of \$2,350; corn \$1,802; swine, \$1,383; and poultry, \$1,362.

Our clubs were rated this year on a point basis. Points were awarded on project completion, attendance at meetings, fair entries, etc. This proved to be a good way to stimulate activity in the clubs.



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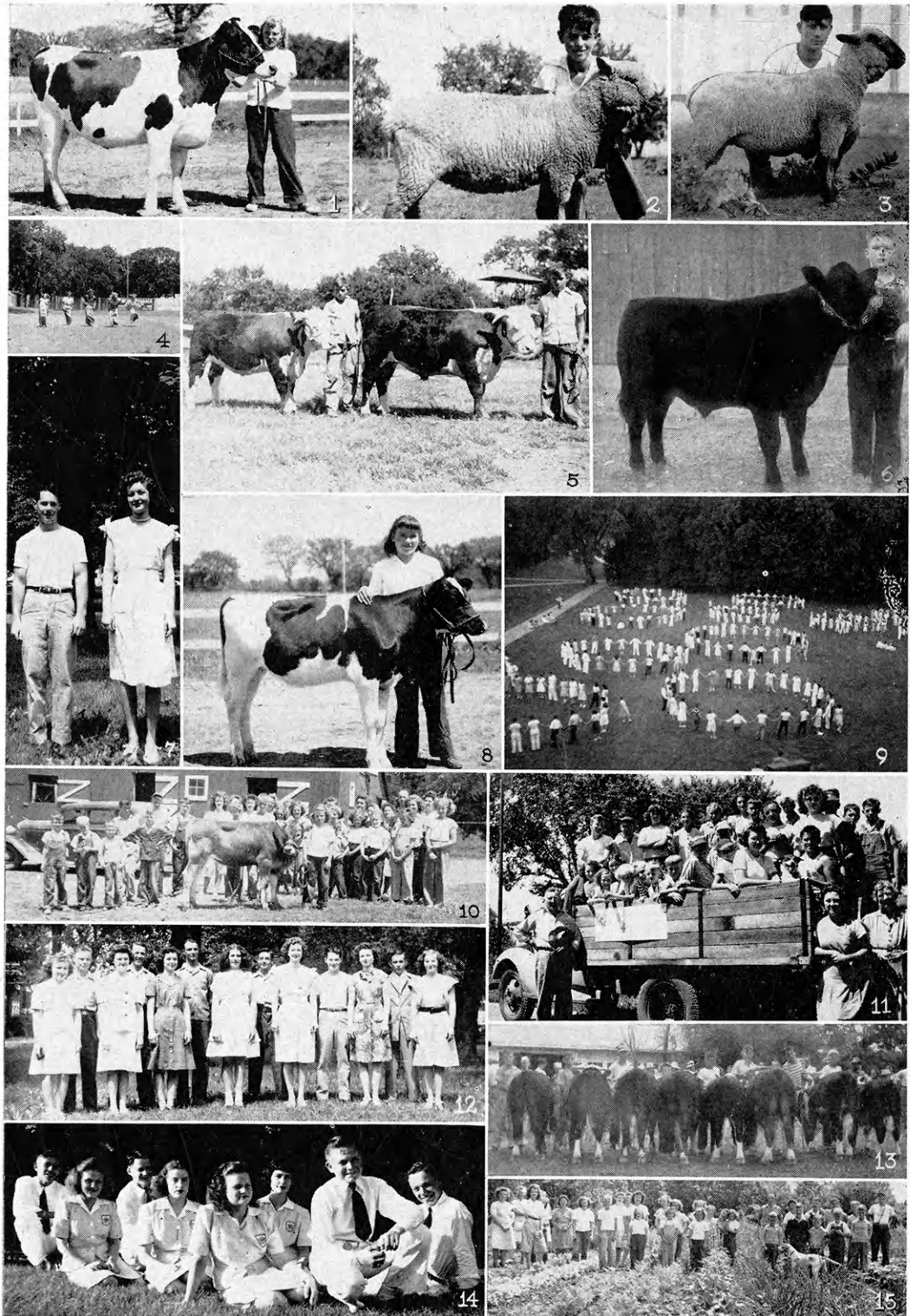


1. Claraellen Heckman, We Work to Win, discusses her Sears Garden. 2. State Champion Livestock Judging Team and coach. 3. Round-Up delegates at Manhattan. 4. Members of Duck Creek Boosters on tour. 5. Eugene Brinkman, sheep and general livestock county champion. 6. Girls of Busy Band display their garments. 7. Bob White 4-H Club, WIBW award winner. 8. Junior Leaders of Pumpkin Creek Pals. 9. Junior leaders serve as camp counselors for county camp. 10. Wayside Climbers county champion 4-H basketball team. 11. Carole Myers, Peggy Progressives, and her Sears Gilt. 12. Ridge Rustlers pose during tour for a picnic. 13. County participants in District 4-H Club Day. 14. Up & Coming Club members visit John Ket's project. 15. Kenneth Ransom, with assistants display rabbit projects.

A Junior Leaders Club, weekly radio broadcasts, and participation in sports in season served to increase interest in Montgomery County 4-H Club program during 1947. 4-H'ers of the county point with pride to members of the State Livestock Judging team; Meredythe Hall, Danforth Scholarship winner; the southeast Kansas Junior Leadership Camp and the two County Fairs.



NEOSHO



1. Mary Fickel with Champion Holstein heifer. 2. Gail Sharp with registered Shropshire ewe. 3. Louis Hines with Hampshire ewe. 4. Girls sack race at County 4-H and Farm Bureau picnic. 5. Darold and Dale Coomes, with Darold's Grand Champion baby beef and Dale's second place winner. 6. Delmar Hanson with baby beef. 7. Merle Noakes and Mildred Flottman, County Health champions. 8. Maxine Fickel with Grand Champion Holstein heifer. 9. Recreation at Round-Up. 10. Neosho Valley Busy Bees members inspecting Janice Dennis's Brown Swiss heifer. 11. Jolly Junior 4-H Club tour. 12. County 4-H Health contestants. 13. Hereford baby beeves at 4-H fair. 14. Round-Up delegation. 15. Neosho Valley Busy Bees club tour inspecting Bill LaRue's garden.

Neosho Co. has 17 clubs whose 317 members participate in all county events. The County 4-H Day, Health Contest and Fair were held in Erie. The County picnic, District 4-H Day and Achievement banquet were held in Chanute.

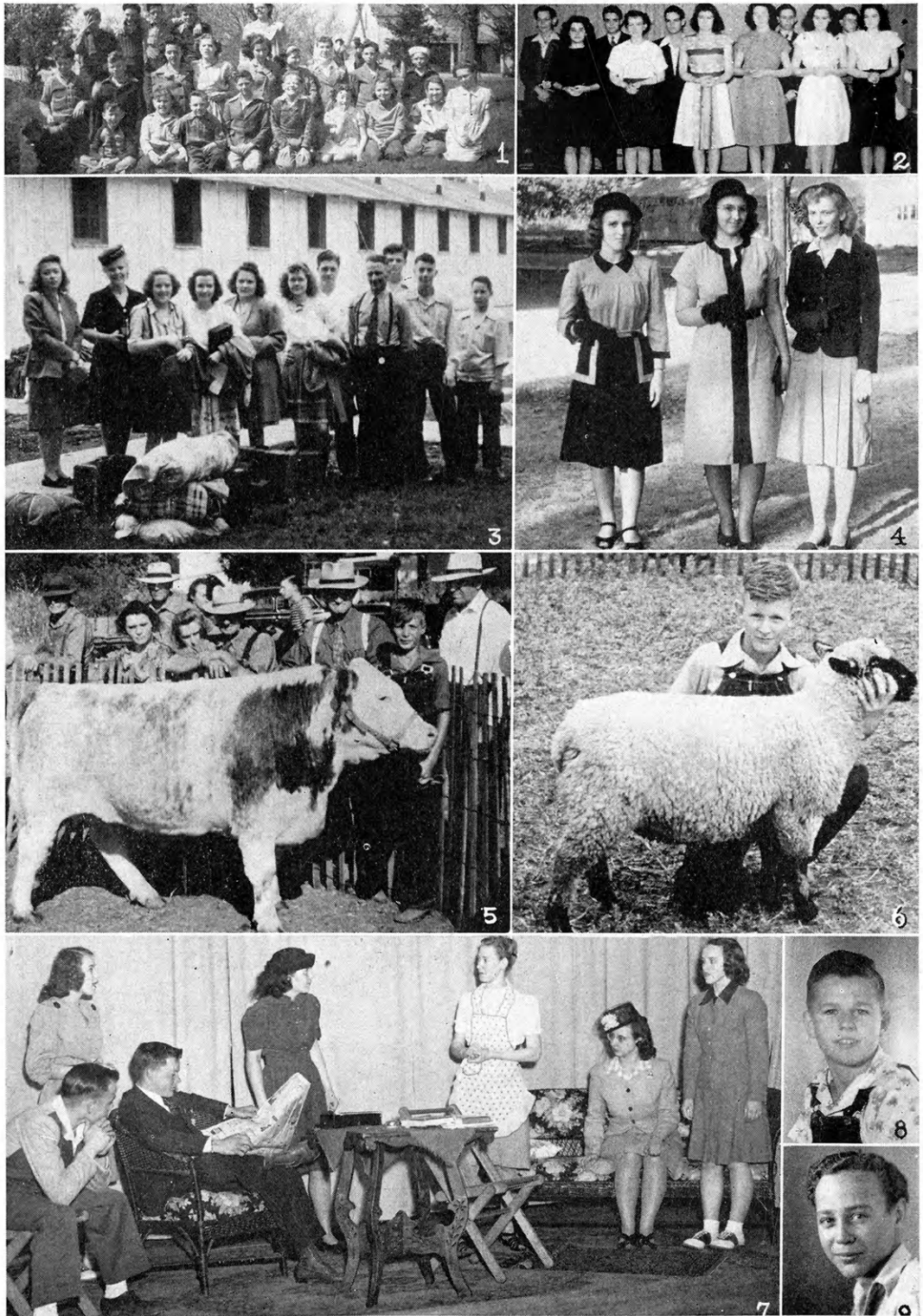
26 members attended the county 4-H Camp held at the State Camp at Rock Springs Ranch in conjunction with Harvey Co.

9 members attended 4-H Roundup at Manhattan. Merle Noakes and Mildred Flottman won highest honors in the Health Contest and attended the State Health Camp held at Rock Springs Ranch.

Delores Vitt was second high individual in the state clothing judging contest. 3 demonstrations were given at the State Fair. Club members exhibited at the Free Fair, State Fair, and the Fat Stock Show.



NEMAHA



1. The Lakeshore 4-H Club. 2. Lucky Clover's blue ribbon chorus at District 4-H Club Day. 3. Round-up delegates in front of the girls dormitories at Manhattan. 4. Wilma and Nellie Bauman, style revue Champions; Ellen Bauman, Grand Champion. 5. Merlin Strahn and grand champion baby beef. 6. Elton Flentie with his grand champion sheep. 7. Bush Jayhawker's Club in blue ribbon play at county 4-H Club Day. 8. Boyd Allen won blue ribbon on his demonstration at county and state fair. 9. Larry Watkins, King of Hobo Festival.



The year, 1947, was an expansion year for Nemaha County 4-H Clubs. The membership increased 200 members over 1946. New activities included 33 enrollments in tractor maintenance, 15 in soil conservation, business mens' picnic sponsored by the 4-H Clubs, county-wide judging tour, a dairy purchasing program and a sponsored brooding chicken project.



NEMAHHA



1. Max Swartz and grand champion swine. 2. Elaine Spielman, county frozen foods, meal preparation and health champion. 3. Velma Strahm won blue ribbon on her demonstration at county and state fair and was Queen of Hobo Festival. 4. Champion spotted poland china and poland china swine. 5. Don Allen won fourth place in state reporters book contest. 6. Best groomed boys contest at county fair. 7. Wilfred Broxterman and blue ribbon Wisconsin heifer.



Nemaha County camp at Sycamore Springs had an enrollment of 85 boys and girls. Forty boys and girls exhibited baby beef at St. Joseph and twelve at the American Royal. Three hundred-fifty attended the Achievement Banquet given by the Seneca Chamber of Commerce. Two county wide parties were attended by 550 4-H'ers, leaders, parents, 4-H friends. The Sabetha Kiwanis Club and the Wetmore Chamber of Commerce sponsored the parties.



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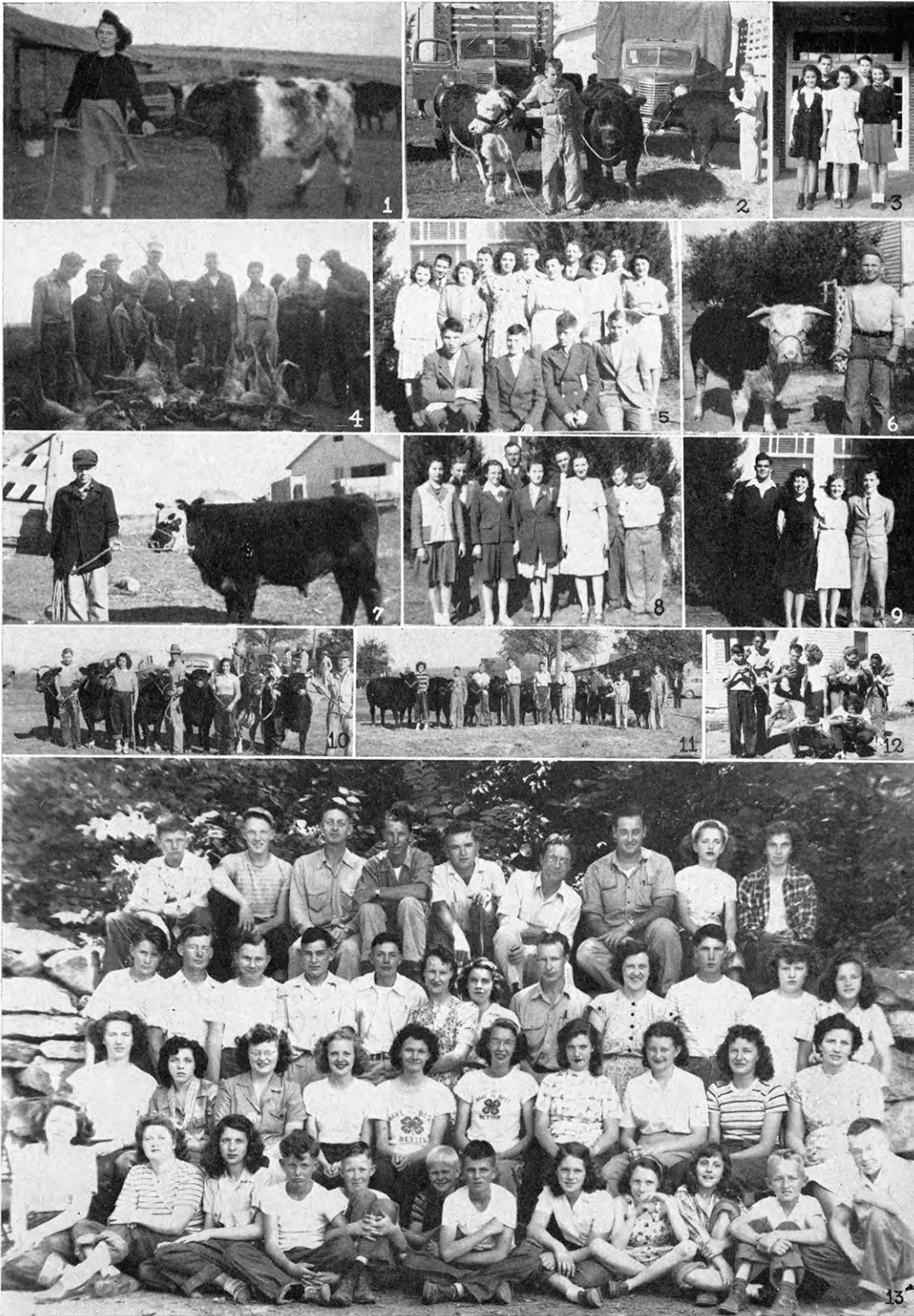


1. Herefords at McCook Fat Stock Show. 2. Phil Young and colt "Rocky". 3. Richard Schulze and Duroc gilt. 4. Herefords at McCook Show. 5. Robert Bell, Ki-ooy-tees 4-H Club. 6. Lewis Whitney and Sons with baby beef. 7. Cedar Ridge beginners sewing class. 8. Sunflower 4-H float. 9. Walnut Ridge tour. 10. Emmett Builders Roundup at Coyote Hunt. 11. 4-H Leaders in informal discussion. 12. Lee Preston, Wheat King and Pres. Co. Council. 13. Ornaque Skylines Folk game. 14. Reagh Jolly Hustlers Play Cast. 15. Beth Gregory Wheat Queen.

The Norton County 4-H Club program is steadily progressing under the leadership of Mr. B. D. Stagg, county agent; Miss Marie Hendershot, home demonstration agent; and Mrs. Kenneth Price, emergency 4-H assistant agent. Four new clubs have been organized bringing the total to thirteen clubs.



NORTON



1. Delores Hager and baby beef. 2. Everett Kintigh, Jr. and baby beef. 3. New Valley 4-H Club officers. 4. Emmett Builders roundup at Coyote Hunt. 5. Walnut Ridge model meeting. 6. Freeman Higgason and his purebred cow. 7. Kenneth Kendall and baby beef. 8. Sunflower representatives at district festival. 9. Cedar Ride 4-H vocal quartet. 10. Shorthorns at McCook Fat Stock Show. 11. Angus at McCook Show. 12. Oronoque Skyliners watermelon feed. 13. 4-H Campers at Rock Springs Ranch.

In 1947 Norton county was represented by five 4-H members at the State Fair, two members at State Health Camp, two members at State Conservation Camp. Eighteen club members exhibited and sold 33 calves at the McCook, Nebraska Fat Stock Show and Sale in October.



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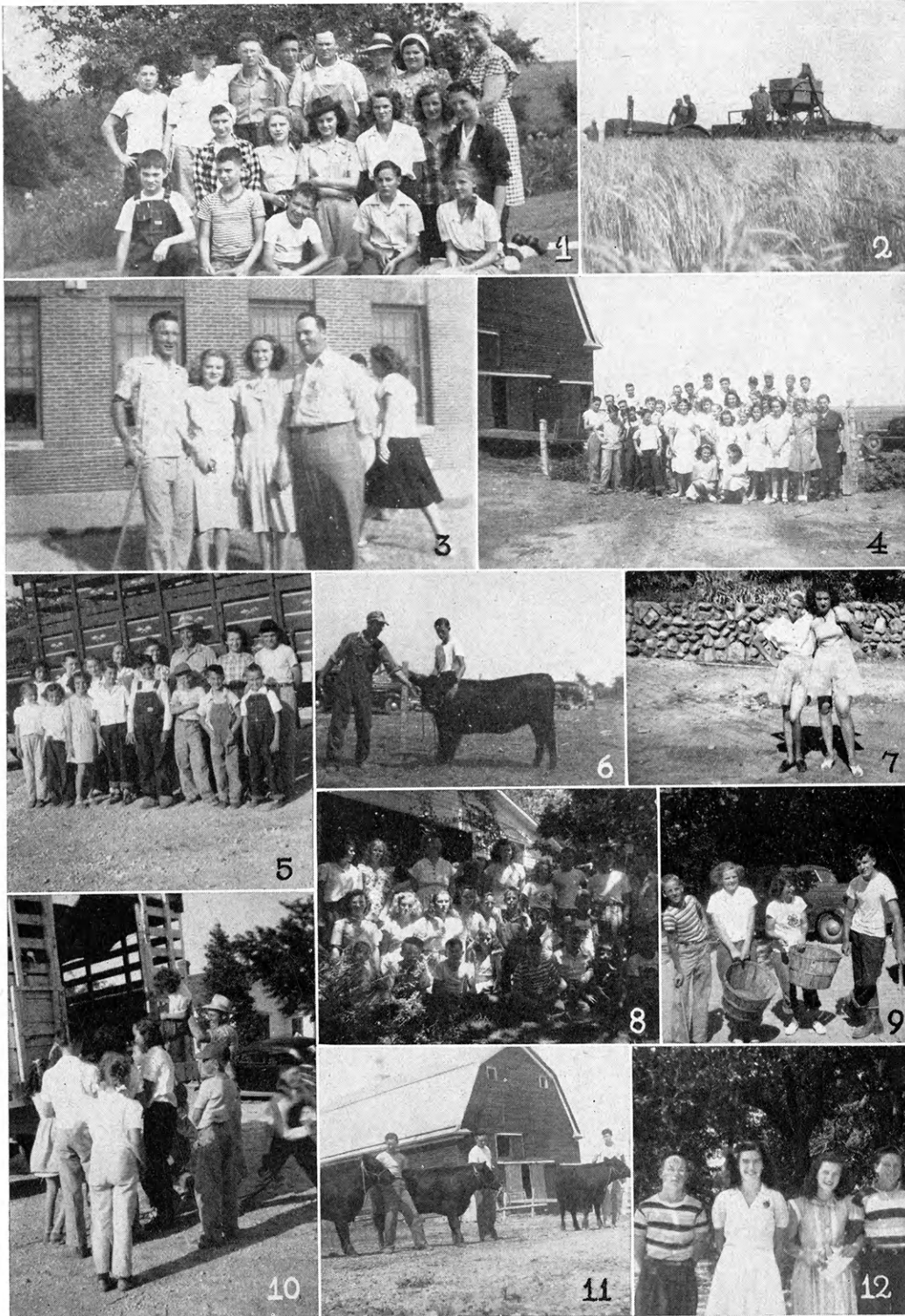
1. First and Second Baby Beef at County Fair. 2. Ramona Mak and her pig project. 3. Raymon Reeves, Wheat Champion. 4. Baby Beef that went to State Fair. 5. One act play, blue ribbon at county and District Festivals. 6. Ness County at Camp Christy. 7. Round-up delegates. 8. Judging at the County Fair. 9. Joy Mishler, Ransom Junior Farmers, and Theodore Foos, Happy Kansans, County Wheat Queen and King. 10. Veta Vane Walker and her meal service project, Happy Kansans. 11. Demonstration given at Rotary and Spring Festival, Ramona Mock and Cristy Crawford.



Ness County had 85 per cent completion with 100 members in 1947. The goal for this year is 150 members. The outstanding events of the year were the State Fair and District 4-H Days. The members are especially interested in judging teams. The county project is a new 4-H building and rat control. The Junior Chamber of Commerce sponsored the County Achievement Banquet.

The girls sextet from Ransom was one of the groups asked to sing at Round-up last June. Two members received a trip to The American Royal. There are a total of seven clubs in the County.

OSBORNE



1. Solomon Valley 4-H Club tour. 2. Tim Hale's Wheat Project. 3. Solomon Valley delegates to State Fair in 1947. 4. Sumner 4-H Club Group. 5. Busy Beaver 4-H Club Group. 6. Ronald Westfall's breeding heifer. 7. Ella Mae Wineland and Christine Ganoung at 4-H Camp in 1947. 8. 4-H Camp Group at Rock Springs Ranch in 1947. 9. K. P. Duty at 4-H Camp in 1947. 10. Busy Beaver's 4-H Club tour. 11. Time Hale's Breeding Project. 12. Osborne and Graham County delegates to Health Camp in 1946.

