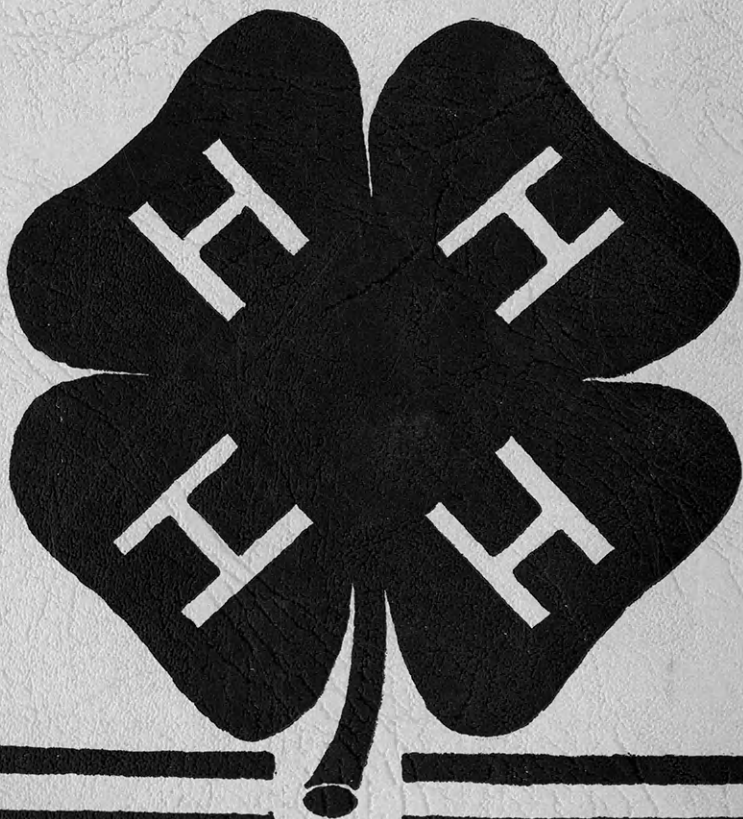


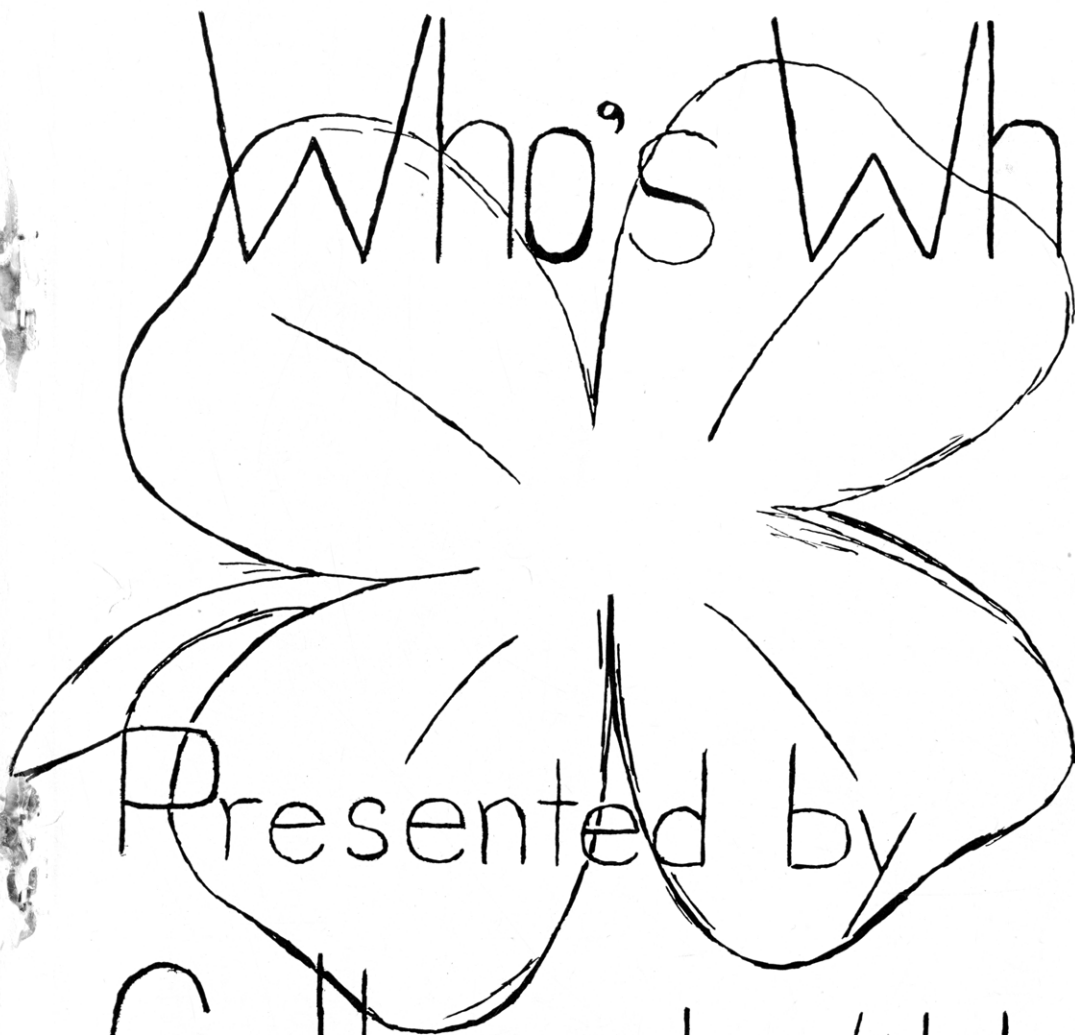


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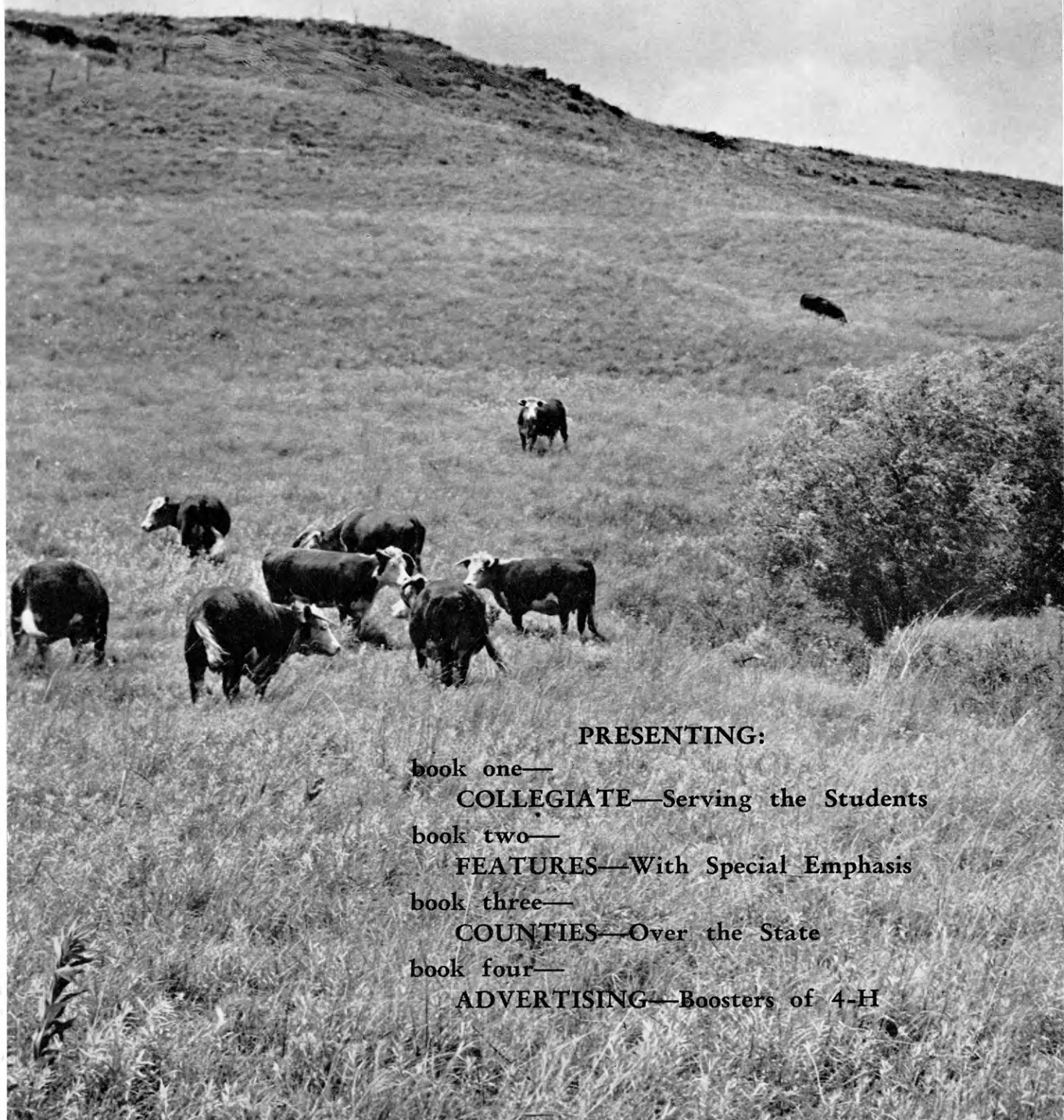
“4-H—an investment in the future”

The fundamental purpose of the 4-H Club program is to train young men and women in rural communities to become better farmers, better home-makers, and better citizens. It gives farm boys and girls the opportunity and means to develop their talents and ability to the utmost not only for their benefit but for the advancement of the nation as a whole.

It is primarily a rural activity but its influence is felt in every part of the country including our great cities, because many of our farm boys and girls do not stay on the farm. They go into other walks of life and furnish much of the leadership in business, government, education, the professions, and other important fields of activity.

If there are those who have fears for the future of our nation and the world, I recommend a study of the 4-H Club movement. It represents the best in the field of youth activities. It is a well rounded program which recognizes the moral and spiritual, as well as the economic and practical aspects of life. The effort and money which go into the development of 4-H Clubs constitute an investment in the future of America and the world.

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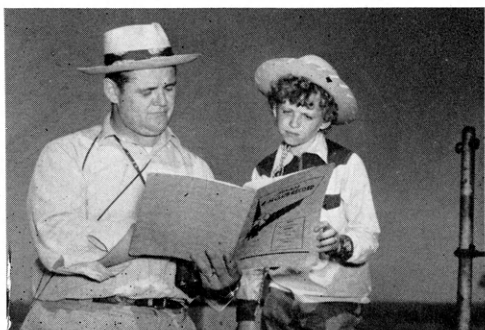
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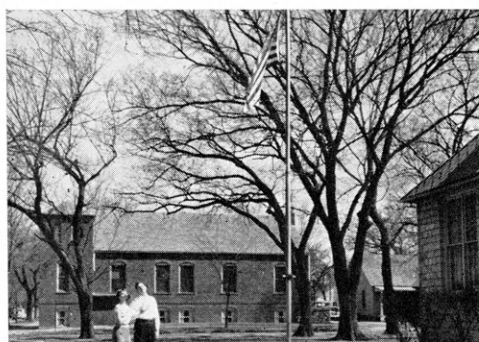
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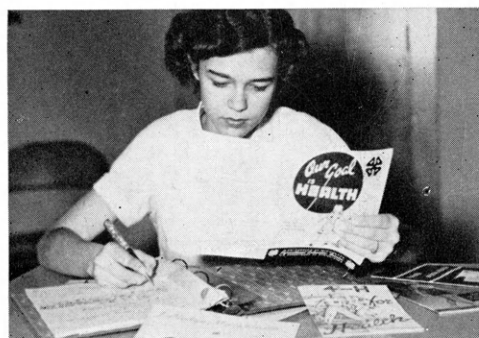
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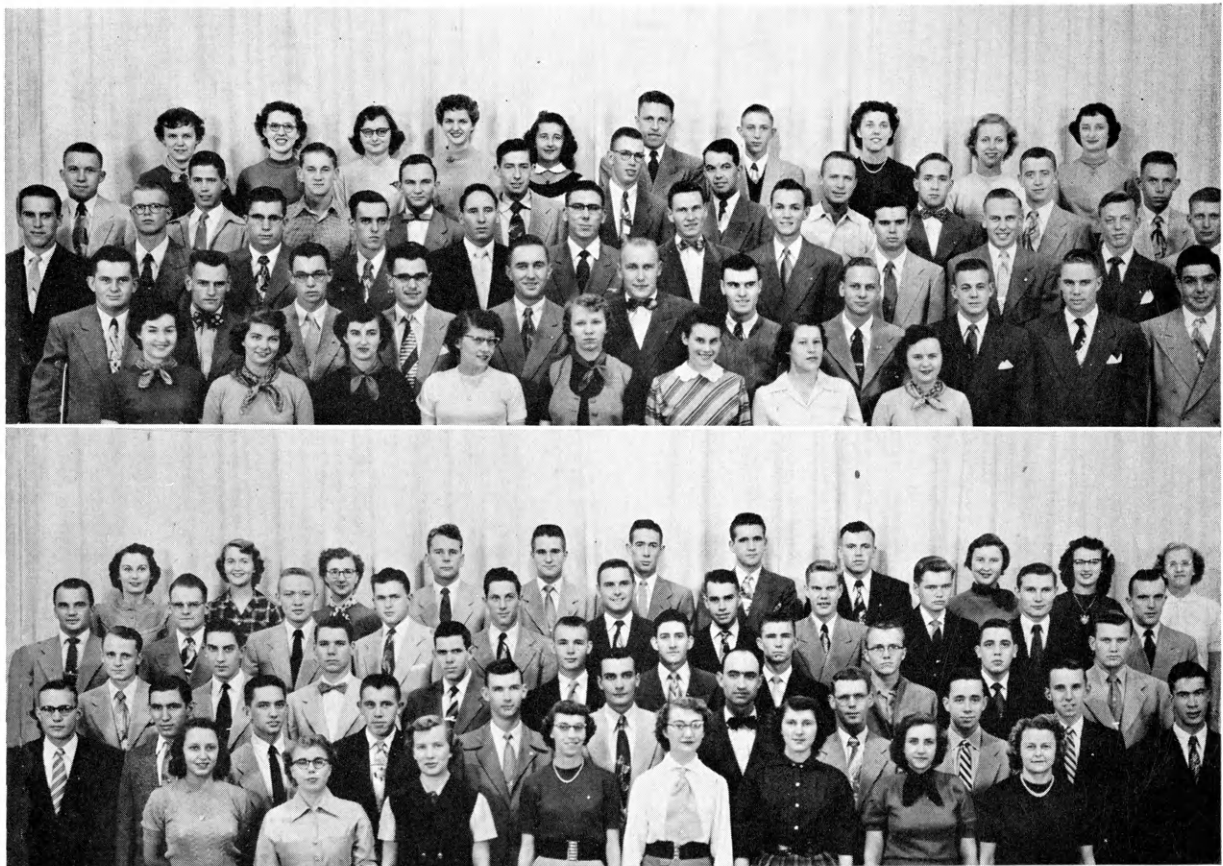
Collegiate 4-H'ers

Work and Play at KSC

Twenty-six candles now brightly burn on the Collegiate 4-H Club's birthday cake. Born on the Kansas State College campus with a total membership of sixty, the Club has been growing until it is now hailed as the largest service organization on "The Hill" (K-State language referring to the campus). Membership at one time hit a record high of 600.

Though membership is limited to former 4-H'ers, associate membership is extended to

other students who display an active interest in 4-H Club work. Socially speaking Collegiate members look forward to the fall dinner-dance and then enter the spring whirl with another formal dance. A Christmas party, the radio program, mixers, a picnic at Rock Springs Ranch and helping at Round-up are but a few of the Collegiate 4-H activities and services. J. Harold Johnson is faculty sponsor for the club.



Back row—Sims, Eads, Malir, Teed, Butzback, Tubach, Reinert, L. Oltjen, Stacy, Gee. *Fourth row*—Dickson, M. Drake, Bunyon, Beneda, Bennett, B. Wille, Harris, Gramly, Bitter, Daniels, Wallace. *Third row*—Tharp, O. Wille, Kratochvil, D. Sweat, Quint, Peters, Phillips, Heath, Stafford, Ruckman, Burre, Aire. *Second row*—Bird, F. Sweat, Ungerer, Lynch, Wingert, Deschner, Boughton, E. Johnson, Waite, Perkins, Murphey. *Front row*—B. Hofman, Melia, Todd, Hess, Perkins, Hyde, Balthrop, Buffington.

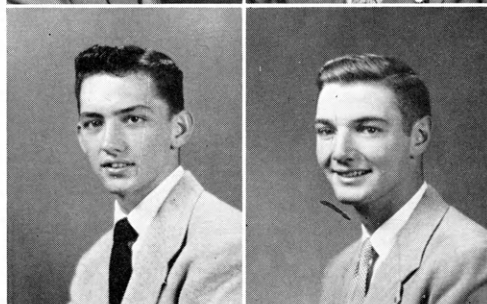
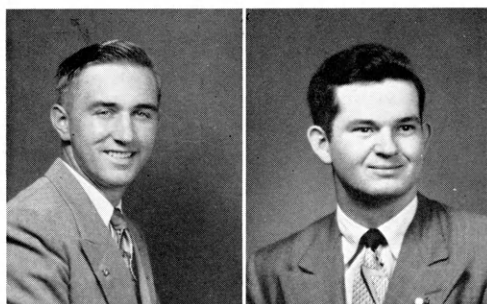
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Graduating 4-H Seniors

Honored for Service

Strictly a "slave for labor" KEITH BOLLER, former Harvey county 4-H'er, has done the Collegiate jobs that take hours of work yet yield little credit. Take for instance the year he was projects committee chairman, when he talked to dozens of people on the campus in an effort to select a service project for Collegiate 4-H. After much consideration the Club decided to sponsor the Blood Drive so Keith took over as chairman of the drive. He has served as chairman of the Who's Who selection committee and a membership salesman for Collegiate Club. Four years work on the Who's Whoot can also be chalked up to his record. He is county page editor this year. "I've enjoyed the way that Collegiate 4-H unifies the rural youth on our College campus," Keith recently said.

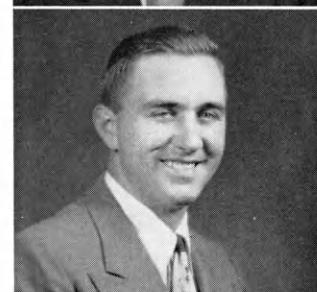
Associate county club agent in Sedgwick county, EVELYN HABERMAN, a January graduate, was Collegiate club president in the spring of '51. Formerly a Barton county 4-H'er, Evelyn's college career was postponed for a semester when she spent the summer months in the Netherlands as a member of the International Farm Youth Exchange. However, this did not hinder her service to Collegiate 4-H. She acted as club song leader as well as helping with the recreation program. Committees that claimed part of her time were the dinner-dance, box supper, picnic, and nominating committees. She also helped the radio group, usually assisting with the music on special features. "What I've enjoyed most in Collegiate 4-H," Evelyn says, "could be summed up in the word fellowship, or meeting with boys and girls with the same background."

"I'll never forget that day last spring when about half the Who's Whoot copy arrived ready to proof read and we had it on its way back to Capper's that afternoon. It was a mad rush that morning but that is typical when the book nears the printing deadline." This is journalistic LOIS OTTAWAY'S most remembered moment in Collegiate 4-H. A former Sedgwick county 4-H'er, she has done everything on the Who's Whoot from county representative to being editor, including acting as assistant editor as well as collegiate editor. Lois has not spent all her time with an editing pencil though because she judged at spring 4-H days, helped out on the radio program, and was club reporter. Acting as chairman of the spring formal and nominating committees also kept her busy.

International Farm Youth Exchange delegate IVAN SCHMEDEMANN sailed for Europe between his sophomore and junior years at Kansas State. A former Geary county 4-H'er, he spent three months abroad in 1950 visiting families and farms in Germany. Much of his time after he returned to the States was taken up with speaking engagements. However, the following fall semester dark-haired Ivan served Collegiate club as vice-president. Evidently, the Club members liked the programs he planned because he was elected president for the spring semester of '52. He also helped out on the radio program and various other Collegiate club committees. Another January graduate, Ivan is now working on an advanced degree in Agriculture.

Holding two of Collegiate 4-H's biggest and most responsible positions at the same time was GEORGE WINGERT, fall semester club president and Who's Whoot editor. He has also been vice-president, marshal, and corresponding secretary as well as advertising manager and county representative for the Who's Whoot. A former Franklin county 4-H'er, he has been on the constitution, fall formal, nominating, box supper, rural life, float, membership, and picnic committees. George cannot seem to pick out just one experience that he will remember longest from his Collegiate days but no doubt he will never forget winning the membership cup in 1952. Seems that the contest was nearing the end when he suddenly decided to start selling memberships. You guessed it—he ended up winning the cup for his efforts.

Seniors receiving honorable mention are Pauline Wood, Glenn David, Duane Traylor, and Kenneth Boughton.



Who's Whoot Staff

Members Work Hard

Loyal county representatives selected from the membership of Collegiate 4-H club each year are instrumental in making the Who's Whoot a success. 1953 was no exception. Precious vacation hours were spent contacting potential advertisers and working with the extension agents. Sacrificing many of their "free" hours to work in the office these K-Staters students were invaluable to the Who's Whoot staff.

The 1953 staff wishes to say a hearty "THANKS" to all who have contributed to publishing the 1953 Who's Whoot. Also we say "Thank you for the opportunity to present the 26th annual Who's Whoot."

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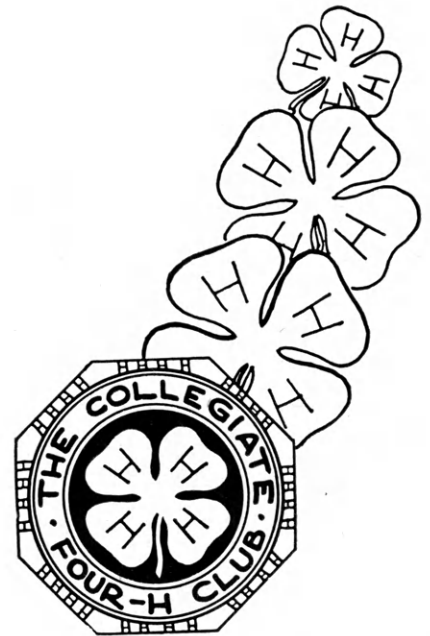
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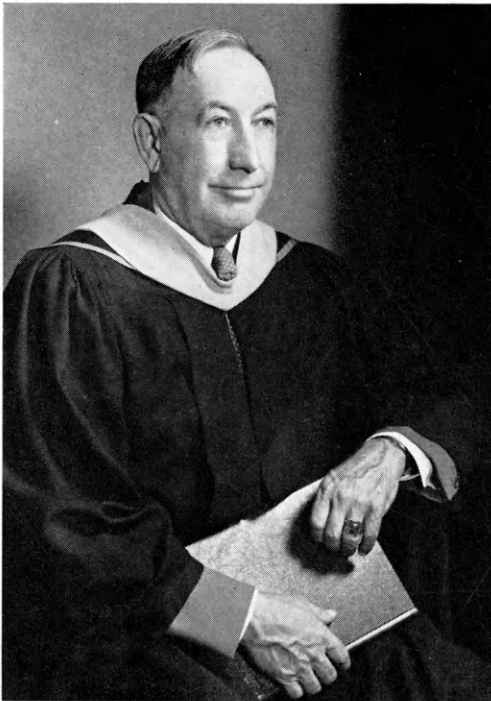
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Extension Service

Helps to Complete

The Extension Service, a definite part of the educational facilities of K-State, plays an important role which covers all phases of good living, security, education, health, and recreation. L. C. Williams, Dean of the Extension Division, also is director of the Agricultural Extension Service.

Around the year in all kinds of weather, county club agents, home demonstration agents, agricultural agents, and the state 4-H staff have given their time and effort to aid 4-H'ers in becoming better citizens and farm residents. Many times they unselfishly go out of their way to help 4-H'ers "learn to do by doing." Their efforts, often times taken for granted and given little credit, continue to guide 4-H'ers. Kansas club members owe a tremendous debt to the county extension agents and the state 4-H staff, headed by J. Harold Johnson, for their cooperation.



