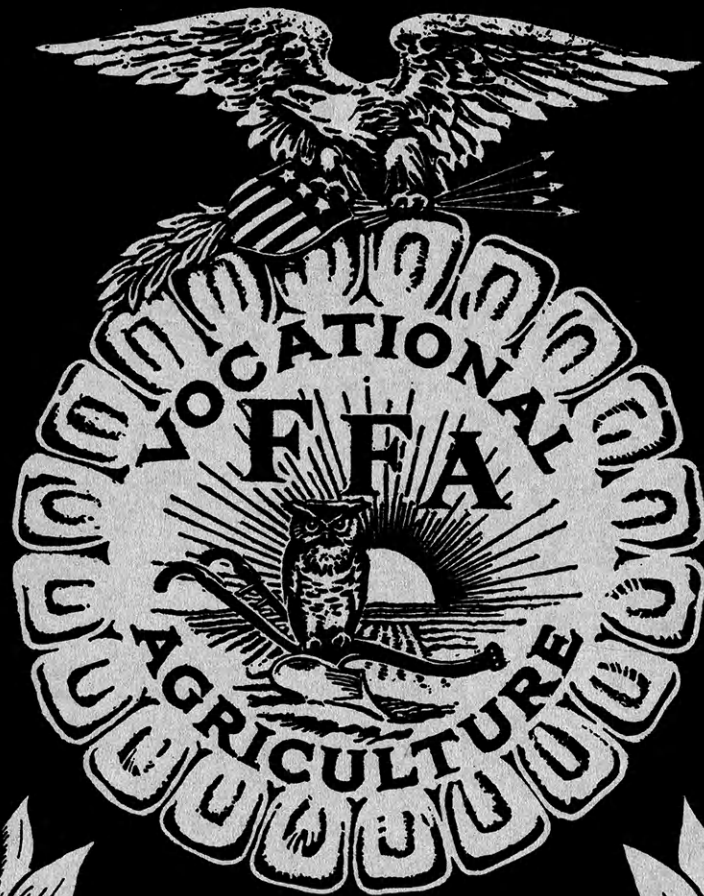


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Welcome, 99, 100, and 101 to a sound, live, and growing organization. The sound, live, and growing organization is best known as the Kansas Association of Future Farmers of America, and numbers 99, 100, and 101 will henceforth be known respectively as the Newton, Parker, and Columbus chapters of Future Farmers of America.

Congratulations and best wishes to each of the new chapters! We are now over the hundred mark and rapidly approaching that long set goal of "one hundred per cent of the departments of vocational agriculture in Kansas maintaining a chapter of Future Farmers of America".

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* With this issue of The Kansas Future Farmer we are sending *
* an official announcement of *
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* The Fifteenth Annual *
* State High School Vocational Agriculture *
* Judging and Farm Mechanics Contest *
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* The Seventh Annual Program *
* of the Kansas Association of Future Farmers of America *
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* Note: This announcement is intended for the president *
* of your chapter. Will the officers and delegates *
* familiarize themselves with the FFA program as set up *
* on page seven. Thanks. *
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Membership dues are coming in satisfactorily despite the drought and other discouraging factors. Approximately 75 per cent of the chartered chapters have paid to date.

Remember, 100 per cent paid-up membership would entitle Kansas to three American Farmers. However, this is not the most important point. Active membership makes for more interest in the local chapter, and at the same time strengthens the State and National organizations. It often has been said that a chapter without a program of work is a dead chapter, and it is just as true that a chapter with a program of work that is not an active chapter is not living up to its moral obligations. Kansas FFA chapters are to be congratulated on their fine response in the matter of payment of dues. It reflects sound leadership and evidences a spirit of fair play.

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Chapter news in The Kansas Future Farmer has always been a source of pride and satisfaction on the part of the editors. More than two-thirds of each issue is devoted to chapter notes. This is as it should be. The Newsletter has two prime functions: first, to tell what the chapters are doing; and, second, to keep the chapters informed concerning activities of the State association and the National organization.