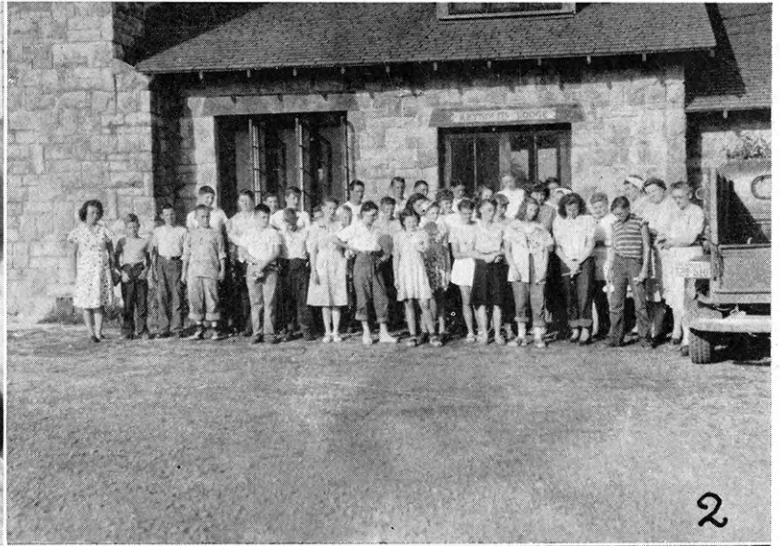
With a county goal of 300 club members, extension agents, Richard Poch, Mary B. Reed, and Wyvern Kugler are working together to make Osborne County 4-H club work outstanding from every phase.

Emphasis is being placed on parliamentary procedure, more and better judging and demonstrations, 100% completion of projects, better recreation, participation in all local, community, county, and state events.

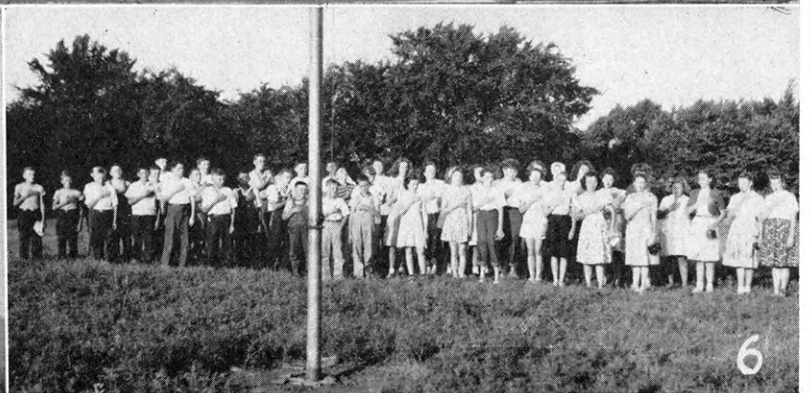
Last year the club raised \$3,000 toward an agricultural building on the county fair grounds. This year's goal is to complete paying and have the building erected and made usable as a recreation center of Osborne County youth the year around.



OSAGE



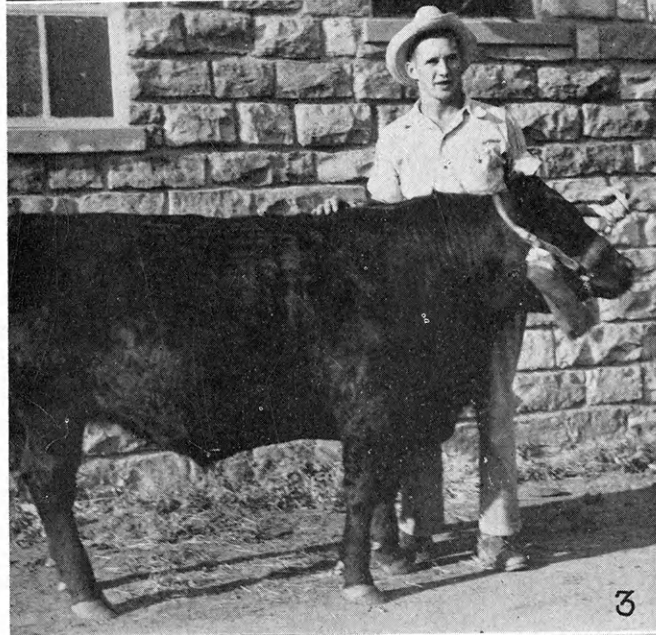
1. Ruth Saylor, Swine Champion. 2. A view of the group in front of the lodge where meals were served, the most popular spot. 3. Esther Lusk, Clothing Champion. 4. One class, Herefords, being judged by Elmore Stout of Cottonwood Falls, at the Spring Feeder's Day held at the B. N. Cooper farm near Overbrook. 5. Rose Ella Webb, Dairy Champion. 6. Everybody got out for the flag raising ceremonies shown here.



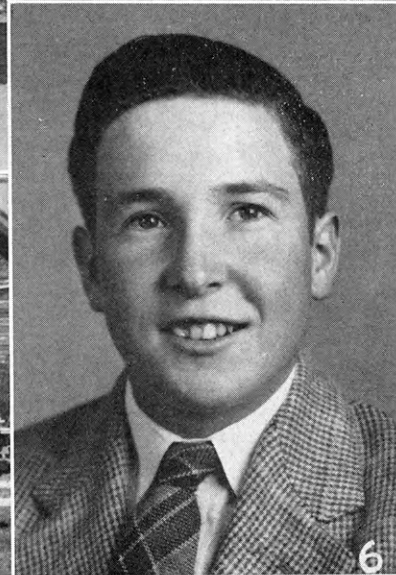
Osage County 4-H activities were many and varied in 1947 for the 235 members. Several members were new in club work but they took their share of State awards. The high point was attained with their "Grand Slam" at the Topeka Free Fair. They won all breed champions, Grand Champions and Reserve Champions in the highly competitive Baby Beef division.



OSAGE



1. Sue Vann—Food Preservation Champion and Project Achievement Girl. 2. Left to right—Dean Cooper is holding his Champion Short-horn and Angus. The Angus was also Grand Champion. Roland Bond is holding his Reserve Champion Angus. Leland Jensen shows his Champion Hereford. Also present in the picture are B. N. Cooper, leader of the North Osage County Livestock 4-H Club and County Agent, Walter W. Campbell. 4. Virgil Silver-Sheep Champion and Project Achievement boy. 5. Part of the Feeder's Day crowd enjoying their basket dinner. 6. John Butel—Corn Champion.



4-H members and leaders camped at Lake Shawnee August 8 and 9 and really had a good time swimming, eating, playing and learning.

County champions recognized for superior project work received public recognition at the Annual Achievement banquet sponsored by the Osage City businessman.



OTTAWA



1. Delphos 4-H Club officers. 2. Laman Community 4-H Sewing class. 3. Bob Allison with his breeding heifer, Solomon Valley 4-H. 4. Laddie Merryfield, 1947 President of Solomon Valley. 5. Leona Wilk and Ilene Cornfort, Rock Hill 4-H County Demonstration team. 6. Maurice Diehl and Tescott, Sears Gilt won in 1947. 7. Ottawa County 4-Hers in route to State camp. 8. David Comfort, champion in best groomed boy contest. 9. Wheat Queen and King, Wheat Queen from Rock Hill 4-H Club. 10. Phylis Adee—1948 President of County 4-H Council.

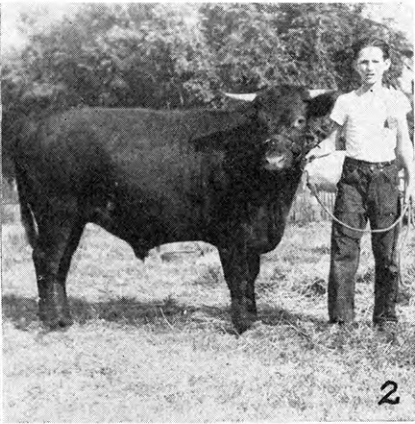


Two hundred Ottawa County 4-H'ers carried on a fine program this year which included a spring festival on 4-H day, a county 4-H camp, a fine county fair, camp at the Rock Springs State Camp, a county wheat festival, and 325 parents and 4-H'ers at their annual achievement banquet. One new club was established, bringing the total to ten 4-H clubs in the county. Plans thus far indicate that 1948 will be the biggest 4-H year Ottawa County has ever had.

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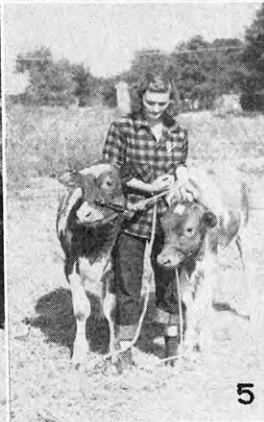
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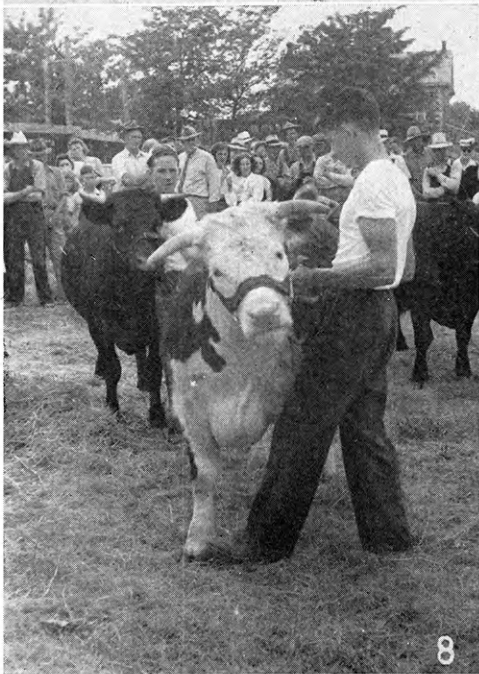
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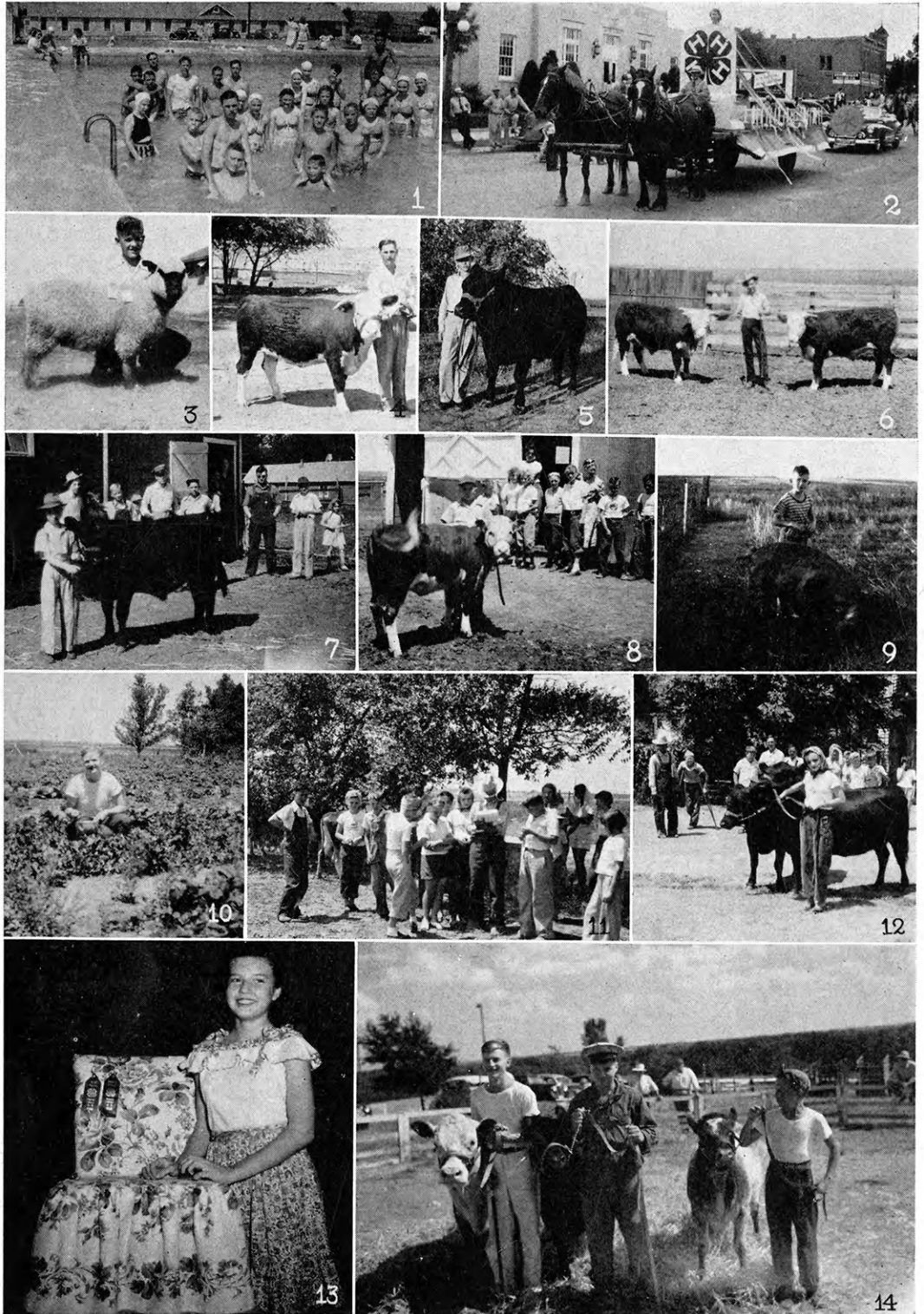


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1. LaRita Vincent, county health champion. 2. Jackie Moehr, farm project 4-H Club champion for the Shorthorn Division. 3. Jane Bogart, Mrs. Dewy Breese, Mary Lou Post, Jerome Becher, Edward Kaiser, Meredith Farrell—at State Fair at Hutchinson. 4. Jerome Becher, Sunny Side 4-H Club, county division of the Angus division. 5. Donna Kendall, Fort Kerwin 4-H Club, and her blue ribbon heifers. 6. Leta Fae and Alice May Vincent, Prairie Dog Valley Club, with their champion Shorthorn heifers. 7. Jim Hopson, Iowa Union Club, county 4-H health champion. 8. Vernon Knowles and his grand champion steer at the county 4-H fair. 9. County group at 4-H camp. 10. John Moehr, Vernon Knowles and Jerome Becker with their county 4-H champion steers at the county 4-H fair.



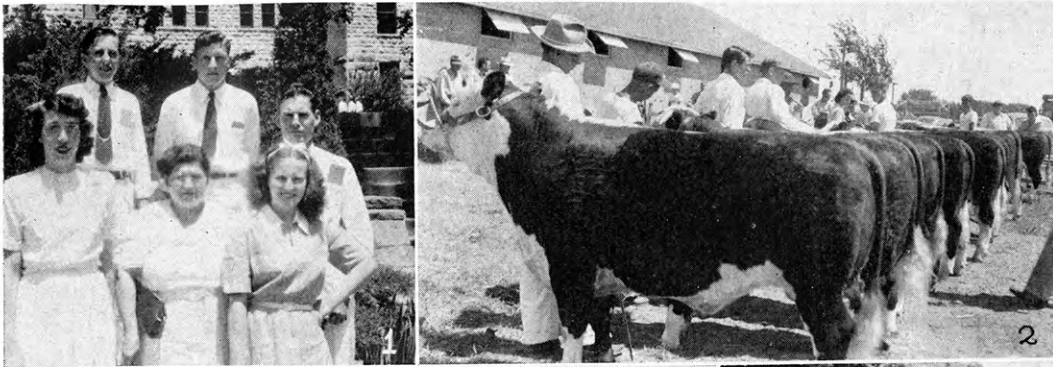
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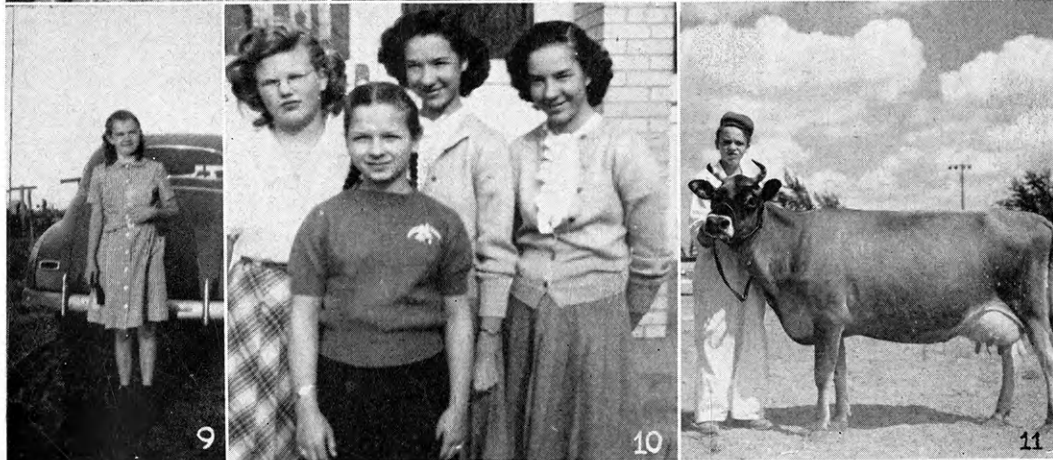
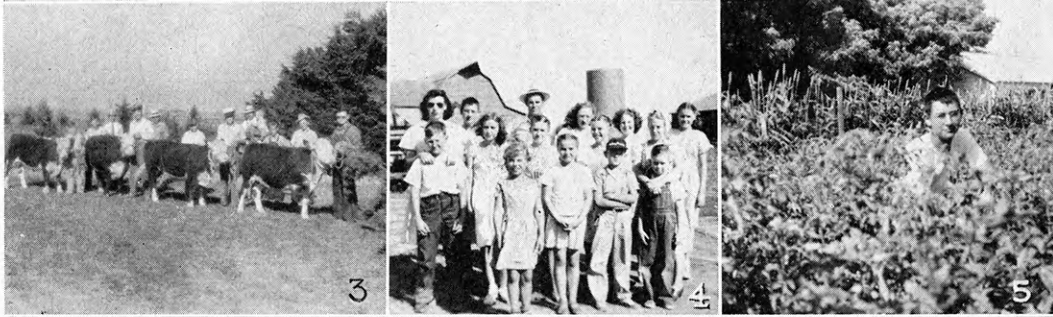
1. Pawnee County group at Southwest Camp, Dodge City. 2. Marjorie Bird—4-H Queen in horse show—Float 1st in Parade. 3. Duane Sears—Showed champion breeding ewe lamb. 4. Melvin Strobel—Hereford heifer. 5. Leon Sucht and his champion Angus baby beef. 6. Leon Steffen and his champion Hereford steers—also exhibited at the Fat Stock Show in Wichita. 7. Sheldon Saxton and his Angus steer showing calf to 4-H on tour. 8. Winston Barr with heifer on 4-H tour. 9. Louise Wilson, modeling her dress. 10. Marilyn Deckert in garden. 11. Harold and Eileen Couchman showed the Jersey heifer to group on tour. Arthur Strobel explains importance of records. 12. Marilyn Couchman—Showing her Angus heifers. 13. Arlyne Drake—Champion Home Improvement Exhibit. 14. Champion heifers in each breed at 4-H Fair—Leonard Schneck, Dean Kirby and Kyrle Froetschner.



1947 was a successful year for the 155 4-H boys and girls. The 4-H county fair was the best and largest ever held. Over 2000 were present for the livestock parade, style revue and wheat festival event at the fair. Club members participated in 4-H Camp, Round-Up, Fat Stock Show, State Fair and many other activities.



PAWNEE



1. Attended 4-H Roundup—Leon Steffen, Roland Froetschner, E. Clifford Manry, Miss Bacon, Mrs. Faye Reinhardt and Ramona Stephenson. 2. An outstanding class of steers at 4-H fair. First 6 calves from Burdett Club. 3. Vern and Duane Steffen, brothers, showing their 4 steers while on tour. 4. Conkling 4-H Club on summer tour. 5. Jimmy Pieschl in his garden. 6. Darrell Atteberry, champion Holstein heifer. 7. Refreshing with Rock Springs Water—Miss Bacon, Ramona Stephenson and Mrs. Faye Reinhardt. 8. Roland Froetschner with champion baby beef; blue ribbon at Wichita. 9. Louise Wilson, modeling her dress. 10. Dorothy Russell, Virginia Russell, Marjorie Reinhardt — all blue ribbon winners in sewing. 11. Champion Dairy female at 4-H Fair; Reserve champion at State Fair, Hutchinson. Shown by Phil Boster.

The Zook Zippers 4-H Club won the purple seal and Donald Martin of the same club was outstanding boy in the county. We are looking forward to one of the most successful years in 4-H in 1948.



POTTAWATOMIE

1. Pleasant Run 4-H members climax tour with a watermelon feed. 2. Velma Zeller, county general home economics champion. 3. Rural Youth radio broadcasts from KSAC. 4. George Walker, Tannerville 4-H club, county sorghum and beef champion. 5. 4-H club members donating help on new 4-H exhibit building at fair grounds. 6. Tannerville 4-H play, "The Dummy", District blue ribbon winner. 7. Larry McBurney and Linda Kolterman, Victory 4-H, county King and Queen. 8. 4-H members at Rock Springs Ranch. 9. Mary DeFries, reserve county beef champion, showed at American Royal. 10. 4-H boys and dads at American Royal. 11. Larry Riat, Kaw Valley 4-H, county grand champion beef, showed at American Royal. 12. Blackjack 4-H Club earning money by serving public sale dinner. 13. Wheaton Blue Ribbon 4-H folk dance group at District 4-H Day. 14. Edward Clark, Arispie 4-H club, 4-H Council president. 15. Wilma Worthington and Harold Tessendorf, style revue and best groomed boy contest, won red and blue ribbons, at State fair. Wilma was leadership girl and blue ribbon District Promotional Talk winner. 16. Victory 4-H girls ensemble, red ribbon district winner. 17. Lost Creek 4-H Members on tour. 18. Robert Rawson, Kaw Valley 4-H President, and 1948 county council president, county soil conservation champion.



354 4-H club members in 15 4-H clubs completed 609 projects in Pottawatomie County. County delegates attended Topeka Sears Banquet, State Leader's Conference, District 4-H Club Day, Round-Up, Tri-County Camp, State Health; Leadership, and Convention Camp. They also exhibited at Topeka and Hutchinson Fairs. First 4-H Beef Tour was April 19. A new 4-H club building was erected on the County Fair Grounds, at Onaga, through donated money and labor. Wilma Worthington, Victory 4-H club, won the Capper scholarship award. Derek Jackson, Pleasant Run 4-H club, was the winner of the Union Pacific Scholarship.



PRATT



1. Ravers Rolf, County Leadership and Health Champion. 2. Mildred Mott and Grand Champion Baby beef. 3. Golden Valley 4-H at picnic supper. 4. Loren Goyen, County Leadership Champion. 5. Sawyer 4-H Club Tour. 6. Carol Hartman, County Dairy Champion. 7. Richland Club members at Adams' home. 8. Gordon Bailey, Ninescah, showing his dairy project. 9. Richland and Banner Clubs observing 4-H Sunday at Cullison. 10. Janice and Patsy Humble, Sawyer Hustlers, with poultry projects. 11. Jack Grier, Ninescah, with his heifer project. 12. Pratt County Round Up delegates for 1947. 13. Leon Lunt, General Livestock Champion. 14. Twin Mound 4-H Club Tour. 15. Hillard boys, Glendale, showing their calves to club members. 16. Banner Boosters at leader Hoffman's home. 17. Paul Hillard, Crops and Sorghum Champion with baby beef project. 18. A. Slief and sheep project. 19. Ninescah Club Tour. 20. Buddy Weems, Sawyer Hustler, and gardens project.

Fifteen 4-H clubs of Pratt County boasts a membership of 273 members with 92 per cent project completion in 1947.

Pratt Chamber of Commerce gave the achievement banquet in January. 4-H members returned the compliment with a chicken dinner in the summer.