First row, left to right—James R. Childers, Sedgwick County; Paul Mayginnnes, Wyandotte County; William Willis, Ellsworth County; Merle Eyestone, Shawnee County; Evelyn Haberman, Sedgwick County; Talmage Engles, Neosho County; Frank Anderson, Russell County; and J. J. Feight, Atchison County.

Second row, left to right—Stanley Meinen, McPherson County; Harold Eversmeyer, Johnson County; Lloyd Wiseman, Marion County; Clifford Beckwith, Leavenworth County; Armin Samuelson, Harvey County; Richard Mason, Kingman County; Donald Hefley, Harper County.

Third row, left to right—Raymond Frye, Sumner County; Lowell Wickham, Allen County; Wayne Chambers, Ford County; William Swearingen, Pratt County; Floyd Ricker, Finney County; Joseph Turney, Labette County; and Donald Loyd, Crawford County.

Fourth row, left to right—Dale Watson, Rice County; Ralph Wittmeyer, Reno County; Richard Winger, Saline County; Thurman Wren, Cherokee County; Roger Hecht, Miami County; and Floyd Bacon, Butler County.

Fifth row, left to right—Forrest Smith, Barton County; William VanSlike, Clay County; Lawrence Cox, Dickinson County; Kenneth Visser, Marshall County; and Richard Jameson, Franklin County.

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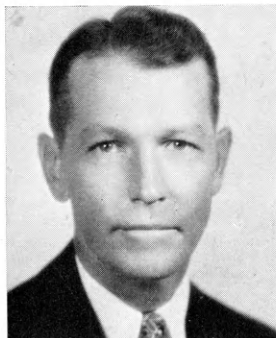
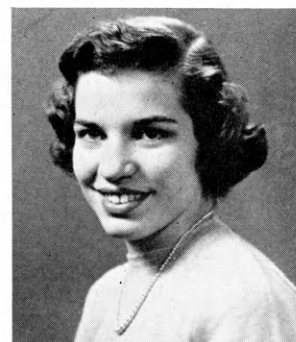
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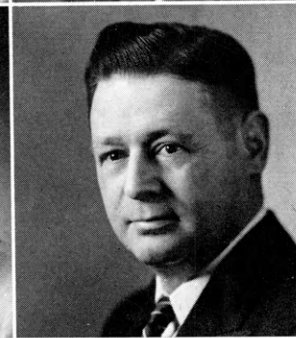
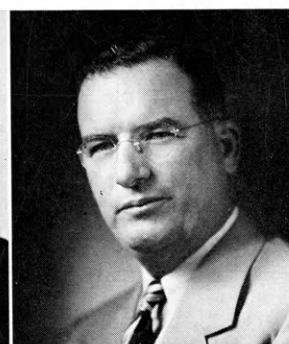
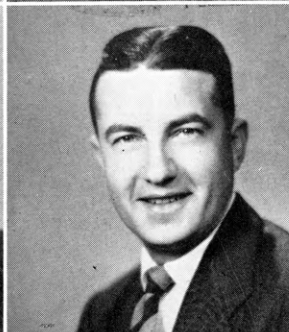
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Picturing

The K-State Collegiate

1. Ready to start—the annual fall formal.
2. Don Esslinger leads group singing at the fall formal.
3. Secretary Knoche reads the minutes while president Wingert looks over his notes.
4. Club members prepare for one of the weekly radio programs.
5. Pre-meeting dancing takes place before the club business session.



4-H Club in Action

1. Joan Shaver tells Collegiate members some of her experiences in Ireland.
2. Newly initiated Who's Who members line up for a picture.
3. Members help themselves to refreshments at the Christmas party.
4. IFYE delegates show slides of their tour abroad.
5. Guests and interviewers gather around the mike to send the voice of Collegiate 4-H out over the airways.
6. President Bird and secretary Murphy lead members in the 4-H Club pledge.
7. Eleanor George proudly accepts the 1952 membership cup from George Wingert, 1951 cup winner.



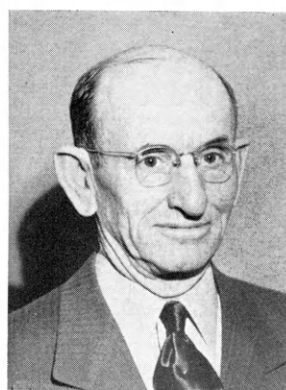
Kansas 4-H Club Foundation



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The Kansas 4-H Foundation, Incorporated, was established in 1952 by a group of public-spirited men and women desiring to assist in expanding the 4-H Club program in the State. The Kansas Committee on 4-H Club Work took the initiative in establishing the Foundation and were named advisory to the Foundation Board of Trustees. The above were selected as officers along with the following members of the Board of Trustees:

Chairman—W. Dale Critser, Vice-president, Fourth National Bank, Wichita

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J. Harold Johnson, State 4-H Club Leader, Kansas State College, Manhattan

The 4-H Club organization is an entirely voluntary educational program. There are over 150,000 potential 4-H Club boys and girls in Kansas. The peak enrollment is the present year with just over 30,000. The Foundation is anxious to bring a larger percent of this potential group under the influence of 4-H Club training.

The problem of securing the necessary personnel, facilities, and materials to build a 4-H program to reach additional youth has been accepted by the Foundation as a challenge.

The aim of the Foundation is to serve 4-H youth in cooperation with the Kansas Extension Service, supporting educational projects and activities by providing opportunities for a higher education and development of leadership and citizenship qualities. This will be accomplished by aiding with the selection, training, and recognition of the local volunteer leaders; encouraging more boys and girls to become 4-H members, providing scholarships, educational trips, and awards as incentives for a longer period of 4-H training for each member; assisting and encouraging parents in their desire to give the greatest educational advantages to their children through 4-H Club work; helping provide facilities—club buildings, camps, training centers, and educational equipment; and assisting with the International Farm Youth Exchange Program.

WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS



Round-up Time at KSC

Each year 4-H'ers from all over the state look forward to attending Round-up on the Kansas State College campus at Manhattan. Guided tours, recreation, varied classes and a trip to Rock Springs Ranch keep club members busy during the early summer weeks. Twelve hundred Kansas boys and girls participate in Round-up.



1. Special recognition. 2. Chow time. 3. Picture time. 4. Tour time. 5. IFYE Reunion time.

Washington Trip Winners

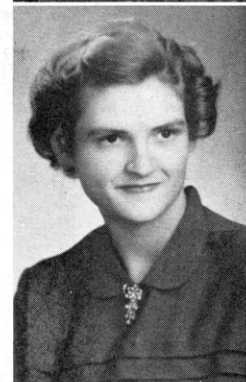
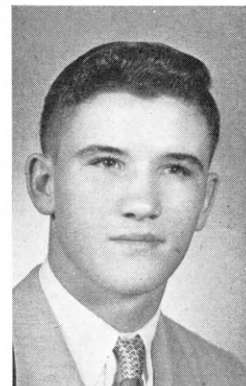
A top honor for 4-H'ers is a trip to the National 4-H Camp at Washington, D. C. Each year four of the state's top-notch 4-H members are chosen as delegates to the Camp.

JACK SEXTON of Dickinson County has completed his ninth year in club work. An outstanding member of an outstanding club (100% record book completion for 22 years!) Jack has carried a total of 32 projects, including lamb, dairy, chicken, potatoes, garden, wheat, swine, beef, and junior leadership. He has been president of the Harmony Hustlers Club for three years and president of the county council one year.

An eighteen-year-old Sherman County club member, LUANNE HICKS, was chosen as delegate to the National 4-H Camp after ten years of club membership. Luanne, an active member of the Llanos 4-H Club, was state leadership champion in 1952. She is a Who's Who member and has represented Sherman County at the state style revue at the Hutchinson State Fair.

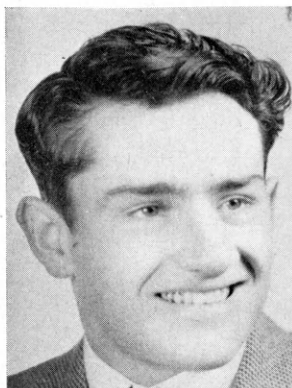
RUTH STINSON, a nine-year-old club member from Ottawa County, has completed 45 projects and held every office in her local Jayhawk Club. Ruth won the county award for leadership for three years and was a state award winner in frozen foods. She has kept excellent records of her projects in sheep, dairy, clothing, food preservation, food preparation, meal service, room improvement and leadership.

TOM SHINN, Ninnescah Valley 4-H Club member from Sedgwick County, has the outstanding record of having completed 75 projects during his club work. No wonder he was chosen project achievement champion in boys work! Tom has entered six judging contests, three health activities and 14 livestock showmanship contests. County championships held by this Sedgwick County club member include beef, four years; poultry, corn, and all-around livestock, two years.



Jack Sexton
Luanne Hicks
Ruth Stinson
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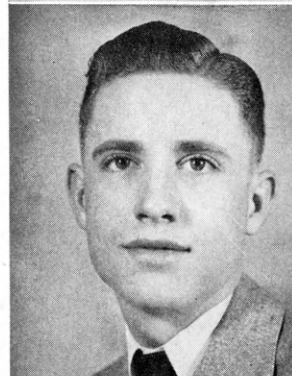
Kansans Visit Jackson's Mill West Virginia



Each year four outstanding 4-H'ers are chosen to represent Kansas at the West Virginia State 4-H Camp. The delegates are chosen on the basis of promotional and leadership activities. Most of the delegates are junior leaders, past club officers, and project and activity champions who are awarded the air trip to Jackson's Mill, West Virginia.



JACK BRINK of Coffey County has been a member of the Jolly Go Getters and the Best Yet 4-H Clubs. He has carried beef, swine, grain and junior leadership as his projects. While a member of the Best Yet Club he was president, vice-president and parliamentarian. He has also been president and vice-president of the county council and president and vice-president of the junior leadership club. This year he was a state promotional winner.



Pratt County 4-H'er ELAINE LUNT is a member of the Richland Rustlers. Elaine has been outstanding in junior leadership work and has been county champion in foods, public speaking, health, demonstrations, and room improvement. She has completed 40 projects which include clothing, food preparation, sheep, dairy, room improvement, poultry, meal service, food preservation and three years of junior leadership.

GARY J. NEILAN, a member of the Plumb Creek Boosters 4-H Club in Cheyenne County, has been in club work seven years. Gary has been active in promotional activity, music, safety, conservation, demonstrations, best groomed boy contest, and has been a blue ribbon state reporter in the news writing contest. He has served as president, secretary and reporter for his club, and president of the county council.



A member of the Good Luck 4-H Club of McPherson County is ULA MAE MURREY. She has been in club work eight years and has completed projects in clothing, foods, swine and beef. She has been president, vice-president, song leader and council member for her club. Ula Mae was state reserve style revue winner this year and state promotional talk winner last year.

Kansas 4-H'ers Visit Chicago During Thirty-First Congress

The Kansas delegates to the National 4-H Club Congress paid special tribute to Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Jellison who accompanied them on the trip. The Jellisons have given their whole-hearted support to 4-H'ers and Mr. Jellison was instrumental in the Rock Springs Ranch development.

The delegates were impressed by the lavish entertainment given them by various companies. Among the entertainers were Wayne King and his orchestra, J. P. Schmidt who conducted a panel, and Dr. Kenneth Hildebrand of the Central Church of Chicago who conducted the Sunday morning services. During the week the entire Congress delegation visited the International Livestock Exposition.

It was a week of big events and new experiences but what the Kansas delegates were most impressed with was the challenge the program presented to them to continue their 4-H Club leadership and put into practice the ideas gained at the 31st National 4-H Club Congress.



KANSAS CLUB CONGRESS DELEGATION—*First row*—Mary Elsie Border, Joyce Holdsworth, Mildred Hundley, Marjorie Smerchek, Joan Brown, Christy Crawford, Elaine Olson, Glenn Busset. *Second row*—J. Harold Johnson, Isabel Dodrill, Lois Ann Batdorf, Wanda Deperschmidt, Vera Banman, Jean Sims, Donna Jean Bloomberg. *Third row*—Harold Shankland, Mrs. A. D. Jellison, Helen Sterling, Marguerite Jahnke, Catherine Cain, Anna Lee Nickel, Gary Neilan, Bill Tharpe. *Fourth row*—A. D. Jellison, H. Couchman, L. Thiele, Bill Worcester, Loris Luginsland, G. Hurst, Harold Garner, L. Phillips, Arlyn Peterson. *Back row*—Ralph Waite, Warren Keltz, Keith Swenson. *Not pictured*—Darrell Keener.

National Honors For

Talent

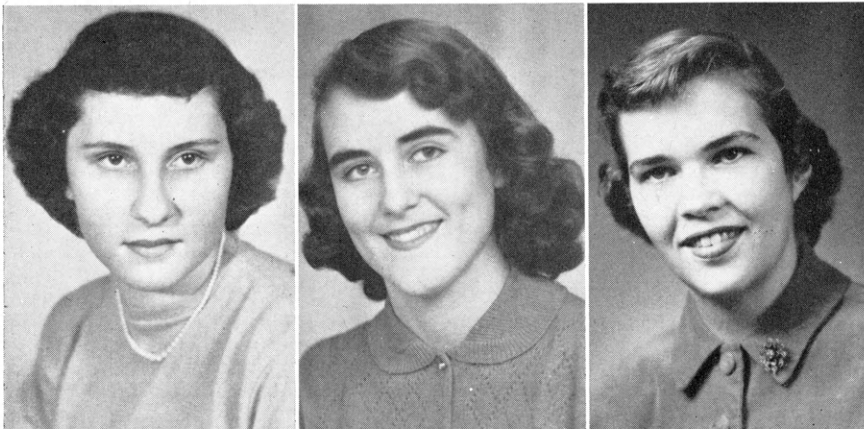
Winners



The Hering brothers, young tap dancers from Garden City in Finney County, danced their way to a trip to National Club Congress and national recognition this year.

While at Chicago, as guests of the United States Rubber Company, the two boys competed with activities winners from all over the nation and were among the top six in the talent division. The brothers, Gary and Bobby, have been dancing since they were very young. Their attractive smiles and enthusiastic personalities helped win this honor for Kansas 4-H work.

The Garden City youngsters are active in community affairs as well as their 4-H Club work.



Donna Jean Bloomberg
Catherine Cain
Anna Lee Nickel

Kansas 4-H'ers

Nine Kansas 4-H Club members were given highest honors when they were named national champions in their respective programs. They were feted at the Club Congress in Chicago and welcomed back to Kansas as true national champions!



JOYCE HOLDSWORTH, Dickinson County, received national honors for outstanding work in recreation and rural arts. She is a 7-year clubber and participates in 4-H band, dramatics, and is an able song leader.

National clothing achievement award at Chicago was the accomplishment of MILDRED HUNDLEY from Atchison County. Mildred's pet project is the family clothing plan, through which she made three corduroy jackets for her brothers and helped her 10-year-old sister plan her wardrobe.

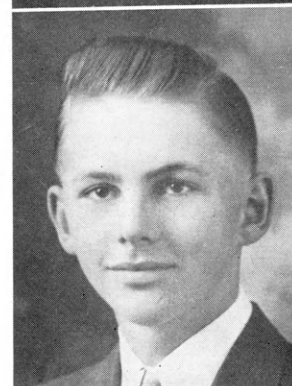
GARY GRIFFITHS, Clay County, won the Citizenship state championship to pave his way to National Championship honors. Gary, 17 years old, was a good-will ambassador to Canada recently, after winning in the Operation Good-will contest.

National winner in Community Relations, GARY NEILAN, Cheyenne County, has been active in promotional work during his seven years of club work. Gary has served as president, secretary and reporter for his club.

DONNA JEAN BLOOMBERG, from McPherson County, received national recognition for her work in Home Grounds Beautification. A member of the Smoky Valley 4-H Club, Donna Jean is also a two-year achievement pin winner.

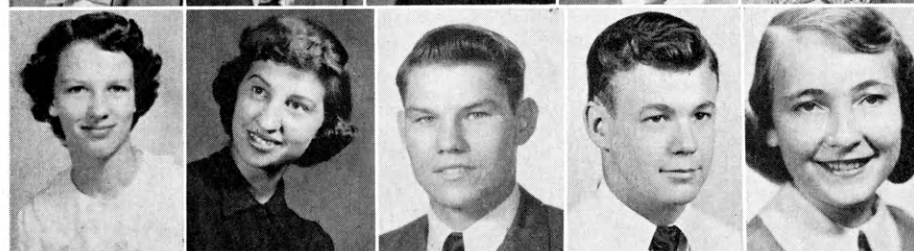
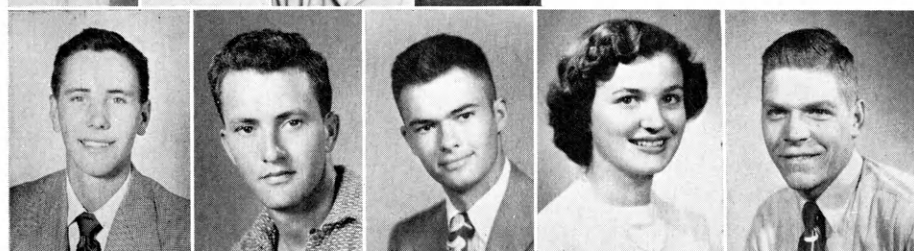
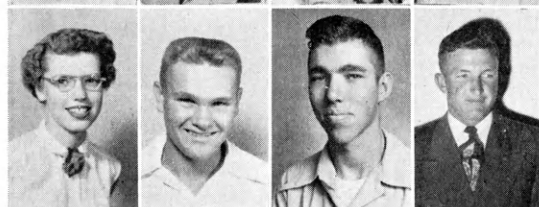
Hailing from Rush County, CATHERINE CAIN topped her 1952 4-H Club work by achieving national recognition for outstanding Girls Record. Previous awards include state Who's Who recognition and General Home Economics award in Rush County.

ANNA LEE NICKEL, of Marion County, was Home Improvement award winner at Club Congress in '52. Anna Lee likes 4-H home improvement work so well she intends to make interior decoration her career. Helping paper and redecorate her grandmother's house helped her win the high honor.



Joyce Holdsworth
Mildred Hundley
Gary Griffiths
Gary Neilan

Kansas State 4-H Champions



Chester Peterson—Saline
Legumes & Grasses

Lester Phillips—Labette
Garden

Robert Lebew—Brown
Soil Conservation, Div. B

Naomi Stadel—Pratt
Citizenship

Helen Sterling—McPherson
Health

Darrell Keener—Barton
Tractor Maintenance

Jimmie Chambers—Franklin
Potato & Garden

Tom Shinn—Sedgwick
Achievement

Fred Cox—Saline
Meat Animal

Ernie Trostle—Kingman
Soil Conservation, Div. A

Loris Luginsland—Lyon
Sheep

Elaine Lunt—Pratt
Promotional

Gary Lee Jensen—Lyon
Sorghum

Keith Swenson—Clay
Farm & Home Electric

Bill Tharp—Cowley
Poultry

Vera Banman—Nemaha
Dress Revue

Warren Keltz—Montgomery
Swine

Arlos Rusk—Sumner
Leadership

Marguerite Jahnke—Geary
Food Preparation

Marjorie Smerchek—Shawnee
Safety

Don Kozisek—Ellsworth
Wheat

Ralph Waite—Cowley
Best Groomed Boy

Janice Miller—Geary
Achievement

Luanne Hicks—Sherman
Leadership

Beth Shafer—Shawnee
Frozen Foods

Harold Couchman—Pawnee
Dairy

Marcia Bishop—Sedgwick
Better Grooming

Lois Ann Batdorf—Franklin
Canning

Merlin Worcester—Graham
General Crops

Elaine Olson—Morris
Beef

Jack Brink—Coffey
Promotional

Elizabeth Ernsting—Barton
Community Relations

Roger Wilson—Morris
Corn

Scholarship Award Winners



WIBW SCHOLARSHIP

Roger Wilson—Morris

Janice Miller—Geary

ROGER WILSON, Morris County club member of six years, has completed 34 projects in club work. During this time he has held every club office in the Council Oak 4-H Club. Roger's service has been to the entire community, for he helped organize a local service club. He also helped start a new 4-H Clubs in Morris County.

Ten years in club work at the age of seventeen is the record of JANICE MILLER from Geary County. Janice started out as an associate club member at the age of seven. Janet's fair exhibits total 125 at local shows and 96 at state fairs.

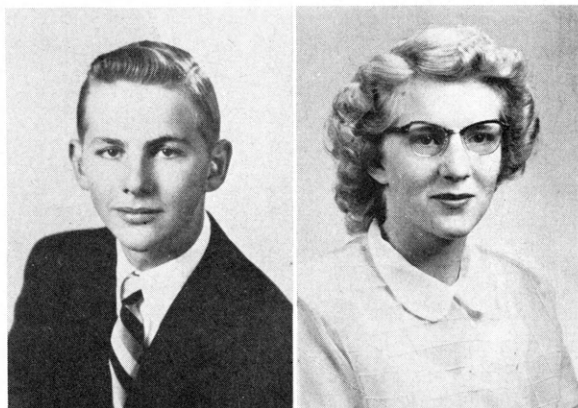
GARY GRIFFITHS from Clay County was a Capper Scholarship winner this year. Gary is a six-year member of the Washington Headliners Club. Promotional activities have been a chief interest of his and he says "Since our community forms the first small group of government, in my own 4-H Club I began to learn first steps in good citizenship."

MARJORIE GIGOT, Finney County club member, is an eight-year clubber. She has served as president, vice-president, treasurer, and reporter of her Wide-Awake Club. Junior leaders of this club, including Marjorie, sponsor a community evening of recreation each month in the community building, a converted barracks building.

CAPPER'S SCHOLARSHIP

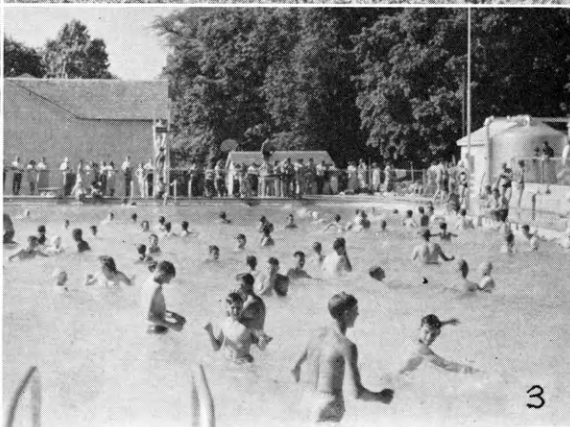
Gary Griffiths—Clay

Marjorie Gigot—Finney



State 4-H Camp

Rock Springs Ranch is the favorite camp site for 4-H'ers from all over Kansas. Located near Junction City, the camp provides facilities for swimming, horseback riding, hiking, handicraft classes and many other recreational and educational activities. The Ranch is used by church groups and other organizations when 4-H'ers are not there for health, junior leadership, conservation, music, and county camps.



1. Hittin' the trail. 2. The Colors ride. 3. Cooling off. 4. Come and get it! 5. Just thinking.

4-H'ers to Camp Miniwanca

Six scholarships are awarded to Kansas boys and girls each year to Camp Miniwanca. Camp Miniwanca is a leadership training camp near Shelby, Michigan. The scholarships are awarded for outstanding 4-H records and achievement in school, church, and community activities. The three boys and three girls chosen to represent Kansas at this American Youth Foundation camp attend a two-weeks camp of balanced leadership development—physical, social, mental, and religious.

LYNN BARTLETT, a 4-H clubber from Holton, Kansas, in Jackson County, has a very outstanding record of achievement, having completed projects in poultry, livestock, crops, garden, plus junior leadership. He has been an officer of his club several years and has been a member of the livestock judging team at the District Livestock Show.

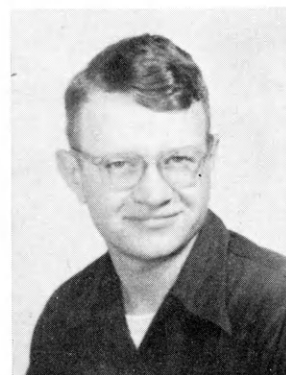
Doniphan County promotional talk winner, ROSEMARY GLADHART, has been in 4-H work nine years. During that time she has completed projects in livestock, clothing, foods, and home improvement. Rosemary has been an active member and officer of her club as well as the county council. Her home is at Highland, Kansas.