The principal duty of the local FFA reporter is to see that the public is informed concerning the activities of his chapter. That he has been doing a good job so far as the State Newsletter is concerned is borne out by past issues of the publication. Occasionally we note the local reporter forgets to sign his name. Why all this modesty? We hope in the future all local reporters will see to it that their names are signed to the news report of their chapter in a bold "John Hancock" fashion. Your name will add a personal touch and make us all feel better acquainted with your chapter. Also, it will remove the suspicion that the report might have come from the pen of your advisor, or president, or some other officer whose duty might be to see that a report is sent in but whose duty is not to write the report.

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We are glad to note from the chapter news that Leonard Brown, our State Treasurer, Smith Center chapter, is recovering from the accident of a broken leg. The Executive Advisor has often wondered if it would not be pleasant and enjoyable to have a horse to ride. However, if a youngster of Leonard's agility can't stick on a horse, perhaps it will be best for your Executive Advisor to stick to his swivel chair. Anyhow, we are glad to know that Leonard is getting along nicely and will be in condition to carry out his duties and responsibilities as a State officer in connection with the Seventh Annual Convention of the State Association.

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Justice is the only worship. Love is the only priest. Ignorance is the only slavery. Happiness is the only good. The time to be happy is now. The place to be happy is here. The way to be happy is to make other people happy.

-- Robert G. Ingersoll

STATE FARMER CANDIDATES

This is the season of the year when chapters should be voting on their candidate or candidates for the State Farmer degree. The chapter votes on the member or members to be recommended for this degree and the House of Delegates elects. Every chapter owes it to individual members who are good students, have demonstrated their leadership qualities, and are carrying sound, well-rounded project and supplementary farm practice programs, to give them a vote of confidence and appreciation by recommending them to the State association for the State Farmer degree.

The blanks to be filled out have been sent each chapter. State Farmer candidate applications are first reviewed by the State Executive Committee, which, in turn, recommends to the House of Delegates the candidates who have met the State Farmer degree requirements. After election by the House of Delegates, the successful group is raised to the third degree by the officers of the State association of FFA.

Requirements for the State Farmer degree are listed under Article IV, Section D, in the Manual. Note: The State Executive Committee reserves the right to modify the financial requirement set up in the Manual.

The following is the number of State Farmer degrees granted in Kansas by years, together with the number of schools represented:

1929-30	1930-31	1931-32	1932-33	1933-34	1934-35
11 Boys	6 Boys	18 Boys	11 Boys	19 Boys	25 Boys
4 Schools	4 Schools	14 Schools	9 Schools	15 Schools	19 Schools

Total: 90 Boys

Thirty-four different chapters have furnished successful State Farmer candidates. It should be the aim of every chapter to have at least one successful State Farmer candidate each year. State Farmer programs are built, they don't "happen".

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Rumor has it that it was Vernon Huck, our State Farmer from Coldwater, who swooned when struck on the head with a drop of rain and had to have three buckets of sand tossed in his face to revive him. Whether or not they have the right boy we can not say, but we do know that that particular "dust" story has piled up more mileage in the press of this country than any other that has come to our attention.

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I never allow myself to become discouraged under any circumstances. The three great essentials to achieve anything worthwhile are: first, hard work; second, stick-to-it-iveness; third, common sense.

-- Thomas A. Edison

Delegates

Each chapter is entitled to two official delegates to the annual meeting of the State Association of FFA.

The program is so arranged that delegates who are members of contest teams will be able to participate in all the official business of the State Association, with the possible exception of registration and submission of the chapter annual report. These responsibilities might have to be delegated to some authorized representative of your chapter. The State Officers should not plan to participate in contest activities. They will be busy conducting the business of the State Association.

The official House of Delegates meeting of the State Association will be held Monday, April 29, at 7:30 o'clock P.M., in Ag 331. This meeting is open to the public. Visiting FFA members and local advisors are especially urged to attend. Due to lack of time, the business of the delegates will largely be confined to routine affairs, such as accepting reports of the various offices and committees, electing the State Farmer candidates, electing representatives to attend the National FFA meeting, and electing officers for next year.