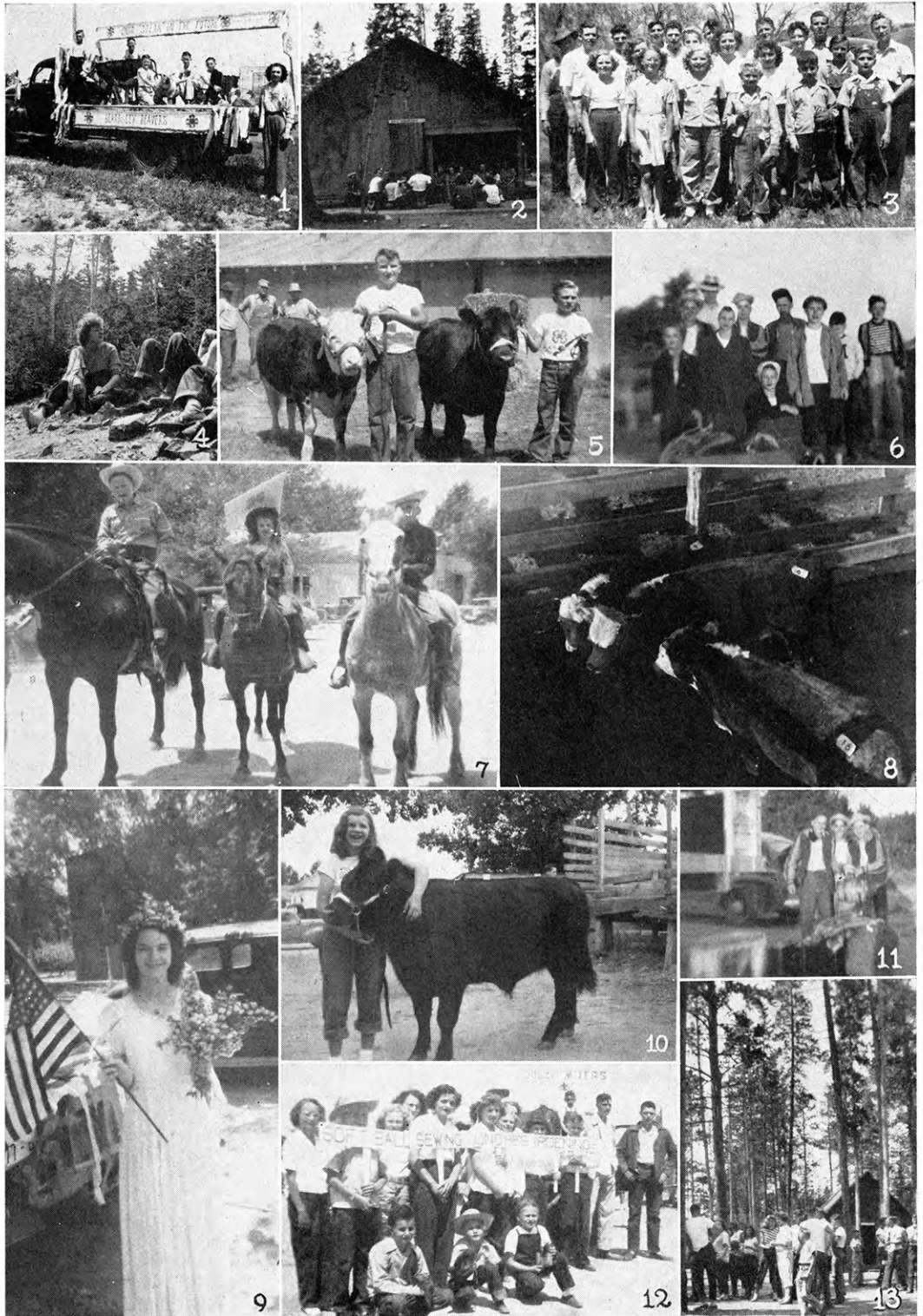
Forty-one ribbons were brought from the State Fair, in addition to several from the Southwest show at Dodge City and the Wichita Fat Stock show.

A Fun Festival provided money for 4-H'ers to attend the Southwest Camp at Dodge City.

Club members attended their respective churches on 4-H Sunday and enjoyed a picnic in Lemon Park afterwards.



RAWLINS



1. Beardsley Beavers 4-H float-Rodeo Parade. 2. Recreation Time-Cameron Pass. 3. Jolly Mixers 4-H Club Spring tour. 4. Cameron Pass Colorado-Betty Pitner and Roger Franke. 5. Champion and reserve champion calves-Vine Peinert and C. Koge. 6. Herndon Cardinals Ready for Cameron Pass Camp. 7. Jimmy Cloe, Kay Taylor, Bernard Harwerth-Rodeo Parade 1947-Blakeman, Jayhawkers 4-H Club. 8. Catch-calf contest-4-H Fair 1947. 9. Phyllis Franklin- Blakeman Jayhawkers Club, County Council President, and Blakeman Jayhawk 4-H Queen. 10. Tawna Latimer and her calf. 11. Herndon Cardinals—Ready for Cameron Pass Camp. 12. Jolly Mixers 4-H Club Rodeo Parade. 13. Camp-site-Cameron Pass.



Rawlins County has a membership of 126 boys and girls. At the present time 7 clubs are organized; 4 of these clubs are new groups.

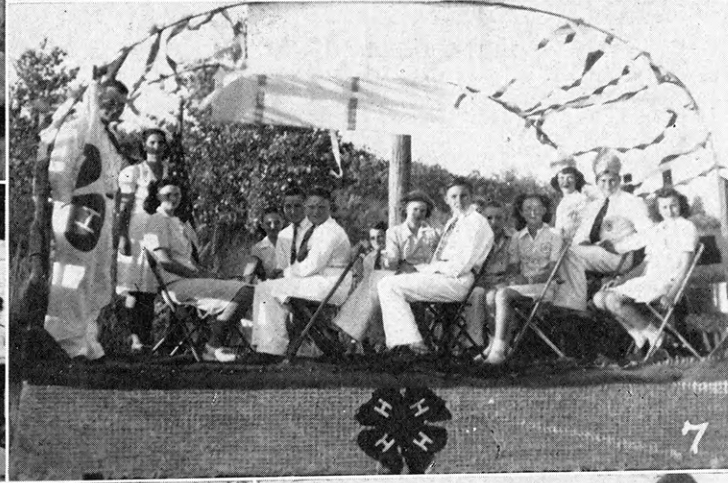
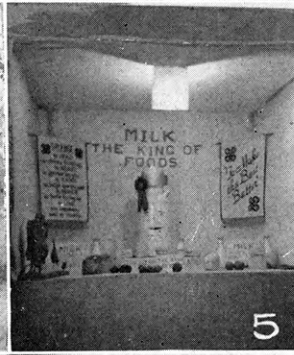
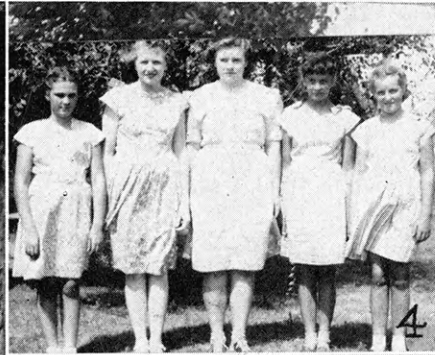
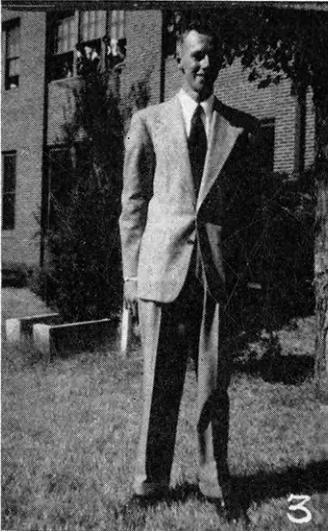
Beardsley Beavers, Jolly Mixers, Blakeman Jayhawks, Chardon, Better Farm Workers, Achilles Busy Bees, Herndon Cardinals comprise the 4-H Clubs in Rawlins County.

The main events of the clubs throughout the year include the County 4-H and F.F.A. Fair held in Atwood with 60 fat steers being fed. The county club camp is held in Cameron Pass, Colorado.

Cooperation from the Atwood Chamber of Commerce has been excellent in presenting fair premium money and the sponsorship of calves.

4-H in Rawlins is on the up-grade.

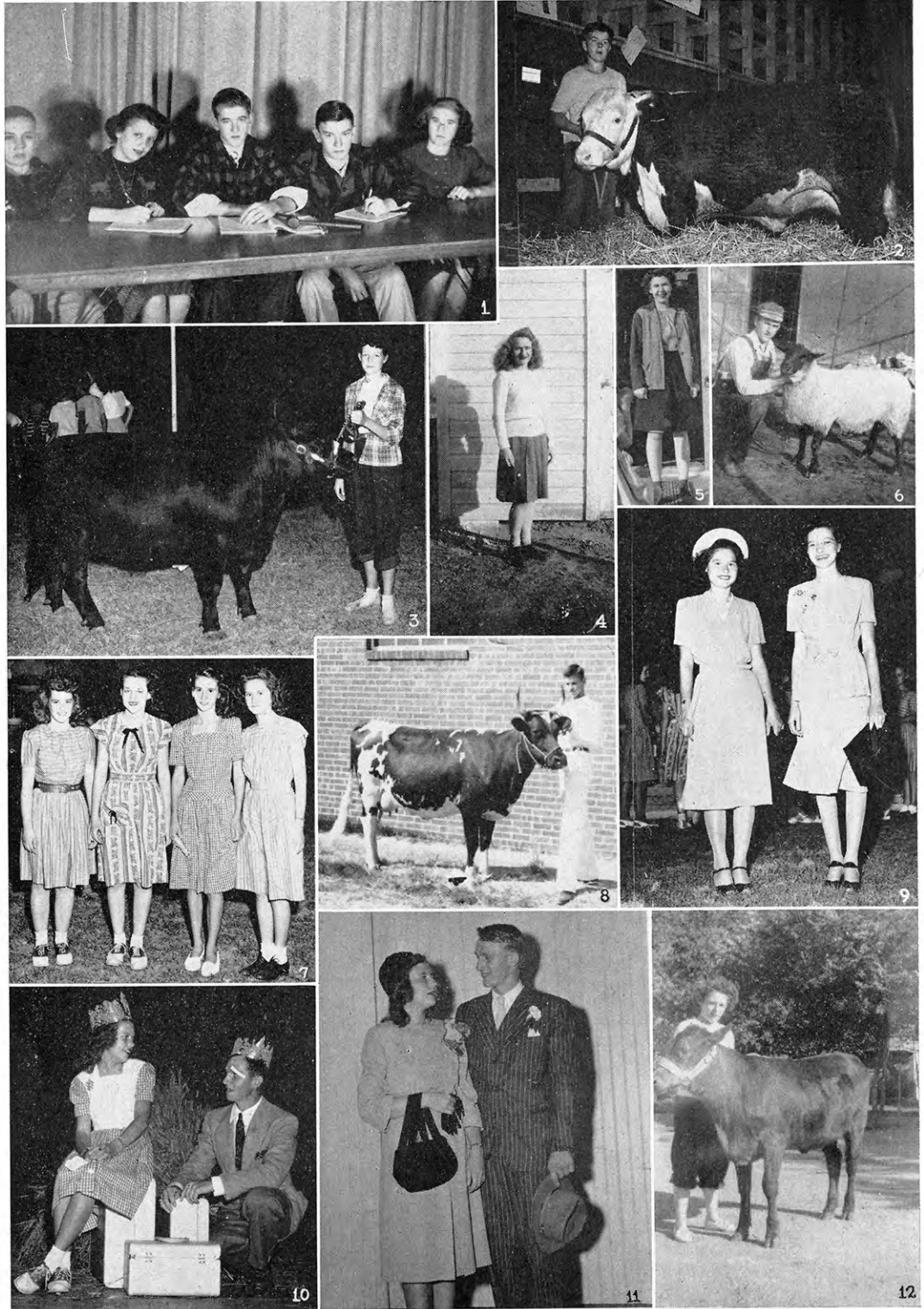
REPUBLIC



1. Rydal sewing girls. 2. Liberty Rose Creek play cast winners to Round-up. 3. Gene Rizek Munden 4-H Club County Best Groomed boy Champion. 4. Willow Dale sewing girls. 5. Munden Champion Booth at County Fair. 6. County Group at Wichita Fat Stock Show. 7. Sherdahl Boosters Float. 8. 4-H Flood Stand at County Fair. 9. Carol and Allin Reynolds, Merry Meadow Larks Club, Beef projects. Carol's placed fifth at American Royal. Allin's a State Reserve Champion.



RENO



1. Union Valley 4-H Club officers. 2. Norman Collins, Jr. and Hereford steer. 3. Mary Gayle Siebert and Angus heifer. 4. Wilma Manges, Outstanding Prosperity Club. 5. Betty Profit, State blue ribbon Health winner, Haven 4-H. 6. Herman Popp, Swine and Junior Leadership winner. 7. Style Revue participants at Pretty Prairie fair. 8. Rodman Williams, State Ayrshire Production Contest Winner. 9. Arlene and Veda Mae Krebbiel, Ninescah 4-H. 10. Patricia Campbell and Wallace Ungles, County Wheat King and Queen. 11. Patricia Strandberg, County Style Revue Champion, and Harold Swanson, County Best Groomed Boy Champion. 12. Mildred Beck and Milking Shorthorn heifer.



Twenty-one 4-H Clubs in Reno County participated in 4-H activities during 1947 with Malvin Johnson, County Club Agent, Miss Helen Blythe, Home Demonstration Agent and Charles A. Hageman, County Agent, supervising the program with the assistance of 65 adult leaders and 48 junior leaders. Project work, Spring Festival, an excellent County 4-H Fair, a County 4-H Day and a County Health Program was supplemented by the fun of a three-day county camp at Camp Horizon near Arkansas City and the Achievement Banquet. Reno County 4-H Clubs participated in the Wheat Festival with Patricia Campbell and Wallace Ungles selected to reign as the County Queen and King from Reno County.

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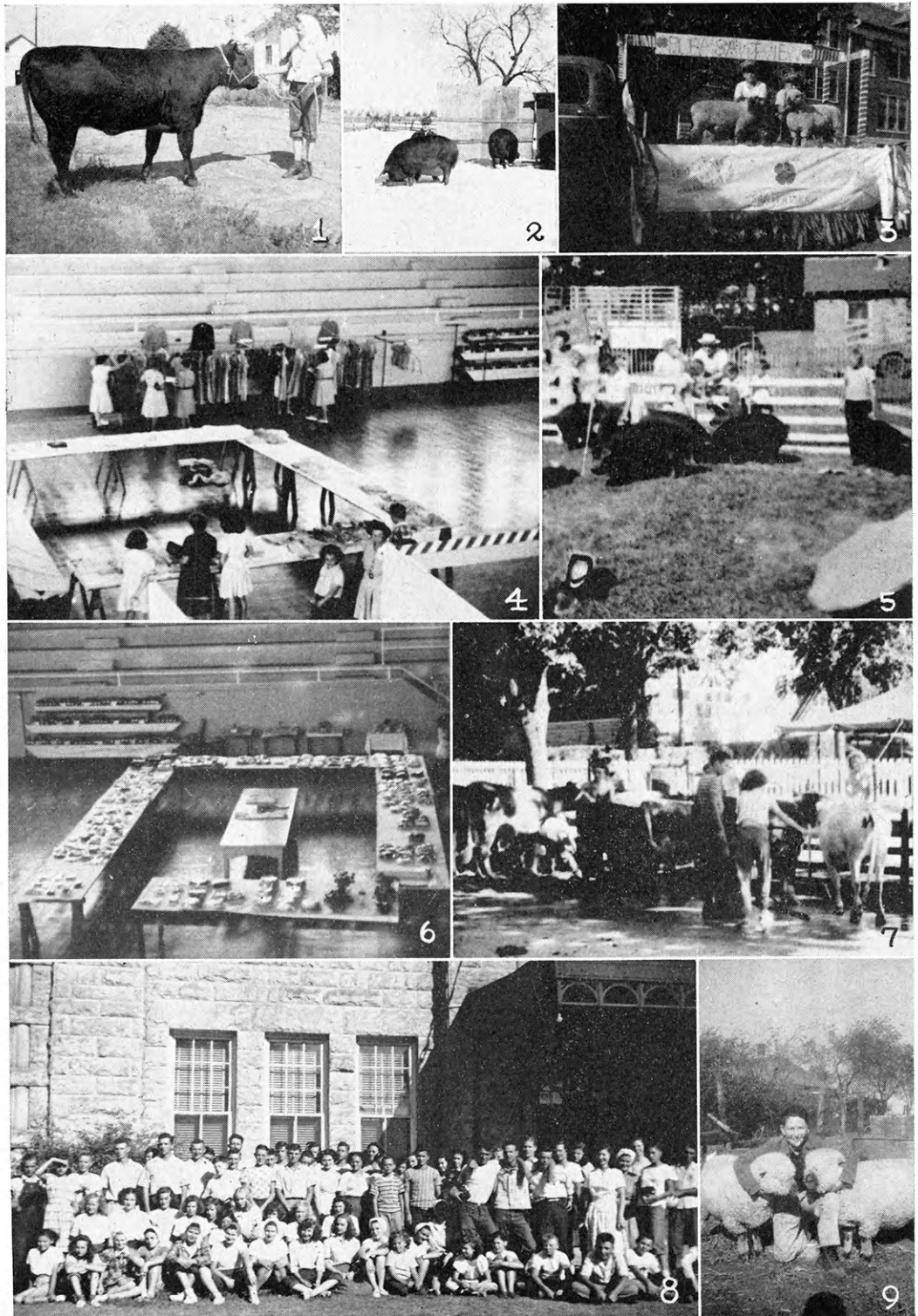


1. Carol Jean Weber — State Champion Dairy Foods Demonstration Team, North Reno 4-H Club. 2. Lois Ritthaler — State Champion Dairy Foods Demonstration Team, North Reno 4-H Club. 3. Vivian Warnken — State Champion Bread Baker in Wheat Festival, Partridge 4-H Club. 4. Walnut 4-H Club Tour. 5. Pretty Prairie Boys and Girls cooking class. 6. Ronald Miller and Jersey Heifer. 7. 1947 Round-up delegation from Reno County. 8. Bob Geist and Rastus. 9. Mitchell 4-H Club. 10. Arlington Club clothing Girls. 11. Jimmie Dawson and his Holstein heifer. 12. Some of the County Project Champions—Reno County.

Wallace was selected as alternate Wheat Festival King for Kansas. Vivian Warnken was named the Champion Bread Baker in connection with the State Wheat Festival. State Ayrshire Production Contest winner was Rodman Williams. "Milk Beverages", a Dairy Foods Demonstration presented by Carol Jean Weber and Lois Ritthaler was declared tops at the State Fair. Betty Proffitt received a blue ribbon award at the State Health Camp. A fifteen-minute radio program was presented over Station KWHK, Hutchinson, each Saturday morning by 4-H members and their club agent.



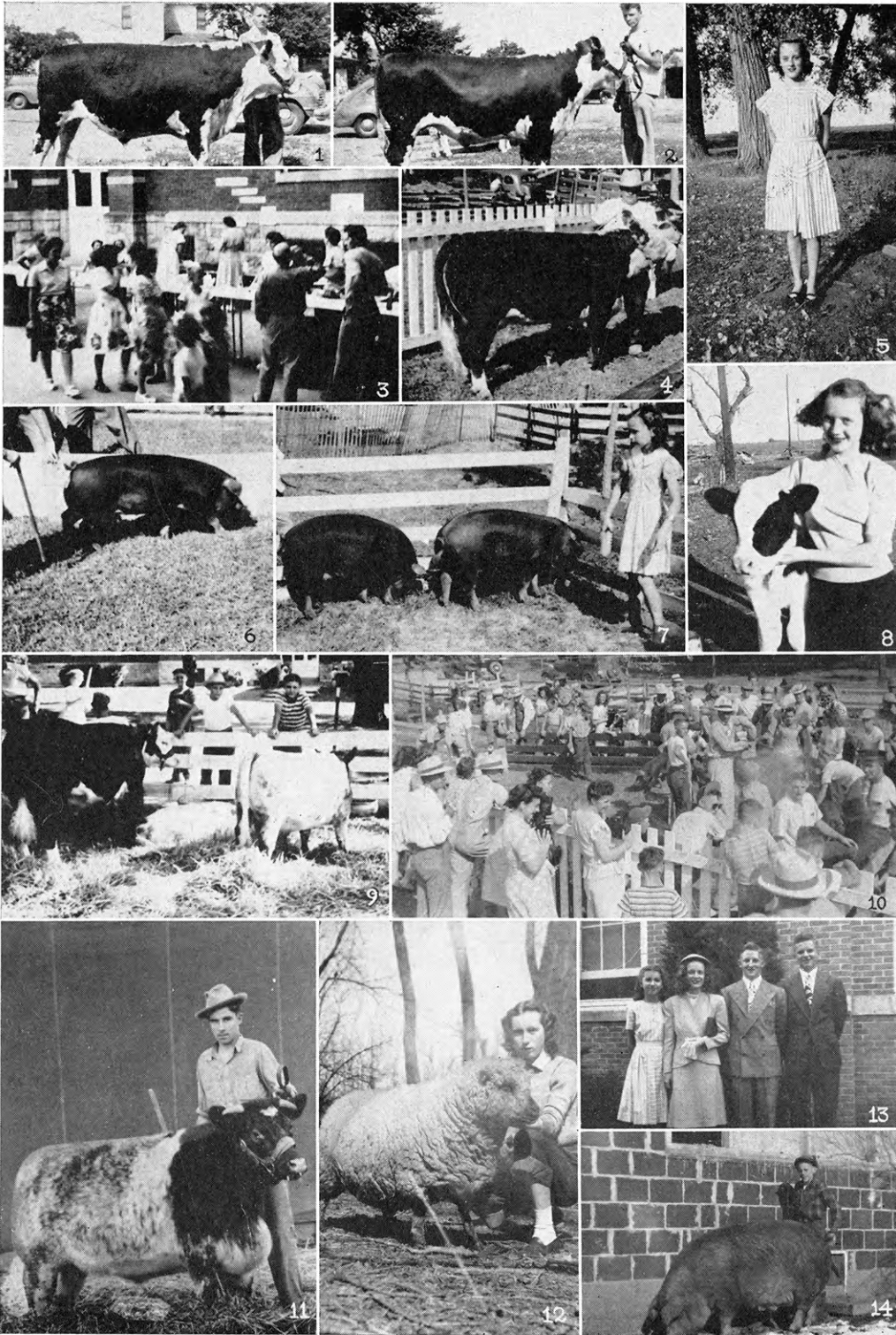
RICE



1. Marlee Bruce and her breeding heifer project, Pleasant View Club. 2. Harold Reed, Valley Bluebird 4-H Club, with his Duroc Sow and litter project. 3. Pleasant Views Float at 4-H Fair. 4. Scene at County Fair. 5. Duroc Judging. 6. Home Ec Exhibits at County Fair. 7. The Wash rock. 8. Rice County delegation at County Camp. 9. Gene Wilson and his Champion breeding ewes, Pleasant View Club.



Two hundred sixty six boys and girls from thirteen 4-H Clubs in Rice County carried 694 projects, culminating in the county and state fairs. Thirty-seven members showed 108 entries at the state fairs receiving 31 blue ribbons. Outstanding exhibitors at these events were Carol Jean Blackhall, Valley Bluebirds; Phyllis Enders, Valley Bluebirds; Roberta Dill, Bon Ami; Roberta Monroe, Valley Bluebirds; Carol Bayer, Raymond Lucky Fours; Gene Wilson, Pleasant View; Boyd Mills, Jolly Aldenites; Charles Williamson, Raymond Lucky Fours; Max Heinly, Country Pals; and Harold Reed, Valley Bluebirds.