GENE BALL, a 5-year-old member of Hodgeman County, has been very outstanding in 4-H as well as community and school activities. Gene has had the offices of president, vice president, secretary-treasurer and recreation leader of his club. His list of projects includes lambs, wheat, maize, and potatoes. Hanston, Kansas, is Gene's home.

MAR JEAN OLSON, a member of the Mont Rose 4-H Club in Trego County, has an outstanding record of project achievement. Her projects have included home freezing, serving breakfast, helping with supper, complete costume, textile painting and junior leadership plus several others. Mar Jean has held several offices in her club and the county council.

Among the outstanding achievements of MARK DRAKE of Cowley County was his participation in the champion livestock judging team of 1951. Mark is a member of the Floral 4-H Club and has been an outstanding swine exhibitor. His other activities and projects have included beef, lambs, poultry, demonstrations, orchestra, sports, judging and tractor maintenance.

MARJORIE GIGOT, of Garden City in Finney County, has been an 8-year member of the Wide-Awake 4-H Club. She has completed a total of 46 projects, including home improvement, clothing, foods, livestock and crops. Marjorie is outstanding in leadership as well as project achievement. Her list of county championships include dairy, beef, general livestock and achievement.

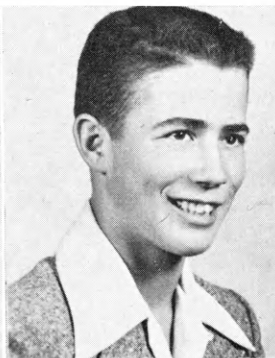


Lynn Bartlett
Rosemary Gladhart
Gene Ball

MarJean Olson

Mark Drake

Marjorie Gigot



Kansas Key Award Winners



The Who's Who Club is provided as a means of interesting older 4-H members in remaining active in club work. The requirements for membership are a challenge to each club member, a measuring stick for his talents and efforts. The Who's Who Club provides an ideal means of recognizing older youth by giving them desirable social contacts in 4-H beyond the local club, and within their own age group. It offers opportunity for service to the county and state 4-H program.

Certificates of Honor and the Gold Key Award will be presented to those selected for membership in the recognition program conducted by Kansas Extension Service in cooperation with Cities Service Oil Company, donor of the awards.



VERA JANE CASSITY
 ALLEN BALL
 JOE HART
 ROVILLA ELLISS
Anderson
 SHIRLEY HUNDLEY
 GILMORE DAHL
 MARIETTA GILKISON
 DARLENE GILL
 LEONARD MILLER
 SCOTTY HALL
 JIM SCHESSER
 JIM HUNDLEY
Atchison
 JEAN MOLZ
 BILL ROOT
 BARBARA AUBLEY

Barber
 IRENE HOLLINGSWORTH
 LEON LYELL
Bourbon

MARGIE STOVER
 ANNAMARY DAVIES
 JOYCE PULTS
 BOB SUNDERMAN
 JERRY SHANNON
 SANDRA MOYER
Brown

BEVERLY SNODGRASS
 MARTHA LUCAS
Butler

EDNA CHRISTIANSEN
Cherokee
 JANE MILLS
 JANICE MANSON
Cheyenne

JEAN LARSON
 BETTY BIRCH
 ROSA LEE URBAN
 MYRNA HORN
 KEITH BURT
Cloud

MEREDITH BRINK
 LOIS ANN KIMBERLIN
 GAYLE SMITH
 JO ANN INGWERSON
 ADELE HOLMES
Coffey

VONNIE BUSBOOM
LOIS JEAN SCHICK
RAY KIMBERLIN
MERRIDITH ELAINE FUNDIS

Coffey

IDA JEAN RUSH
RALPH WAITE
VIRGINIA VERNON

Cowley

DONELLE GAUMER
RANDALL AMACK
NANCY JOHNSON

Decatur

MARY JANE PYKE
NADINE CORRELL
KAY WESTRUP
BETTY STEFFEN

Dickinson

VERNON LEWIS
BERYL SMITH
ANN FOLSCH
ROSEMARY GLADHART
LILLIE SMITH
ELIZABETH WARREN

Doniphan

RITA TRANSMEIER
MERLE SCHNECK
MARY KALB

Douglas

LEONA REHMERT
DONALD ELSON
JUDITH COPP
LIANNE MILLER

Edwards

NELLA BRYAN
JERRY HUBBELL
JUANITA ESCH

Elk

CLIFFORD MAYO

Finney

RAYMOND SNYDER
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BARBARA ZINK

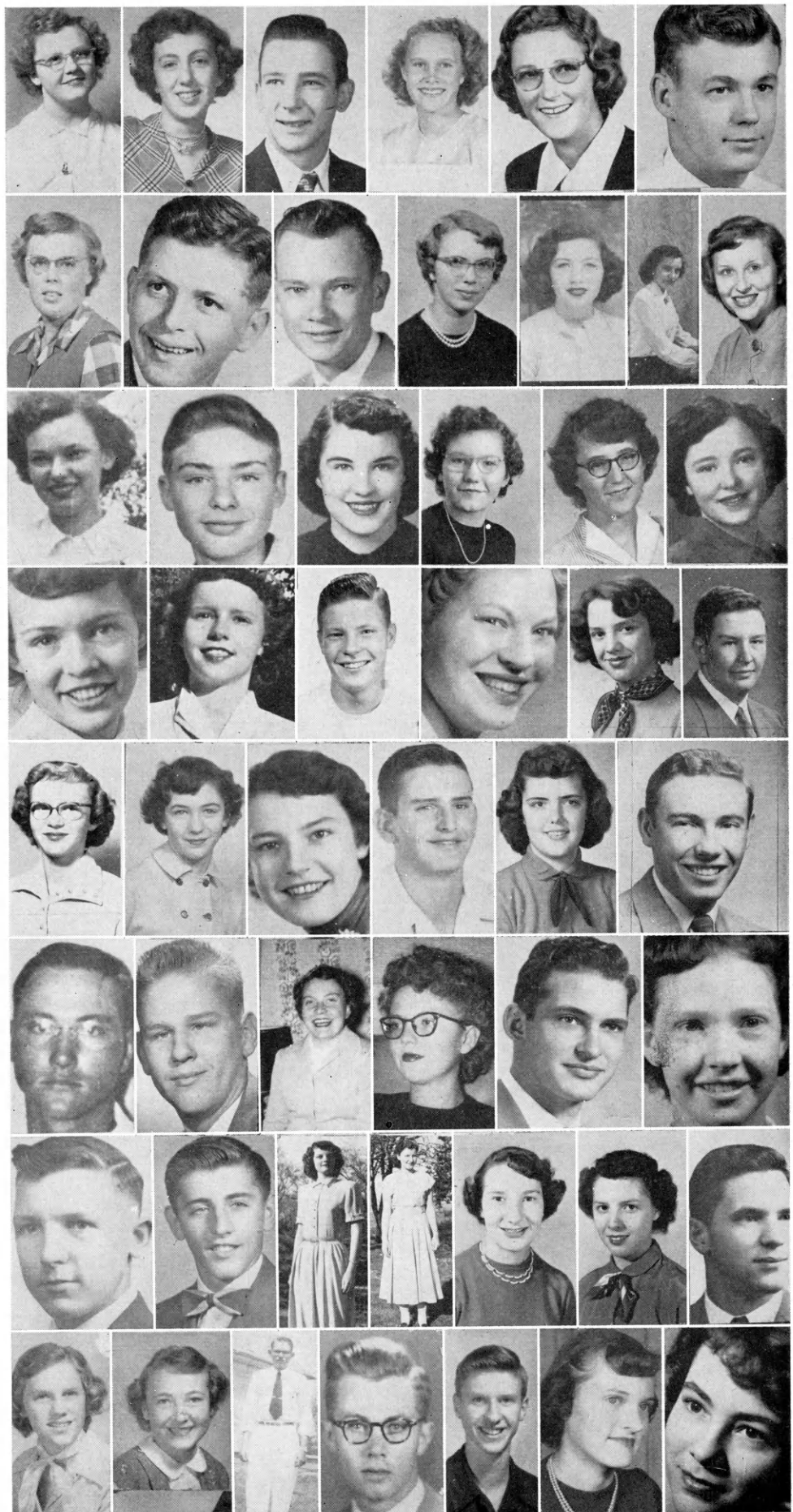
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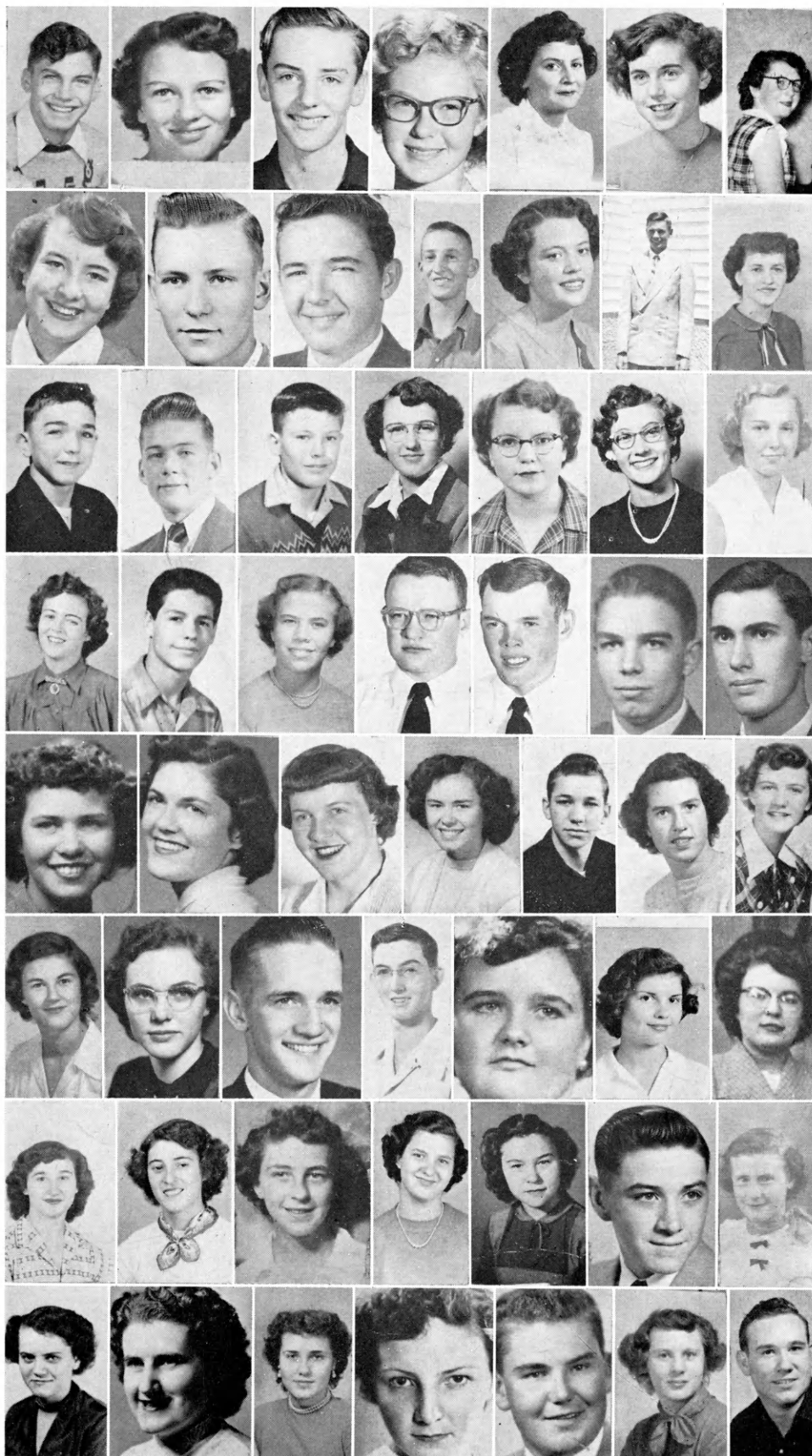
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BETTY REICHARD
RAY CAREY
RICHARD NEAL
EVELYN BONES
LOIS ANN BATDORF
MARY COUGHENOUR
MARGIE MURPHY
JOHN GADDIS

Franklin

WANDA FACKLAM
JANICE MILLER
JOHN FERGUSON
BRUCE COLLINS
ELDON STEINFORT
SHIRLEY HARRIS
DOROTHY WAHLE

Geary





DALE HARTUNG
MARGUERITE JAHNKE
Geary

BOYD TUTTLE
NORMA BOLLINGER
Gove

MARJORIE SCHMUTZ
JOYCE SIMMONS
SHIRLEY CARSON
MARY MAHAR
Greenwood

RONALD SQUIRE
Hamilton

ELDON CRENSHAW
KENT POLLOCK
JOYCE FRANCIS
Harper

LAWRENCE VOTH
JOYCE DEE MCCLURE
Harvey

CHARLES MEADE
GENE BALL
LYLE SALMONS
BARBARA BOND
SHIRLEY FEHRENBACH
FRANCES BAILEY
Hodgeman

JEAN KRUGER
WANDA SALTS
KEITH GILLILAND
SALLY JO NEWMAN
LYNN BARTLETT
CLARENCE PLANTS
DEAN NEWMAN
RICHARD TUDOR
ALMA KLAHR
MARIAN HAAG
MARY GILLILAND
Jackson

SUE JEAN ROBERTSON
Harvey
JAMES LEWELLING
MARY ZELLER
Jackson
JANIE HASKIN
CAROLYN SUE FIELDS
Johnson

NORENE CLAYTON
SCOTT HARDESTY
Kingman

LESTER PHILLIPS
Labette

DORIS ALLEN
Kingman

LINA OWEN
BETTY TILLOTSON
Lane

MARGARET DODD
JUNE FREEMAN
MARY KEESLAR
DOLORES RAWLINGS
MARY JAUERNIG
EDMOND THEIS
Leavenworth

BARBARA CARSON
GLENN BARTELS
KATHRYN NEWMAN
Linn

DOROTHY SMITH
WANDA DEPPERSCHMIDT
Logan

RONALD HUGHES
HELEN JACOB
CLARE PEARSON
Lyon

Key Award Winners

LEDA VERNON
LORIS LUGINSLAND
Lyon

RUTH WOHLGEMUTH
ARLENE SCHMIDT
Marion

PAT FOBES
ANITA FULHAGE
ILA HOBBIE
ELAINE WEISE
CAROLYN GUARD
Mitchell

ROBERT REES
JOE MARCHANT
EDWIN COTNER
RICHARD GARTNER
CARL HAMILTON
CAROL LOU GILLEN
PATSY RINGLE
PHYLLIS SWEARINGEN
DONNA SPRADLING
MARILYN McNELIS
MARCIALEE RINGLE
NANCY JO SMITH
Montgomery

GARY DALQUEST
ROGER WILSON
ZELLA HARMON
Morris

DONNA MATHEWSON
JANE KUCKELMAN
AURELLIA GROSE
CAROLE CORDON
RICHARD DAWDY
EDITH LANCASTER
Nemaha

PHYLLIS J. HINES
Neosho

KATHLEEN WILSON
Osage

WILDA STOCKBRIDGE
LARRY YOST
DELLA KREFT
DONNA MINEAR
DERYL CARSWELL
TREVIA WESTFALL
MAURITA PASCHAL
BARBARA KOEHLER
ARLEN BERRY
Osborne

GLORIA ALLEN
GAY DEWEY
Ottawa

EILEEN COUCHMAN
HAROLD COUCHMAN
PETER DAHLQUIST
LORRAINE COUCHMAN
RHONDA JOHNSON
LOUISE WILSON
JOANN HAUN
MILLCENT SCHULTZ
DONALD HAUN
BARBARA BEYE
Pawnee



Key Award Winners



JUANITA JARVIS
FRANCES KEETEN
MARJORIE CLAUDEL
KENNETH MORGAN
Phillips

DORIS RIAT
NANCY JACKSON
ROSALIE REZAC
Pottawatomie

NAOMI STADEL
Pratt

GLEN HURST
Reno

JACQUELINE JOHNSON
CAROL RASMUSSEN
ALLEN MILLEN
JOAN SKUPA
Republic

CURTIS BENNETT
CONNIE GRIFFIN
WENDELL GRIFFIN
JONETTA EDWARDS
DELMAR CONNER
Rice

JEAN GROVER
SHIRLEE HAZEN
ALAN ROELFS
ILENE DAVEY
FLOYD CLARK
Rooks

BETTY LOU GISICK
JOE JENNINGS
GAYNELLE KOCI
Rush

EDYTHE GOEDE
Rice

ANN ELIAS
CATHERINE CAIN
Rush

MARY STRECKER
DON BECKER
ARNOLD DUMLAR
Russell

EVELYN BLOMQUIST
TOM OLSON
DEAN BECKER
VIRGINIA DEVINISH
FRED COX
LINDA LATTIN
MARLYN OLSON
VERLEE PERRILL
DELORES LINDBLAD
Saline

JOANNE STEIN
LOIS ANN WOODS
JANET HULL
FAYE WOODS
JEAN PALMER
Sedgwick

GAIL RUDOLPH
Scott

DONNA TURNER
Sedgwick

Key Award Winners

VELMA BEAGLEY
JERRILEE HOTT
Sedgwick

MARTHA McREYNOLDS
Scott

JOHN BALTHROP
MARCIA BISHOP
DORIS GRADY
Sedgwick

CARL WHITE
Seward

LOIS FOOSHEE
Sedgwick

JANICE PREEDY
ELDON GUTTRIDGE
DALE KAPP
Seward

NANCY PERRY
MARJORIE SMERCHEK
Shawnee

LILA JEAN ROEDER
FLOYD KEMP
Sherman

GYRA CALDWELL
Smith

VIRGINIA TAYLOR
Stafford

JERRY EVANS
GLORIA HAMILTON
Sumner

MARJEAN OLSON
Trego

DARRELL KAHLE
Wabausnee

DEAN SIVEY
Wallace

ARLEN McIRVIN
MARY JO KIDD
EMMA LOOMIS
PAULETTE CAMPBELL
Wilson

JACK WESELOH
MARTHA WESELOH
SHIRLEY GEORGE
Woodson

JUDY SORTOR
Wyandotte



Key Award Winners

1952 Who's Who Initiates

These 4-H members were initiated previous to the installment of present key award plan. They received the Who's Who recognition pins for outstanding 4-H work.



LAVON ROBERTS
Allen
 JOAN TRIMMELL
Anderson
 GLENNA LAUDICK
Barton
 RAYMOND OLSON
 LEON SHANNON
Brown
 JOANNE COX
Chautauqua
 KATHLEEN KNAPP
 CAROL KRAUSE
 RANDALL SCHIF
Coffey
 IRENE LANDENBERGER
 GARY NEILAN
Cheyenne
 JOAN DAVID
 MARK DRAKE
 MARVIN KREPPS
 BARBARA LOWE
Cowley
 LOIS ANNE ERICKSON
Doniphan
 REX BANTZ
Elk
 BEN HANDLIN
 ROBERT C. MALIR, JR.
 PAT ROLFS
Ellsworth
 RUTH STINSON
Franklin
 EYVONNIE TUCKER
 JOHN HENSLEY
 LAVERN BOARDMAN
 MARY JANE MAHAR
 RAY LEE EBBERTS
 RONALD EBBERTS
Greenwood
 RONALD WEDEL
McPherson
 ALICE DEGENHART
 DWIGHT DUNHAM
 DONALD MOORE
Haskell
 NORENE CLAYTON
Kingman
 JEANINE ELLWOOD
 DARLENE NELSON
McPherson
 RICHARD HEDSTROM
 ARLYN PETERSON
Marshall
 HARRELL GUARD, JR.
Mitchell
 ELAINE BURNS
 JERRY THOMAS
Morris
 MARION HEIKEN
Rice
 CHARLES HELLER
 BARBARA ODGERS
Saline
 BEULAH GLEASEN
 ROBERT WHITE
Seward
 LUCILLE OTTAWAY
 ERNESTINE RATZLEFF
Sedgwick
 WANDA WARDEN
Seward
 MARILYN PENCE
Shawnee

Who's Who Initiates

DARRELL KEENER
Barton

BILL THARP
Cowley

HAROLD GOREUR
Greenwood

MARJORIE HARGITT
Gove

VIRGIL NORTON
Gove

DAVID REIDA
Harper

DOROTHY BAKER
Harper

BARBARA MILLS
Johnson

HELEN STERLING
McPherson

DICK DAVIS
Marion

ANNA LEE NICKEL
Marion

MARY C. GIBSON
Montgomery

BILL OLSEN
Morris

ELLEN FLOTTMAN
Neosho

GEORGE ATKENSON
Riley

KENNETH FOLKERTS
Rush

SALLY STAUFFER
Saline

MARY SIMPSON
Shawnee

TWILLA FORTNER
Wilson

ROY THOMAS
Wilson



4-H Fat Stock Show

Exhibitors and contestants at the 1952 4-H Fat Stock Show were housed in the hotels of Wichita. It was necessary to limit the number of beef, swine, and sheep in the Show, but the quality of exhibits was excellent and attracted many people who are interested in fine livestock.

For the first time in the Kansas 4-H program, the purple award group was selected in place of grand and reserve grand champions in each division. Six fat barrows, 5 fat lambs, and 4 baby beeves were placed in purple award groups and sold as such in the sale at the close of the Show. Exhibitors and purchasers of the livestock are shown below.



(Top picture) Exhibitors of purple award barrows were Robert Baker, Iola; Jeanie Reehling, Cottonwood Falls; Don Kater, Newton; Carl and Roberta Stuckey, Dodge City; and Ray Tracy, Harper. The barrows were purchased by the Cudahy Packing Company.



(Middle picture) Purple award lambs were exhibited by Earl Vanderhoff, Wichita; Kenneth Acre, Sharon Springs; Jim Withers, Wichita; Joyce Dee McClure, Walton; and Ronald Wedel, Moundridge. Carl Bell (standing) of Bell's Market purchased the 5 lambs.



(Bottom picture) Judy Olson, White City; Bob Farney, Kiowa; and Don Gilbert, Ashland, exhibited the purple award baby beeves. Murray Gill, Kansas Gas and Electric; Tommy Thompson, Al Greenemeyer, Lassen Hotel; Emmett Blood, Farm Bureau Insurance Company; and E. V. Reynolds, Innes Tea Room, purchased the calves.

Judging Team Champs

Judging, a very important phase of project work, requires many long hours of hard work. It is through the ability to judge that 4-H'ers learn what they want in each project as well as future aspects of life. Judging teams not pictured are Ray Schooley, Richard Reinhardt and Loy Reinhardt, crops judging team from Neosho County; Pat Ringle, Coleen Gibson and Nancy Smith, home improvement team from Montgomery County; Gaylord Post, Carl Hamilton, Edwin Cotner and Mary Gibson, dairy team from Montgomery County.

Judging teams pictured are: *Below:* Betty Childs, Yvonne Murphy, and Jacqueline Johnson, clothing judging team from Republic County. *Right:* Patty Owen, Janis Moore, and Joan Peters, foods judging team from Sherman County. *Below, right:* Warren Keltz, Bob Sanford, LeRoy Tremain, and Paul Baker, livestock judging team; and Don Wagner, Dorothy Denny, Robert Rees, and Edwin Cotner, poultry judging team from Montgomery County.



Rural Life Conference



1. After dinner speaker audience. 2. Directors at work. 3. A circle one-step in progress. 4. Conference speaker. 5. A square dance in action. 6. Jack Grier, IFYE delegate. 7. The Clap Hand Polka. 8. Irlene Rawlings, IFYE delegate.

Older youth, who graduate from 4-H Club work, find a place for themselves in the county Rural Life Association. This organization bridges the gap between 4-H and the adult extension program.

Meetings held once a month or more often, provide the opportunity for 18 to 30 year olds to get acquainted. They have a good time, talk over their problems and perform worthwhile services to their communities.

They go on rayrack rides, hold watermelon feeds, do-si-do at square dances, and dress up for formal parties.

They debate, discuss, and listen to speakers on problems of finance, community affairs, landscaping, personality development, citizenship, and many other subjects.