The following problems are of importance to the State Association and will probably be brought before the House of Delegates, either for definite action or committee study. Your chapter and the members who will represent you should be giving serious thought and study to these problems. While we question the advisability of instructing your delegates, we believe these problems should be discussed by your chapter in order that your delegates will be better informed.

- 1) The recommendation of the State Executive Committee declaring this year as an emergency year, setting aside the ruling of the State Association on what constitutes an active chapter, and permitting delinquent chapters to attain active status by paying current State and National dues.
- 2) A uniform secretary's book. Type book to be adopted. Shall the State Association furnish it at a nominal cost, or shall it be furnished free? Shall chapters be required to use the uniform secretary's book if furnished free by the State Association?
- 3) Membership cards. Type. Shall the State Association furnish them at a nominal cost, or shall they be furnished free? Plans for distributing same.
- 4) Revision of State constitution in order to bring it up to date and cause it to conform with the revised National constitution.
- 5) Problem of expanding the FFA program to include the full time given over to the conduct of the contest programs. The State Association has grown to such an extent that it is not practical to handle its



5) (Concluded)

affairs in the limited time at the disposal of the delegates under our present plan. We could handle the FFA activities much more advantageously if we had more time. The whole set-up could be patterned after the National House of Delegates, and, in addition to handling the work more satisfactorily, the training and experience on the part of the delegates and officers would tend to strengthen our State program as well as improve our representation in the National House of Delegates meeting. This plan would, of course, necessitate the naming of delegates who are not members of contest teams. There are some disadvantages here, especially in the matter of transportation for certain chapters. The problem of expanding our program should be given careful study, and in giving consideration to this proposed change, local chapters should at all times keep in mind what plan appears to promote the best interests of the State Association.

The above problems should come before the House of Delegates in convention. Lack of time might relegate one or all to committee consideration. Local chapters and delegates should give thought to this list of problems before leaving for Manhattan.

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C H A P T E R N E W S

Lawrence: The Jayhawk Chapter of FFA held its annual election of officers last week, and the following were elected: Ray Ice, president; Gilbert Gilges, vice president; Vernon Flory, secretary; Billy Penny, treasurer; Ralph Houk, reporter.

We sponsored our first annual Douglas County graded and rural basketball tournament April 6. There were six schools entered in the rural school division and three in the graded school division. Members of the chapter acted as officials, ticket takers, etc. We charged an admission of 10¢ for the whole day. There were some very well played, interesting games and we feel as if it were time well spent. At the close of the tournament a cup was awarded the winner in each division.

We held our annual judging school March 30. Several schools close about attended as well as several representatives from the 4-H clubs of Douglas County. We have held this school for the past two years, and we feel it is time well spent for the purpose of training the judging teams in various lines of judging. Classes of livestock of nearby farmers and owners were judged.

-- Raymond Schaake, Reporter

Beloit: Charles Jordan, president of our FFA Chapter won a Union Pacific Railroad scholarship.

The Future Farmer degree was given to the following boys on January 24: Donald Cooke, Paul Kiman, Keith Nelson, Lowell Porter, Noel Porter, Richard Tice, and Maxell Williams.

The Future Farmers of Beloit had a skating party on Tuesday, January 23

The officers of FFA explained the work of the FFA to the Hi-Y club last week.

-- Reporter

Smith Center: Leonard Brown, State Treasurer, is again able to be about without the aid of crutches. Leonard had the misfortune of having his horse fall on him breaking his leg at the ankle.

Our chapter was saddened February 16 by the sudden death of Floyd Newell, one of the sophomore boys in our chapter. Floyd fell while playing in the gym, hitting his head against the wall. The accident did not seem serious at the time but he became ill during the afternoon and died soon after midnight.