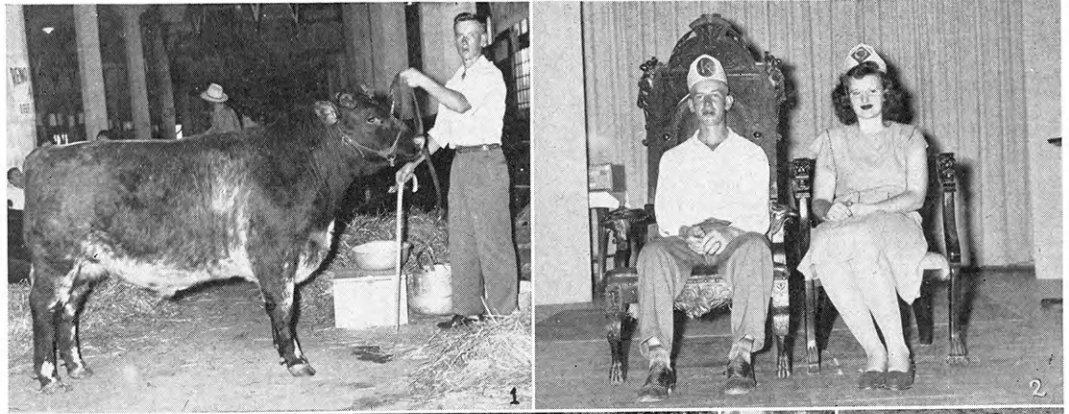
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1. Wilbur McAllister, Valley Bluebird 4-H Club. 2. Carol McAllister, Valley Bluebird 4-H Club. 3. Refreshments. 4. Champion Hereford heifer, Paul Colle, Rosebird 4-H. 5. Roberta Monroe, Valley Bluebird 4-H Club, an outstanding exhibitor at the county fair, with one of the five dresses made in her clothing project. 6. Sears Champion gilt. 7. Champion and 3rd place duroc gilt. 8. Carol Jean Blackhall, Valley Bluebird 4-H Club, county dairy champion. 9. Blue ribbon Hereford steer and champion Shorthorn heifer. 10. Judging swine at county fair. 11. Boyd Mills, Jolly Aldenites 4-H Club, champion Shorthorn heifer. 12. Phyllis Enders, Valley Bluebird 4-H Club, first in newswriting in county and second outstanding exhibitor at county fair. 13. Style Revue and Best Groomed Boy Champion in center, Carol Jean Blackhall, Valley Bluebirds, and Max Heinly, Country Pals, and Reserve Champions Cynthia Blackhall, Valley Bluebirds, and Jack Richardson, Pleasant View 4-H Club. 14. Norman Reed, with his Sears gilt, Pleasant View Club.

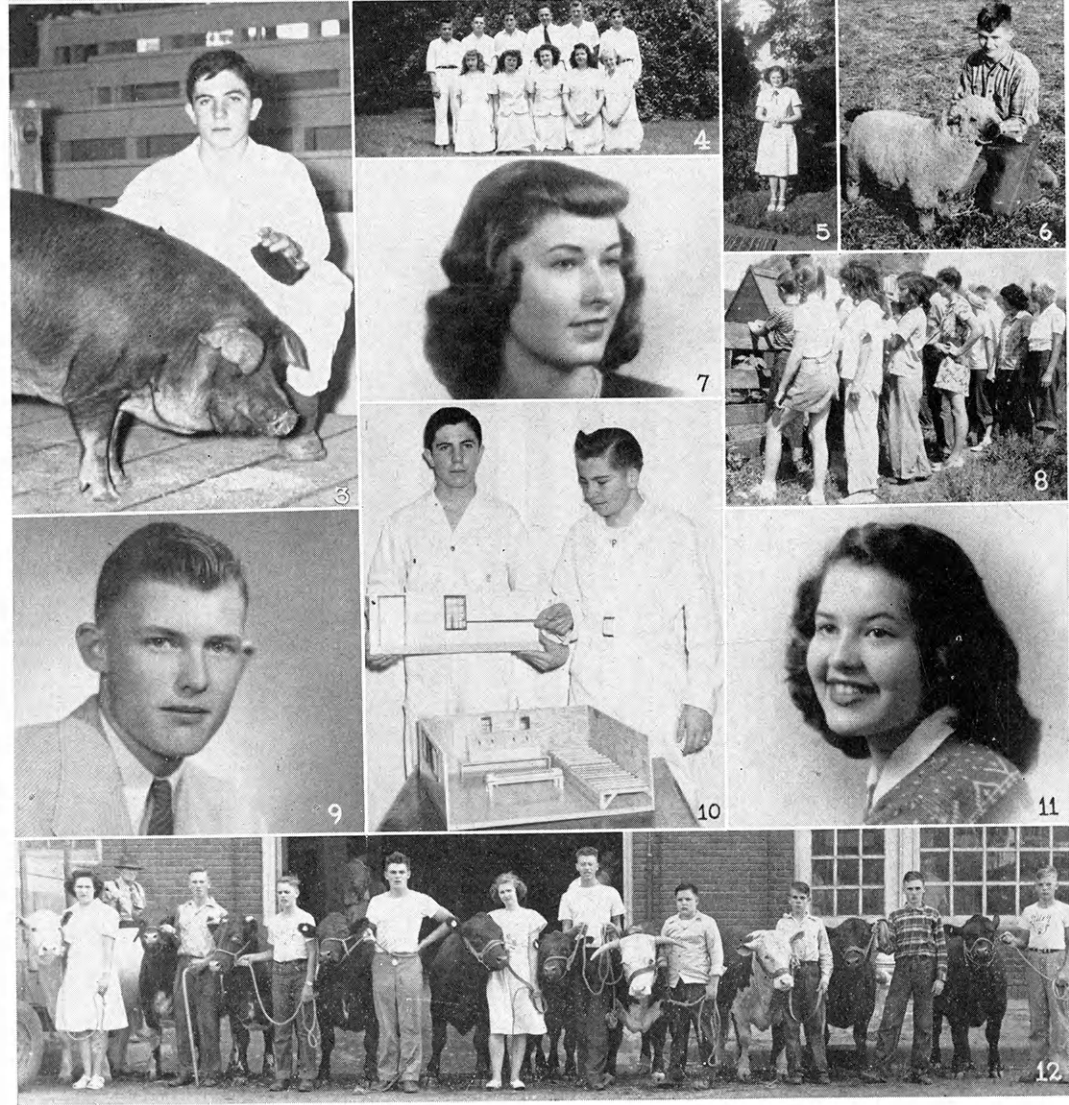
To these outstanding members and to those of years past, we are looking for the leadership to make 4-H grow as an educational organization for rural boys and girls.



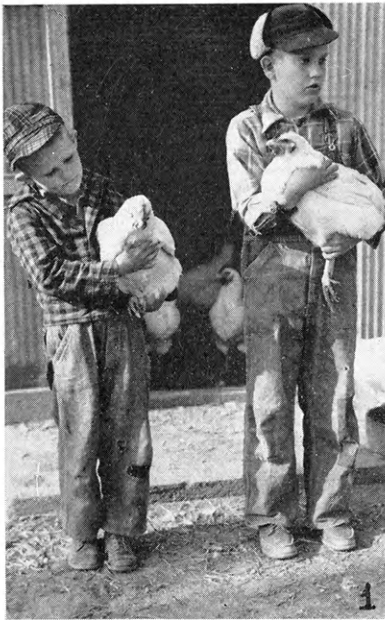
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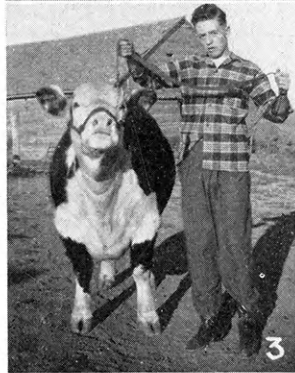
1. Virgil Visser, Magic 4-H Club, blue ribbon steer at Wichita. 2. Pearl Swart and Virgil Visser, Magic 4-H Club, Wheat Queen and King. 3. Richard Hodgson, Be Busy 4-H, State Swine Champion. 4. Roundup delegation; Hodgson, Hosler, Hofmann, W. Whitney (County Agent), Frey, Dick Hodgson, D. Johnson, D. Ruthstrom, Swart, M. Windland, Mrs. K. Bohnublust. 5. Joanne Brooks, Cedar Creek 4-H, County Clothing Champion. 6. George Atkeson, College Hill 4-H. 7. Diane Bayer, Be Busy 4-H, Style Revue Grand Champion. 8. Strong 4-H Club tour. 9. Russell Frey, Strong 4-H Club, President County Council; Leadership and Dairy Champion. 10. Dick and Don Hodgson, Be Busy 4-H, demonstrating a model poultry house. 11. Mary Wendland, College Hill 4-H Club president, County Leadership Champion. 12. Riley County entrants at the Wichita Fat Stock Show.



4-H Club work in Riley County enjoyed one of its most successful years, with the largest enrollment since 4-H was introduced. Progress was particularly indicated by the number of special achievement parties, given by clubs that had been organized fifteen years or more. For the second consecutive year, Riley County had the State Swine Champion, Dick Hodgson of the Be-Busy 4-H Club. Members during 1947 participated in many out of county events, including the State Fair, Wichita Fat Stock Show, and the American Royal, receiving many awards for out of county participation. 1948 promises to be even a better year with one new club already organized and also with the organization of a Rural Youth group in the county.



ROOK



1. Alan Roelfs and brother Norman, holding some of Alan's broilers. 2. Earl Bigge, Rooks County Crops Champion, with his sow and litter project. 3. Elizabeth Bartlett, 1948 President of Rooks County 4-H Council. 4. Don Bigge and "Scamp", his grand champion steer. 5. Paradise 4-H Club members, in costume, for their club play, "Pink for Proposal." 6. Sunlight 4-H Club on Annual Club Day Tour. 7. Dorine Heitschmidt, general Home Economics champion.



With 118 members in Rooks County and a goal of 225 for 1948, Laurel E. Loyd, Extension Agent has a well planned program for summer and early fall. The program consists of a membership party, organization of a Rookie Model Meeting group, Junior Leadership Club, County tours and Camp, Style Revue and many project activities. Rooks County was represented at the county and State fairs and the Kansas National in 1947.



RUSH

1. Timken Roller Bearings—Judgers, Kenneth Folkerts, Maurice Pivonka, and Don Mohr. 2. Buddie and Joyce Schrott exhibiting their Angus beeves. 3. Maurice Pivonka showing his baby beef at Wichita Fat Stock Show. 4. Lola Seaman—Leadership girl. 5. Richard Heaton with his beeves exhibited at the American Royal. 6. Pleasant Valley Eager Beavers' second year girls wearing dresses they made. 7. Big Timber Club attends church, 4-H Sunday at McCracken. 8. Joe Jennings, Big Timber Club, harvesting his project. 9. Lone Star Ranger Club on their tour by hay rack. 10. Dean Bortz has his baby beef ready for show. 11. Darrell Ochs, Pleasant Valley Eager Beavers Club and his baby beef. 12. June Mills and Venita Murphy, Brookdale Hustlers Club demonstration team at the District 4-H Day at Hays. 13. Laurel Hergert—Garfield Go Getters and his beef project.



In Rush County, 127 4-H Club members carried 237 projects valued at \$39,860.00 in 1947. \$1,732.00 was contributed to the state 4-H Club camp as a result of the Wheat Festival. Russell Conard, former 4-H Club boy, and Nila Jones, 4-H Club girl, were county king and queen, crowned at the county fair. They represented the county in the State contest and Russell received honorable mention. Thirty-one exhibits were made at State shows. Lester Seuser won the championship of the Brown Swiss 4-H contest at the State Fair. A County Chorus has been organized. Popular events include camp, 4-H Sunday, Tours, Achievement Banquet and entertaining the La Crosse Chamber of Commerce.



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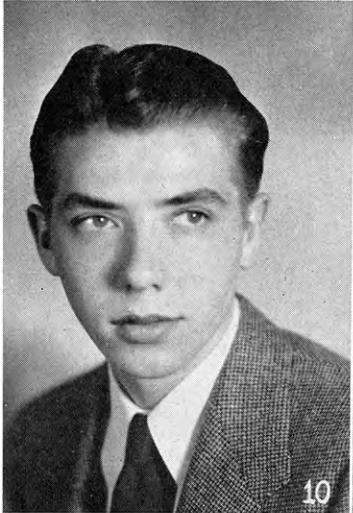
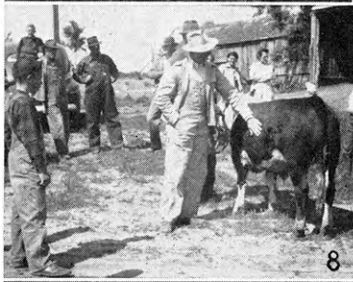
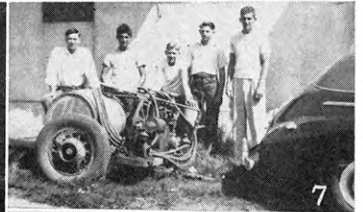
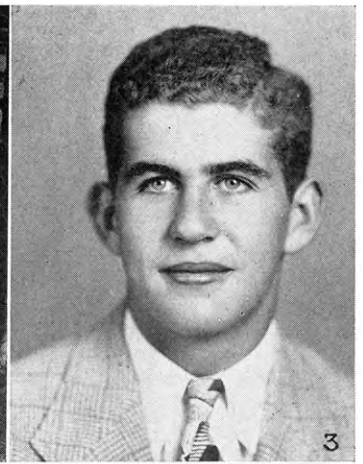
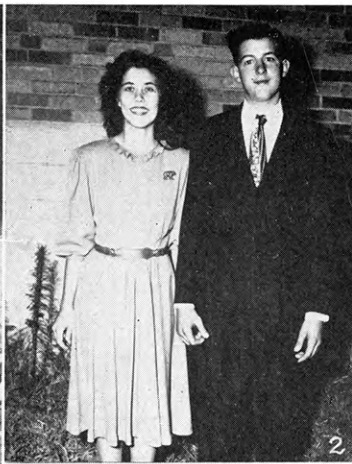
1. Marjorie Stepp, Golden Belt, County Safety Champion. 2. 4-Her's hear James Farrand talk on 4-H Soil Conservation at County Tour. 3. David Betts, Golden Belt, County Council President, and Reserve Champion Best Groomed Boy at State Fair. 4. East Wolf's float at their local Wheat Festival. 5, 6, 7. Donald and Jimmie Jacobs and Lewis Eulert, Saline Valley members on winning county Judging Contest team. 8. Five members of Boswell Boosters who drew up their constitution. 9. Shirley Steinle, Golden Belt, County Style Review Champion. 10. Jerry Boomhower, Jayhawkers, and his champion Shortohrn steer at the State Fair. 11. Betty Duryee, Golden Belt, County Champion reporter two years Blue award winner in State.

With 185 members the past year the Russell County 4-H program is being set up for a big expansion and project improvement program. County Agent Bernard Jacobson has helped the county council set up a sound program to give more to weak clubs. Included is emphasis on activities with the county carrying the health activity, every club will have at least 2 members in both the tractor maintenance and conservation activity. The County 4-H organization is working for a permanent 4-H Fair site.



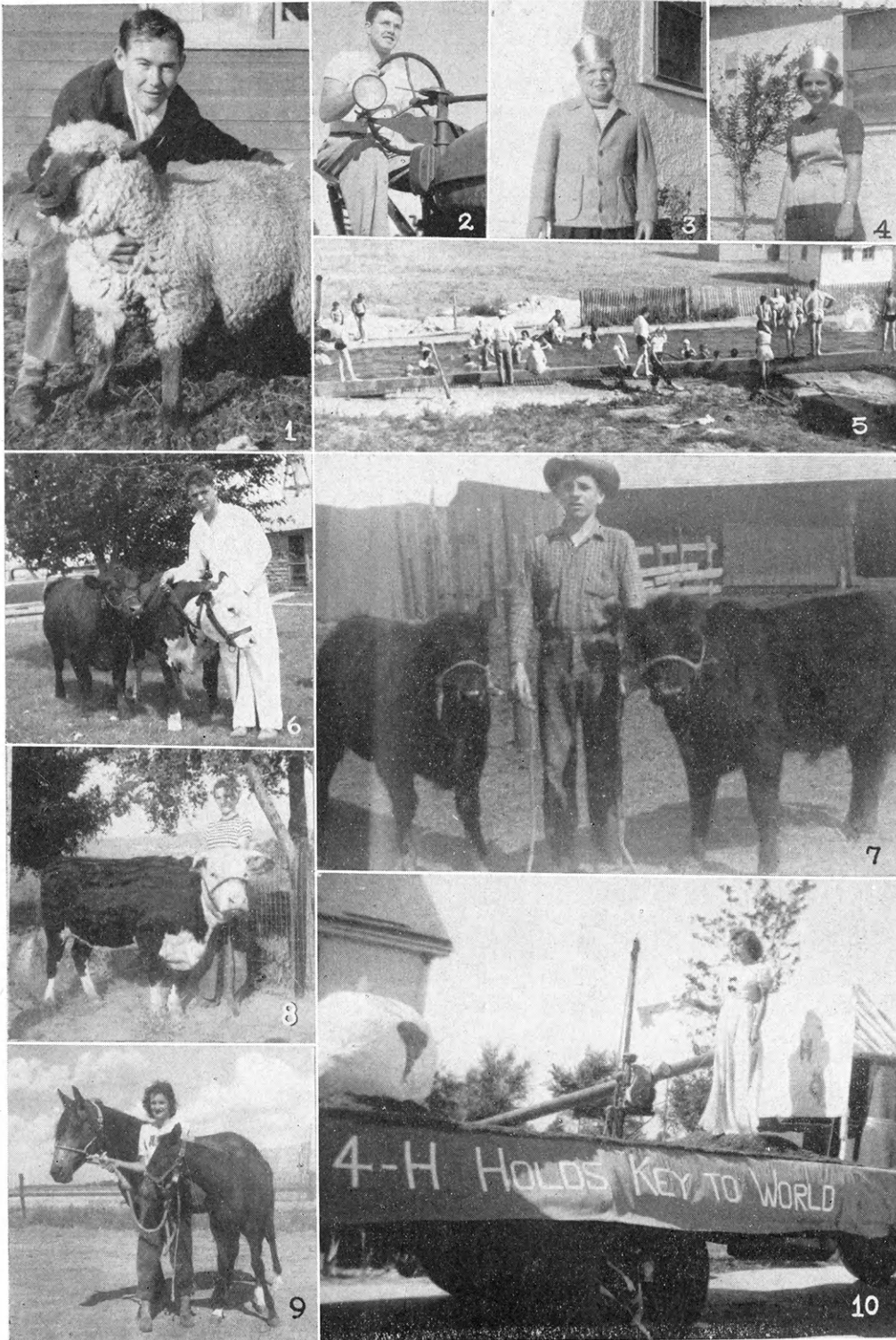
SALINE

1. Friendly Valley Club meeting before tour. 2. Helen Callebrasi and Carroll Mattison, Cambria Club, County Wheat King and Queen. 3. Gerald Knowles, Saline Valley Club, Rock Island delegate to National Club Congress. 4. Carl Sundgren and Richard Buhler, Smokey View Club. 5. Lawrence Odgers, State Guernsey Dairy Production Champion, won trip to Waterloo, Iowa. 6. Bob Richter, Sunny Valley, Grand Champion gilt and County swine champion. 7. Saline Valley 4-H Club spraying D.D.T. in their health program. 8. Gypsum Valley Club Tour. 9. Marshall Crowther, Cloverleaf, Prize winning Shorthorn heifer. 10. Dale Johnson, State Promotional winner and Carl Raymond Gray scholarship winner. 11. Lee Banks, Champion fat steer, County 4-H Sale, 65c lb. 12. Donna Johnson, State Style Revue Champion.



Although its membership was only 284, Saline County's 4-H program is very diversified and project heavy. Under the direction of C. W. Pence, county club agent, they are striving to increase their membership. The heavy summer project schedule was supplemented by a county camp for 82 members at Rock Springs Ranch. They were represented by 58 members at the State Fair. Nine judging teams and 5 demonstration teams were in state competition. Saline County was represented at the National Club Congress by Donna Johnson, state style revue champion, and Gerald Knowles, Rock Island Trip Winner.

SCOTT



1. Dicky Ramsey, Manning Jayhawkers Club, County Champion sheep winner. 2. Clyde Schinnerer, State Tractor Maintenance Winner. 3. Howard Spitzer, Busy Bee 4-H Club, County Wheat King. 4. Urla Jane Rufenacht, Busy Bee 4-H Club, County Wheat Queen. 5. Swimming at County 4-H Camp. 6. Orlan Brower, Manning Jayhawkers Club, with County Champion and Reserve Champion Baby Beef. 7. Jim Palen, Pence 4-H Club, with his top quality Angus beeves. 8. La Vona Hollister, Pence 4-H Club, county winner in Breeding Beef project. 9. Pat Palen, Pence 4-H Club, County Champion colt project. 10. Manning Jayhawkers first-prize 4-H float at the County Fair.

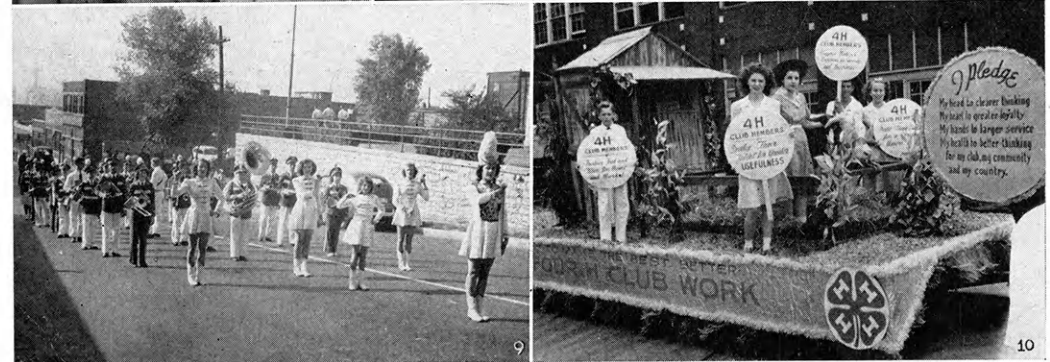
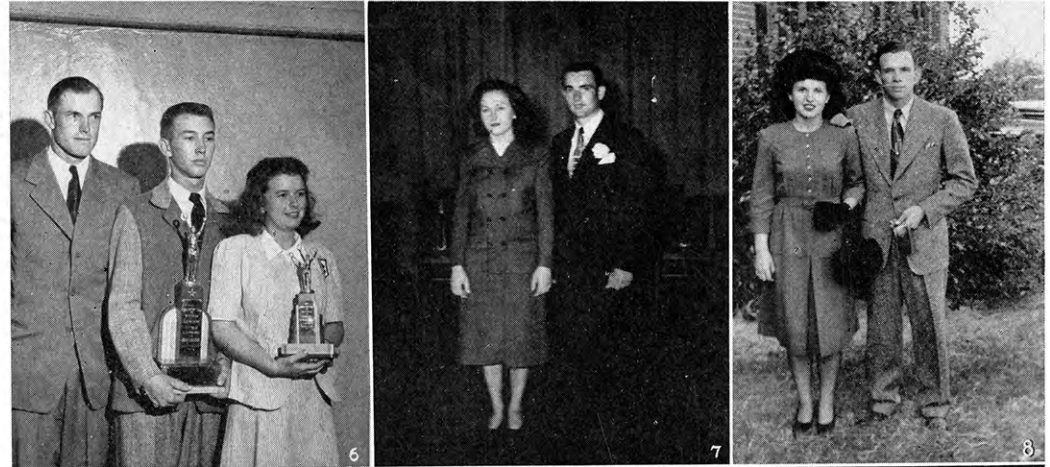
Topping the list of countywide 4-H activities in Scott County in 1947 was the fund for a 4-H building to be located on the fair grounds.