IFYE's Aid International Understanding

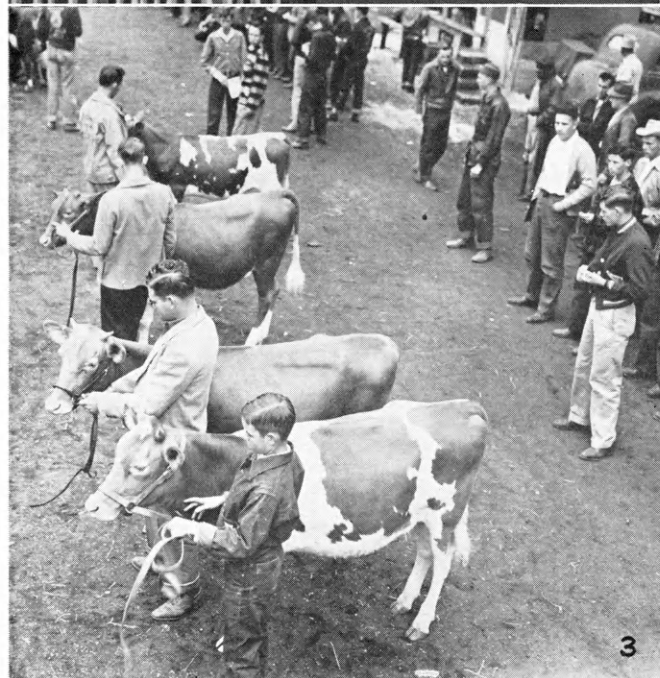
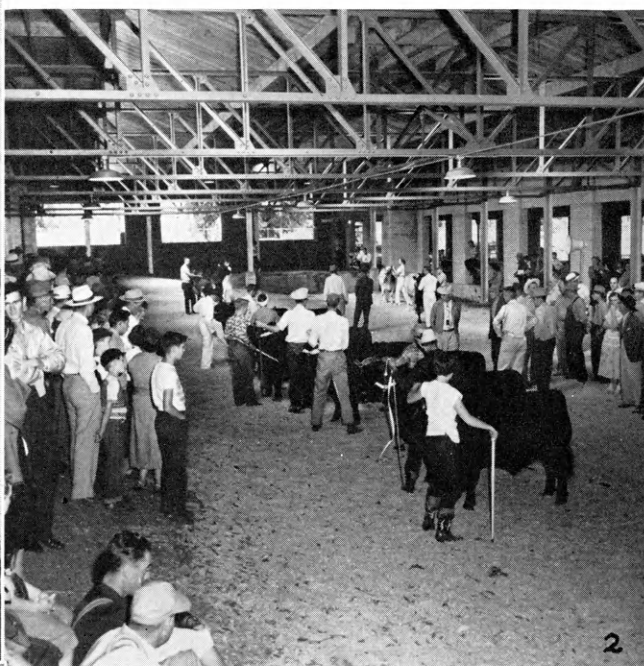
The IFYE program is a two-way road to world understanding. It presents a challenge to the stamina and wisdom of American youth. The nine Kansas delegates traveled to Denmark, Finland, Norway, Ireland, Scotland, Greece, Austria, New Zealand and Brazil. Nadine Entrikin, delegate to Finland, is shown below with other IFYE's at the Arctic Circle.

1. Joan Engle talks with her Danish hostess. 2. Nadine Entrikin at a Finnish farm school. 3. Joan Engle, Abilene—Denmark; Nadine Entrikin, Abilene—Finland; Jack Grier, Pratt—Norway; Joan Shaver, Goodland—Ireland; Irlene Rawlings, Eureka—Scotland; Dan Petracek, Oberlin—Greece; and Marion Tongish, Herndon—Austria.



Kansas Free Fair

Topeka



Exhibiting at the Kansas Free Fair is a highlight of the fall season in a 4-H'er's career. 1. A blue-ribbon home improvement exhibit is proudly shown by a clubber. 2. Opening the new pavilion for animal exhibits made the 1952 Fair especially colorful. 3. Interested spectators watch a dairy class being judged. 4. Tension mounts as exhibitors wait for the judge to look their entry over.

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A week's encampment at the Kansas State Fair in Hutchinson is a happy climax for a year of hard work for many prominent boys and girls in 4-H. Here the champion demonstration, judging teams, booth and state style revue winners are chosen.

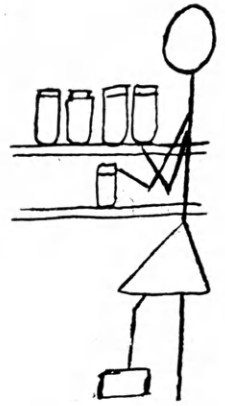
1. Patricia Schnelle, Washington County, smiles with pleasure after winning a blue ribbon for her fat steer. 2. Style King and Queen. (Ralph Waite from Cowley County, and Vera Banman from Nemaha County) are truly "in step with fashion." 3. Pat Swearingen from Brown County had a winning demonstration on baking at the State Fair. 4. Champion fat lamb was exhibited by Ray Tracy from Harper County.

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ALLEN COUNTY

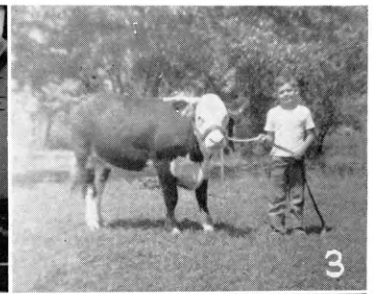
Three hundred sixty members carried a total of eight hundred eighty-eight projects which were valued at \$88,500. The county is proud to have a grand champion dairy animal, a blue ribbon booth, and demonstration at the State Fair. Also a purple ribbon barrow at the Wichita Fat Stock Show, a state winner in dairy production, a soil conservation scholarship winner, and a winner of the WIBW typically outstanding club award. Outstanding county-wide events during the year included a county fair, achievement program, county 4-H day, style revue and businessmen's picnic.



1. Paul Stinson, local 4-H project leader, demonstrates how to present the beef animal at the show. 2. Webster Bennett exhibits his Hampshire lamb. 3. Some members of the 5 Star 4-H Club listen in on an agricultural project meeting. 4. Jerry Hess exhibits his Brown Swiss heifer which was declared grand champion at the Kansas State Fair in the 4-H division. 5. Audrea Shigley modeling gown which won her the championship in county style revue. 6. Dixie Nichols, Prairie Dell 4-H Club, exhibits her Holstein cow. 7. Bobby Hampton presents the highway safety sign erected by the Prairie Dell 4-H Club. 8. Boys of the Logan Pals 4-H Club pose for a picture while on their annual project tour. 9. Henrietta Cleaver, county champion in food preservation, frozen foods and project achievement. 10. Allen County's blue ribbon booth at the Kansas State Fair. 11. Members of the Busy Bees 4-H Club present their play at the County 4-H Day. 12. Winners of county livestock and dairy judging team trophies. 13. Members of the Full O' Pep 4-H presenting their square dance at the County 4-H Day.

ANDERSON COUNTY

Ninety-six percent of the 4-H members completed their projects this year. These members were invited to the second Annual Achievement Banquet, along with 4-H leaders, and civic organization presidents. Warren Prawl, IFYE delegate, was the feature speaker. Vera Jane Cassity was a district winner in the Skilled Driver's Contest. Darrell Rickabough and Gail Ratliff were given recognition by the Hutchinson Chamber of Commerce for outstanding livestock exhibits at State Fair.



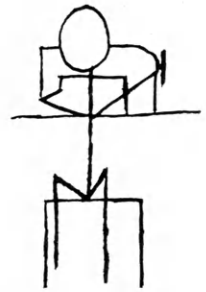
1. The Silver Arrow square dance group at 4-H day. 2. Champion booth at the Anderson County Fair, made by the Silver Arrow Culb. 3. Larry Allen, Flying W 4-H Club, and his red ribbon Hereford calf at Anderson County Fair. 4. Key awards were presented by Mr. Zenie Mitchell, Cities Service representative from Bartlesville, Oklahoma. 5. Lucky Diamond leaders and members on their fall tour. 6. Here's a jolly looking bunch—the group that stayed at the Hutchinson encampment. 7. A class of Hereford cows being shown at the county livestock judging school in July.



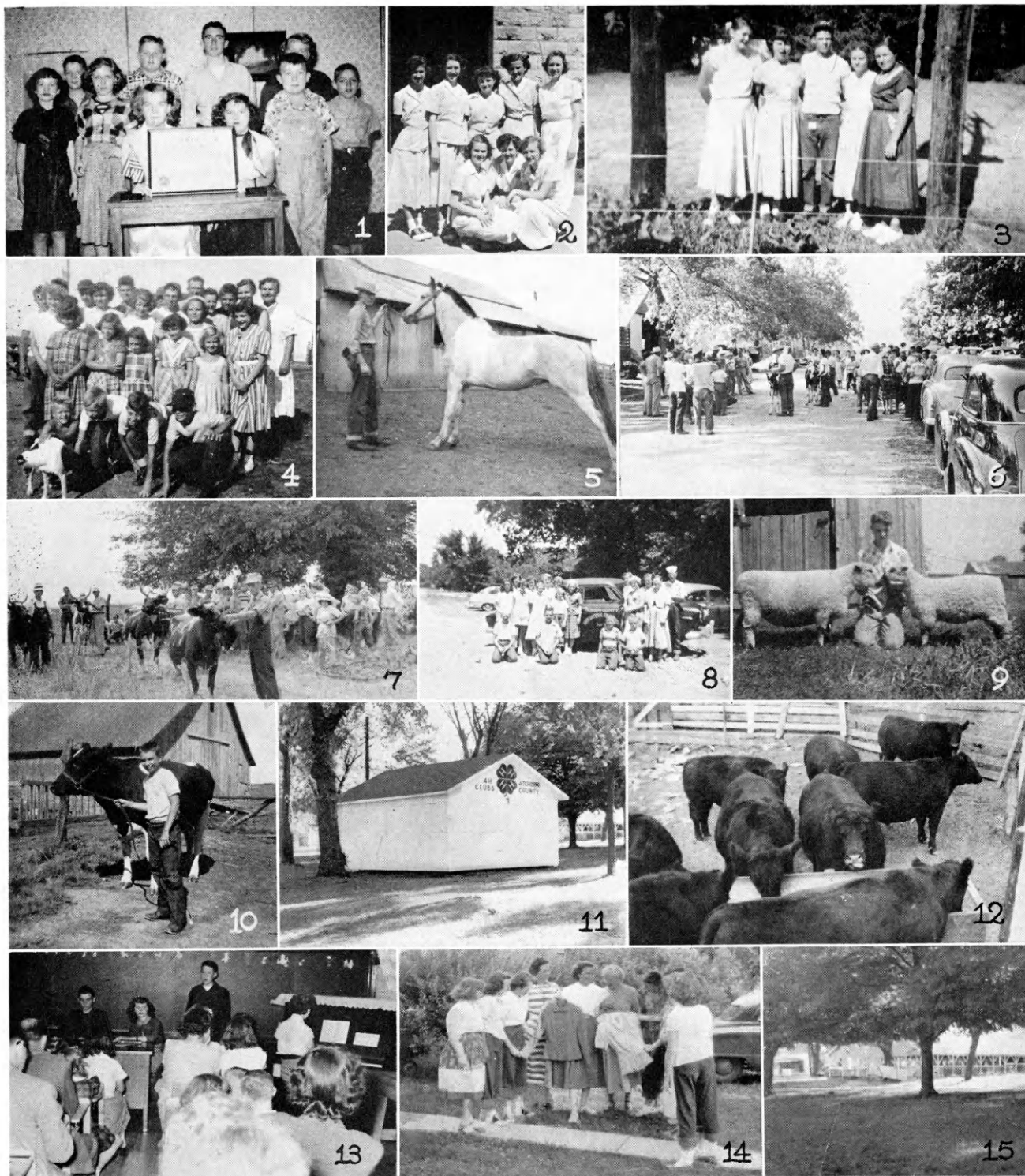
1. Gail "Tubby" Ratliff and one of his prize lambs that was shown at the Kansas Free Fair, and State Fair. 2. Anderson County campers at Rock Springs Ranch. 3. Here are two able demonstrators, Darlene Johnson and Shirley Apperson who received blue ribbons on their demonstration at Kansas Free Fair and State Fair. 4. Ronald McDonald and his blue ribbon Hereford cow and calf which was champion of all breeds at the county fair. 5. Three whisome lassies—the home economics judging team at Topeka Free Fair. 6. Delegates to Round-up this year at Kansas State College. 7. 4-H King, Virgil Ohmes; Queen, Charlotte Carr—the coronation took place following the livestock parade. 8. Lucky 13 and Bush City Boosters chorus that attended State Music Camp at Rock Springs. 9. Beverly Badders, style revue winner, and Earl Lizer, best groomed boy—blue winners at State Fair. 10. Bush City Boosters 4-H Club float that took first at Anderson County Fair. 11. To give an idea of the number of clothing entries, here is a picture of the clothing exhibit at the county fair. 12. Darlene Elliss, Cherry Mound 4-H Club, displaying some of her clothing exhibits.

ATCHISON COUNTY

The highlight of the club year was the Achievement Party given by the Atchison Chamber of Commerce and the business friends of 4-H with some 500 members and their families attending. The 46th Annual County Fair was another success even with the quarantine on hogs. Space was at a premium for the home economics exhibits as there were 700 entries. Atchison County 4-H'ers were proud to have Mildred Hundley honored as a national champion in clothing. Club members did a commendable job on fund raising for Atchison County's first IFYE, Max Stutz.



1. Style revue champion, Caroline Kanning, won blue ribbons galore with this stunning taffeta dress. 2. Marilyn Wahking of Old Huron Busy Bees seems to be happy about her poultry project. 3. Loretta Jones of Clear Creek really worked with this baby beef. 4. Some of the Friendly Farmer Fellows pause while on spring tour. 5. Effingham Community 4-H members and leaders enjoy getting together for their spring tour. 6. Brush Creek 4-H advertises 4-H with this display on National 4-H Day. 7. Jerry Congrove of Effingham 4-H has a good start in the hog business. 8. Achievement girl, Shirley Hundley of Brush Creek, models one of the many articles she made in her clothing project. 9. Jim Hundley of Brush Creek always offered plenty of competition with Strawberry, his champion Jersey. 10. The Float 4-H chorus seems to be enjoying their stay at Rock Springs Chorus Camp during Round-up. 11. Tommy Wilson of Muscotah Hustlers shows his county grand champion Angus steer which also took tri-county and interstate show honors.



1. The Muscotah Hustlers really are serious about 4-H work. They have more than doubled their membership since this picture was taken. 2. This happy group represented Atchison County at Round-up. 3. Atchison County junior leaders came home tired but happy from Junior Leadership Camp at Rock Springs. 4. Everybody turns out when there is a tour of the Shining Star 4-H Club. 5. Achievement boy, Leonard Miller of Clear Creek shows one of his many projects. 6. Judging was one of the many activities during the 46th annual county fair. 7. Getting ready to judge a class of Ayrshires at the annual 4-H judging school. 8. Everyone had a big time attending county camp at Rock Springs. 9. Sylvester Nyhart, grand champion sheep showman, knows good sheep and how to show them. 10. The happy little man with the large cow cow is Chuckie Jensen of Shining Star 4-H. 11. Club members in Atchison County are proud of their 4-H stand which leaders and members operate during the annual county fair. 12. These deferred Angus steers of Gilmore Dahl seem to be doing well. 13. Jack Falconer of Parallel 4-H pleases the group with a solo at their monthly meeting. 14. Anna Hindlmeier, German exchange student, beams as the girls of the Effingham 4-H Club admire her clothing project. 15. Atchison County 4-H'ers are happy about the new fair barn completed just in time for this year's county fair.

BARBER COUNTY



With community and project leaders giving more time and working more efficiently, interest in 4-H work increased in 1952 as indicated by awards presented at the achievement banquet. Members showed a 95.4% completion with a net profit of \$23,756. There were 394 exhibits at our Barber County Fair and 77 exhibits at the Kansas State Fair. County council officers were Don Lonker, president; Sandy Schiff, vice-president; Jo Balding, secretary; and Shannon Singer, reporter.



1. Doris Groendycke was a blue ribbon winner in the style revue. 2. Bob Farney with his purple ribbon Angus steer and Clarence Hrencher with his blue ribbon Hereford steer at the Wichita Fat Stock Show. 3. Kay Eckell and her geese project. 4. Bob Clark, Cities Service representative, presenting awards to Who's Who Gold Key winners, Jean Molz, Bill Root and Barbara Aubley. Shannon Singer could not be present. 5. Sandy Schiff with her Sear's gilt and litter. 6. 4-H Round-up delegates and agents. 7. Decorations at the 4-H achievement banquet. 8. B-Square 4-H Club Welcome sign. 9. Donna Groendycke was a blue ribbon winner in the style revue. 10. Lewis Balding with his Sear's gilt and litter. 11. "Let's eat"—county-wide 4-H picnic. 12. The B-Square folk dancers were blue ribbon winners at the spring festival. 13. Gail Wehling, county champion; Shirley Hoyt, blue ribbon; Robert Thom, reserve champion, were the style revue winners from the B-Square 4-H fair. 14. Bill Root with champion Hereford heifer and Bob Farney with champion Angus heifer at the Barber county fair. 15. Ben Blackwell and his blue ribbon Shorthorn heifer. 16. Bert Blackwell and his blue ribbon Brahma heifer.

BOURBON COUNTY

Bourbon County has 15 clubs with 331 members. The 4-H council assumed the responsibility of constructing a 4-H building on the fairgrounds. Various money-making events were planned to provide money for the materials. Most of the labor is donated by friends and parents of the 4-H'ers. The annual 4-H camp is held at a lake in the county and is sponsored by the Fort Scott Rotary Club. Ten of the clubs received seals for 1952. One leader, Mrs. C. C. Cole, received a 15-year pin.



1. 4-H'ers and a leader attended 4-H encampment at State Fair. 2. 4-H'ers and a leader attended junior leaders' camp at Coffeyville. 3. Gene Potter, Southeast Scott, leads his blue ribbon calf at the fair. 4. Girls attending Round-up were: Pauline Bruner, Irene Hollingsworth, Clarice Needham, Joan Wilcher and Earleen Leist. 5. Round-up delegates at Manhattan. 6. Boys at Round-up were: Richard Sinn, Bobby Salmon, Kenneth Johnston, Lester Richrad, and Chester Crim. 7. Mrs. C. C. Cole, a leader 15 years, receiving her 15-year pin. 8. Carman McIntyre with her dairy calf faces the camera. 9. Kathryn and Leon Lyell of the West Liberty Club won blue ribbons with their Guernsey heifers. 10. Here is Tommie Van Sickle with his dairy project. 11. Karl Umphenour, enjoying his woodworking project, is from the West Liberty Club. 12. Leon Lyell and Larry Kleitz gave the grand champion demonstration in Bourbon County. 13. Nancy White and Kathryn Lyell were a demonstration team from the West Liberty Club.

BARTON COUNTY

4-H'ers from the 16 clubs of Barton County enjoyed many special events this year. 4-H Sunday, camps, Round-up, and the county picnic with 1,200 in attendance came during the summer months. After the State Fair, came the American Royal and finally the achievement banquet at Great Bend. Six boys showed 37 head of steers at the deferred fed steer show in Kansas City. The Christmas party was at Hoisington December 13.



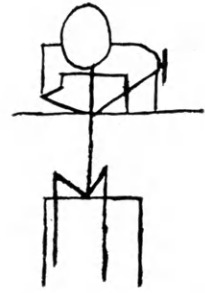
1. Zita Neeland, Waunita Rusco, Marianne Cole and Marvella Rusco attended state junior leadership camp. 2. Elizabeth Ernsting, Comanche Lucky Fours, was 1952 state winner in community relations. 3. Members of the Union Jayhawkers record a radio program in August. 4. Glen Krueger and Audrey Geil were the best groomed boy and style revue champions at the county fair, with Jean Otte and Mickey Heinz as alternates. 5. Darrell Keener, Eureka Homesteaders national winner in the tractor maintenance activity, gives his demonstration at the State Fair. 6. Barton County boys entered in a softball tournament at county camp. 7. The newest club in the county, The Happy Go Getters, held their first regular meeting in November. 8. The county dairy exhibit at the State Fair was given honorable mention. 9. The Busy Buzzers put on their play at county 4-H day. 10. Danny Smith and Mickey Heinz, Loganene, gave their soil conservation demonstration at the county fair. 11. Clark Schartz, Comanche Lucky Fours, gave his demonstration on the control of rats and mice, at the State Fair.



1. Lois Otte gave a blue ribbon promotional talk at the county 4-H day contest. 2. Marilyn Otte, Walnut Valley, was 1952 state turkey champion. 3. Here are the officers and community leaders of the Eureka Homesteaders. 4. These members and leaders attended the American Royal Club Conference. 5. These were the 1952 officers and community leaders of the Albert Jolly Hustlers. 6. This group of older club members attended county camp at Rock Springs in July. 7. The Fairview Scouts Club orchestra played at the 1952 county 4-H day. 8. This group of members and leaders attended state Round-up.

BROWN COUNTY

A special leader recognition banquet was held January 14, 1952, with state 4-H club leader, J. Harold Johnson, and Warren Prawl as speakers. Two new clubs were organized in the fall—the Hamlin Pied Pipers and the Mount Pleasant Pioneers. The Hiawatha Chamber of Commerce sponsors the annual 4-H achievement banquet. Brown County had two state winners in soil conservation—Ivan Severson, one of the ten state scholarship winners, and Robert Lehew, a class B state winner. The county model meeting was on the state Round-up program. The Hiawatha Implement Dealers assist with the county 4-H tractor activity. At the annual county 4-H project tour, the three routes ended at Sun Springs, where assistant state leader, Roger Regnier, and businessmen were guests.



The Brown County champions are being recognized at the annual achievement banquet.



1. Brown County Round-up delegation. 2. The Everest 4-H Club installation of officers. 3. The Brown County baby beef group at the Interstate Show at St. Joseph. 4. The Brown County 4-H camp at Sun Springs in June, 1952. 5. Pat Draney visits Mrs. Doris Haffaker. 6. The Brown County 4-H electric activity. 7. Junior leaders at the state junior leadership camp. 8. Bertel Lund, IFYE delegate from Finland, who visited Brown County in November. 9. Harold Schmitz, farm service director of station KFKG, awards a leader recognition certificate to Tom Tollefson. 10. The Brown County home economics judging team pictured at the St. Joseph Interstate Show. 11. Ivan Severson, Everest Four Leaf Clover Club, was one of the \$200 4-H Conservation scholarship winners in the state. 12. Mary Lou Klinner, Fairview Willing Workers 4-H Club, was the county alternate style revue winner to the State Fair. 13. The Everest Four Leaf Clover band. 14. Brown County 4-H health contest. 15. Ann Campbell is shown with her blue ribbon home improvement exhibit at the Topeka Free Fair. 16. The 4-H tractor meeting with the Hiawatha Implement Dealers. 17. The Mount Zion Rustettes mothers tea. 18. Brown County 4-H leaders select the county champions. 19. The soil conservation field day in Brown County.

BUTLER COUNTY

In 1952 the Butler County 4-H'ers again followed the past year's record by setting a record in membership. There were 676 members who took part in 4-H work. The members were sincere in that 89% of the records were completed. The membership was handled through 24 clubs which were supervised by 171 leaders. Fourteen hundred projects were carried. This year was the first year a fair association was operated where 2,000 club exhibits were carried. Beverly Snodgrass, the 1953 county council president, presented the top demonstration at the State Fair and became state demonstration award winner, receiving the Carnation Milk Company's Elgin watch for her efforts. She presented the reserve champion demonstration in 1951.



1. Walnut Cheer-Ups members touring projects and enjoying the well-kept lawn which is part of one member's home beautification. 2. North Butler Club members viewing and judging 4-H baby beeves on the project tour. 3. Rose Hill Club looking over and hearing a 4-H dairy story. 4. Mr. Milo Margenau, Cities Service representative, presenting Who's Who awards to Beverly Snodgrass and Martha Lucas. 5. A county 4-H road sign. 6. A 4-H member giving the last dollar of expense on his breeding heifer. 7. Twin heifer calves were presented by David Templeton's Ayrshire heifer. 8. Jerry Doornbos presenting his breeding heifer to the members. 9. Articles of clothing made by members under the instruction of their leader. 10. Dairy judge, Art Jacobs, placing the 4-H Holstein animals at the county show. 11. County baby beef steers being marketed at Kansas City, September 4. 12. An outstanding garden by a Richland member. 13. Go-Getters girls stopping for a picture of articles constructed in clothing. 14. The Butler County dairy judging school. 15. The Chelsea Be-Square members visiting a 50-bushel corn crop project that was fertilized. 16. El Dorado Boosters members doing practice judging.