We held our parents banquet March 21. All but one of our members was able to attend the banquet, and every member had either his mother or father there and most of the members brought both parents. Supervisor Pollom was scheduled to be here as our speaker, but due to the dust storms he did not feel like venturing this far away from home. Mr. Blauer, advisor, and John Woods, president, of the Lebanon chapter were guests and both gave short talks. As a feature of the banquet we published the first issue of The FFA Reporter, in which we reviewed the activities of the chapter for the year.

Mr. Templeton, our advisor, and Irwin Gedney, our vice president, attended the parents banquet at Lebanon on March 22.

Ralph Robb of our chapter was high point individual at the Lebanon poultry judging contest March 23.

William Post, Dean Libby, and Ralph Robb will represent our chapter at Colby Friday and Saturday, April 5 and 6. Alternates will be Irwin Gedney, Percy Post, and Gerald Cattin.

-- Reporter

Goodland: The Goodland Chapter of Future Farmers of America is planning their annual Future Farmer initiation. The candidates are Loren Elliot, James Shaner, Carroll Magge, Billie Hartzler, Floyd Hubbard, George Walker, and Ed Scheopner.

We have planned night meetings every second Monday in the month. We also have day meetings every Friday during the fourth period.

One of our local boys, James Shaner, fed out the champion Shorthorn at the Denver Stock Show.

We are sponsoring a district public speaking contest. The chapters invited are: Colby, Brewster, St. Francis, Atwood, McDonald, Bird City, Norton, and Oberlin.

The chapter mixed a ton of chick feed to sell to our community. Last year we sold 4,500 pounds. February 26 of last year we got 350 baby chicks and now have a laying flock of 92 pullets. The freshmen are handling them as a class project.

We are installing two new forges in our ag building, which makes a total of four.

-- Floyd Hubbard, Reporter

Waterville: The Waterville FFA held its fifth annual parent and son banquet in the high school gymnasium Friday night, March 22.

The banquet opened with the FFA opening exercises, after which Lowell Blaser and Junior Walker gave several musical numbers. Ken Kruse gave the FFA creed. J. R. Wells, the chapter advisor, introduced the Green Hands. The principal speaker of the evening, Dr. C. V. Williams, of Kansas State College, talked on the necessity of cooperation between parents and sons. There were 60 members present, including the following men with their wives: Dr. G. I. Thatcher, W. P. McKelvy, J. W. Thompson, V. E. Hoisington, John Frost, and Dr. C. V. Williams.

Concordia high school won the poultry judging contest at Waterville sponsored by the local FFA members. Wamego was second and Linn third. There were eleven schools represented.

-- Kenneth Kruse, Reporter

Quinter: Chapter officers elected this spring are: Ormond Breeden, president; Roger Ewing, vice president; Elvin Ikenberry, secretary; Ivan Lahman, treasurer; Loren Ikenberry, reporter; Michael Younger, watch dog.

In October, nine new members were given the Green Hand degree. They were: Charles Garst, Oral Love, Robert Eckels, Fred Martin, Arthur Ewing, Leland Jamison, Leonard Flora, Francis Haas, and Lynn Wylie.

Quinter chapter held its first annual practice judging contest Saturday, March 23, at the Miller Guernsey Dairy near Quinter. Seventy-nine contestants entered, with the following results:

1. Colby	965 points	Team: P. Boyer, E. Bremerkamp, R. Mallory
2. Quinter	954 "	" L. Ikenberry, E. Ikenberry, C. Garst
3. Oberlin	950 "	" H. Unger, I. Miller, M. Wilson
4. Scott City	922 "	" W. Minnix, C. Turpin, W. Hasz
5. Ellis	882 "	" F. Pierce, T. King, R. Schoenthale
6. Wakceney	870 "	" M. Denning, J. Clark, D. Surprise
7. Hill City	865 "	" E. Gordon, V. William, D. Gilson

The six high point men were: P. Boyer, Colby, 331 points
H. Unger, Oberlin, 326 points
L. Ikenberry, Quinter, 324 points
W. Minnix, Scott City, 323 points
E. Bremerkamp, Colby, 318 points
I. Miller, Oberlin, 318 points

After lunch, served by the chapter in the agriculture building, a reasons contest was held with these results:

1. E. Ikenberry, Quinter
2. K. Crook, Quinter
I. Miller, Oberlin
3. V. Jones, Colby
V. Palmgren, Colby

Shop work recently done includes repair of wheat wheels and ripping lumber for Camp Sheridan.