Clyde Schinnerer attended the 4-H Club Congress in Chicago. Willma Wells Baker received a nine-year pin, the highest number given in the county. Urla Jane Rufenacht and Howard Spitzer were crowned Wheat King and Queen. Who's Who membership was awarded to Evelyn Scott and Carol Spitzer. County Leadership pins went to Clyde Schinnerer and Carol Spitzer. Orlan Brower, wheat champion, won a trip to the American Royal.

Ten members in Scott County had six entries at the State Fair, all of which placed.



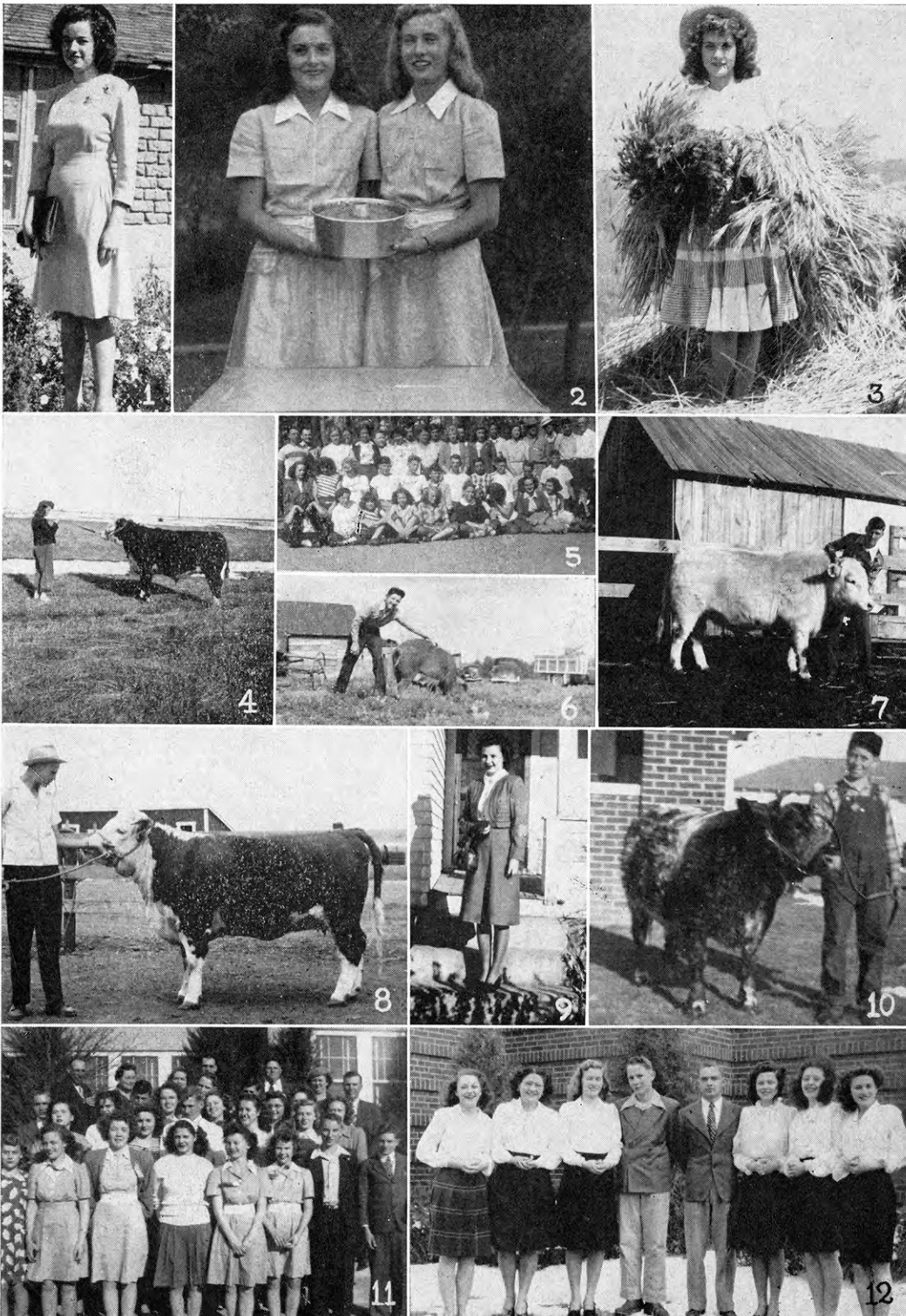
SEDGWICK



1. Dairy Judging Team: Donald Hopkins, Doris Hopkins, Ed Speer, John Wilk. Team placed first at State Fair, fourth at Waterloo and John Clark Wilk was high individual in both contests. 2. Schulte leaders receiving outstanding club plaque from Farm Bureau President. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Becker, leaders and Roy Booth, Sedgwick County Farm Bureau President. 3. State Champion 4-H Club Barber Shop Quartette: Don Mosiman, Karl Penner, Blaine Bowlin, Dewey Sanders. 4. Girls County Project Champions. 5. Boys County Project Champions. 6. Champion Meats Judging and Identification Team: Leslie Kohl, Coach, Ernest Ittner and Isabella Hutchinson. 7. County Champions in Junior Leadership Contest: Evelyn King and Dewey Sanders. 8. County Champion Style Review: Mildred Hemmen. County and State Champion Best Groomed Boy: John Clark Wilk. 9. County 4-H Club Band participating in American Royal Parade. 10. 4-H Club Float in Chisolm Trail Jubilee Parade, Wichita.

Over 900 members and 139 adult leaders work tirelessly the year around, in Sedgwick County "To Make The Best Better." They completed over 1600 projects last year, and made 1800 exhibits at the County 4-H Show. A full program on a year around basis, attracts boys and girls from the farms and rural villages, as well as suburban Wichita, and offers much of what is desired in the equal training of the HEAD, HEART, HANDS AND HEALTH.

SHERMAN



1. Betty Stephens, Grant Boosters 4-H, Dairy Champion, General Livestock Winner, Achievement Girl Winner and Chicago Trip Winner. 2. County Winning Demonstration Team-Loranelle Anderson and Mae Belle Meinen, Harmony Hustlers Club. 3. Mae Belle Meinen, Harmony Hustlers, County Wheat Queen. 4. Eva Belle Linnell, Soilturners 4-H, and her County Reserve Champion Hereford. 5. Sherman County 4-H delegation to Camp Gould, Colorado. 6. Leo Johnson, Beaver Garder 4-H, and his swine project. 7. Leo Stephens, Warren Star Busy Bees and his Shorthorn steer. 8. Raymond Phillips, Grant Boosters 4-H, and His Grand Champion Hereford. 9. Phyllis Stephens, Warren Star Busy Bees, 4-H, County Style Revue Winner. 10. Lawrence House, Jr., Pioneers of '39, and his County Reserve Champion Shorthorn. 11. Model Meeting Group at the District Festival. 12. Harmony Hustlers 4-H Club's Vocal Ensemble.

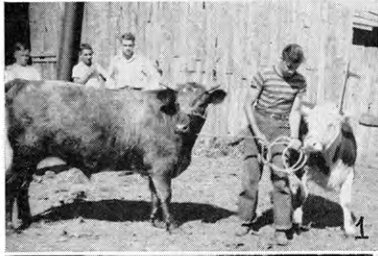
The Sherman County 4-H council and club leaders played an important part throughout 1947 in the leadership and progress of the county program for over 200 members in eleven clubs.

During 1947, Sherman County was especially proud of its entries in the District 4-H Club Day, having placed in the blue ribbon group in all five entries made. The county was honored with Loranelle Anderson, being chosen to receive the Danforth Scholarship trip to Camp Miniwanca at Shelby, Michigan, and Betty Stephens, state champion, representing the county at the 1947 National 4-H Club Congress at Chicago, Illinois.



SHAWNEE

1. Jimmie Perry, Wakarusa, and his projects. 2. Dean Smith, Silver Lake Club. 3. Radio group in Manhattan. 4. Tecumseh Vocal Ensemble. 5. Duane Cole, Corn and Swine Champion. 6. County Chorus Group. 7. Bill Craig, Junior, and his project. 8. Roland Thomas, Soil Conservation Champion. 9. Kermit Palmer and project. 10. Polly Bergen, Garden Champion. 11. Auburn 4-H Tour. 12. Shawnee—Geary Camp Officers. 13. Russell Koci, Livestock. 14. Howard 4-H Tour. 15. Milliken Model Club Meeting. 16. Julia Lee Bolz, Home Economic Champion. 17. Milliken Folk Game Group.



A thirty-five piece band, business men's picnic, and 315 entries at Kansas Free Fair, a grand champion state demonstration team at Hutchinson, an Eastern Kansas King in the Harvest Festival, highlighted the memories of some 487 club members during the year. County camp was attended by 74 members at Rock Springs in connection with Geary County Campers. Shawnee County was represented at Round-Up by 18 delegates, at Hutchinson State Encampment by 14 delegates and a 6th place livestock judging team at the Wichita Fat Stock Show.



SHAWNEE

1. Kenneth Delfelder, Health Champion. 2. Marjorie Hoppe, Home Beautification Champion. 3. Kermit Palmer, Dairy Champion. 4. Beth Raab, Home Improvement Champion. 5., 6. State Grand Champion Demonstration Team, Marvalie and Marjorie Tibbs. 7. Elaine Barr, Health Champion. 8. Dean Wilson, Junior Leadership and Sheep Champion. 9. Pauline Bundy, Shawnee County Harvest Queen. 10. Everett Hoobler, Beef champion, Eastern Kansas Fall Harvest Festival King. 11. Spring Tours are popular, Tecumseh. 12. Triplet Calves, Boley twins and Ralph Comisky. 13. Sears Gilt Winners 1947. 14. Robert Crawford, Poultry Champion. 15. Buzzie McCoid and his project. 16. Dover 4-H Tour. 17. Donna Gies, Clothing and Junior Leadership Champion. 18. "Tuny" Palmer and her dairy heifer. 19. "Learning by Doing"—Wanamaker.

Club members raised \$2,500.00 in the Fall Harvest Festival. Everett Hoobler was county king and Pauline Bundy was county queen. Marjorie and Marvalie Tibbs won State honors with Baton twirling demonstration. Cecil Hall and Charlene Reed attended State Health Camp. Elaine Barr attended Junior Leadership Camp. Robert Reid had reserve champion Hereford steer at Free Fair. Marjorie Hoppe and Roland Thomas attended State Conservation Camp.



SHERIDAN

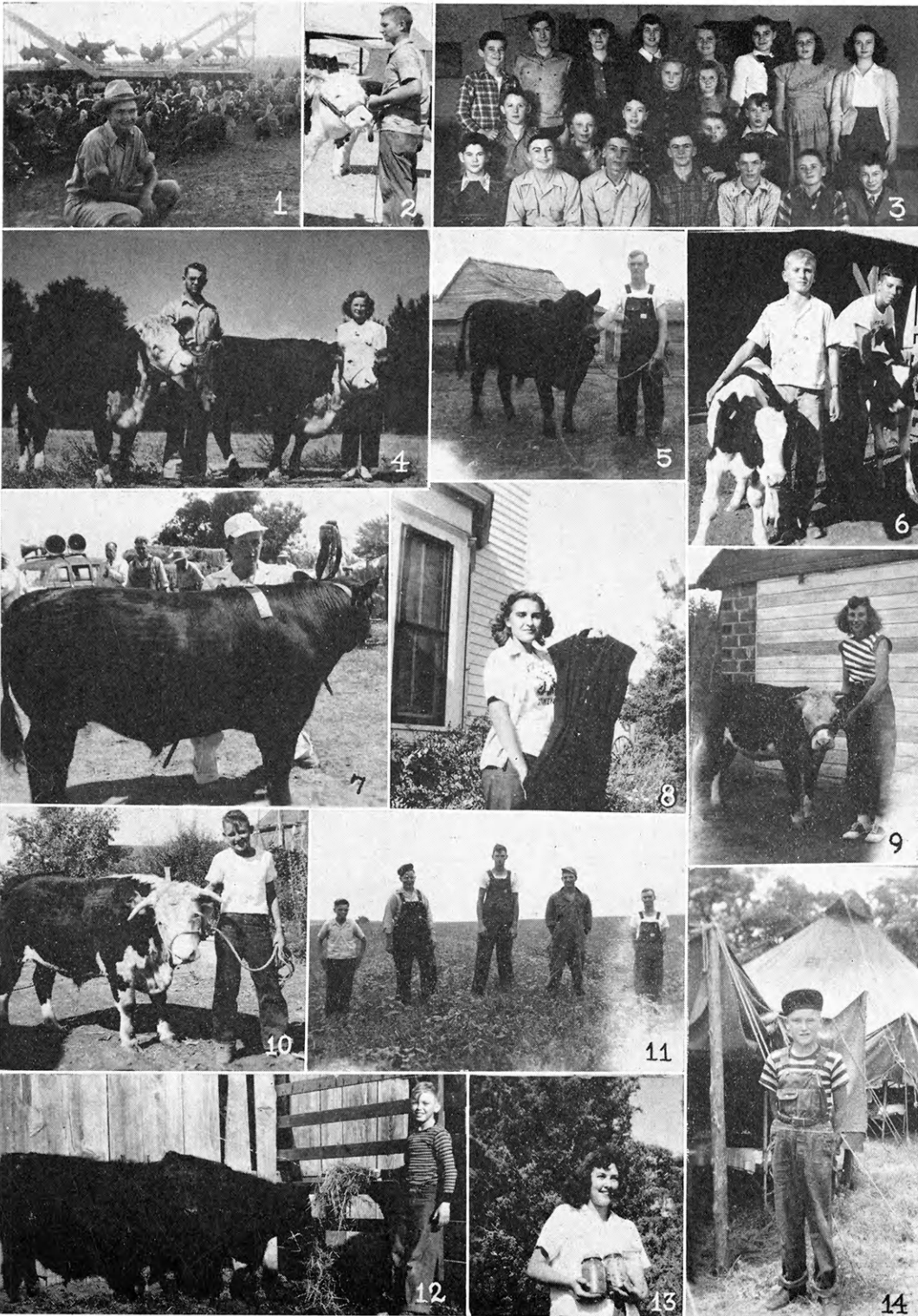


1. Happy-Go-Lucky 4-H trio representing Sheridan County at District Festival. 2. Bloomfield 4-H Club picnic. 3. Shirley Supp and her dairy heifer. 4. McCook Show-Don Mosier, Simox and Irene Cooper. 5. Delegation at State Fair, Hutchinson. 6. Sheep judging fair of 1947. 7. Group picture at county fair. 8. Irene Cooper and Grand Champion baby beef at County Fair. 9. Sunshine 4-H Club tour. 10. Don Arnold, Hoxie, Kansas.



With over 135 members the Sheridan County 4-H Club program is gaining ground under the supervision of D. G. Taylor, County Agent. They took an active part in the Spring Festival. Ten members attended the State Camp this last year. We had 83 take an active part in the County Fair. We had members present at the State Fair. Each club was represented at the Round-up in Manhattan.

SMITH



1. Roger Borgmann, Solomon Valley 4-H Club, and his turkey project. 2. Don St. Clair, Harlan Circle 4-H Club. 3. Solomon Valley 4-H Club. 4. Darrell and Phyllis Martin, Harlan Circle 4-H. 5. Duane Doyle, Logan Atomic 4-H Club. 6. Glen and Leo Peters, Solomon Valley 4-H Club, with their dairy project. 7. Wyvern Kugler and his grand champion steer at the county fair. 8. Carol Detwiler, county clothing champion. 9. Ardis Mullen, Logan Atomic 4-H Club. 10. Jakie Kelling, Solomon Valley 4-H Club, with his calf. 11. Logan Atomic Club members. 12. Donnie Dannenberg, Harlan Circle 4-H Club, with his Angus calves. 13. Elaine Kelling, county food preservation champion. 14. Roger Post, Uhl 4-H Club, at camp.

4-H Clubs in Smith County have shown great enthusiasm and efforts put forth by leaders, parents and members. Two outstanding clubs have been organized, consisting of 25 members with only one member over 14 years of age.

Outstanding features of the year were 4-H Camp at Rock Springs, County Fair held at the new fair grounds, achievement banquet sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce and a trip to the American Royal which included 70 4-H club members making the trip by cars. 1947-48 has been an outstanding 4-H year in Smith County.



STAFFORD



1. County Safety Champion, Aldean Knoche. 2. Off to round-up, Aldean Curtis, leader Fred Foster, Antrim Club. 3. Phyllis Alpers, County Garden Champion. 4. Gold Pin winner, County Leadership Girl, Home Beatification Champion — Delores Knoche. 5. County Sheep Winner, Phillip Curtis and winner Best Groomed Boy. 6. Wanda Stalcup, County Food Preparation Champion. 7. Antrim Streamliner 4-H Club Heal and Booth Committee. 8. County Chorus—Claypool, Stalcup, Blackburn, W. Stalcup, Hartnett, Wims, J. Brinkman, A. Knoche and M. Simpson. 9. Wheat project, Marion Toiland. 10. 4-H Club Day Vocal Ensemble—R. Claypool, D. Stalcup, and W. Stalcup. 11. Delegates and leaders at Round-up. 12. Clothing and Style Revue winner, Joyce Schrader. 13. Jolly Workers 4-H Club on Tour. 14. 4-H Club girls attending County Judging School and contest. 15. Carl Didrey and Phyllis Suiter, Wheat King and Queen. 16. Antrim Club officers.



Stafford County 4-H members returned from State Shows with 22 Blue, 27 Red, and 28 White ribbons. D. Lucas, Cloverleaf 4-H Club, shows the Grand Champion Milking Shorthorn. He had the 1946 grand champion, also.

Other State Fair winners were 2nd place Clothing Judging team—Gladys Dudrey, Antrim; Joyce Schrader, Jolly Workers; and Phyllis Suiter, Cloverleaf. Third place Foods Judging team—Glennys Hartnett, Wand aStalcup, and Marilyn Eisenhour, Corn Valley Club; and Fourth place Crops Judging team—Eldon Sanders and Donald Dudrey, Antrim; Ronald Spangerberg, Jolly Workers.

STEVENS



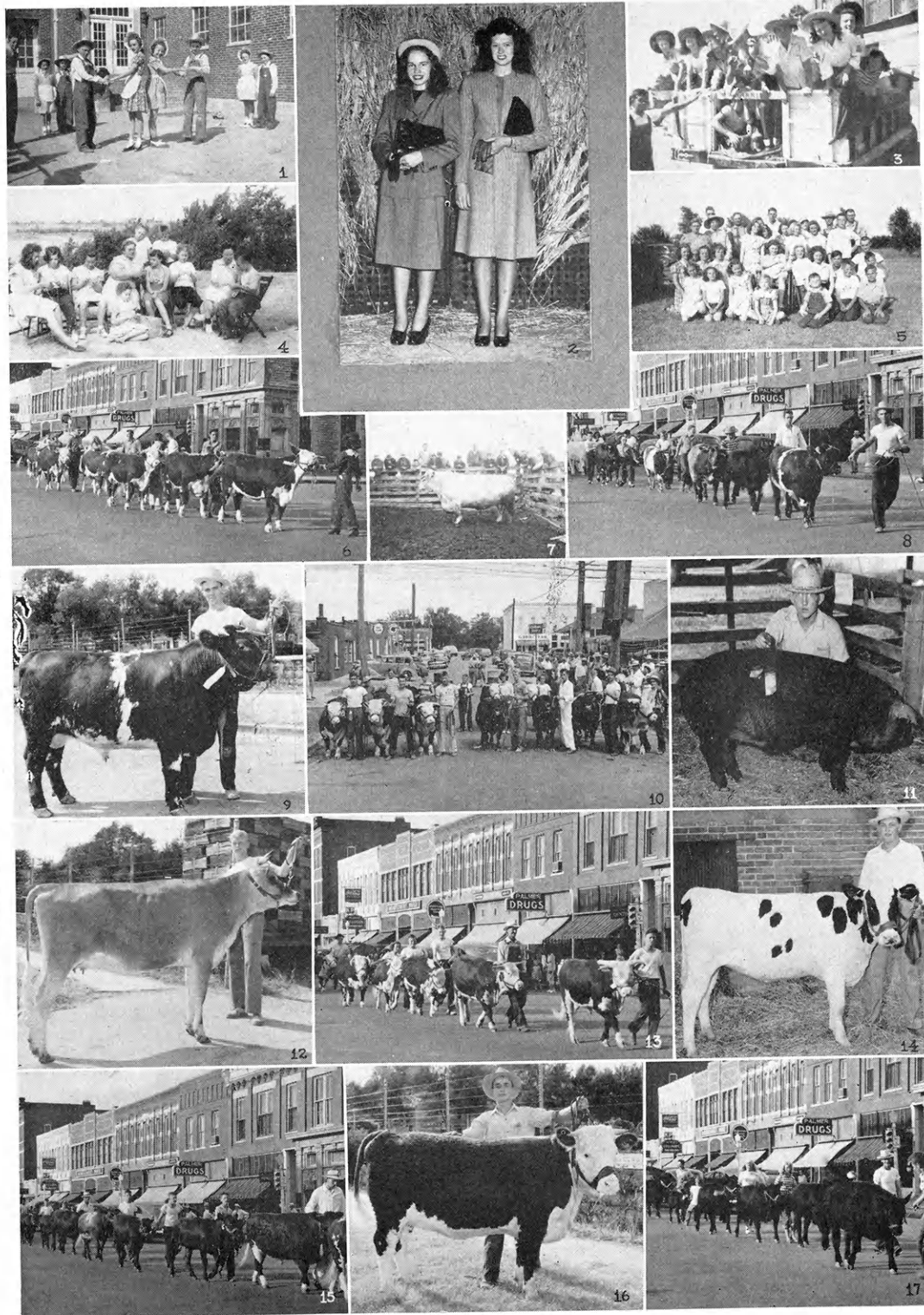
1. Donald Kinser, county beef champion. 2. Paul Flower and his beef animal. 3. Harold Mueller with beef project. 4. 4-H Round-Up delegation. 5. Freda Anderson and canning project. 6. County 4-H fair. 7. Donald Smith, county swine champion. 8. Jon and Douglas Christopher and their beef projects. 9. Christine Anderson and clothing project. 10. Treva Paden and baking project. 11. East Side Kids on project tour. 12. Willa Mueller, County style review and baking champion. 13. Glendale 4-H club float.

Club work in Stevens County has provided a variety of projects, all important to the county as a whole. Each club member can be considered a leader in his community. General interest has been good with friendly rivalry between the clubs in understanding county-wide activities. The four clubs which were active during 1947 include: Glendale, East Side Kids, Bethel, and Daisy Dell. Two new clubs have been added this year which boosts the total membership to approximately 90. These two clubs are Moscow Zippers and The Southwest Boosters.