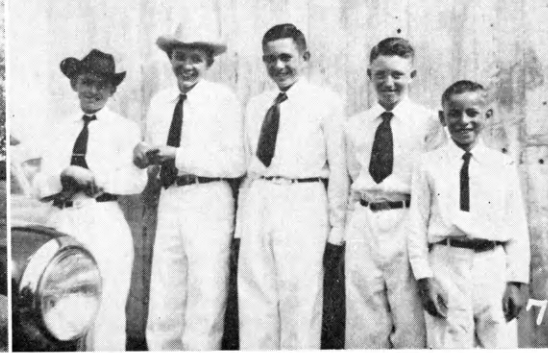
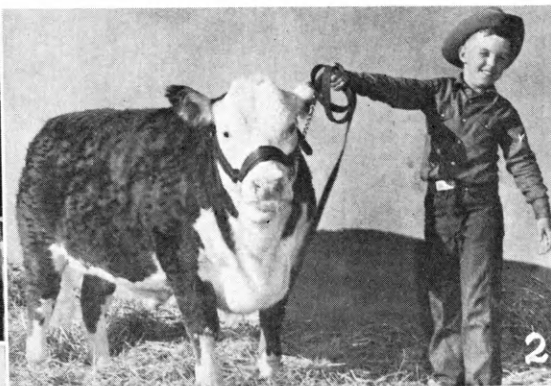
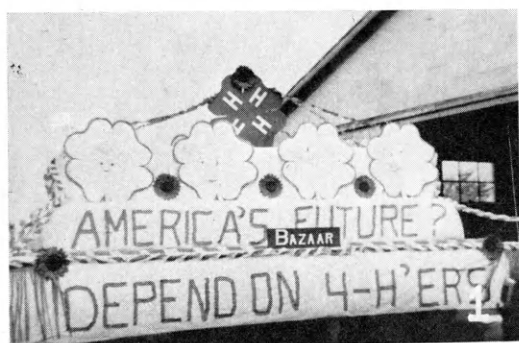


1. The Cole Creek Chums' project tour. 2. Hickory Helpers members viewing some fine baby beef projects. 3. The club agent demonstrating the blocking of sheep for show purposes. 4. Members exercising and caring for a horse project at the fair. 5. The Go-Getters 4-H Club on a garden stop. 6. Leon Royals visiting Beverly Snodgrass' dairy production and dairy heifer project. 7. The Butler County Round-up delegation. 8. The Prospect Wranglers are ready for a project tour. 9. A county 4-H booth. 10. The Leon Royals' clean-up crew at the Van Huss school, the club meeting place. 11. The Augusta Chamber of Commerce president, Bob Munroe, presenting medals, plaques and ribbons to 4-H members at the county 4-H day. 12. A booth on low voltage control wiring. 13. County judging leaders, Carl Poston, Berry West, Beverly Snodgrass, and Robert Reed, attending Coffeyville junior leaders' camp. 14. A junior leader, Jean Vogelmann, working with the younger club members. 15. Beverly Snodgrass receiving the Carnation Milk Co. Elgin watch, presented by F. A. Bacon, to the state demonstration champion.



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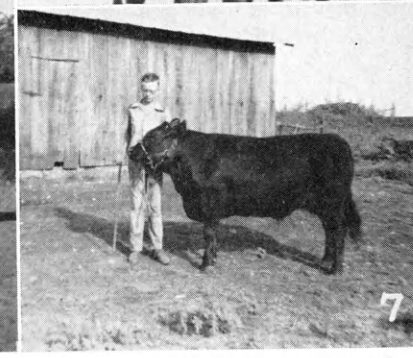
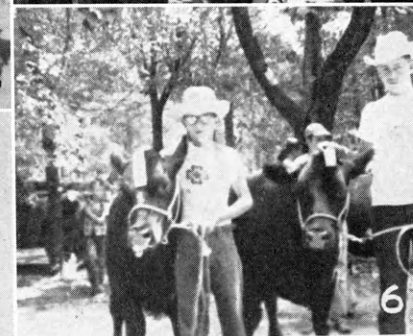
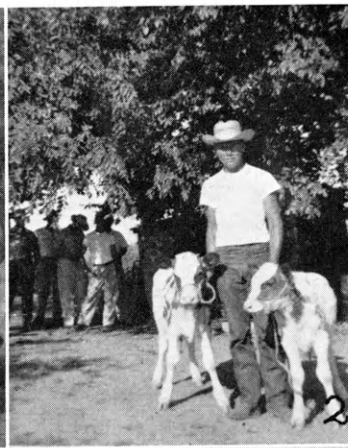
Chase County is located in the heart of the Flint Hills. The county had 158 boys and girls enrolled in club work during 1952. Outstanding events during the club year were, participation in the Flint Hills Rodeo, Chase County Fair, and out of county events, such as the Wichita Fat Stock Show, the Inter-state Baby Beef Show, the Kansas State Fair, and the American Royal.



1. The Bazaar 4-H float in the rodeo parade. 2. Stanley Stout exhibits the grand champion baby beef at the St. Joseph Interstate baby beef and swine show. 3. Larry Lind, Good Luck 4-H Club, with his Poland China barrow. 4. Janet McGregor, style revue champion. 5. Cottonwood Falls 4-H members go on a tour of projects. 6. Cedar Creek Club float at the Flint Hills Rodeo parade. 7. All dressed up to ride the 4-H float for the rodeo parade, June 1, 1952.

CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY

Chautauqua County 4-H Club members are continually improving the quality of their projects. Foods, clothing and livestock projects are most popular with club members. A special livestock auction at Cedar Vale for a number of years has been a profitable way to dispose of club livestock. The following clubs have been active during the past year: Belknap Boosters, Cloverdale, Cedar Vale Go Getters, East Side Hustlers, Round Mound, Peru Future Progressors, and Sedan Be Square. The Hewins Happy Hustlers is the youngest club in the county.

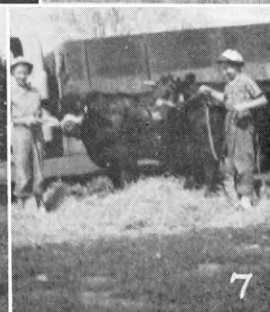
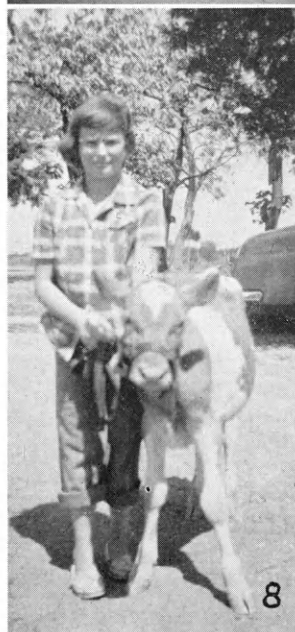
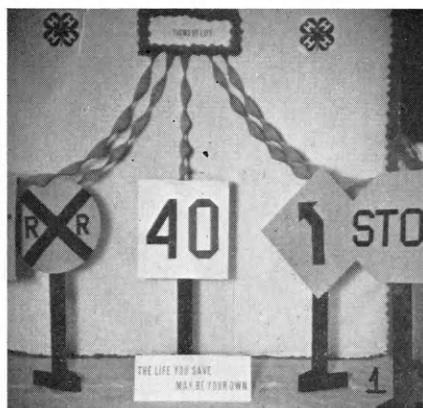


1. Peru Future Progressors and leaders pause for a picture while on their tour. 2. Cecil Green, and his calves from his Ayrshire dairy cows. 3. East Side Hustlers stop for a picture after church on 4-H Sunday. 4. Bernard Lemert, center, shows his baby beef project while Dean and Raymond Littrell assist him. 5. Gordon Thompson of Cedar Vale is proud of his Hereford breeding cow and calf. 6. Ronnie and Robert Rogers and their Angus baby beeves. 7. Duane Dohl and his Angus beef which won a red ribbon at the Wichita Fat Stock Show.

CHEROKEE COUNTY



Some 400 boys and girls in Cherokee County had the opportunity of participating in club work in 1952. From a total of twelve clubs that received recognition, seven earned a purple seal, two a blue, two a red, and one a gold seal. Two new charters were also given. 4-H Clubs and home demonstration units in the county, through their donations, completed payments on a new 4-H building. In addition to having the building completely paid for, they have added new doors and windows, a new ceiling, lights, and a gas heater. The county junior leadership club was very active throughout the year and ended the year by treating the adult and project leaders to a special recognition banquet.



1. The first place booth at the county fair, "Signs of Life," was planned and entered by members of the Whistling Bob White 4-H Club. 2. Crowning queen, Sarah Osborn, is Joe Cook, secretary of the fair board. Attendants are Mary Grant and Susie Karsten. 3. Edna Christiansen, Gold Key award winner, entertaining at the adult leaders banquet shown with Armon Newby, adult leader. 4. Jerry Ferris and Ardis Fox, Cherokee County style revue winners and participants at the state style revue contest. 5. County camp at Cedar Bluff, near Coffeyville, was fun for some twenty-six younger 4-H'ers pictured here. 6. "A good herd" is the goal of Gilbert Frobish, Lone Elm Beaver Club, shown with his second year beef breeding heifer project that was a blue ribbon winner. 7. Treva and Sharon Shaffer, members of the Central 4-H Club, shown with their baby beef projects for 1952. 8. Carole Hodgson, Central Club, with dairy project "Topsy" who was a winner at the county fair. 9. Junior leaders and others that cooked and served our Adult Leaders Recognition Banquet. 10. Junior leaders Mary Jane Topping, Margaret Bower, and Raymond Hartman help conduct county camp for 4-H'ers under 14 years of age at Cedar Bluff in 1952. 11. A total of seventeen junior leaders from Cherokee County attended SEK Junior Leadership Camp held at Cedar Bluff with Montgomery County junior leaders

CLARK COUNTY

Highlighting Clark County 4-H's club year was the achievement banquet, sponsored by the Farm Bureau Association, and attended by 260 members, parents, and guests. Don Gilbert won a purple ribbon on his baby beef at the Fat Stock Show in Wichita and was winner in the showmanship contest. Members of the county's seven clubs worked hard at the food stand at the county fair to make a profit of \$700. This money is used to buy additional equipment for the 4-H building. One hundred and forty club members worked on 4-H projects assisted by Bennie Bird, County Agent, and Joan Shinn, HDA.



1. John Strodtman displays the purple ribbon he won on his fat lamb. 2. Liberty 4-H Club members show their blue ribbon lambs at the county fair. 3. A stop on the Bear Creek 4-H Club tour was to see Bobby Simmons' beef project. 4. Girls from Liberty Club smile at their annual slumber party. 5. Diana Rankin, junior leadership champion, project achievement champion, and winner of the general home economics award. 6. Franz Betschart shows his sheep projects. 7. Cottonwood club members pose for a picture after their club tour. 8. Walter Birney and his baby beef project. 9. Bear Creek girls sewing class conducted by Diana Rankin. 10. Blue ribbon winners in the style revue at the county fair included Diana Rankin, Virginia Wurth, Janatha Greene, champion, and Carol Valentine, reserve champion. 11. Don Gilbert is proud of his steers that won a purple ribbon at the Fat Stock Show in Wichita. 12. Trella Wagon and Jo Ann Thomas give clothing pointers in their demonstration given at the county fair.

CHEYENNE COUNTY

Enrollment in Cheyenne County's nine clubs totaled 170 this year. Gary Neilan, Plum Creek 4-H member, brought the first state championship in 25 years to Cheyenne County. He was named winner in the Community Relations activity and went on to become sectional winner with a trip to the National Club Congress. Gary also won an airline trip to Jackson's Mill, West Virginia, for his promotional activity. He was a Watkins scholarship winner and was state champion reporter. Cheyenne County placed fifth in the state safety contest sponsored by the Farm Bureau. The Plum Creek Club won a first place trophy in the Northwest District. Jane Mills and Janice Manson were accepted for membership in the state Who's Who Club. The Lawn Ridge home economics judging team placed fourth (among 125 teams) at the Hays district judging contest. Irene Landenberger was one of three demonstrators in the state to give their demonstrations at Round-up. One Cheyenne County 4-H member came a long distance to become a member this year. She was Wilger Winger who arrived here from Germany in May.



1. Sue and Roger Hinz of the Bird City Go-Getters pose for a picture. 2. Plum Creek's blue ribbon booth. 3. Gary Wickwar of the Wheeler Busy Bees later showed the grand and reserve champion fat lambs at the county fair. 4. Gary Lamb was the grand champion poultry exhibitor at the county fair. 5. Chuck Brunswig shows his calf to the Cheyenne Sunflowers. 6. Too many hands in the Wheeler Busy Bees Club. 7. Mary Schauer and Noble Dorsch, leaders, have something cooking for their Wheeler Busy Bees. 8. Johnny Eggers and Vertie Bolyard show Johnny's blue ribbon cow and calf. 9. Arnold Magley, Jayhawker agricultural project leader, assists Ilene and Everett Eggers. 10. A "Fair Float" of the fine 4-H'ers from the Cheyenne Sunflowers 4-H Club.



1. Plum Creek 4-H'ers pictured at the home of their leaders, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Neilman, are ready to start their summer tour. 2. Eleanor Curry, home beautification champion, shows her blue ribbon Brown Swiss heifer. 3. Lawn Ridge Club relaxes during their project tour. 4. Cathy and Betty Seymour ask for your approval of their cooking. 5. The county cherry pie baking contestants each received a pie server for their efforts. 6. Irene Landenberger, leadership champion, assisted Wilma Winger, German immigrant girl, with her 4-H records. 7. Plum Creek safety team looking for hazards on their safety drive. 8. Gary Neilan was a Jackson's Mill promotional winner and a state sectional winner in community relations besides adding several more county championships to his record this year. 9. Plum Creek junior leaders have just completed a window display commemorating the 4-H stamp. 10. It has been a hot, windy day for the Lawn Ridge safety team but the community is a safer place to live.

CLAY COUNTY

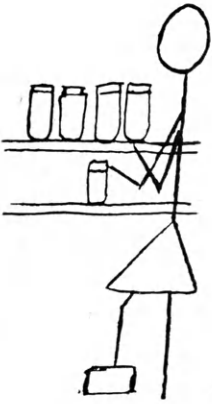
In 1952 there were 18 clubs organized and carrying year-round 4-H activities. Two new clubs were organized during the year. The Parallel and the Garfield clubs consolidated to form one club. There were 336 members in Clay County and 96% of these 4-H'ers completed their projects. This is the second consecutive year that a farm family in Clay County has been host to an IFYE student. The Roy Martin, Sr., family was host this year to Alam Valencia from El Rancho Prieto in Caborca, Sonora, Mexico. Some of the events held each year are the annual 4-H achievement banquet, the annual 4-H membership party, the monthly 4-H council meetings, county camps at Rock Springs, the 4-H club day and the county fair.



1. Jim Hatfield, assisted by Bill Steffen, explains the generator to the tractor maintenance class. 2. Roxann Oelschlager won a top blue with her secretary's book at the county fair. 3. The county Round-up delegation look sharp in their uniforms. 4. A special number is played at the annual rural life Valentine party. 5. Nancy Jo King displays her garden project at the spring tour. 6. The Sturdy Oak 4-H Club painted their community center for their service project. 7. Paul Haws was reserve champion in the best groomed boy contest. 8. Larry Henry was county conservation champion for club members under 14 years of age. 9. Bill James receives an American saddle horse from R. B. Christy, Scott City, through the new 4-H light horse project. 10. Room improvement judging team, Linda Rundle, Luella Schoneweis and Charlotte Henry, rated fourth in the state contest.

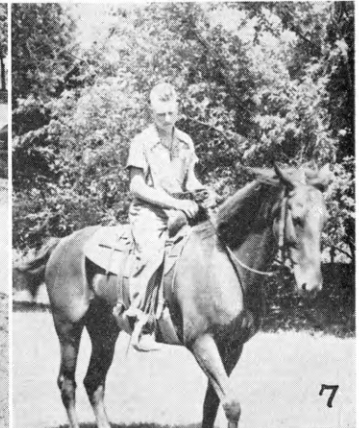
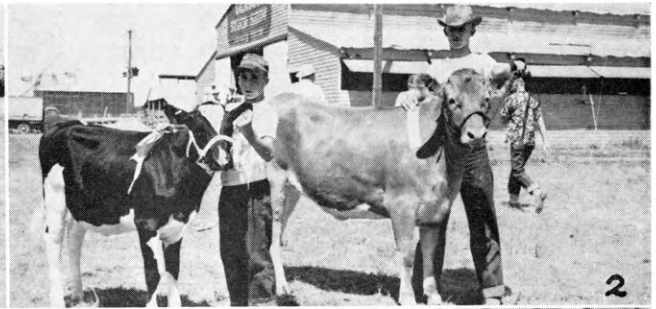
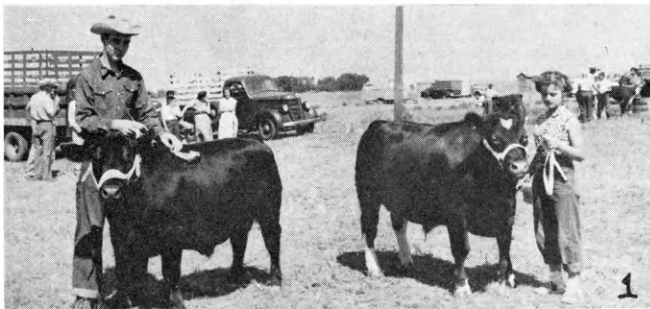


1. Junior leaders of the Grant Go-Getters Club are Don Martin, Fidella Hughes, Dorothy Gerriets, Marvin Tannehill, Robert Mall, Louise Butzbach, Carolyn Hughes, and Esther Gerriets. 2. Chicago trip winner, Keith Swenson, and Roy Rau demonstrate how color absorbs light at a county-wide 4-H farm-home electric class meeting. 3. Dorothy Gerriets won the county cherry pie baking contest. 4. At the leaders' banquet, Mrs. James Hatfield receives the silver clover award as community leader of the Lincoln Creek Club. 5. The Lincoln Creek horn ensemble received a blue award at the district festival. 6. Nancy Taddiken and Janice Griffiths were champion demonstrators. 7. Gary Griffiths was one of the state winners in citizenship this year. 8. Karl Rau, state winner in grain marketing, received a trip to Chicago. 9. LeAnn Spilker and Bill James, champions in the style revue and best groomed boy contest, pose for a picture.



CLOUD COUNTY

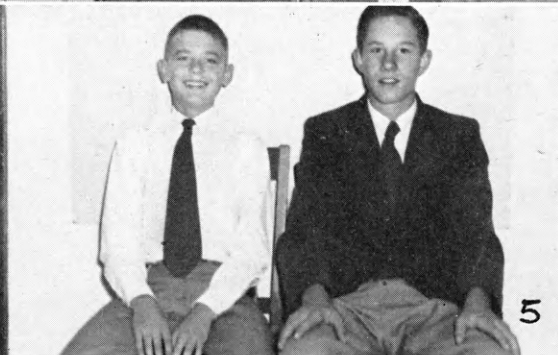
Cloud County's 1952 program maintained its usual high standard as individuals ranked high in state circles. The Crops Judging Team was second in the state with second and eighth high individual. State Soil Conservation Essay Contest winner was George Larson. Lowell Lagasse had the reserve champion Angus steer at the American Royal. The top Duroc ton litter in the state and fifteenth in the United States was owned by Ellen Wilson. Club and project leaders cooperated splendidly to make 1952's 4-H Club program so successful.



1. Lowell Lagasse, the county fair beef champion and reserve champion at the American Royal, and Delores Lacy, reserve champion at the fair. 2. Max Loveland and Ben Grosse, champion and reserve champion dairy entries at the county fair. 3. Participants in the 1952 skilled drivers' contest. 4. Second high crops judging team in the state—Charles Wilson, Jack Paulsen, second high individual, and Jimmie Walker, eighth high individual in entire contest. 5. Elk Creek's girls' sextet won a blue ribbon. 6. Cloud County's skilled drivers, Betty and Harold Walker. 7. Gary Swenson with his American saddle mare received through the Kansas light horse project.

COMANCHE COUNTY

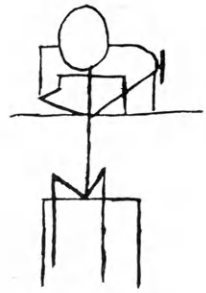
Comanche County has six 4-H Clubs who are really striving to "Make the Best Better." Some of the outstanding events for 1952 were the 4-H Carnival, spring festival, 4-H camp, 4-H fair, Comanche County livestock judging contest, and achievement night. Comanche County took an active interest in district and state events. Comanche County group of deferred steers placed second at the Kansas City Deferred Steer Show. The home economics exhibits at the Southwest Fair and the Kansas State Fair came home with several blue ribbons. The Livestock Judging team ranked fourth at the state contest held at Wichita.



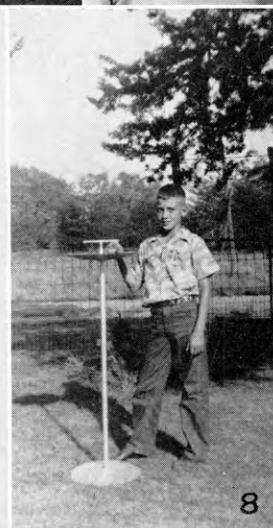
1. (left to right) Back: W. G. Reist, county agent, Pat Beitler, Shirley Peterson, Dana Mills, Mary Lee Cobb, Inez Young, Marie Boardman and Bob Currier. Middle: Mrs. W. G. Reist, Kathryn Lohrding, Kay Riner, Charlotte Richardson, Phyllis Peterson, Esther Lohrding, Ella Marie Lohrding and Dona Mae Molz, HDA. Front: Terry Huck, Jon Swisher, Clay Morris, Marlan White, Dayle Heft, Bill Fry and Junior Fry. 2. (left to right) Helen Morris, Richard Bean and Frances Morris. 3. (left to right) Back: Don Alexander, Jim Brass, Roger Bean. Front: Jerry Heft and Myrel Rich. 4. (left to right) Back: Larry Ellis, Cleon Parkin, Dayle Heft. Front: Stan Richardson and Stan Markley. 5. (left to right) Jon Swisher and Ronald White. 6. (left to right) Back: Shirley Peterson, Janet Jean Hadley, Glenice Atteberry. Front: Charlotte Richardson and Peggy Ann Huck.

COFFEY COUNTY

1952 saw Coffey County with 16 clubs, 359 members, 44 junior leaders and 74 adult leaders. They enrolled in 920 projects and completed 846. Eleven members were accepted as Who's Who members. The Blue Ribbon 4-H Club won the bankers' trophy for the outstanding 4-H Club in the county; this is won by a point system. The 1952 achievement party was a big success. Coffey County had numerous entries at state fairs and shows with their share of blue ribbons. This was the first year Coffey County has participated in the Wichita Fat Stock Show. We also had two entries in the Talent Show in Wichita. We also had a winner in the state promotional talk activity. Each club in the county has from one to 17 worthwhile community projects.



1. Eldon Spielman received blue ribbon and grand champion dairy animal on his Ayrshire at the 1952 county fair. 2. Kathleen Knapp, champion, and Mrs. Fred Krause, Star Township vice president. 3. Best Ever Project Tour. 4. Randall Schif, champion, vice president of club, past secretary of club, county project winner and Who's Who member. 5. Carol Krause, member of the Best Ever 4-H Club, secretary-treasurer of the county council, treasurer of the junior leadership club, 1952 safety champion, delegate to junior leadership camp, cherry pie champion of 1952, and a Who's Who member. 6. Larry Schif, potato champion, council member, recreation leader, and participated in the county and state demonstration contest. 7. Winston Spielman who received a blue ribbon, competes with his brother, Eldon. Winston has Brown Swiss. All milk is weighed at the Spielman farm. 8. George French, member of the Best Ever 4-H Club, and his county award gilt. 9. Carlet Craig, champion, in her "Well Dressed for School" project dress. 10. Patricia George won a blue ribbon on "Champ," her calf, at the 1952 county fair. 11. Lois Kimberlin, member of the Smilin' Thru' 4-H Club, and her colt project. She is a Who's Who member. 12. Smilin' Thru' 4-H Club and their leaders on their fall tour. 13. Coffey County girl delegates and leader at Round-up. 14. Cherry Pie Baking contestants, HDA, and the judge at the 1953 contest. 15. Linda Sowder, member of the Otter Creek Boosters, and her Hereford baby beef at the 1952 county fair. 16. The Best Ever 4-H Club gleans a corn field.