Twelve boys and our instructor, Mr. Shea, attended the Colby judging contest, April 5 and 6.

-- Loren Ikenberry, Reporter

Mulvane: The Mulvane Chapter of the Future Farmers of America held a special meeting on the evening of January 30 for the advancement of Green Hands to the degree of Future Farmer. Those advanced were Myrel Howard and Clarence Brady. A short business meeting followed the ceremony.

On February 27 the chapter held its regular meeting for the month. Following the opening ceremony was a short business session. It was decided that the chapter should hold a father and son banquet on March 12. Also, we planned a hotbed for the purpose of raising money for the treasury. An interesting feature of the program was a talk by Mr. George Blair, a local farmer and gardner, on Birds, Their Economic Value.

Two boys, Lee Allan Burress and Eugene Watson, are preparing speeches for the State FFA Public Speaking contest. We expect to hold an elimination contest in the near future for the purpose of deciding which one will represent our chapter.

-- Eugene Watson, Reporter

Wakefield: During the past three months the agricultural department has been conducting an evening school in poultry production. The FFA chapter has been assisting in the work. An average of forty adult flock owners attended the ten meetings.

March 14 the FFA and the FHA held a joint meeting. After the regular business meetings held by each chapter separately, refreshments were served by the FHA girls and games were played. Every one had a good time.

March 15 the members of the FFA chapter took a trip to Manhattan. Professor Weber showed our groups through the livestock barns, and Clifford Harding, student at Kansas State College, showed the group through other parts of the Division of Agriculture. The chapter visited the Engineers' Open House in the afternoon and evening.

The FFA chapter is planning to set out shrubs and flowers around the agricultural building. We took a sketch of the land and buildings to Manhattan to have Professor Quinlan draw up a landscape plan.

The chapter has taken in 16 Green Hands. All boys are interested in the work.

William Alsop and Lawrence Conrow, members of our FFA chapter, won first and second, respectively, in the Union Pacific Scholarship contest conducted in Clay County this year.

-- William Alsop, Reporter

Coldwater: The annual father and son banquet was held February 7 in the high school building. The opening ceremony was given by the FFA officers; welcome by Vernon Huck; response by Paul Sundgren; group singing led by Mr. Marts; dinner served by the home economics girls; talks on trip to the American Royal by Ralph Deewald and Neill Jackson; talk on booths at Hutchinson and Dodge City by Jim Guseman; FFA activities of last year by Dwight Link; cornet solo by Clair Parcel; awarding of prizes for best project program by L. E. Melia; and moving pictures of the FFA activities and the K. S. C.-Nebraska football game. This constituted the program.

We have purchased 350 certified White Rock chicks from the Kansas Accredited Hatchery association. We have contracted with a local farmer to have these chicks brooded and taken care of until September 1. The animal husbandry class of 1935-36 will take these pullets for a laying flock project.

We are holding our high school livestock and crops judging contest April 12. The livestock will be judged in the morning and the crops in the afternoon. In the crops contest the samples will be a duplicate of the Hays list. There will be eight or nine classes of livestock to place, and oral reasons will be given on four classes. A. D. Weber, of Kansas State College, will be the judge. Prizes will be given for the high individual and high team in each contest.

The local farm bureau is sponsoring a livestock program in the afternoon to which all vocational agricultural boys are cordially invited.

-- George Sundgren, Reporter

Morrowville: Our monthly meetings are held regularly the first Wednesday evening of each month.