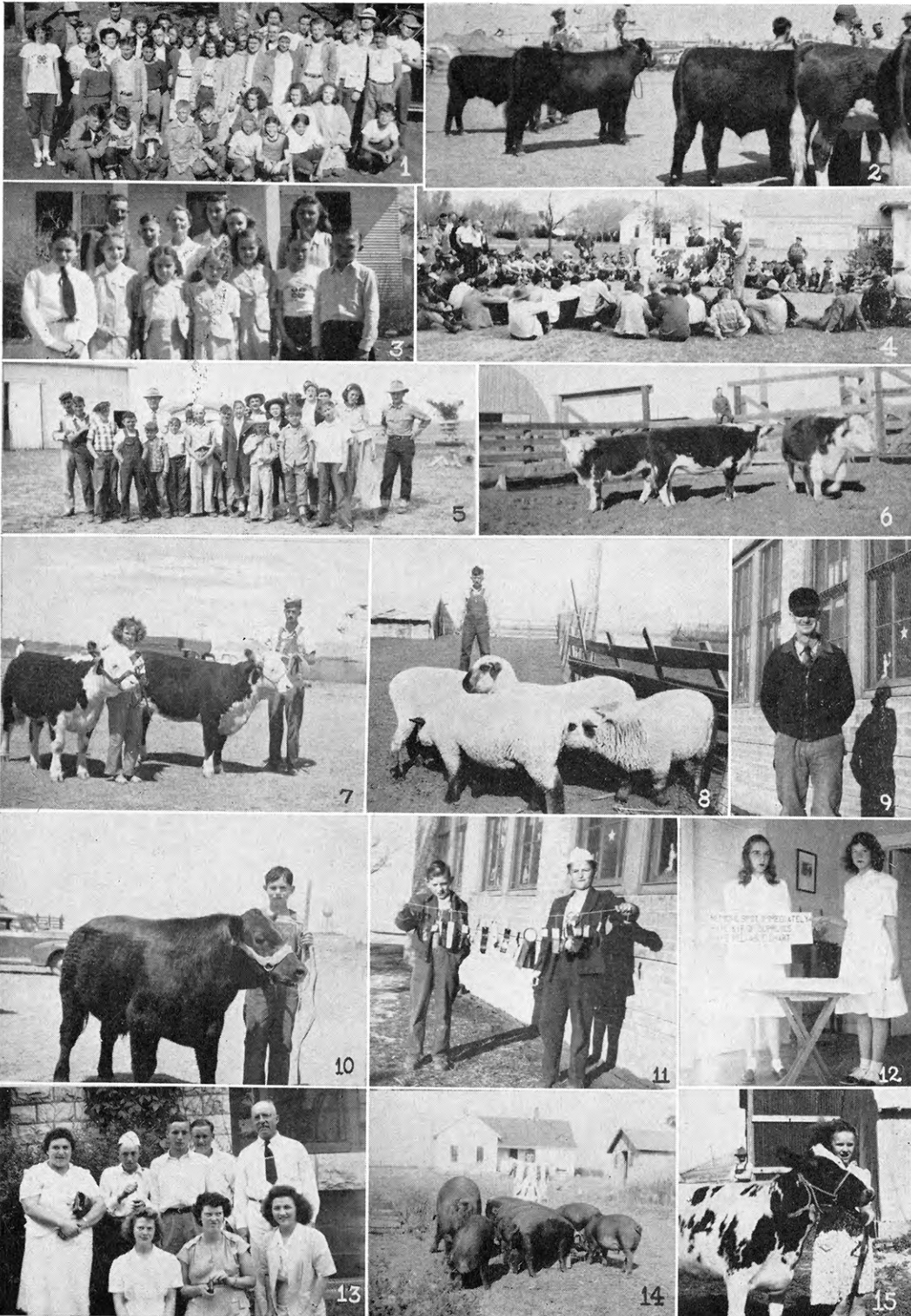
SUMNER

1. Cicero Jayhawkers 4-H musical game, county spring festival. 2. Ruth Horsch and Charlene Burkhart, style revue winners. 3. South Haven Hustlers 4-H Club tour. 4. Crafts class, county camp, Ponca City. 5. Perth 4-H Club tour. 6, 13, 15, 17. Livestock parade, county 4-H Fair. 7. County judging tour. 8. Livestock parade, county 4-H Fair. 9. Sanford Hughes with his baby beef, grand champion at county 4-H Fair and reserve champion shorthorn at Fat Stock Show. 10. County 4-H Fair, fitting and showing contest. 11. Norvin Stunkel and his swine project. 12. Duane Werneke and his Jersey, first in its 4-H class at Hutchinson. 14. Harlan Hutchinson and his Jersey which placed first in its 4-H class and open class, State Fair. 16. Arlos Rusk, first place in fitting and showing contest county 4-H Fair.



Sumner County with a membership of nearly five hundred is working for an even larger membership and a more sound 4-H program. The clubs will participate in a county-wide program this year to set up Game Demonstration areas. Besides this activity and an excellent project schedule, 4-H members will enjoy either a Junior or Senior camp held near Ponca City. In 1947 Sumner County was represented at all State Camps, the State Fair, Free Fair, and the American Royal. Phyllis Bunker, Home Economics Champion, and Vivian Armstrong, Rock Island trip winner, represented the county at the 1947 National 4-H Congress.

THOMAS

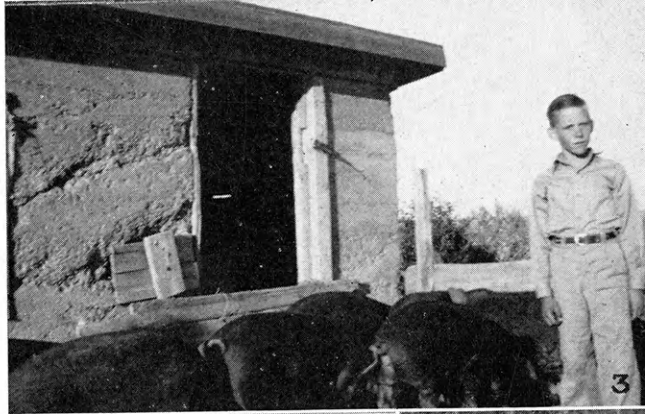
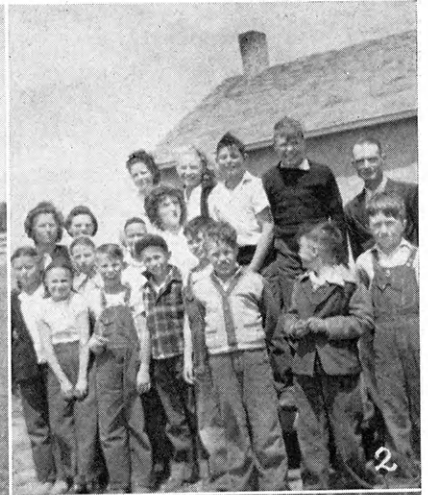
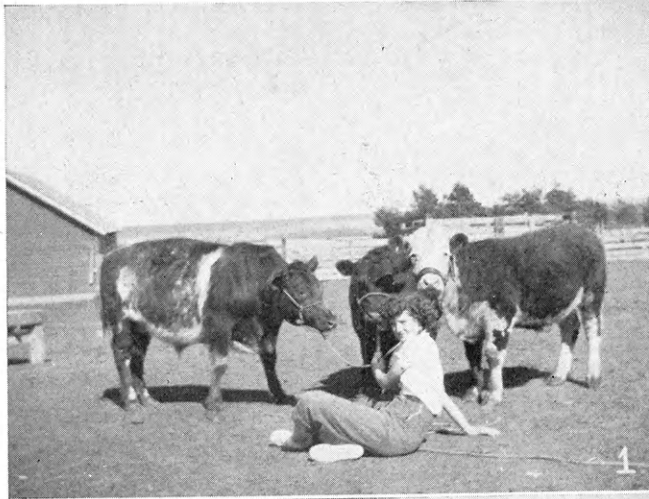


1. Club members at camp in Colorado Rockies. 2. Angus lineup at the county fair. 3. County Pals, a purple seal winner for three years, rates excellent on model meeting given at Northwest Kansas Club Day. 4. Judging dairy stock at the Experiment Station. 5. Highlanders 4-H Club summer tour. 6. Larry Henry with his deferred fed Hereford project. 7. Lenna Hughes and grand champion breeding heifer; John Dawn with his competing project. 8. Lyle Farmer, council president with his Grand Champion Hampshire Ewe and Grand Champion Ewe Lamb. 9. George Budge, Brownville leader eleventh year recognition for superior leadership. 10. Rodney Ryan with Champion Angus Steer and Reserve Champion of all breeds. 11. 4-H Ribbons of Brownville Club which won the purple seal for 2 years. 12. Eleanor Epard and Louise Linville demonstration at State Fair. 13. Delegation to Roundup — Mrs. Maxine Jones, M. Dible, W. Linville, L. Dawdy, County Agent Graper, B. Mallory, E. Simonston, and B. Wade. 14. Allen Henry and his purebred swine project. 15. Jean Sims with her Champion Ayrshire.

In spite of the fact that Thomas County has a rapidly decreasing rural population, Thomas County has been able to maintain its 10 4-H Clubs and increase the membership. They were particularly proud to win seals for nine of the 10 clubs last year and recognition for 18 of their 20 leaders. Three purple seals were awarded, one club winning this highest award for three years in succession. A sale of fat stock during the sale and a later consignment of calves for project work were big events of the club year, enabling the members to receive good money for their projects of 1947 and secure good stock for 1948 work.



WALLACE

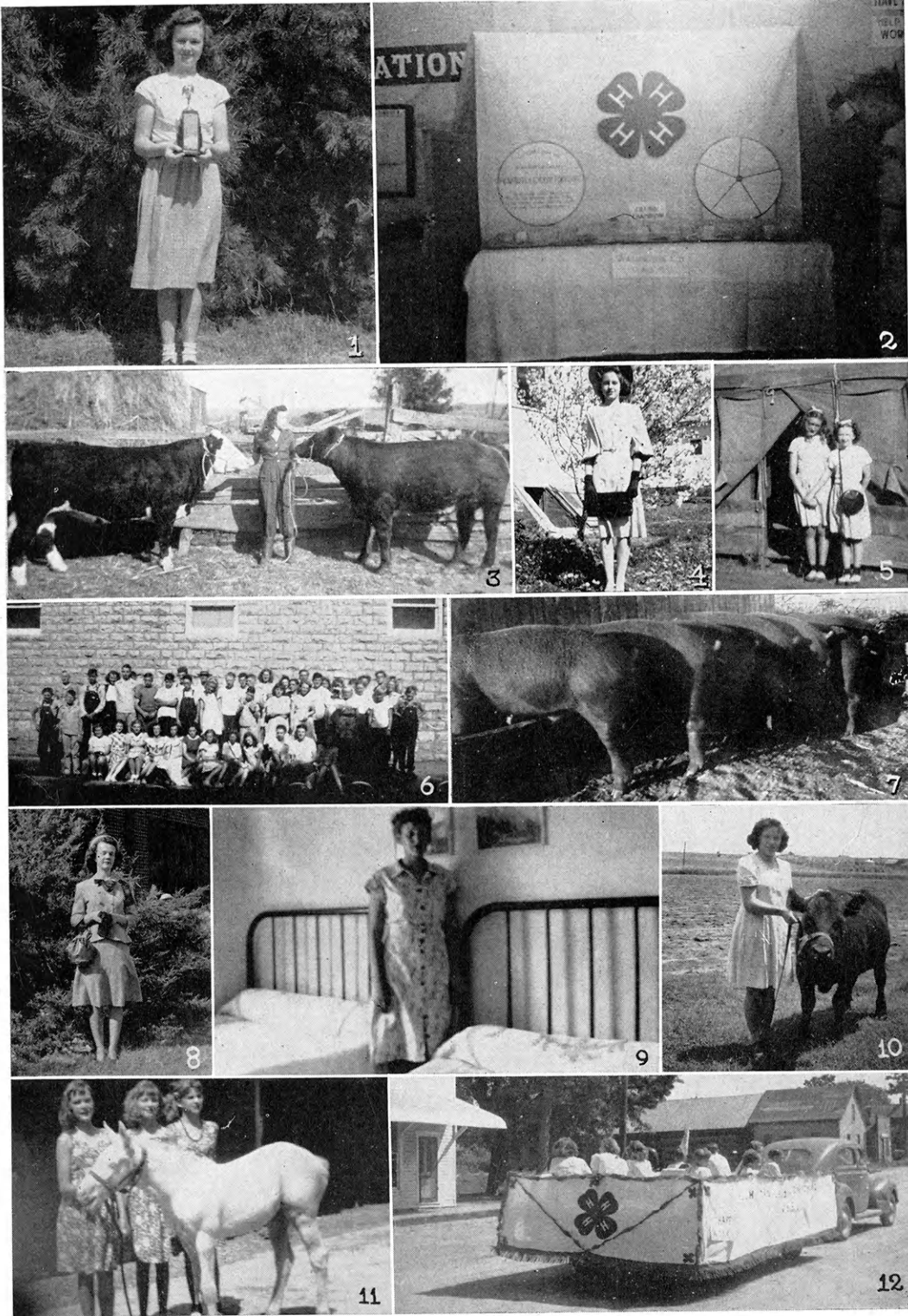


1. Ethlyn Jones and her baby beef. 2. Morton Hustlers Club. 3. Gordon Wallace and his hogs. 4. Smokey Valley play cast. 5. Mrs. Cox and Mrs. Finley, Smokey Valley leaders. 6. Robert Armstrong, Wheat Champion. 7. High Hope Club. 8. Thelma Wallace in her complete costume.



The year 1947 was truly a banner year. There were five clubs with a membership of 82 members. Of this number only six failed to complete their projects. In December the Achievement Banquet was held. This Banquet was sponsored by the Wallace County Chamber of Commerce. One hundred seventy-five 4-H members and adults attended the Spring Festival, March 8. Three entries were taken to the District Festival at Atwood, winning Blue Ribbons. The County Wheat Festival was held in connection with the County 4-H Fair. Part of the Festival money will be used to build a livestock barn.

WASHINGTON



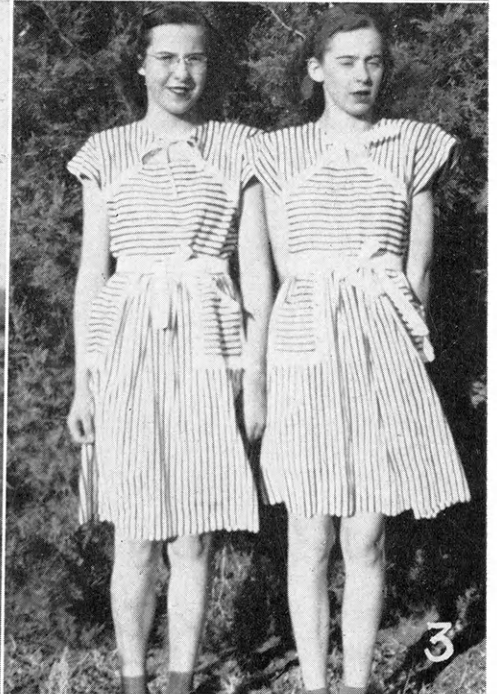
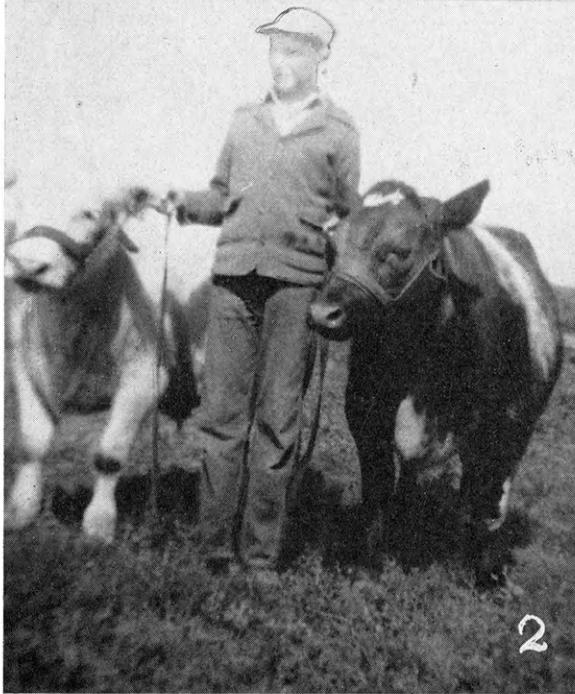
1. Lavone Meyer, holding trophy for County Booth champion at State Fair. 2. Washington County Booth, grand champion booth at State Fair. 3. Olive Benne's beef project. 4. Helen Stricklen, county style revue reserve champion. 5. Sally Geistfeld and Patricia Schussler at the State Camp. 6. Rock Springs Ranch camp group. 7. Wayne Wilger's swine project. 8. Mardella Meyer, county style revue champion and red ribbon winner at State Fair. 9. Mildred Meyer, home improvement award winner. 10. Darlene Grover and her calf. 11. Meyer triplets, left to right, Jeanette, Jean and Joyce at the State Camp. 12. Happy Workers float at Hanover "Days of '49."

Doubling the membership in the past two years and increasing the number of Clubs from seven to twelve is the answer 4-H Club members and workers gave to the request for more 4-H members in Kansas. 4-H exhibits at the County Fair have tripled in the past two years. What goes over in a big way is camping at the State 4-H Camp. The other big high light and one that draws nearly 100 per cent attendance is the 4-H Achievement Banquet and Party put on by the Washington Chamber of Commerce.



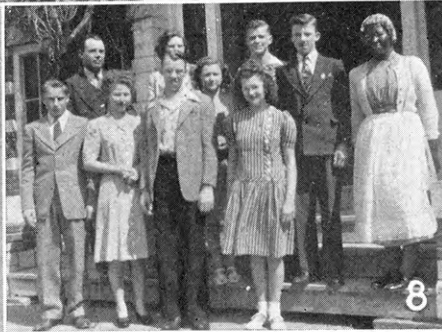
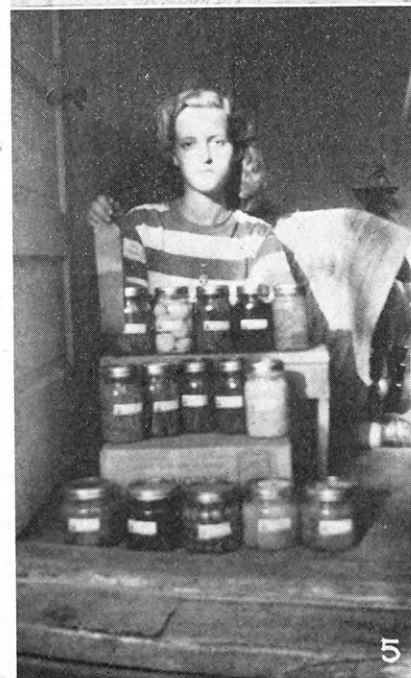
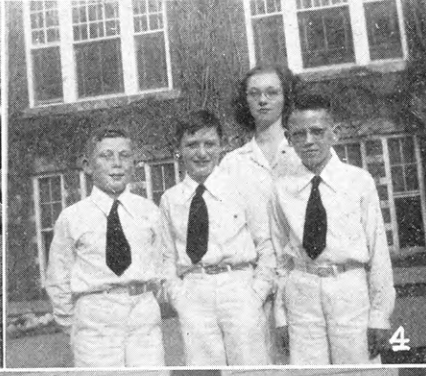
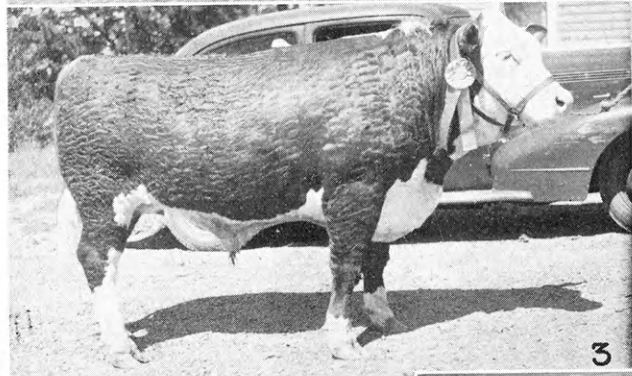
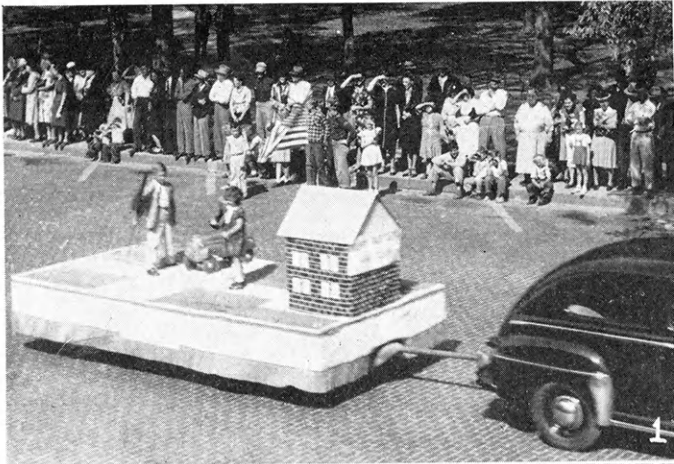
WICHITA

1. Scene at the 4-H Achievement Banquet November 19, 1947. This Banquet was sponsored by the local Rotary Club. 2. Eldon Glanville of the Pleasant Valley 4-H Club with his livestock project. 3. Twins, Irene and Eileen Berning of the Marienthal Go-Getters 4-H Club, Style Revue winners at the county fair, August 1947.



The 4-H program in Wichita County is characterized by quality instead of quantity. There are over 60 members in the active clubs in Wichita County—the Marienthal Go-Getters and the Pleasant Valley Boosters, with their leaders—Mrs. J. P. Kessler and Mr. John Wilson.

An attractive summer program featured club tours, the August 4-H camp at Camp Christy and the County Fair. The County Fair highlighted a "Catch a Calf and Keep It" contest. Several calves found their way into 4-H hands to be grown out and fed all year and to be exhibited next fall.



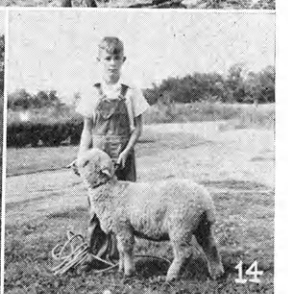
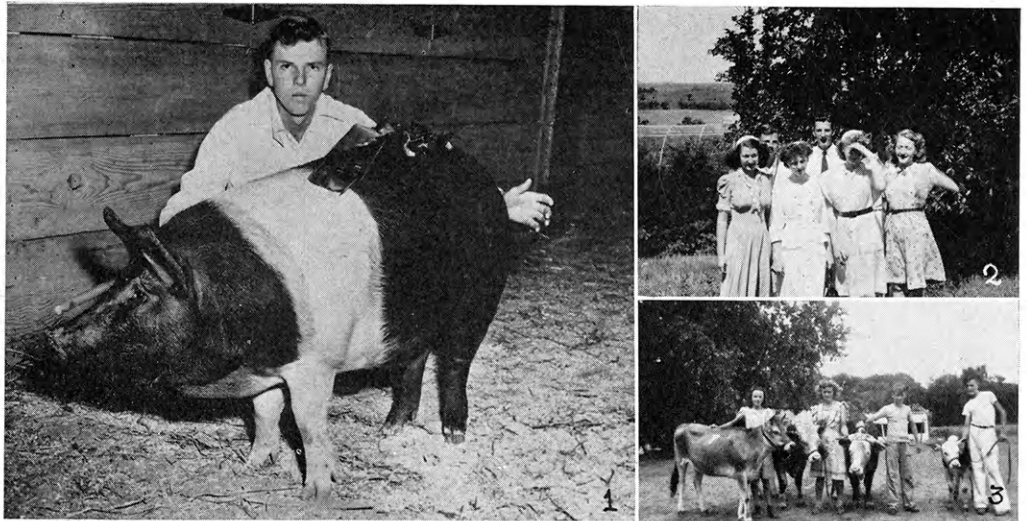
WILSON

1. Happy Hustler's float in Homecoming parade. 2. Cloverleaf Winners Group that won at county and district festival in trumpet and vocal trio. 3. Dale Russell's reserve champion baby beef —county fair. 4. Boys trio at Spring Festival — Wayne Cline, Donald Ward, Gary Timmons, and Marilyn Timmons, Pianist. 5. Darlene Frankenberg, blue ribbon winner, food preservation. 6. Better Citizens group attending the Club's spring tour. 7. Joyce Duckworth, president, Skyrocket Club. 8. High Prairie Pioneer's play cast, blue ribbon in the spring festival.