1. Bob Douglass, member of the Up 'N' Comin' 4-H Club, and his grand champion baby beef at the 1952 county fair. 2. Ronald Linsey was reserve champion baby beef winner at the 1952 county fair. 3. Jim Birkbeck, member of the Otter Creek Boosters 4-H Club, received a blue ribbon on his baby beef at the 1952 county fair and a white ribbon on his beef at the Wichita Far Stock Show. 4. Jolene Hazen, member of the Smilin' Thru' 4-H Club, won several county project awards. 5. Meredith Brink, member of the Jolly Go Getters 4-H Club, is club president, council song leader, 1952 county promotional talk winner, and a cherry pie delegate in 1952. 6. The Otter Creek Boosters 4-H Club meet at local REA office. 7. Adele Holmes, member of the Smilin' Thru' 4-H Club, is president of her club, secretary of her club, council member, Who's Who member, county style revue grand champion and blue ribbon winner at the Kansas State Fair. 8. Theodore Knapp, county wildlife winner, and the birdbath he built for his project. He also has a quail hatchery. 9. The Otter Creek Boosters has a judging school for the county 4-H'ers. 10. Betty Truelove, member of the Otter Creek Boosters 4-H Club, is a Who's Who member, received reserve champion in dairy at the 1952 county fair, and has received numerous county champion awards and holds offices in several 4-H organizations.

COWLEY COUNTY



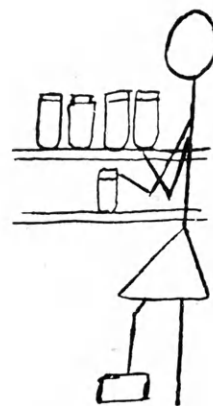
Cowley County had 702 members enrolled in 25 clubs in 1952. Members carried 1,397 projects grossing \$121,771 and showing net profits of \$51,189. Two members won Chicago trips: Bill Tharp, state poultry champion, and Ralph Waite, state best groomed boy. Mark Drake was one of the Kansas boys honored with a Danforth fellowship to Camp Miniwanca, Mich., for his general leadership and recreation work. At the regional 4-H day, Akron's play, Floral's folk game, the composite model meeting, the county orchestra, Mark Drake's demonstration, and the county chorus all rated blue ribbons. The chorus group attended Rock Springs chorus camp. In judging, the livestock team, including Bill Tharp, Tom Baird, Jim Clark and Rex Bolack ranked fifth at Topeka, eleventh at Hutchinson and third in the state contest at Wichita Fat Stock Show. Bob Hinson, Mark Drake, Barbara David and Silas Foiles were only 15 points from the top when they ranked seventh in state dairy judging competition.



1. An annual money raising activity for Akron 4-H Club is a refreshment stand at the county fair. 2. It's tree planting time at Martha Washington in March. 3. Deanie Krepps winds up to hit a bulls eye at the dunking stand at Cowley's first annual county carnival, while Donna Ruth Tredway looks on. 4. Ray Hoss, extension specialist, sizes up three top heifers in the open class competition at the county fair. 5. A future member inspects the horn of plenty in the Evening Star conservation booth while his pet bunny surveys tasty grain at the county fair. 6. This sheep blocking demonstration by an expert was a highlight of the Martha Washington local club achievement day. 7. Members of Mt. Vernon 4-H Club are shown by one of their residence signs. 8. Betty Derr, county food preservation champion, displays a product of her garden and kitchen; she was also champion in the cherry pie baking contest. 9. Shown with their breed champion steers at the 1952 Cowley County Fair are Ralph Waite, Don Hunt and Gary Potter. 10. Joan Hunt, former Chicago trip winner and an outstanding junior leader of Martha Washington Club, adds some local touches to a home improvement display. 11. Joan David and Ralph Waite topped the county style revue and best groomed boy contest; Ralph also received the state championship at Hutchinson and Joan received a blue ribbon. 12. Walnut Valley's conservation booth was twice champion in county competition and a red ribbon winner at the State Fair in 1952. 13. Ralph Waite receives congratulations from Tom Sullivant, Kansas Hereford Association secretary, on his champion at the 1952 Kansas State Fair.

CRAWFORD COUNTY

Crawford County 4-H'ers enjoyed the 4-H picnic and banquet, both of which were sponsored by the Pittsburg Chamber of Commerce. The picnic was attended by 400, and 350 attended the banquet. The county fair was bigger and better than ever this year. Seventy-seven members attended the county camp. A carnival was sponsored by the county council. Five leaders attended the leaders' conference in Hutchinson—three were there on scholarships. County wheat champions and leadership champions attended the American Royal 4-H conference. Tractor maintenance was studied at four schools by two boys. Four of the clubs received purple seals, one received blue, two received red and five received gold. Two clubs received charters this year.



1. The Jolly Jayhawks hold a Christmas party.
2. These 4-H'ers enjoyed county camp last July.
3. Stil-B-Abel presented a play at the county 4-H day.
4. A blue ribbon play presented at the county 4-H club day by the Win-Or-Bust 4-H Club.
5. A blue ribbon booth at the county fair from the Beulah Meadowlarks.
6. Round-up delegates line up for breakfast.
7. Harmony won the booth championship at the county fair.
8. Girard 4-H Club presents their folk dance at the regional 4-H day.
9. The Sheridan Live-Wires demonstration by Shannon Chigston won blue ribbons at the county and regional 4-H days.
10. Girard 4-H Club had a blue ribbon booth at the county fair.
11. Crawford County health champions, Joan Toms and Jimmie Clark.
12. Myers Mixers 4-H Club members loaded up for their spring tour.
13. The cast of Jolly Sunflower 4-H Club's play which won a blue ribbon in the county and a red ribbon at the regional 4-H Club day.
14. Members of Crawford County Round-up delegation enjoy an evening program in the stadium.
15. The blue ribbon 4-H Club won 1st prize on the Christmas parade in Girard.



DECATUR COUNTY

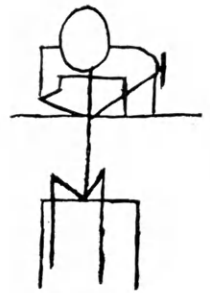
Members from 12 clubs had a total of 577 projects. Donelle Gaumer was county council president. The Oberlin Rotary Club sponsored a recognition banquet for community and project leaders. The 4-H council sponsored the annual businessmen's picnic. In the county judging contest Traer Travelers placed first in the home economics division, and Custerettes took top honors in the livestock division. Daniel Petracek, a former 4-H member, was an IFYE delegate to Greece.



1. Leon Miller's baby beef is one of the projects of the Prairie Meadowlark's Club. 2. The Olive Jayhawker's play cast presented "Getting Pinned." 3. The Lund Club took a minute for a photo on club tour. 4. Phyllis Anderson, Custerettes, poses with her Angus baby beef. 5. The Traer Travelers presented "Antic Spring" at club day and Round-up. 6. Randall Amack, Nancy Johnson, Virginia Vernon and Donelle Gaumer were awarded the Who's Who key. 7. Donelle Gaumer, Custerettes, was county wheat champion. 8. Randall Amack was project achievement and best groomed boy champion. 9. The grand champion booth at the county fair belonged to the Star Valley Club. 10. Janice Laidig, Prairie Meadowlarks, shows her dairy cow and calf. 11. Donna Flo Emigh was county champion in style revue and home achievement. 12. These girls help as junior leaders in Star Valley Club.

DONIPHAN COUNTY

Outstanding achievement marked the 1952 4-H Club year in Doniphan County. One of two folk games to appear on the Round-up program was presented by the Highland Club. Rosemary Gladhart, member of the Highland Club, was awarded the Danforth leadership training scholarship. Seven 4-H'ers, Lois Erickson, Vernon Lewis, Beryl and Lillie Smith, Elizabeth Warren, Ann Folsche, and Rosemary Gladhart were selected for membership in the Kansas Who's Who 4-H Club.



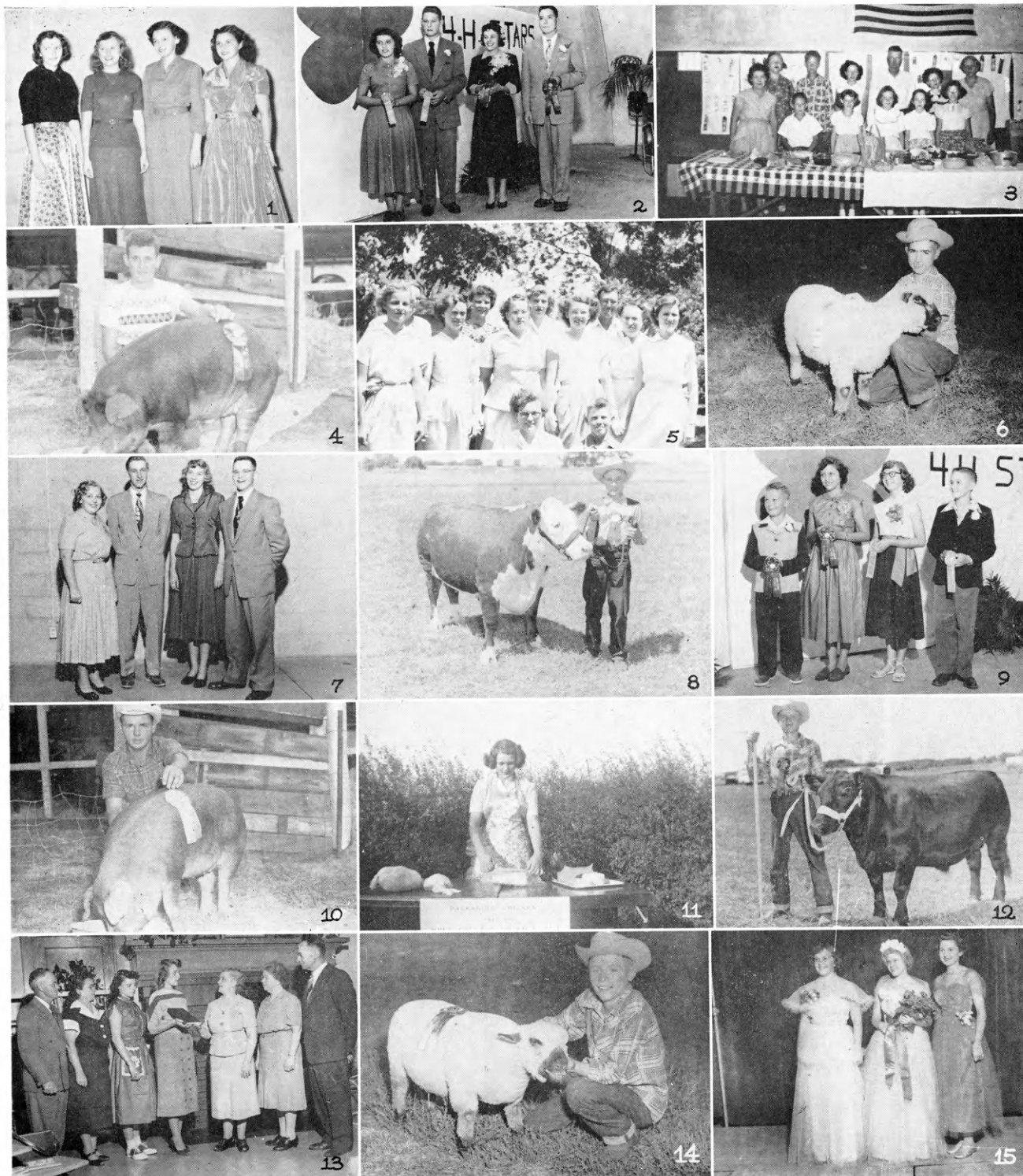
1. Doniphan Star 4-H Club tour. 2. County 4-H campers at Sun Springs. 3. Sam Warren, Troy Triangle 4-H Club, showing the grand champion Ayrshire at St. Joseph Interstate Junior Dairy Show. 4. Rosemary Gladhart, Danforth Leadership Training Scholarship winner and county junior leadership champion. 5. Mary Wakeman, Blair Sunflower 4-H Club, showing Dinah, the grand champion in the county. 6. Leona Willing Workers 4-H Club tour. 7. Gilbert, Lillie, and Beryl Smith's Jerseys exhibited at St. Joseph Interstate Junior Dairy Show. They belong to the Highland 4-H Club. 8. Ann Folsche of Bendena Community Club, grand champion in the county style revue. 9. Gerald and Larry Abbott of Severance Club, showing Gerald's Shorthorn heifer. She was champion of the Shorthorn breed at the Tri-county Fair at Horton. 10. Highland 4-H Club tour.

DICKINSON COUNTY

The National Recreation and Rural Arts winner, Joyce Holdsworth, hails from Dickinson County. Six hundred and sixty-five members carried 1,510 projects with 90% completions. Eight of the 22 clubs were awarded purple seals at the achievement banquet which was attended by 1,200 people. Dickinson County received six blue awards, two red and two white at regional 4-H Club day. The county 4-H band was awarded a trip to 4-H Round-up. Approximately 125 members attended camp at Rock Springs. Five members received Who's Who Key awards.



1. Katherine Myers with her home improvement project. 2. Joyce Holdsworth, state and national recreation and rural arts champion. 3. Wayne Price and Keith Lauer presented the state champion grain sanitation demonstration. 4. Executive committee of the Dickinson County Rural Life Association at work. 5. Dickinson County delegates to the American Royal. 6. 4-H members attending the American Royal as guests of the Central Kansas Free Fair Association. 7. Manchester Bees 4-H Club folk game, "Manana" won first at county club day and blue at regional 4-H Club day. 8. The Dickinson County 4-H band at regional club day won blue ribbon and was invited to Round-up. 9. Officers and executive committee of the 4-H council. 10. Nadine Correll received the Danforth Foundation award.



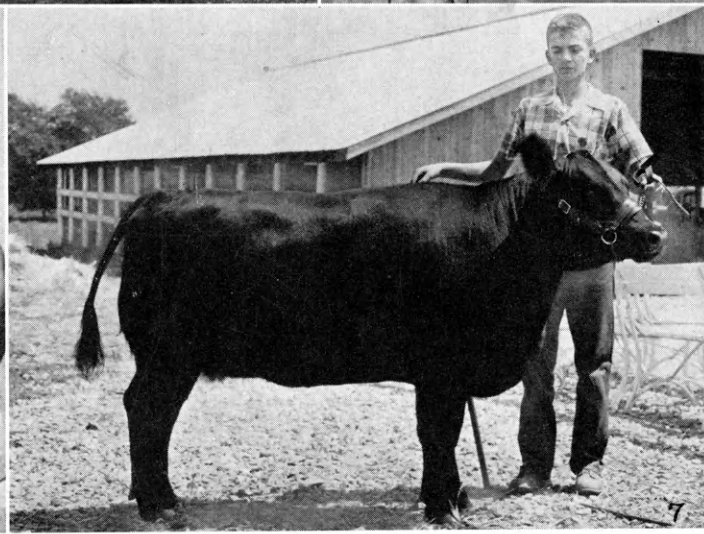
1. Nadene Correll, Kay Westrup, Betty Steffen and Mary Jane Pyke, 1952 Who's Who Key Award winners. Joyce Holdsworth, not pictured. 2. Senior style revue champions and reserves. 3. Garfield Go-Getters achievement dinner. 4. Wilbur Bass with his grand champion fat barrow at the Central Kansas Free Fair. 5. Officers and leaders of the Carry Creek Rustlers. 6. Marvin Hoffman with his reserve grand champion fat lamb of the Central Kansas Free Fair. 7. Barbara Kohman, Merlin Moorman, Yvonne Janke, and Keith Lauer were the project achievement winners. 8. Norman Riffel with his champion Hereford baby beef and the reserve grand champion at the Central Kansas Free Fair. 9. The best dressed juniors in the junior style revue. 10. Leon Riffel with his reserve grand champion fat barrow of the Central Kansas Free Fair. 11. Ila Lauer presents her demonstration on "Packaging Chicken for the Freezer Locker." 12. Gaylon Hoffman and his grand champion steer of the Central Kansas Free Fair. 13. The Willowdale Club presenting "The 4-H Story" to the Abilene Public Library in memory of Lessel High, a deceased club member. 14. Gaylon Hoffman and his grand champion fat lamb of the Central Kansas Free Fair and Rodeo. 15. The queen and her attendants of the

DOUGLAS COUNTY

The main 4-H achievement in Douglas County this year was the planning of the fairgrounds and erection of the buildings. The fairgrounds were completed and used last fall. The local radio station, KLWN, set aside a half hour each Saturday morning for a 4-H Club program. The seventeen clubs of Douglas County rotated alphabetically, each having a turn on the radio. Two years ago Ed Bromelsick left the 4-H part of a large estate. The Douglas County 4-H Clubs have \$2,500 to spend annually. This year part of the funds were used for a county-wide 4-H party in memory of Ed Bromelsick. This fall the county bankers entertained the 4-H'ers with an annual achievement banquet and football game—Kansas University versus Oklahoma A and M.



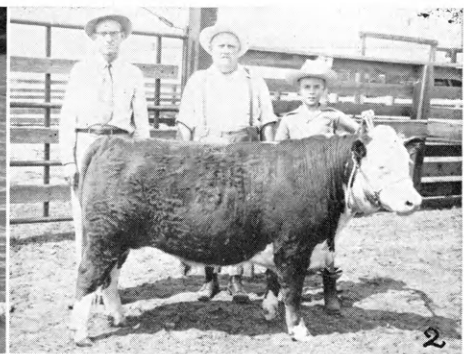
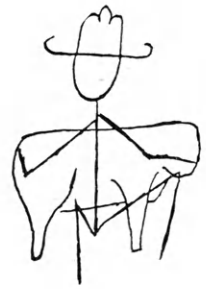
1. LaVerne Kalb shows part of her eleven registered Holsteins. 2. Three Douglas County campers at 4-H Junior Leadership Camp. 3. Clarence Lynch shows his 4-H Guernsey heifer. 4. The Jolly Juniors were one of the teams competing in the 4-H County Basketball tournament. 5. Kenneth Clough shows his Holstein heifer to the Kanwaka Club. 6. The county grand champion beef heifer is exhibited by Jack Almstead. 7. Four Leaf Clover 4-H'ers enjoy play practice. They placed first at the County Spring Festival. 8. Neil Turner, a new member of the Jolly Juniors, shows his Hereford steer. 9. Marjorie Williams won a Sears gilt, and was county swine champion. 10. Jolly Juniors posed for a picture before broadcasting over the KLWN radio station. 11. Deal Six, county agent, has a cool drink on a club tour. 12. Charles and Joe Cole exhibit their garden which won county honors at the fair. 13. Caroline Wilbur was named junior leadership champion at the county fair. 14. Brotherly competition in the Holstein business are Kent and Larry Kalb. 15. The Jolly Juniors painted all the mailboxes in the community as their conservation activity. 16. Caroline and Elizabeth Wilbur team up to raise Duroc pigs. 17. Douglas County's top boys demonstration team are Newell Rodewald and Jay Newland. Their theme was "Safety is Patriotic."



1. The livestock judging contest gives everyone a chance to judge at the county fair. 2. Douglas County dedicated its new fairgrounds this summer. 3. "Proper Mixing of Cookies" is this demonstration by two members of the Cottonwood Club. 4. Kathleen Dunigan, county style revue champion, makes a quick adjustment before being introduced. 5. Erma Bailey wants her cousin to look his best in the shirt she made for him in complete costume. 6. These county campers are eager to get to Rock Springs Ranch. 7. Jay Newell shows his prize Angus heifer at the Douglas County Fair.

EDWARDS COUNTY

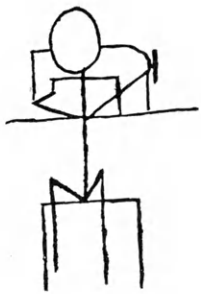
Edwards County had a very active year with many new and outstanding members. Some of the county-wide events were the county fair, achievement banquet, county camp, and 4-H achievement day. A county cherry pie baking contest was held. Another outstanding event was the county-wide 4-H square dance and watermelon feed following the first night of the county fair, to which 4-H members, leaders, parents, and friends were invited. Leslie Frazier, the former county agent, was replaced by George Dunn in the middle of the year. Mrs. Jean Carlson is the home demonstration agent.



1. Part of the 47 4-H'ers who attended Southwest Camp. 2. Boyd Mudhenks, county beef champion, shown with buyers, Ed Lippoldt and Boyd Goston. 3. The Belpre Busy Bees food class on the club tour. 4. The Lucky Clover tour with members, parents and leaders. 5. Dianne Miller, county style revue champion and blue ribbon winner, at the State Fair. 6. Edwards County delegates and leaders en route to Round-up. 7. The Kinsley Livewires 4-H Club meeting. 8. The Belpre Busy Bees' model meeting.



1. The Sand Hill Hustlers county champion play. 2. The county composite model meeting. 3. The best project boys and girls were Don Elson, Judy Copp, Leona Aehmert and Noel Ory. 4. A tractor maintenance class. 5. Edwards County project champions for 1952.



ELK COUNTY

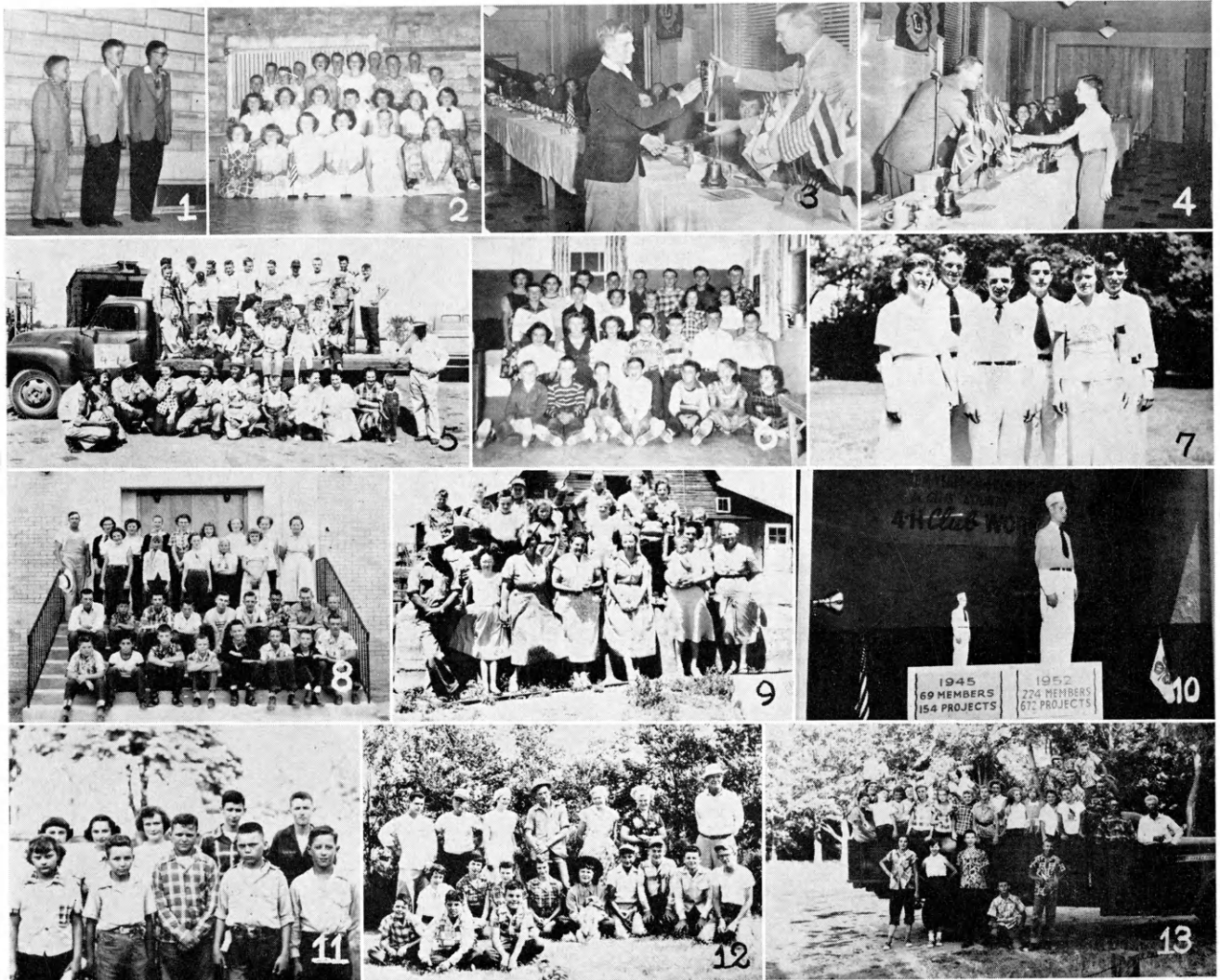
The 1951-52 4-H Club year in Elk County included some 260 4-H Club members. State-wide honors were won in the 4-H deferred fed steer sale at Kansas City in which ten Elk County 4-H'ers showed sixty-five head in competition. District festival competition at El Dorado in April found Elk County winning blue ribbons in both boy's and girl's demonstrations, model meeting, chorus, dramatics, and boy's and girl's promotional talks.