The initiation for the Green Hand degree was held at the high school building February 4. The following boys became Green Hands: Wayne McNish, Marvin La Farge, Lute Richardson, Guy Jennings, William Frager, A. J. Enfield, and James Wyman. Refreshments consisted of oyster soup galore.

New FFA manuals have been provided by the vocational fund for the use of the officers. A new creed has been put under glass and framed.

We have been doing considerable seed testing. Corn has tested from 90 to 95 per cent, and grain sorghums have tested around 70 per cent. John Shaw, a local farmer, brought in four samples of weed seed that he had found in his grain to be identified by members of the crops class.

Our local chapter was represented at the Waterville Poultry contest March 2. We ranked second as a school in the contest. Dale Wells, Glen Cummings, and Donald Barnes comprised our team. Glen Cummings ranked third as an individual and Donald Barnes tied for sixth place.

Both the vocational agriculture classes and five of the FFA boys not taking agriculture attended the Washington County Livestock contest March 21. We ranked second as a school in this contest. Lute Richardson was high individual in the county and Gerald Menzies ranked tenth.

The father and son banquet was held in the vocational agriculture room, Wednesday evening, March 27. Covers were laid for 90. The girls of the home economics department served a meal of two courses. As much of the food as possible was brought from the homes of the boys. Earl Moore presided and acted as toastmaster. Dr. C. V. Williams, Kansas State College, delivered the main address of the evening. He gave a very interesting talk on the subject "Some Things Worth While". Four students from the College, Paul Gilpin, Irving Hawk, Boyd Hope, and Maurice Wycoff accompanied Dr. Williams.

Max Benne reported on the activities of the FFA chapter; Glen Cummings on judging; Marvin La Farge on a finished swine project; Leo Griffing on old membership. Those who said a few words on the value of vocational agriculture were: Mr. Laman, high school principal, and Mr. Carter, a member of the board of education.

-- Earl Coder, Reporter

Auburn: The Auburn chapter of the Future Farmers of America took a day off to visit the Sante Fe shops at Topeka. We saw many interesting things as we were shown through the shops by one of their employees. It is a great place for boys to visit for there are many new things for them to see. We also visited the legislature while we were on our trip.

LeRoy Mitchell, our president, won the Union Pacific Scholarship contest for Shawnee county. This gives him a \$100 scholarship if he enrolls in agriculture at Kansas State College, and we all hope he does.

Officers elected for our chapter this year are as follows: LeRoy Mitchell, president; Dean Cellers, vice president; David Bruner, secretary; Dick Moore, treasurer; Chester Sherrets, reporter; Harold Hoy, watch dog.

The membership of our chapter is divided into six committees, and each committee is made up of four members. These committees take turns in getting up programs and serving lunch at our regular meetings.

Our last meeting was held March 26. As we had so many school activities on for that week, the attendance at our meeting was rather low. Our program consisted of games and songs. Pic was served.

-- Chester Sherrets, Reporter

Lincoln: The Lincoln FFA met February 12 for election of officers. They are as follows: Lloyd Walker, president; Richard Dodrill, vice president; Elmer Hanneman, secretary; Morris Dodrill, treasurer; Howard Markley, reporter; John Ryan, watch dog.

The FFA put on a chapel program March 22. The following program was given:

The First Mirror

Characters:

Cave man	Lloyd Walker
Cave man's wife	Loren Bryan
Cave man's daughter	Morris Dodrill
Cave man's son-in-law	Wayne Wilson

Elias and Elmer

Characters:

Elias	Junior Montgomery
Elmer	Elmer Hanneman

George Washington:

Characters:

George Washington	John Ryan
High School student	Kenneth Markley

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Richard Dodrill

March 12 and 13 the FFA treated seed potatoes for farmers of the community. We have a fine hotbed under way and are planning to have a good supply of plants for transplanting of cabbage, tomatoes, and peppers. Mr. Schrag, our former vocational agricultural teacher, left to take a position at Silver Lake. Mr. Joe Green was secured to take his place. Mr. Green formerly taught at Brewster, Kansas.