The interest in Wilson County 4-H Club work has been steadily increasing. Not only did the clubs carry on an active and progressive county program but they took part in state events such as the 4-H Round-up, State Fair, the Fat Stock Show, etc. With an enrollment of 200 there was an 89% completion of projects.



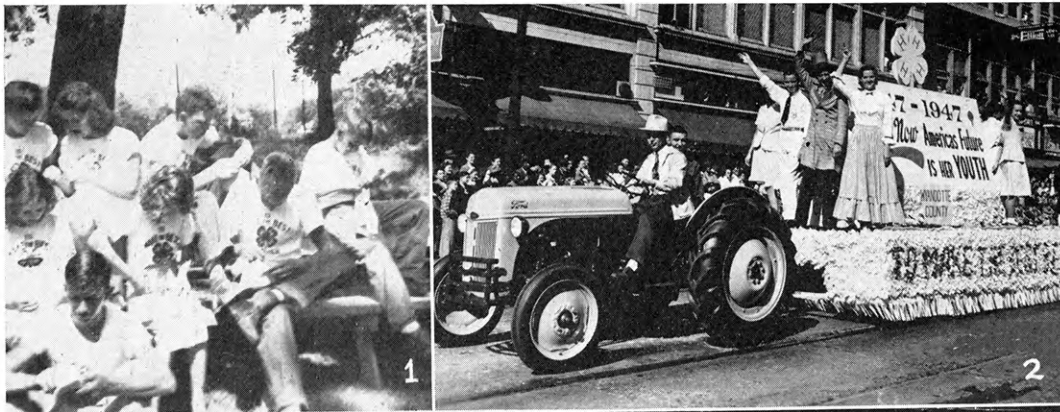
WOODSON



1. Junior Gorman, Stony-Vale 4-H Club member, and his Grand Champion Hampshire Barrow at Wichita. 2. Woodson County Group at Roundup: Wanda Brazil, Mrs. Mildred Powell, Alice Umholtz, Maurine Mears, Junior Gorman, James Drain, and Leland Randall. 3. M.R.B. Happy-Go-Lucky 4-H Club tour-Eunice Jackson, Evelyn Bishop, Johnny Mears, and Billy Bishop. 4. Charles and Marvin Eagle and their purebred sows and litters. 5. LaVone Eagle and her laying flock, County Poultry Champion. 6. Maurice West and his blue ribbon Duroc fat barrow at Wichita Show. 7. M.R.B. Happy-Go-Lucky Club members. 8. Mary Anne Brock and her blue ribbon project. 9. 3 in 1 4-H Club and their leaders, Mrs. Grace Eagle and Frank Englebrecht, Jr. 10. Merrill Brock, with Grand Champion. 11. Betty and Robert Ropp, Stony-Vale 4-H Club, and their brooding project. 12. Elaine Newman, Durand Busy Bees 4-H Club, and her garden project. 13. Jerry Lee Ruckner, M.R.B. Happy-Go-Lucky 4-H Club, and his purebred Hampshire gilt. 14. Frank Johnson, Durand Busy Bees 4-H Club, and his fat lamb.



The Woodson County 4-H Club program is progressing very nicely under the leadership of the local leaders. An attractive dairy project has been made possible by the Yates Center Chamber of Commerce. Twenty Purebred Jersey heifers have been given to 4-H Club boys and girls. They in turn give back the first six-month old Purebred Jersey heifer. Woodson County has had the Grand Champion fat barrow at the Wichita Fat Stock Show in 1946 and 1947. Thirteen members showed livestock at the Wichita Fat Livestock Show. Membership is very active in 4-H Club judging contests. All Clubs are in very good financial condition. The three day 4-H Club Fair sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce was a success from every standpoint.



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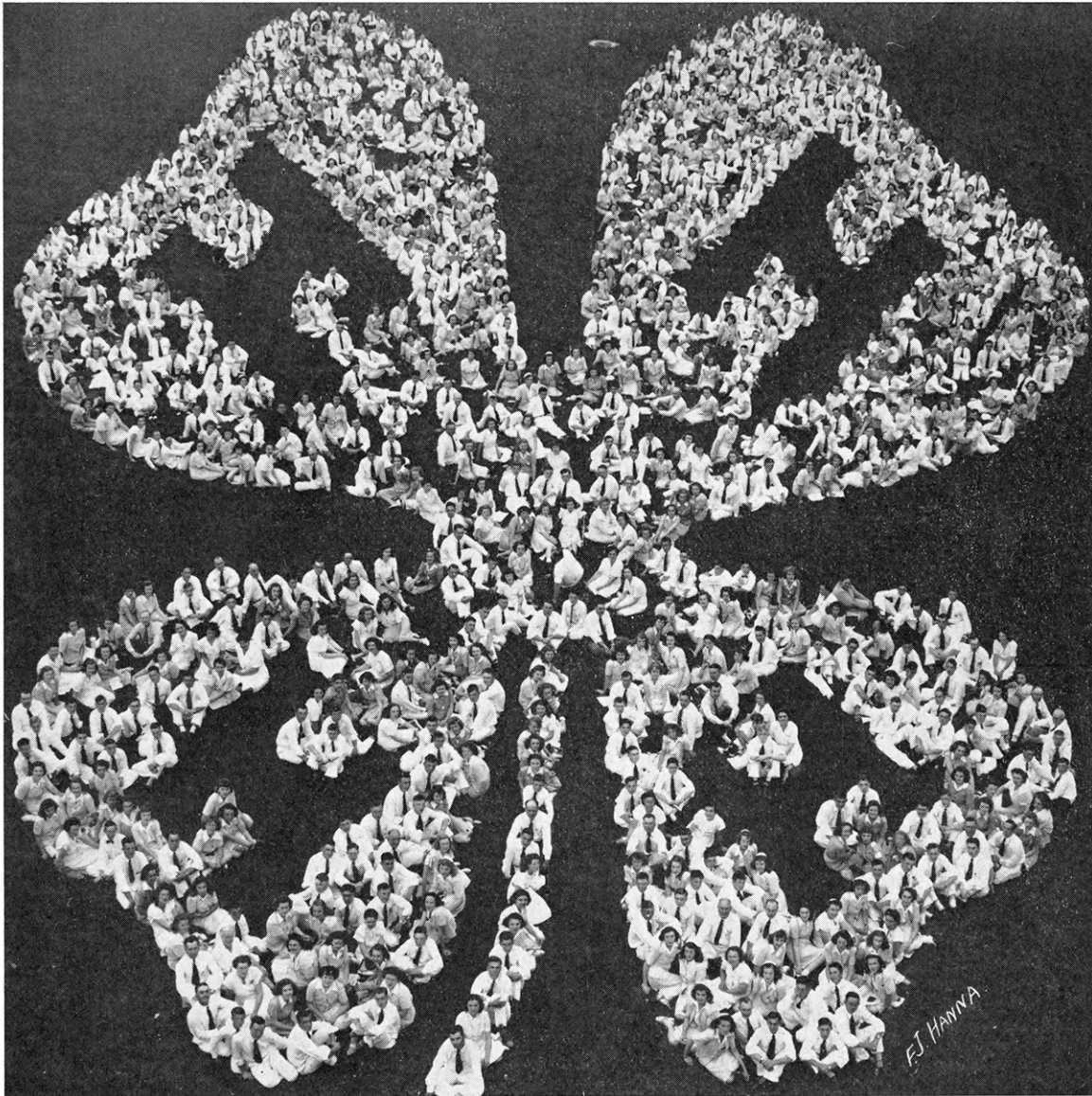


1. 4-H campers working on moccasins. 2. 4-H float constructed by the 4-H Club members of Wyandotte County and entered in the American Royal Parade. 3. Junior leaders who attended camp at Rock Springs. Roy Stewart, Stony Point Club and Nona Jo Piper, Advance Club. 4. Donald Strickland, outstanding boy of 1947. 5. Campfire scene from 4-H camp. 6. Mona Jo Piper, outstanding girl of 1947. 7. Delegation to 4-H encampment. Left to Right, back row, Bruce Dimmitt, Welborn Club, Ralph Wittmeyer, Club Agent. Front row, Bill Wilhite, Stony Point Club, Marjorie Duncan, Pleasant Horaniff, Mr. DuBois, Club Leader. 8. Park Colwell with his grand champion gilt. 9. Delegation to Round-Up, left to right, back row, George Holyfield, Gerald Randall, Kimball Backus and Mr. DuBois. Front, Beth Stockwell, Marjorie Duncan, Donald Strickland, Joyce Walker, Mona Piper, Betty DeFries, and Mrs. Eisman. 10. Girls Dorm at 4-H camp just before lights out.

The 4-H program in Wyandotte County is progressing smoothly with 350 members in 1947 and a goal of at least 500 members for the coming year. A county Who's Who club has been organized and an attractive program designed to hold the interest of the older members has been set up. Plans are being made for a better spring festival and a more interesting fair for 1948. The County Council sponsored a float in the American Royal Parade. Each club sent members to help conduct the float and outstanding club members were selected to ride on the float.



ROUND-UP



During the first week in June, Kansas State College entertains over one thousand 4-H guests. This is the 1947 Round-up picture. It includes representative members from local clubs, as well as state, county and community leaders.