1. Cove Climbers 4-H Club conservation sign showing the 1951-52 officers gathered around the sign. 2. Howard Go-Getters plan their yearly program with the help of their leaders. 3. Jim Perkins was the district blue ribbon promotional talk winner at El Dorado in April. 4. Arlan Willich, Elk River Rambler, showing his county grand champion Angus steer at the Kansas State Fair in 1952. 5. Elk Falls Go-Aheads gathered in front of their community house for a project lesson meeting. 6. The Flint Hill Boosters 1952 officers standing in front of the fireplace which was the home beautification project of Jim Perkins. 7. Elk County Round-up delegation. 8. Richard Wilson was the district blue ribbon boys' demonstration winner at the El Dorado festival. 9. Part of the seventy 4-H'ers and leaders who attended the annual county 4-H camp. 10. Juanita Esch, project achievement girl, receiving the WIBW Service Award on behalf of the Moline Shining Star 4-H Club. 11. Elk County state 4-H deferred steer champions grouped in front of the Livestock Exchange Building in Kansas City. 12. Howard Go-Getter's blue ribbon play. 13. Moline Shining Star blue ribbon folk dance group who competed at the district festival in El Dorado.

ELLIS COUNTY

Two hundred and twenty-four Ellis County 4-H members climaxed the year's 4-H work with a 4-H banquet sponsored by the Hays Lions Club. This was the largest 4-H achievement banquet ever held in Ellis County. Over three hundred persons attended. Club members took part in 4-H Club days, Round-up, American Royal, county and state fairs, State Health Camp, Conservation Camp, Junior Leadership Camp and county and district camps. Jewell O. Gebhart is the only agent in the county.



1. Stanley Irvin, Donald Binder and James Philip enter the best groomed boy contest. 2. The East Star 4-H Club members. 3. Ronald Wellbrock receives the county champion dairy award. 4. Tommy Pfeifer receives the county wheat champion award. 5. A group of the Buckeye Junior Farmers 4-H Club at its annual 4-H Club tour and picnic. 6. The Saline Valley 4-H Club members. 7. Ellis County delegates to the annual 4-H Club Round-up at Manhattan. 8. Good Hope 4-H Club members get together for their annual tour. 9. The Busy Beavers 4-H Club group. 10. A progress booth during Progress Week at Hays. 11. A younger group of Ellis County 4-H'ers at camp at Hays. 12. Some of Winners 4-H Club members on a club tour. 13. Victoria 4-H Club members on a picnic.

FINNEY COUNTY



Some of the highlights of the 4-H Finney County Club members were winning of the Camp Miniwanca trip by Marjorie Gigot, and attendance at Co-op's recreation camp by Jack Wise, Billy Woodward, Arlene Dunkelberg and Margaret Drussell. Finney County members were thrilled when it was announced that they had won the Kansas Bankers' trophy for having the most outstanding group at Round-up. The largest Chamber of Commerce chicken fry ever to be held was presented at the fairgrounds with over 600 businessmen, 4-H families and friends attending. Honor also came to Finney County at the first 4-H talent show held in Wichita when Bobby and Gary Hering won top honor with their tap dance routine and a trip to the "Share the Fun" breakfast in Chicago. Climaxing the year's activities was the presentation of honorary 4-H club membership to the Honorable Clifford R. Hope at the annual achievement party on November 17.



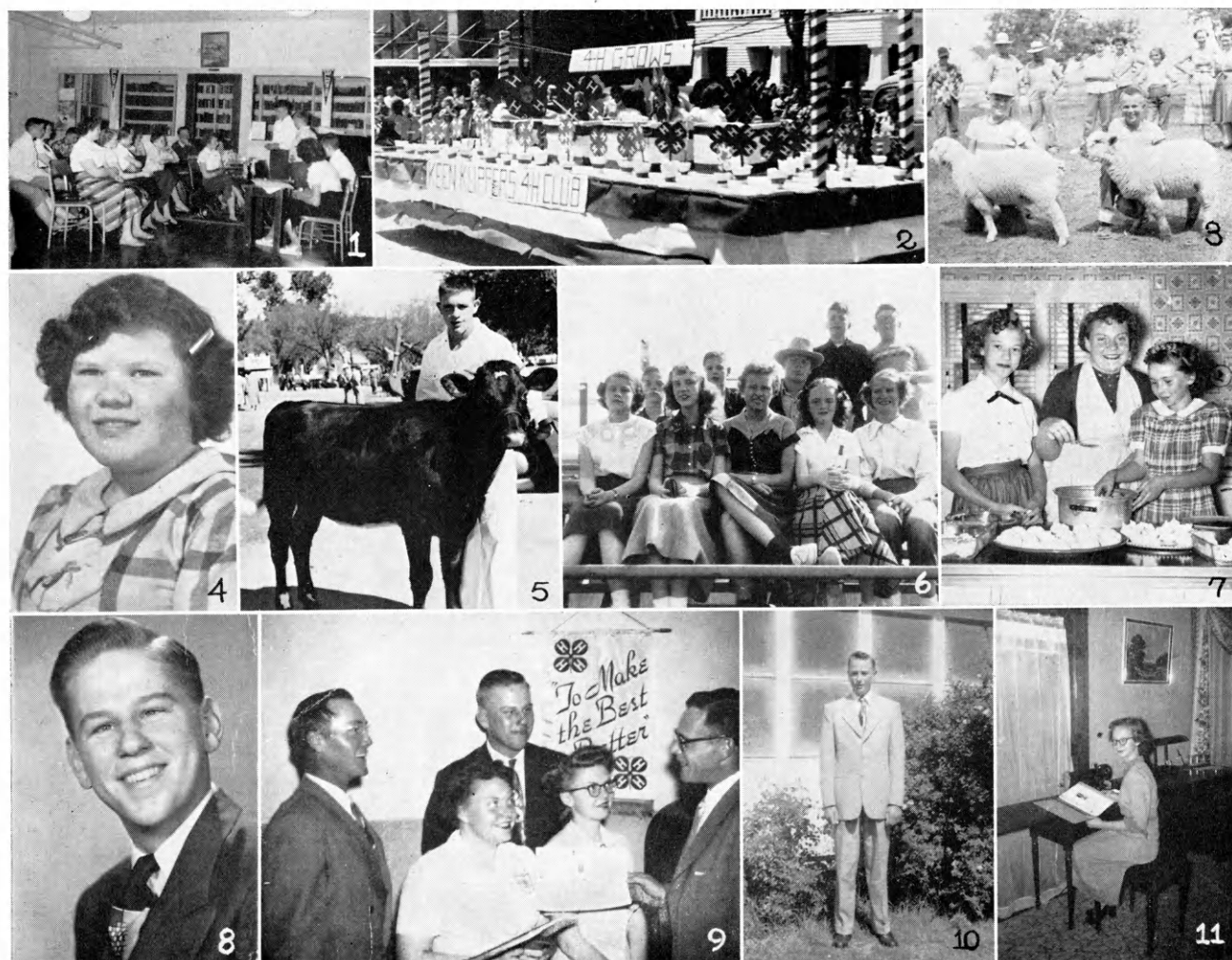
1. Whitney Hicks' pig project is being inspected on the Beacon Boosters tour. 2. The Beacon Boosters visit Nancy Hicks and her deferred-fed Hereford steers on the 4-H tour. 3. A Sears gilt project is shown off to the Beacon Boosters on their tour. 4. Lloyd Powell leads brother Larry's calf at the fair. 5. Members and leaders of the Friend Flyers pose at a stop on their fall tour. 6. Linda Kay Brown leads her grand champion baby beef in the sale ring at the fair. 7. Members listen as Walter Selby explains the care of the air cleaner at the district tractor maintenance school, Dodge City. 8. Donnie and Ronnie Roth pose with their calf in the fair sale ring. 9. Duane Worf, Beacon Boosters, displays the valance board he made in home improvement. 10. Whitney Hicks shows his reserve champion baby beef to purchaser R. N. Downie. 11. The boys look on as a dairy heifer is clipped at the fitting and showing school. 12. Wayne Wise "sets up his calf" on the club tour. 13. Happy Hustlers members admire the foods prepared by Greta and Teresa DeRemus.



1. Duane Vaughn and Don Dumler serving at the Round-up banquet. 2. Dwight and Lorna Milner proudly show their irrigated garden project on the Lincoln Livewires tour. 3. Louetta Goss and Wanda Jean Hays show some of their projects on the Happy Hustlers tour. 4. Mada and Loren Lee Cronin in their garden on the Go Getters tour. 5. The Beacon Boosters visit a garden project on their tour. 6. The Wide Awake food preparation project meeting. 7. Leon Betts, Friend Flyers, with his Hereford heifer. 8. Tommy Lippert, Go Getters, shows his sow and litter project on their tour. 9. Darrell Goss, Happy Hustlers, leads his baby beef into the sale ring. 10. Vernon Schweer, Happy Hustlers, leads his baby beef into the sale ring. 11. Gary Jarmer, Happy Hustlers, is about to sell his baby beef. 12. Elvin and Irvin Caldwell giving their prize winning tractor maintenance demonstration. 13. Larry Kliesen, Up and Atom, displays his room improvement project. 14. Bob and ary Hering, winners in the state talent show contest, were Chicago Trip winners to "Share the Fun Breakfast." 15. Marcille Brown and Judy Phipps give their food demonstration. 16. Marjorie Gigot, Frances Russell, and Jean Goodman baking their cherry pies at the first annual county contest. 17. Leaders on K. P. at Finney-Gray-Meade Camp. 18. A scrap drive is conducted by the Beacon Boosters Club. 19. 4-H'ers watch as county agent, Oscar Norby, clips a dairy heifer at the fitting and showing school. 20. J. Harold Johnson, state club leader, pins honorary membership pin on Congressman Clifford R. Hope at 1952 achievement party. 21. Time out for some cherry pie during the Beacon Boosters scrap collecting day. 22. Camping time is swimming time at Southwest Camp.

FORD COUNTY

The 15 4-H Clubs in Ford County added another chapter to the "4-H Story" during 1952. There were 319 club members enrolled in 690 projects which were valued at \$117,000. Out of this number of club members, 304 members completed one or more projects during the year. Of course, the actual value received from club work during the year is only partially indicated by the accomplishments in the various projects. Club members, during the year, participated in other activities and events such as the following: contests in model meetings, demonstrations, promotional talks, folk games, dramatics, music, and judging in home economics, live-stock, dairy, and poultry; cherry pie baking contests in which Barbara Zink of the Richland Boosters Club placed second in the state; the county-wide 4-H Sunday held in Wright Park; the 4-H fair in Bucklin with over 1,092 entries by the 4-H'ers; the 4-H achievement banquet held in the First Methodist Church in Dodge City with more than 375 club members, leaders, and guests attending; the county 4-H camp; the Southwest and State Fairs; the district tractor maintenance clinic; and the deferred fed steer show and sale in Dodge City to name only a few of the events and activities participated in by the Ford County 4-H Club members.



1. Members of the Bloom Busy Bees 4-H Club present their model meeting at the county 4-H Club day. 2. The Keen Klippers 4-H Club demonstrate how 4-H Club work grows with their float in the Boot Hill Fiesta Day parade. 3. Members and leaders of the Wilburn Willing Workers 4-H Club look on as Teddy Waters and Garry McKissick exhibit Garr's market lambs. 4. LaDonna Dirks was selected as the county champion in the safety activity in Ford County for 1952. 5. Duane Million exhibits his milking Shorthorn dairy heifer which received a blue ribbon and placed second in its class at the State Fair. 6. The above members of the Keen Klippers 4-H Club participated in the Garden City livestock and home economics judging school on April 18. 7. Barbara Martin, junior leader in the Wright Wonder Workers 4-H Club, conducting a foods project meeting as a part of her junior leadership work. 8. Dean Dowling was chosen as county champion in the grain marketing activity during 1952. 9. Raymond Snyder, Barbara Martin, Dean Dowling and Barbara Zink are presented the Key Award by George Groneman, Cities Service Co. representative, at the 4-H achievement banquet in Dodge City. 10. Gary Flair was chosen as the winner of the best groomed boy contest at the county 4-H fair held in Bucklin. 11. Kay Anderson was selected as county champion junior leadership girl for 1952 in Ford County.



1. Original officers and leaders who served the club in these capacities are reinstalled at the 25th anniversary celebration of the DIY Juniors Club held in the Richland Valley school. 2. Forty-nine 4-H Club members attended the county 4-H camp held at the Southwest 4-H Camp. 3. Leroy Weddle was kept busy at the club's refreshment stand during the Ford County 4-H Club day. 4. Patsy Wasson, junior leader in the Prairie Schooners 4-H Club, presents a foods demonstration at the Ford County 4-H Club day held in Bloom. 5. The Richland Boosters 4-H Club made a repeat performance by being chosen the outstanding 4-H Club in Ford County again in 1952. 6. The Ford County 4-H Fair champion exhibitors were Marilyn Roenfeldt, Dorothy Slattery, Gary Cummings, Patsy Wasson, Gary Flair, Jolene Lembright, Glenn Unruh, Mary Lou Shelly and Bobby Ann Perrier. 7. Jolene Lembright models her outfit which won her the title of style revue champion of Ford County. 8. Mrs. Bert Anderson and daughter, Carolyn, greet Miss Elma Allen, IFYE delegate from Scotland upon her arrival in Dodge City. 9. Club members and leaders from Ford, Finney and Morton counties judging production classes of poultry at the district 4-H poultry judging school held in Dodge City.



ELLSWORTH COUNTY

Ellsworth County's 281 members in fifteen clubs had a good year in 1952. Donald Kozisek was named state wheat champion. The Lorraine home economics team was high at the Hays Judging Contest. About 350 4-H'ers, parents, leaders, and Lions Club members attended the Lions Club sponsored achievement banquet at Wilson. Pat Rolfs and David Essick were the Rotary sponsored American Royal delegates.



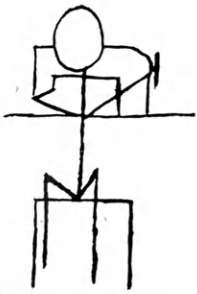
1. Loyola Club chorus at regional 4-H day. 2. David Essick and his champion steer which placed 6th in his class at the Western National Livestock Show in Denver. 3. Dale, Robert and Bruce Siemsen's 4-H livestock. 4. Jane Shoemaker and the steer she took to the State Fair and American Royal. 5. Round-up delegates at the agronomy farm. 6. Noble club members on tour look over the Anschutz boys' wheat. 7. Eager Beaver club members admire Richard Champagne's chickens. 8. Shirley Headley and her champion Holstein cow. 9. Campers at Hays—Karen Smischny, Marsha Zvolanek, Helen Loofbourrow, HDA, Frankie Toman, and Gerald Vodraska. 10. State Fair delegation Loretta Beagley, Louise Hudson, Lois Hudson, Jane Shoemaker, Shirley Headley, and Delbert Siemsen. 11. Donald Kozisek, state wheat champion and county council president. 12. Campers at Rock Springs—Mary Alice Foran, Darlene Moeller, Gwen Carter, Loyola Peterka, Gail Mickley and Patty Pfeiffer. 13. Wide Awake and Thompson Creek club members show their beef at the county tour stop. 14. Style revue reserve champion Joan Schroeder, Donald Anschutz, style revue champion Pat Rolfs, and Ralph Handlin. 15. Larry and Lois Slight show their garden. 16. Janet Svary and one of her Sear's pigs. 17. Potato champion Frankie Toman.

FRANKLIN COUNTY

In 1952, the 4-H membership of Franklin reached 495. These members were divided among the 20 clubs of the county. Ninety-six percent of these boys and girls completed their projects with a gross income of over \$200,000. Lois Ann Batdorf was state food preservation winner, and Jimmy Chambers won top state honors for his potato and garden project. The Acorn Rustlers 4-H Club received the Kellogg award for having one of the ten outstanding health activities of the state this year. The county council also received an award from the U. S. Rubber Co. for its recreation program. Each year the junior leaders' club of the county holds a picnic in honor of the businessmen of Ottawa and the community who help sponsor the county fair and the 4-H achievement day.

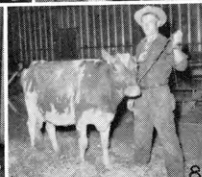
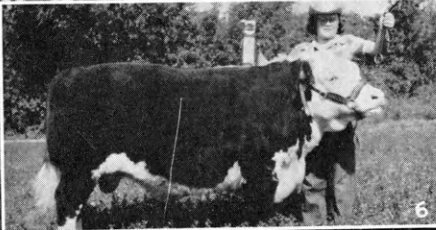


1. Franklin County Round-up delegation. 2. Lois Ann Batdorf was the state food preservation winner in 1952. 3. The winning hats in one of the contests held at the Miami-Franklin County party. 4. Eugene Morgan, Norman Lickteig, Bob Lickteig and Joe Piene were among Franklin County's representatives at the American Royal. 5. Dorothy Van Skike, assistant HDA, tells the Elm Leaf 4-H Club about her IFYE trip to England. 6. Central Valley 4-H Club entered a top-notch float at a local fair. 7. The Jayhawk 4-H Club on their tour. 8. The Junior Judges hard hittin' ball team which won second place in the county tourney. 9. The cooking project girls of the Junior Judges 4-H Club and their leader, Mrs. Jim Spooner, are pictured preparing part of their food to be used in their club food sale. 10. The Acorn Rustlers' 4-H booth was county fair champion and a blue ribbon winner at the State Fair. 11. Richard Neal and Dave Perkins proudly display their champion steers at the county fair. 12. The members of the Elm Leaf 4-H Club observe 4-H Sunday in a group with their leaders, Mrs. Arthur Hoopes and Ray Eversmeyer. 13. These busy 4-H girls take time from their project meeting to pose for the camera. 14. The junior leaders at 4-H Junior Leadership Camp. 15. John Raymond Milton stands in the midst of his soybean project. 16. The SHAFF ball team was the county tourney champion behind the fireball pitching of Dwight Wingert. 17. The top boy's demonstration at the county fair this year was a soil demonstration given by Jack VanHorn.



GEARY COUNTY

Geary County has 200 members, which is 50 percent of those eligible. The county Who's Who Club, made up of 35 junior leaders, handles the work of a county council. They plan the county model meeting contest, spring festival, basketball tournaments, tours, county fair, achievement party, 4-H social activities, judging contests, and other activities carried on a county-wide scale. The planning and directing of all of these events and activities give the junior leaders plenty of responsibility and opportunity to be of service to others and to their organization.



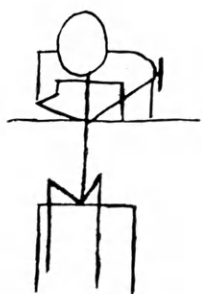
1. Adult leaders receive awards at the 4-H achievement party. 2. Cherry pie bakers Janice Caspar, Betty Boller, Marguerite Jahnke, Carol Rush and Dorothy Wahle. 3. Awarding of state Who's Who key awards to Geary County members. 4. County project champions in 1952. 5. Betty Boller and Arlene Fehlman, reserve and champions in the county style revue. 6. Judy Olson and her Hereford steer which topped the Hereford division at the Wichita Fat Stock Show. 7. Arlene Fehlman, county style revue, and Bruce Collins, best groomed boy champions. 8. Lee Taylor and his champion Guernsey at Topeka. 9. Phil Patterson and his saddle pony. 10. Geary County members attending Flint Hills District 4-H camp for members 14 years of age and older in July, 1952.

GOVE COUNTY

Gove County's 4-H program is enthusiastically supported by its four clubs with 150 members. Five baby beeves were taken to the State Fair as well as a number of crops, foods and clothing exhibits winning two blue, and eight red and white ribbons. Gove County representatives attended Round-up, the junior leadership camp and the conservation camp at Rock Springs and the county wheat champion went to the Kansas City Royal. Four members were admitted to membership in the Who's Who Club.

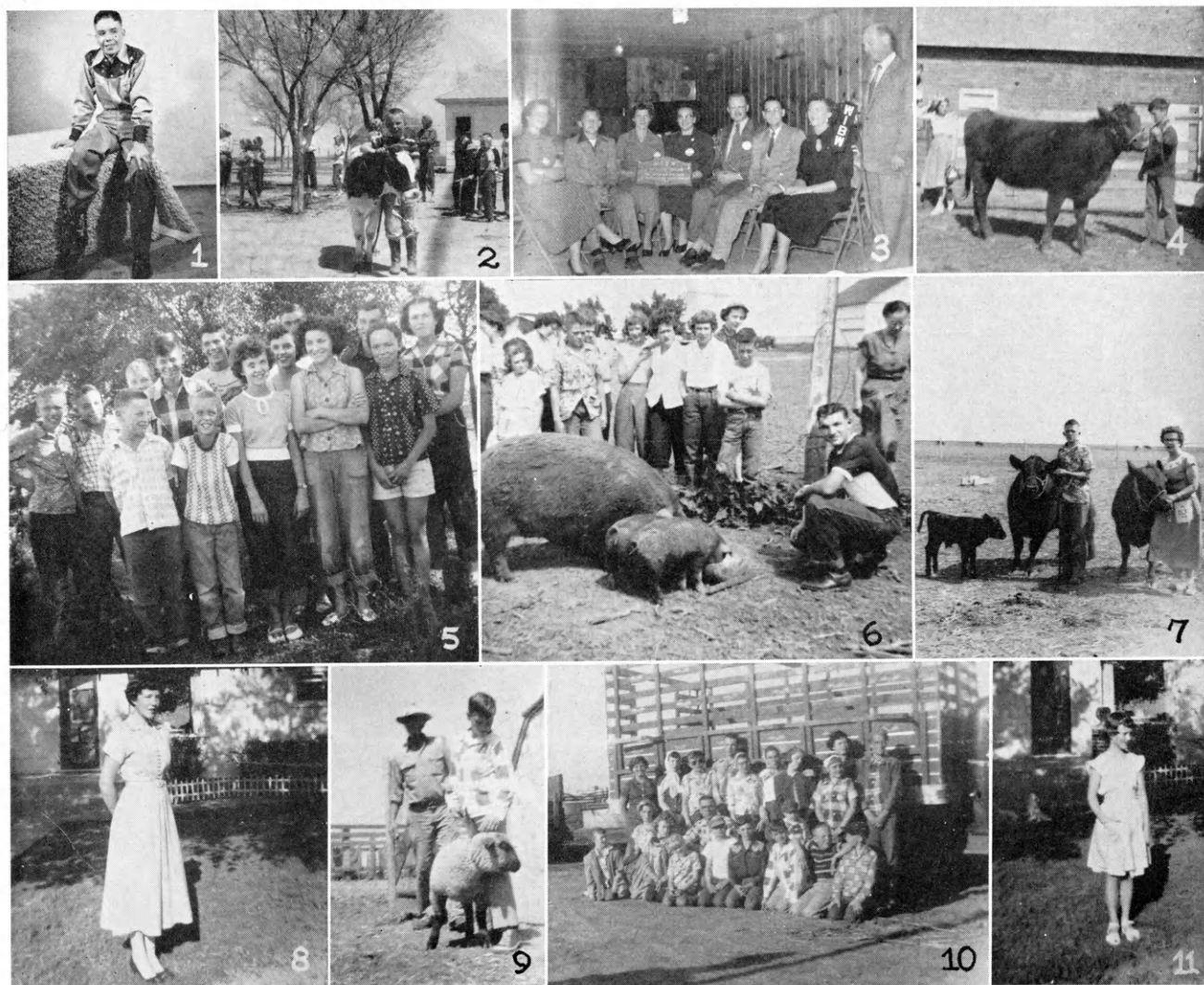


1. Gove County Who's Who members are Marjorie Hergitt, Boyd Tuttle, Norma Bollinger and Virgil Norton. 2. Ardis Boss was one of the high individuals in poultry with her capon project. 3. Gove County 4-H'ers line up their Hereford baby beef on achievement day. 4. Eleanor Katt, Ve-Go, displays her cooking and sewing projects. 5. Members of the Clover Leaf 4-H Club enjoy their club picnic. 6. Sandra Owens, shown here with her Angus heifer, is also one of Gove County's turkey raisers. 7. Joe Sutcliffe, Clover Leaf Club, had a fine garden project this year. 8. Jimmy Kaiser, Clover Leaf Club, and his horse eye the camera. 9. Mary Lou Norton showed her rabbit on tour day. 10. Aurilla Glick, Quinter 4-H Club member, shows her blue ribbon winning heifer. 11. Marjorie Hargitt, county home improvement champion, models her complete costume in her remodeled room. 12. Members of the Clover Leaf Club look at the garden of Tim Cheney, a fellow member. 13. Leonard Maxwell has a fine grip on his 4-H dairy heifer. 14. Max and Jay Wann, Quinter 4-H Club members, had a blue ribbon garden.