-- Howard Markley, Reporter

Argonia: The Argonia chapter has been sponsoring an oat and potato seed treating project. We treated 100 bushels of oats for smut and used the spray method. So far, we have treated 100 pounds of potato seed but have more jobs lined up. We used the cold formaldehyde method.

We had a night program for our parents on March 18. The program started with the opening ceremony, followed by the raising of the Green Hands to the degree of Future Farmer. Those initiated were: Richard Handy, Deene Nystrom, and John Young. Mr. Pearce told the parents something about the local chapter and what we have done the past year. Professor A. P. Davidson gave a talk on the origin of the FFA and the advantages of such an organization.

Refreshments were served, consisting of ice cream and vanilla wafers. The ice cream was mixed and frozen by the freshman class, and by the reports of the parents they did a very good job.

The boys put on a shop display in connection with the night school held here on March 19.

Our officers plan to go to Kingman in April sometime to an officers' training school.

-- Milford Johnson, Reporter



Ottawa: The second annual Ottawa FFA invitation poultry judging contest was held March 2. The contest was composed of eight classes of poultry to judge and 100 questions over the standard. Due to a similar contest at Waterville held the same day, only 16 teams were entered, 14 of whom attended. Last year 21 teams were present.

The loving cup was won this year by Fredonia, with a score of 1,911 points out of a possible 2,400. Howard, who placed first last year, was second with 1,766 points. Gay Tuis, of Fredonia, and Louis Luthey, of Carbondale, tied for high individual score, each having 511 out of a possible 600 points. Each will receive a gold medal in recognition of his high score. Kenneth Chisham, a member of the Fredonia team, won a bronze medal and third place in the entire contest. Other team placings were as follows: Third place, Parsons, 1,742 points; fourth place, Carbondale, 1,724 points; fifth place, Wellsville, 1,707. The contest was very orderly, not a boy or a card becoming lost or misplaced. Ottawa did not compete for either the cup or the medals.

The February meeting was our annual mother-son reception. Due to extremely muddy roads, attendance was greatly reduced. Twenty-nine mothers and thirty-two boys were present. After a short business session the meeting was turned over to Kenneth Jameson, who announced the program:

FFA song -- all

Welcome to Mothers -- John Dean

Response to Welcome -- Mrs. J. R. Jameson

Baby Show -- parts taken by members

Talk, "Finding Pleasure in Your Work" -- Miss Carrie Burns

Songs -- Raymond Bryan

Refreshments were then served in the lunch room.

-- Francis Kemmerer, Reporter

Fairview: The chapter has purchased 7,300 pounds of seed potatoes for its members. The best seed available was purchased. A reduction of 20% per hundred was received by buying in large quantity. The seed was treated with formaldehyde solution by the vocational agricultural students.

The chapter has purchased a Ford engine to run a feed grinder this summer. An old feed grinder was given the department by one of the members, and with a few repairs it can be made to run very satisfactorily. The members will be charged for grinding only enough to pay for operating the engine. This will result in quite a saving to them.

The annual interclass trackmeet will be held soon. This is always a big affair with many outside people attending.

-- Forrest Snyder, Reporter

Burlington: The fifth annual banquet of the Burlington FFA was held Tuesday evening, March 19. From all reports, the banquet was a success. One hundred and two attended as guests -- mothers, fathers, and members of the FFA. The menu consisted of chicken and noodles, baked beans, waldorf salad, fruit salad, cake and whipped cream, bread, butter, and coffee. There was an abundance of everything, and it was well prepared by the mothers. The program consisted of short talks, readings, and musical numbers. Decorations were in FFA colors with pictures of livestock displayed on a background of lattice work. We as members of the Burlington FFA consider this banquet as one of our major objectives.

Six vocational ag boys participated in the crops and shops contest at Altamont March 16. Both classes in vocational agriculture attended the Hazlett Field Day at Eldorado March 30.

-- Willis Applegate, Reporter