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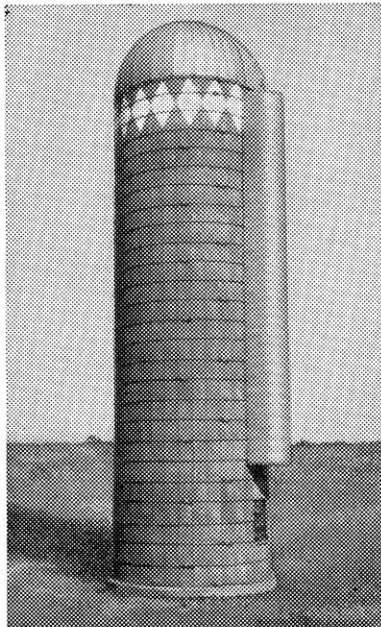
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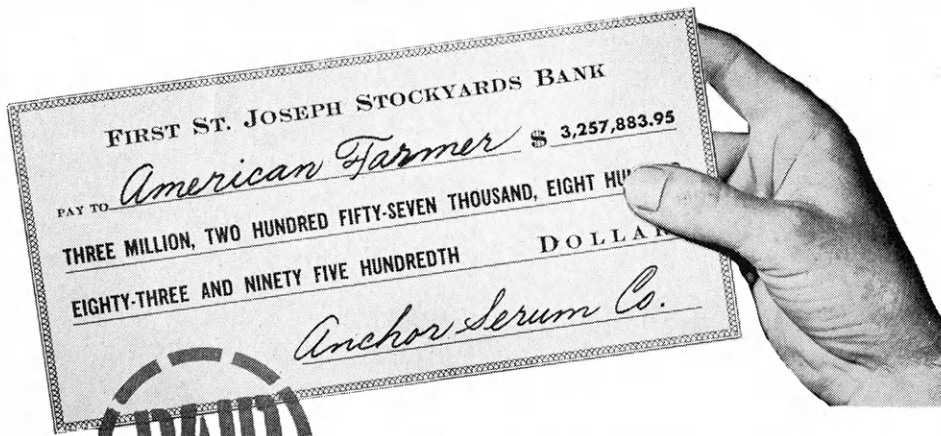
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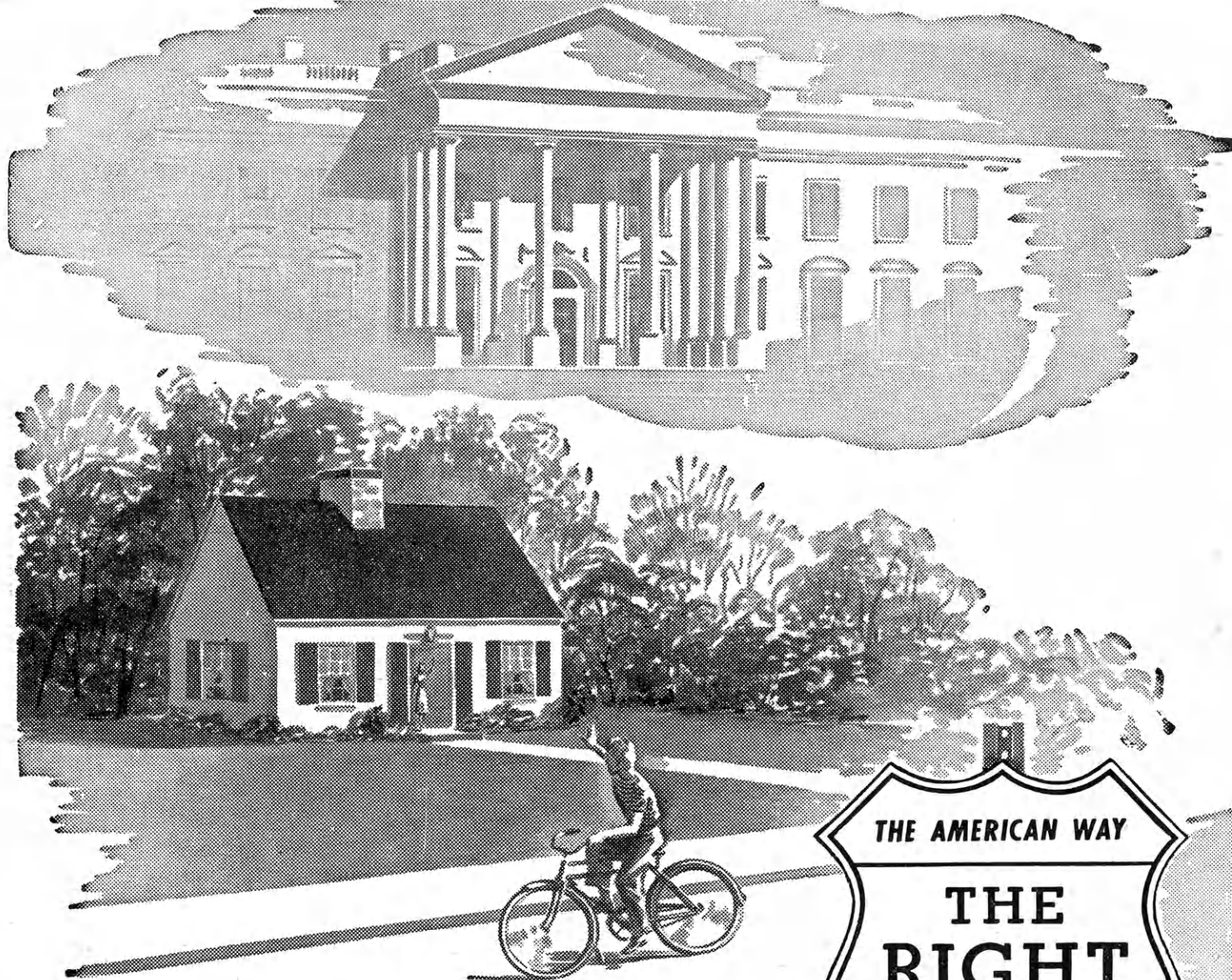
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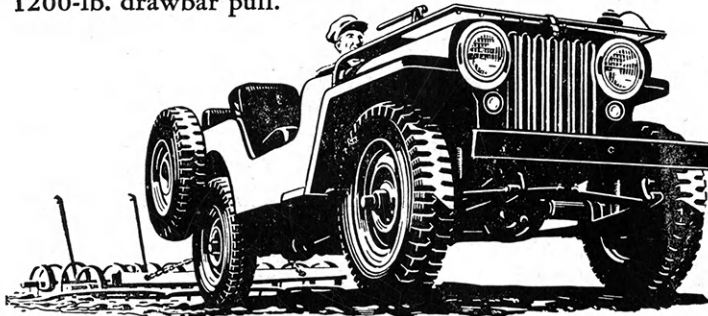
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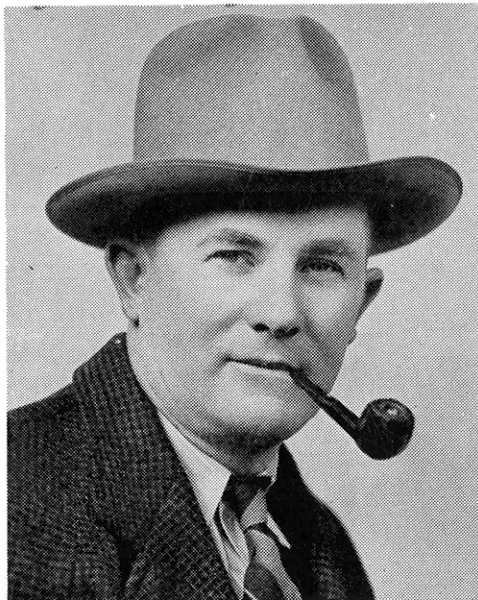
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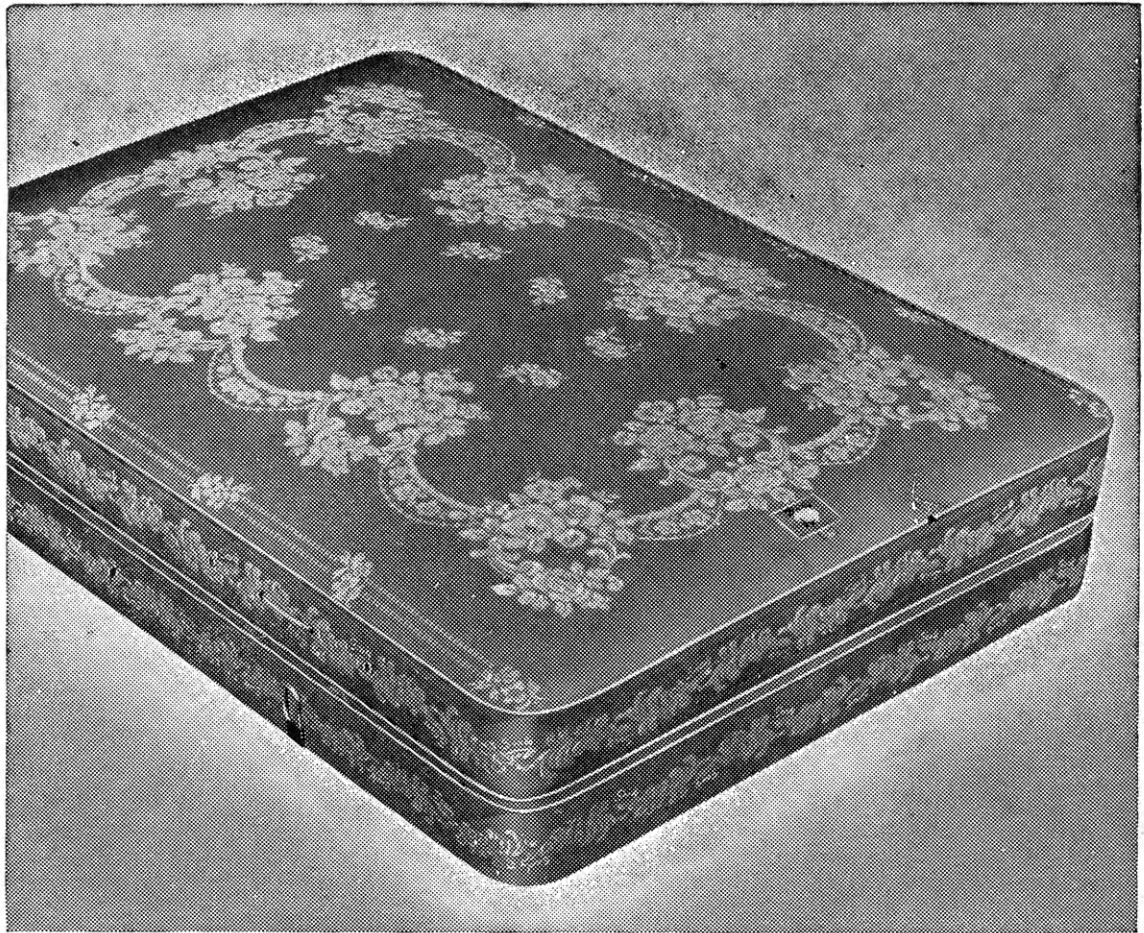
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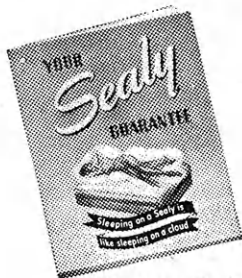
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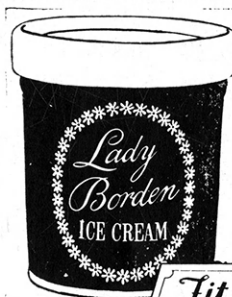
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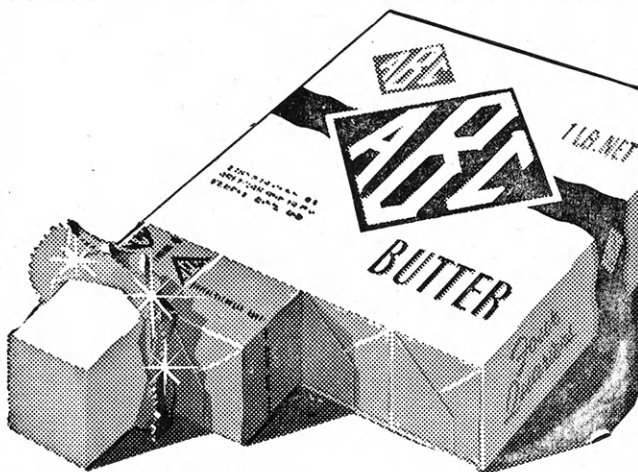
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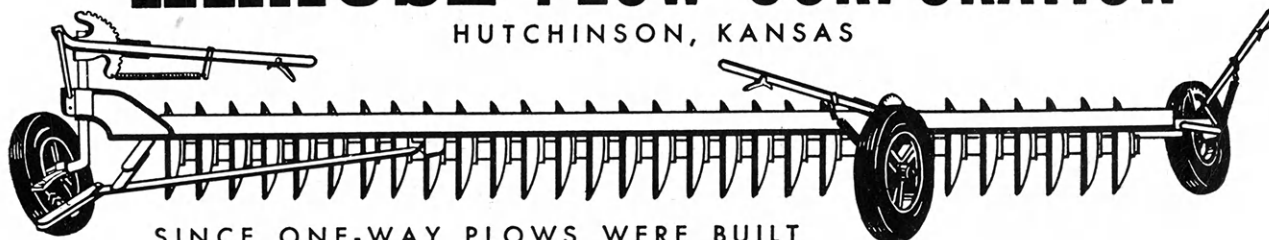
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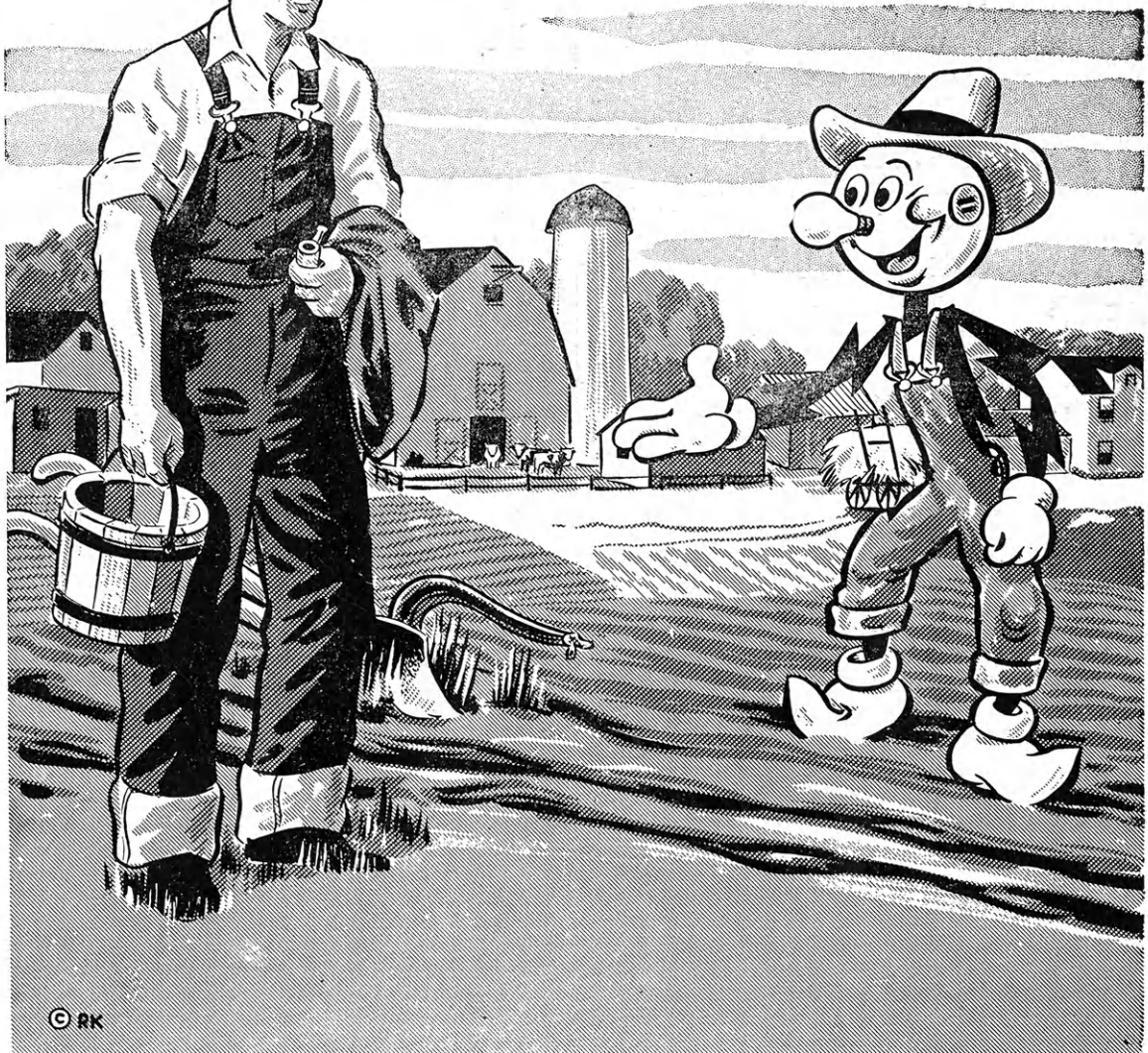
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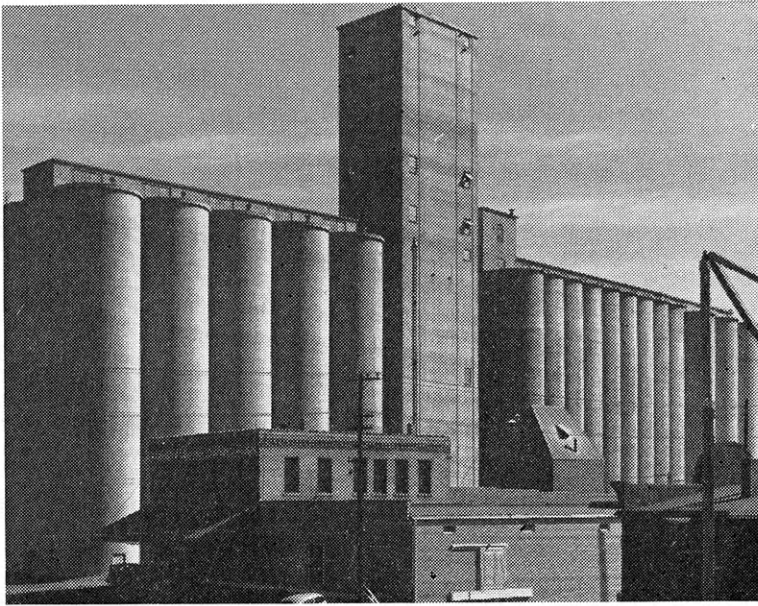
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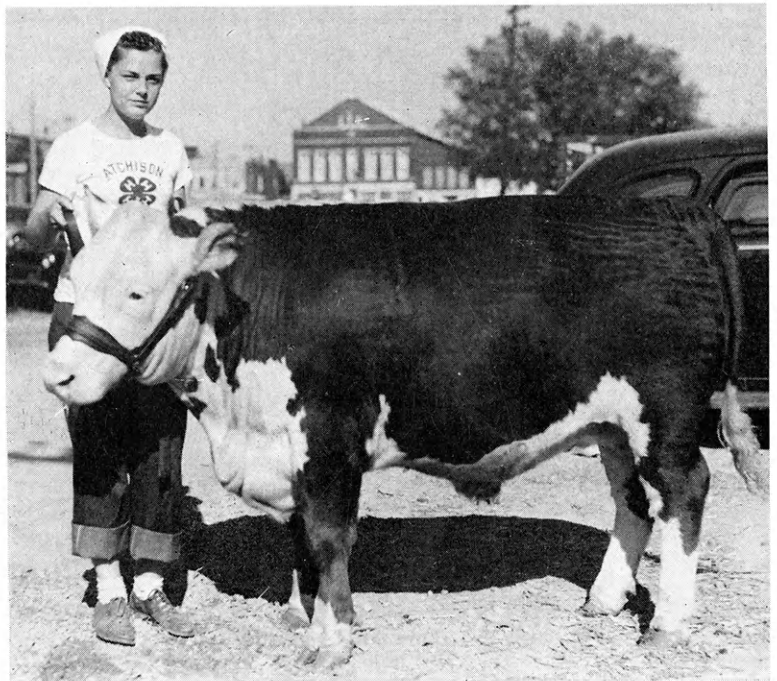
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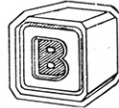
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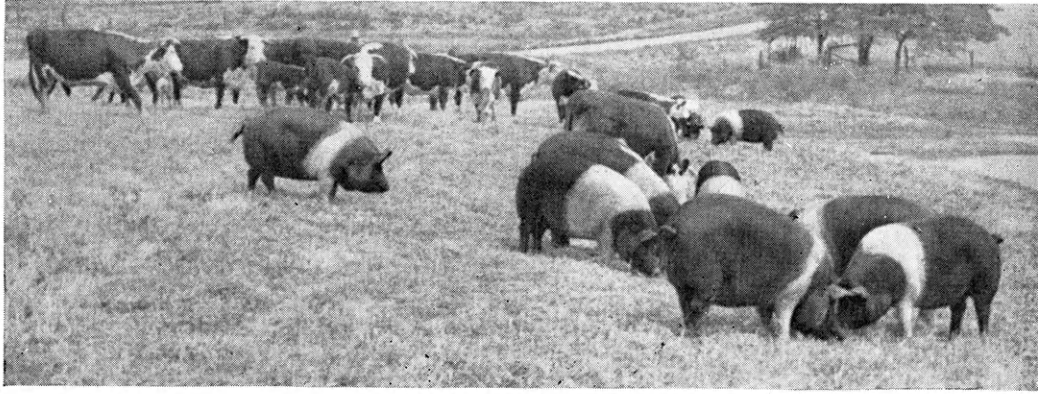
Wife: "Oh, give him another chance."
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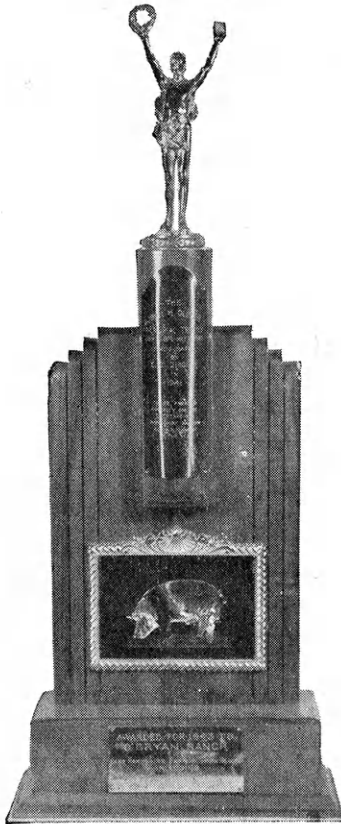
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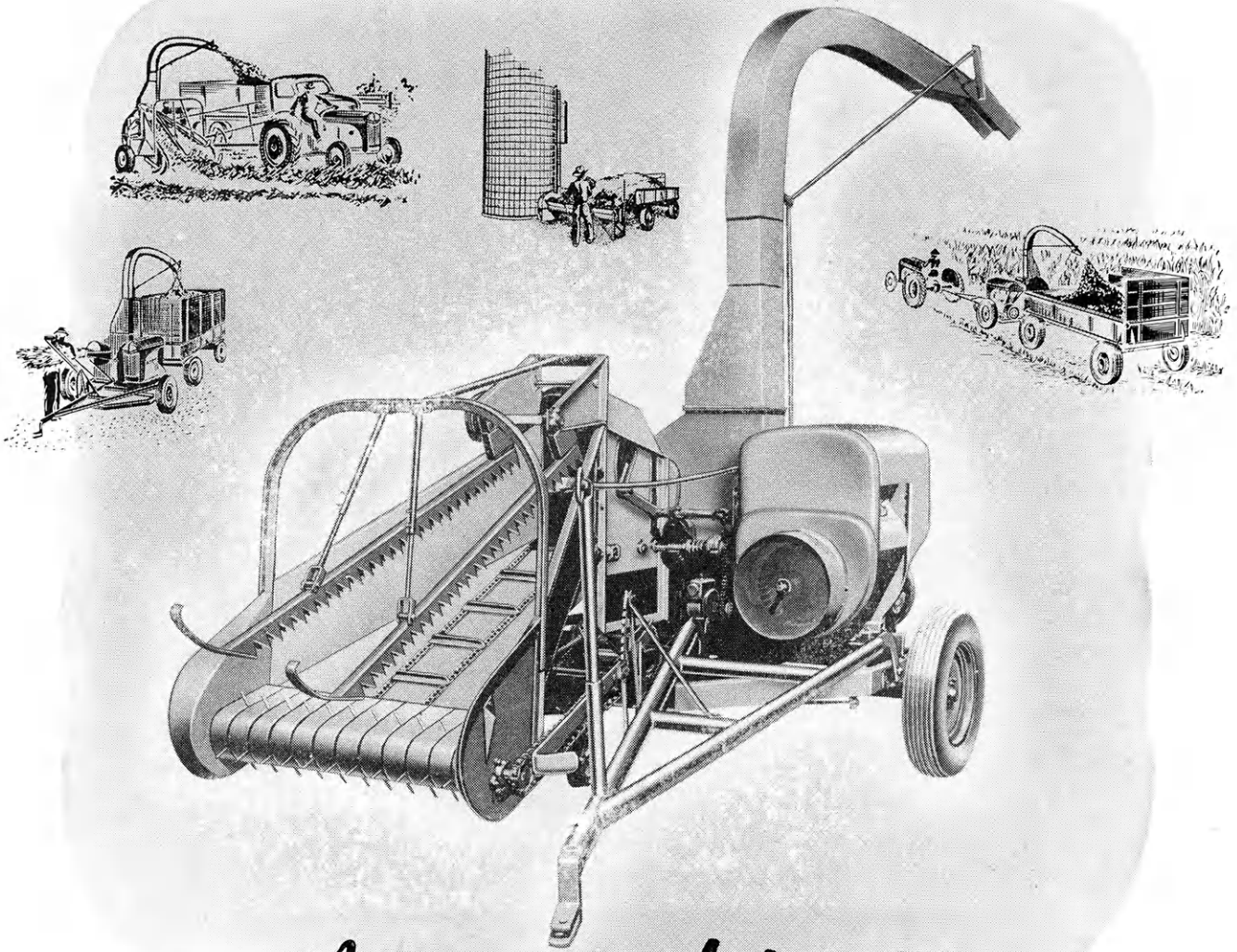
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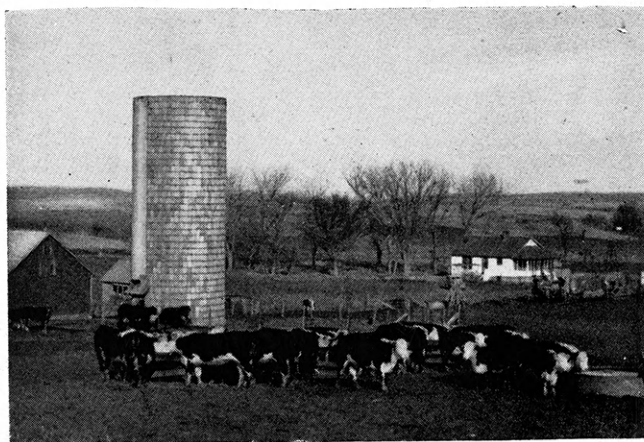
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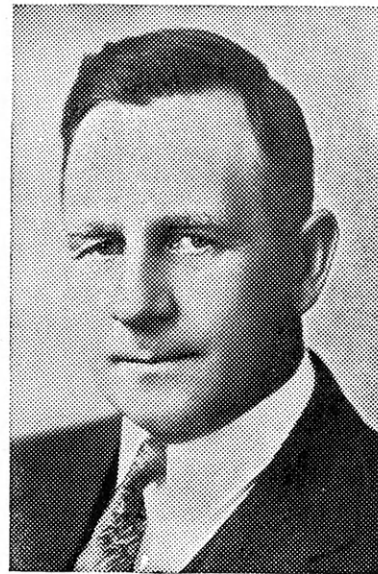
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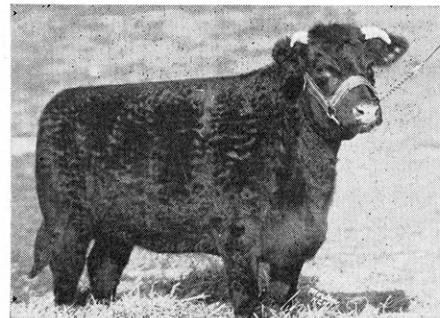
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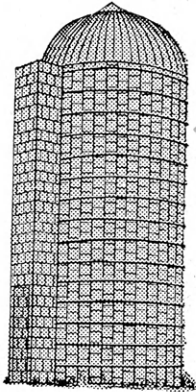
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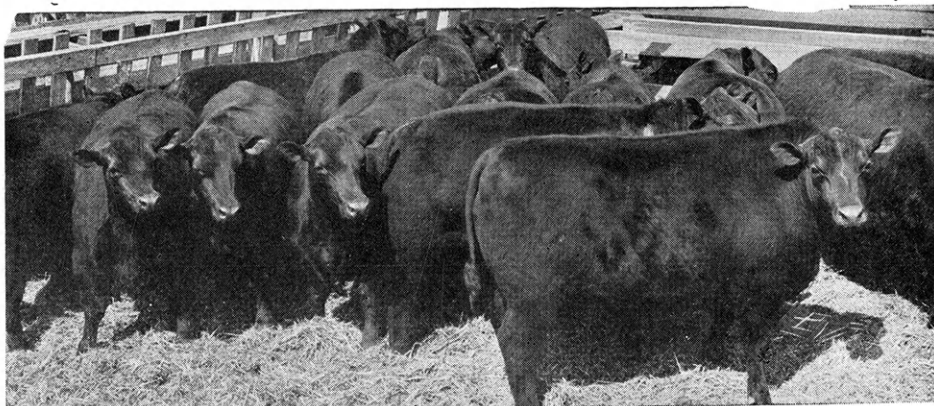
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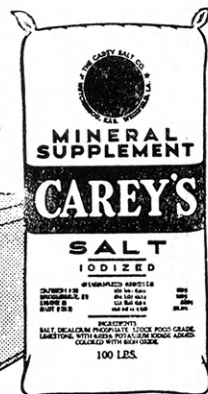
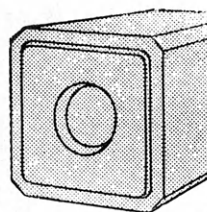
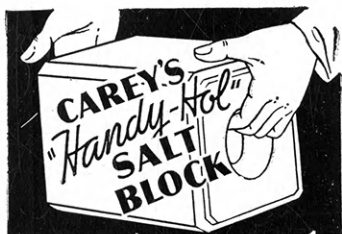
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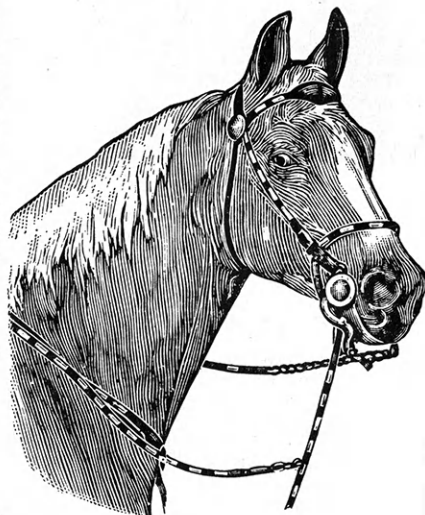


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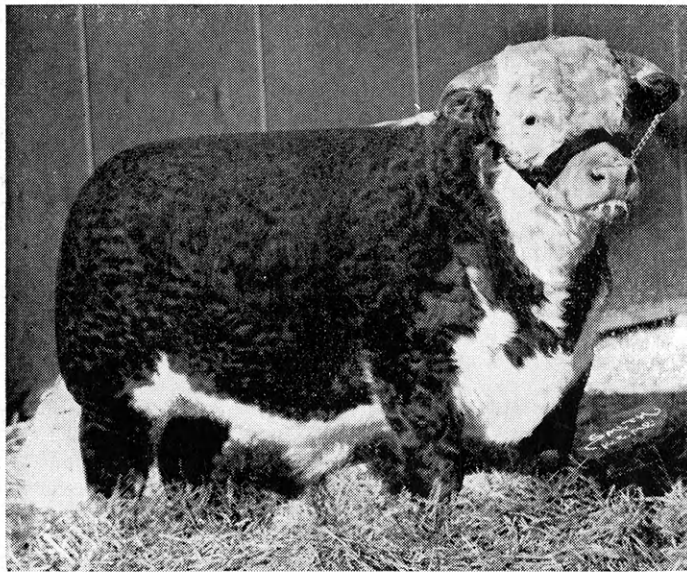
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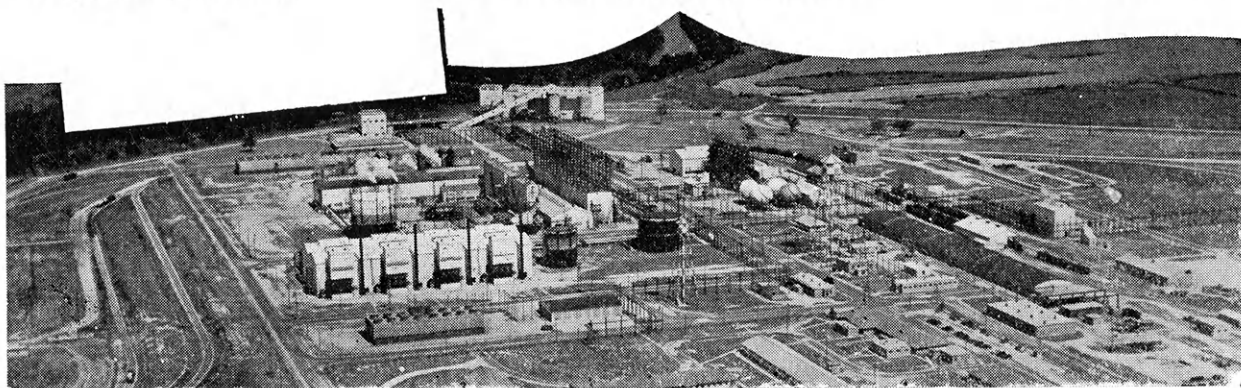


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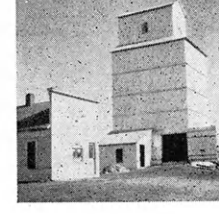
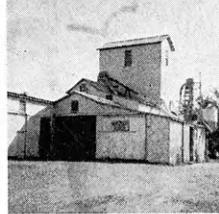
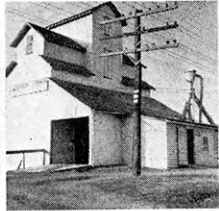
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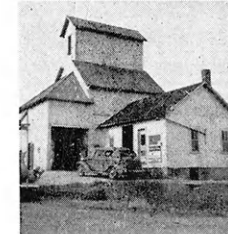
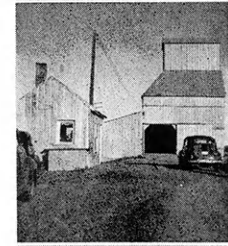
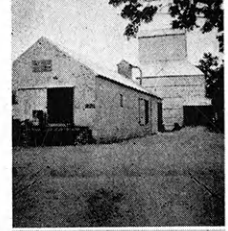
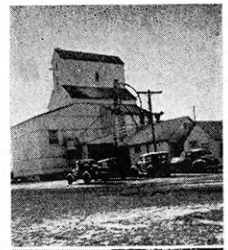
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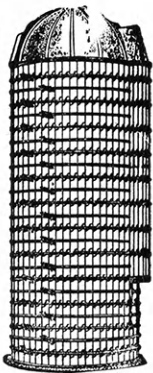
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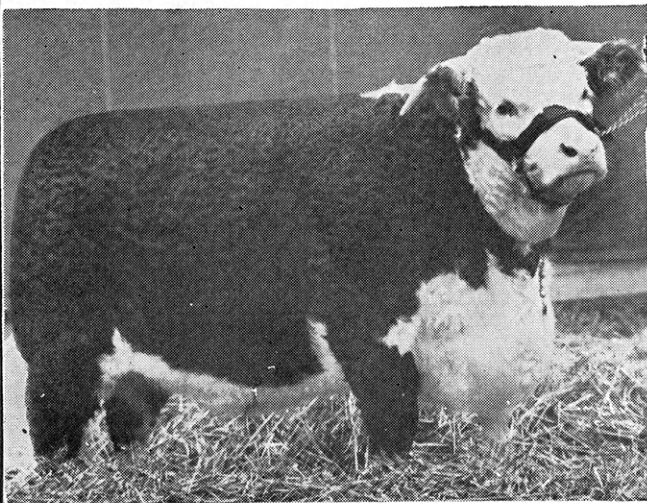
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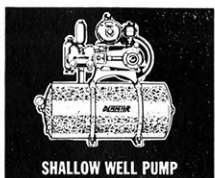
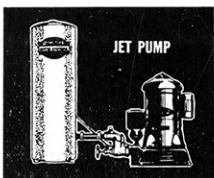
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Cyrus: "Dunno, what?"

Hiram: "A flock o' hogs, and 'et 'em."

H - H - H - H

"Say, mister, what time is it?"

"'Bout Tuesday, I'd say."

"No, what hour? I have to catch a train."

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