GRAY COUNTY

The 81 club members held a fine 4-H fair at Montezuma. County style revue champion, Cleta Mae Gallivan, was also champion at the Great Southwest Fair at Dodge City. The Sky High Club received the WIBW plaque for outstanding club work at the county achievement banquet. Louis Blackwelder, reporting winner, was presented a camera by the High Plains Journal of Dodge City.



1. Jimmy Egbert is vice-president of the newly organized Cimarron Rustlers 4-H Club. 2. This was Timmy McDaniels' first year in 4-H and he won a blue ribbon on his Holstein heifer. 3. Hilton Hodges presented the WIBW plaque for outstanding club work to the officers and leaders of the Sky High 4-H Club. 4. Danny Faulkner shows his Shorthorn heifer on the Ensign Boosters' tour. 5. Here are the members of the Ingalls Busy Bee Club. 6. Lloyd McCune shows members of the Sky High Club his gilt project. 7. Barbara Anton helps Bobby Blackwelder hold his registered Angus heifers. 8. Nonna Gaye Gallivan was one of the blue ribbon winners at the county fair. 9. J. C. Hayden and his father show his fat lamb during the club tour. 10. At the last stop on the Ensign Boosters tour, Sharon Phillips served hot cinnamon rolls. 11. Melva Loa Gallivan wears the apron she made for her project, learning to sew.

GRANT COUNTY

There were 135 club members enrolled in seven clubs and carrying 262 projects. These members had 53 entries at the county fair. Evelyn Haberman, IFYE delegate, was guest speaker at the achievement banquet, which 165 parents and 4-H'ers attended. Ulysses Co-op sponsored a trip to Hutchinson for all 4-H'ers. They viewed the Board of Trade and Co-op Terminal. Nineteen county champions were eligible to attend the American Royal, sponsored by Grant County Farm Bureau. Grant County won two regional championships, one for team demonstration, the other for model meeting.



1. Tommy Gray holding his county champion Hereford steer. 2. Shamrock 4-H Club on their spring tour. 3. Mrs. Ralph Young, sewing leader, shows Bernice Young a well-equipped sewing box. 4. Jerry Reusser, champion fitting and showing contestant at the county fair with his Hereford steer. 5. Grant County delegates talk to Senator and Mrs. Carl Huxman at Round-up. 6. Grant County 4-H'ers on trip to Hutchinson, sponsored by the Ulysses Co-op Oil and Supply Co. 7. Bearcreek Boosters met at the courthouse before starting their spring tour. 8. The Cimarron 4-H Club poses for the camera man while on their spring tour. 9. Ryus Rustlers just after their broadcast over KSCB, Liberal. 10. Bert Casey, Earl Fort, and county agent, part of the committee appointed to set up 4-H signs along the incoming highways. 11. Full-O-Pep 4-H Club stop for a picture after presenting their radio program. 12. Sunflower 4-H'ers pause during their tour for a picture.



HAMILTON COUNTY

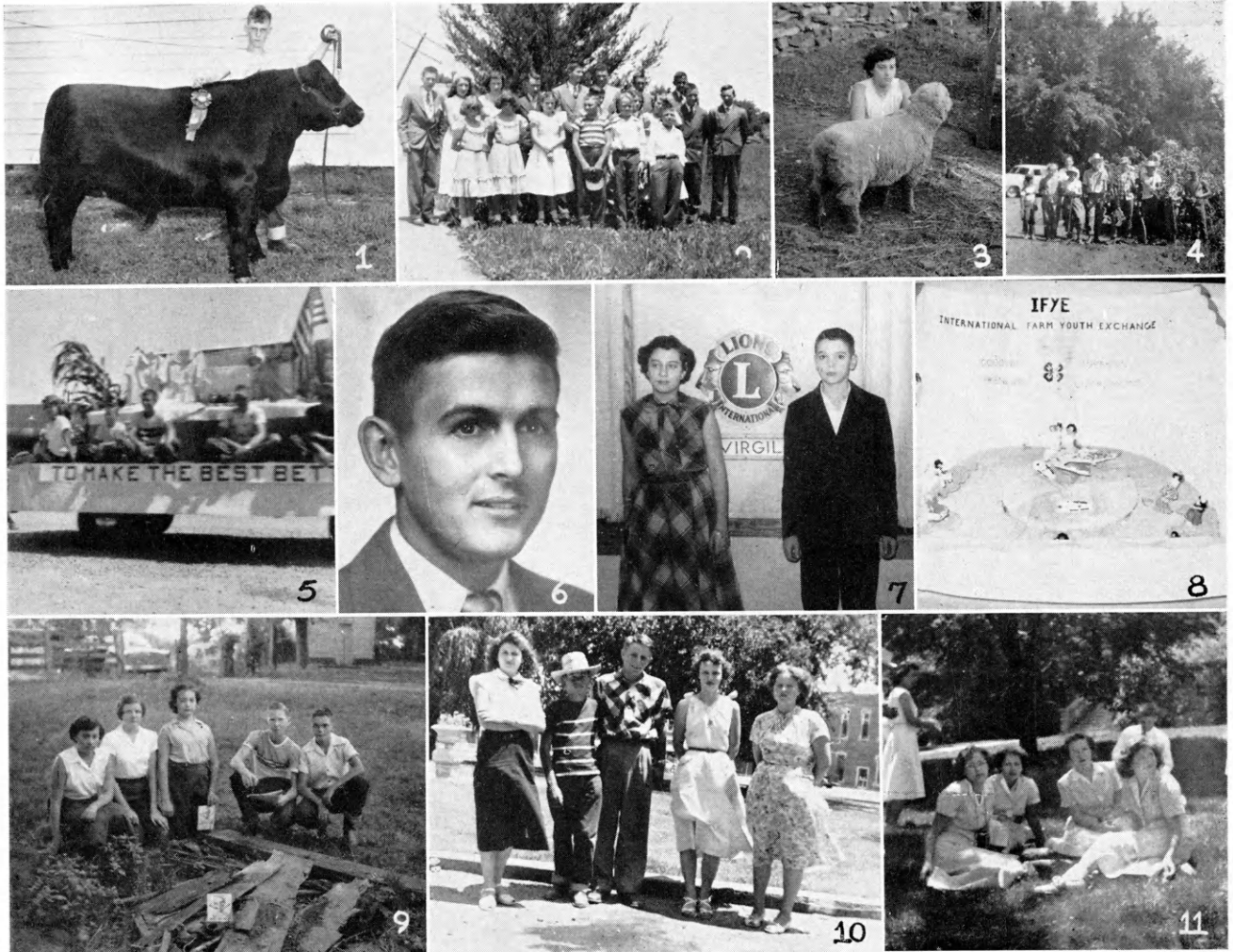
The three 4-H Clubs of Hamilton County climaxed the year's program with the annual 4-H banquet sponsored by the local Rotary Club. The 4-H Club members participated in club tours, judging contests, 4-H Sunday, Round-up, exhibited at the county and state fair, and attended all the state-wide camps.



1. Norman Eddy with his Hereford heifer. 2. Ronald Squire with his grand champion Hereford heifer. 3. Melvin Huser and his champion baby beef. 4. Roger Potter and his baby beef. 5. Jim Bendure with his grand champion Ayrshire heifer. 6. Round-up delegates were Betty Wilson, Mrs. Francis Rector, Melvin Huser and Velma Finkenbinder. 7. Dee Potter, Roger Potter, Jim Bendure and Ronald Squire entered the best groomed boy contest. 8. Kathleen Lindsey, Beverly Potter and Karen Thornburgh are well dressed for school. 9. Ronald Squire is receiving the Who's Who award. 10. Donna Marie Schroll, Lila Puckett, Marie Crotinger and Nell Squire are dressed for special occasions. 11. Arlan Huser was county beef champion with his blue ribbon baby beef. 12. The county champions were Juanita Fearn, Lila Puckett, Duane Rector, Martin Tomson, Ronald Squire and Velma Finkenbinder. 13. The style revue blue award group included Donna Bray, Nell Squire, Marie Crotinger, Beverly Potter, Lila Puckett, Velma Finkenbinder and Karen Thornburgh. 14. Dee Potter and his baby beef.

GREENWOOD COUNTY

The highlight of Greenwood County 4-H Club work was Harold Garner's award as a Chicago trip winner. Irlene Rawlings was an IFYE delegate to Scotland and the county council was instrumental in helping to raise her funds. We were host to two exchange delegates, Marie Jo Lomell, Luxembourg, and a boy from Turkey who spent time with Greenwood County 4-H'ers. Five hundred businessmen of Eureka were entertained and served a fried chicken picnic by the 4-H'ers and their families of the county. As you can see, the 294 members in our twelve clubs had no trouble finding enough projects and activities to keep them busy.

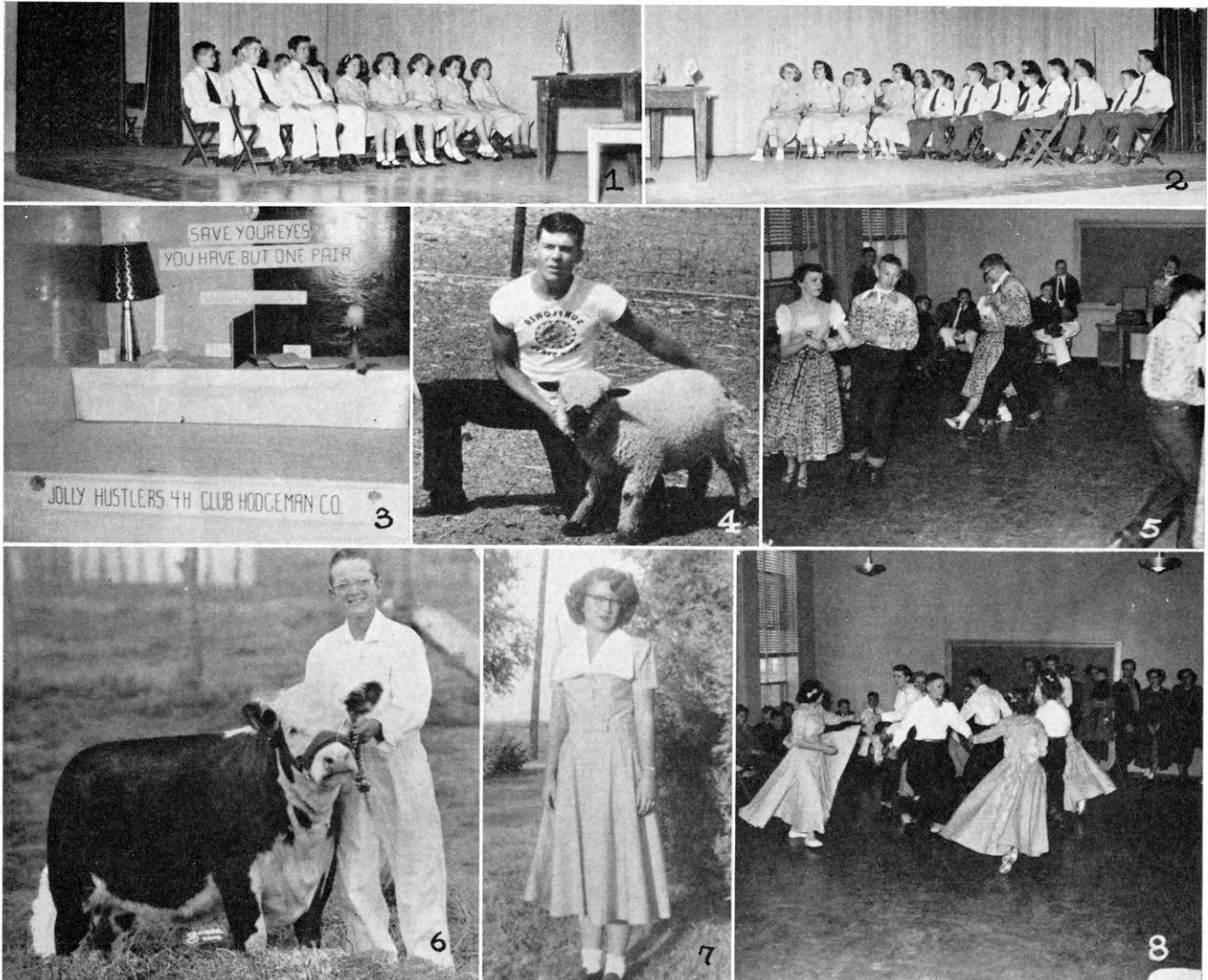


1. Louis Perrier exhibited the grand champion baby beef at the county fair, and later exhibited at the Wichita Fat Stock Show. 2. Harmony Sunflower 4-H held its sixth annual observance of National 4-H Club Sunday with all members attending church together. 3. Judith Fisher, V.V.V. Club, shows her state fair champion Shropshire ewe lamb. 4. The Madison Pace-Setters show how they cleaned the brush away from a bridge approach as part of their safety activity. 5. "To Make The Best Better" was the theme of the 4-H float entered in the Hamilton 4th of July celebration parade by Four Corners 4-H Club. 6. Santa Fe Award Chicago Trip winner, Harold Garner, served as president of the 4-H council and the county junior leadership club. 7. The Virgil Lions club sponsors a project achievement award to the members of the Verdigris Valley Vigilantes club. The award was presented to Judith Fisher and Bill Adare. 8. Grand champion booth at the county fair exhibited by Quincy Go-Getters 4-H Club in "IFYE" for goodwill, cooperation, friendship and understanding. Greenwood County's IFYE delegate was Irlene Rawlings, home economics junior at Kansas State. 9. Verdigris Valley Vigilantes 4-H'ers marked hazardous spots with a skull and cross bones as a part of their safety campaign. 10. County health winners, Marjorie Schmutz, Lamount Boosters 4-H, and Lowell Tucker, Bachelor Buttons 4-H, pose with a Butler County health delegate. 11. The seven delegates to Round-up included these four girls, Eleanor Olson, Charlene Esslinger, Evyonne Tucker, and Marjorie Schmutz.



HODGEMAN COUNTY

Two livestock shelters were built by 4-H'ers and parents this year on the newly established 4-H Fairgrounds. Funds were raised through contributions and the sale of fireworks. Membership jumped from 90 to 115 members and the county boasts a 95% completion record. Highlights in the year's program were the 4-H Fair, county camp and 4-H Round-up. The 292 projects completed show a \$16,285.27 profit. Hodgeman County 4-H'ers exhibited at the Great Southwest Fair, State Fair and the Wichita Fat Stock Show.



1. The Busy Bee Jrs. presented a very good model club meeting for 4-H Club Day. 2. Pawnee Valley Boosters presented an outstanding model club meeting at Club Day. 3. Champion booth at the Great Southwest Fair exhibited by the Jolly Hustler 4-H Club. 4. Gene Ball, president of the Pawnee Valley Boosters, won a Danforth scholarship to National Leadership Camp at Shelby, Michigan. He was one of the three boys representing Kansas. 5. Silverlake 4-H Club presenting the winning square dance at the county 4-H Club day. 6. Tommie Billings exhibits his heifer that was county champion and placed first in her class at the State Fair. 7. Sandra Jones was the style revue champion. 8. A very colorful and precise square dance presented by the Jolly Hustler 4-H Club.

HARPER COUNTY

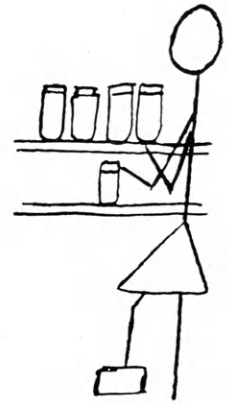
Don Hefley, county club agent, reports 299 members had 965 entries at the 4-H fair for a new high. Some of the other events participated in were: 4-H Sunday vesper service at the Anthony lake, judging contests, county camp, spring festival, and State Fair where Ray Tracy had the grand champion fat lamb and Dorothy Baker was high individual in the foods judging contest. Elizabeth Woner is the home demonstration agent and Roger Hendershot the county agent.



1. Pioneers give the 4-H building a "new green look." 2. Sydney Smith, Buccaneers, and her blue ribbon demonstration at the regional. 3. Forty-three Wide-A-Wake members invite visitors to Harper County. 4. D.I.Y. members look over Dwight Moore's heifer project. 5. Lyle and Harold Pearl show their Ayrshire heifer calves on the Wide-A-Wake tour. 6. County swine champion, Marvyn Stuckey, with his gilt. 7. Rogene Davis and the mare she received through the new mare program. 8. Regina and Ronnie Steward show their Guernseys on the Victory tour. 9. Phil Harmon shows the rest of the Buccaneers a fat steer. 10. Sunflower Club members and leaders at meeting. 11. Ray Tracy, with his grand champion fat lamb, at the Kansas State Fair. 12. Project achievement winners and alternate, Rogene Davis, Ray Tracy and Marcella Albright. 13. Winner of the state food judging contest, Dorothy Baker. 14. Tip Top girls tying up paper after the scrap paper drive. 15. Victory boys' cooking class of 12 members, all set for a wild game supper which they killed and cooked. 16. Runnymede Rustlers ready for their club tour.

HARVEY COUNTY

Harvey County had 343 4-H members in 12 clubs in 1952. This is one short of the record enrollment established in 1947. Gem and Pleasant had 100% record book completion. Thirty club members attended county camp at Rock Springs Ranch in June. Members also attended state health, conservation, junior leadership and rural life camps. Walton and Gem clubs were awarded purple seals for the year's work.



1. Gem-Go-Getters and project leader, Marvin Stein, sponsor a swine judging school for the clubs in the county. 2. The Burrton 4-H Club band can play a pretty tune! 3. The Dalton girls' trio won a trip to 4-H Round-up. 4. The Sedgwick 4-H Club cooking class is with their leader, Mrs. Hazen Stamback. 5. Jim Allen shows his fat lamb that won grand champion at the county fair. 6. Don Kater's Angus steer won reserve grand champion at the county fair. 7. Beverly Howard, outstanding exhibitor and reporter, is from the Burrton 4-H. 8. Here are the Gem-Go-Getters with their prize winning float. 9. County style revue champions were Sue Jean Robertson and Oren Voth. Reserve champions were Anne Campbell and Tommy Musick.



1. Jim Allen shows his grand champion fat barrow at the county fair. 2. Newton City Slickers wrapped Christmas cookies and gave them to the old folks home. 3. Mr. and Mrs. Clayton McClure have been leaders of the Richland Livewires 4-H Club for twelve years. 4. The Burrton community project was to erect a Christmas tree on main street. 5. Clayton Harms prepares his Ayrshire calf for the county fair. 6. Members of Walton 4-H who attended 4-H Sunday at the Walton church. 7. Brenda Boyle poses with her county grand champion Shorthorn steer. 8. Lawrence Voth was Walton 4-H president and county council president. 9. Curtis Welty, Burrton, exhibits his prize winning ewe. 10. Members of Lucky 13 and leader, Carl Kater, go on their summer project tour. 11. Members of Newton City Slickers display the outstanding club plaque they won this year. 12. Richland 4-H members clear a blind intersection for a safety project. 13. Richland 4-H on tour day.

HASKELL COUNTY

The 4-H program in Haskell County is steadily improving in 4-H membership and quality of work being done. Dwight Dunham, Alice Degenhart and Donald Moore were initiated in the State Who's Who Club at 4-H Round-up. The 4-H fair has become too large for our present accommodation and it is hoped that a new building will be ready by fair time this year. All county 4-H champions were taken to the American Royal with all their expenses paid by the Haskell County Farm Bureau.



1. Howard Degenhart who is the poultry champion of the county. 2. Imogene Slocum, Gladys Fay Bales, Dorothy Oliver, Gloria Langley, Jennie Unger, Evelyn Ward, Rose Mary Ward, and Barbara Ward modeling their aprons from first year sewing. 3. Alice Degenhart and Barbara Anton find friends from Montezuma at Round-up. 4. The banquet table at 4-H Round-up with Haskell County delegates in the foreground. 5. Donald Moore at Rock Springs during Round-up. 6. Donald Moore who is county champion in the deferred steer project. 7. Pictured are Howard Degenhart, county poultry champion, Jerry Walter, county wheat champion, Loretta Unruh, county cooking champion, DuWayne Patterson, county crop champion, Carol Jean Patterson, Danforth Award, and Dannell George, county best-groomed boy. 8. Jack Dunham who is the president of Colusa Go-Getters 4-H Club, and the secretary, Donna Hesser. 9. Mrs. Dolly Miller, Alice Degenhart, Jack Durham, and Donald Moore. 10. Steer trimmed up for show by Steven Wright. 11. Alice Degenhart and Pauline Hoskinson at the county 4-H fair. 12. Dennis Elliott, Steven Wright, Stewart Forney, and Freddie Smith. 13. DuWayne Patterson, who is the county crop champion and belongs to the Midland Milo 4-H Club, at the Kansas State Fair. 14. Alice Degenhart who is the county clothing champion. 15. (Back row) Mark Elliott, DuWayne Patterson, Jerry Walter, and Phil Unruh. (Front row) Fredys Miller, Loretta Unruh, Gladys Bales, and Edna Mae Alexander. 16. Dannell George who is the best dressed boy in Haskell County and at the Southwest Fair held in Dodge City. 17. Loy Anthony, Roy Oliver, Francis Miller, Dannell George who were best dressed at the 4-H fair. 18. Joe and Larry Dunham.



1. Members of the Colusa Go-Getters 4-H Club with their leaders, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson. 2. Alice Degenhart and LaMona Rucker. 3. Dannell George and Loy Anthony. 4. Dale Moore and Donald Moore, with their deferred steers. 5. Mark Elliott and Carol Patterson who are the most outstanding 4-H'ers in Haskell County, received the Danforth Award. 6. Jerry Walter who owns the champion Hereford heifer at the county fair held in Sublette. 7. Cooking girls at a party breakfast at the Patterson's. 8. Mrs. Dolly Miller, Alice Degenhart, Jack Dunham, Donald Moore, and Willis Blume. 9. Pauline Hoskinson who won the style revue at the Haskell County Fair.



JEFFERSON COUNTY

The county 4-H fair was a big success with over 1,000 entries in the new 4-H fair building which was completed one week before fair time. Eighty-seven entries were made at the Topeka Free Fair and top honors were won by the home economics judging team. Thirty entries were made at the Hutchinson fair. Betty Frakes was encampment sweepstake gold medal winner and Marjorie Hamon second high clothing judge. The St. Joseph Interstate Show was participated in with individual and carlot entries as well as home economic entries with many high placings. The foods judging team placed first.



1. Frank Strauss, German exchange student, is a member of the Valley Victors Club. 2. The sheep judging contest at Valley Falls fair had many contestants. 3. The August Noll family baby beef projects are exhibited by Don, Marcelene, Merle, Charles, and Daryl Noll. 4. Hereford heifer champions were June Reichartand and Daryl Becker. 5. Bob and Las Domann pose their baby beeves for the camera. 6. Mooney Creek 4-H Club members line up on their project tour. 7. The foods judging team, Betty Jarvis, Lois Nichols, Jeanette Hamon, won first at Topeka. 8. Paul Hensleigh showed his champion barrow at the St. Joseph show. 9. Geraldine and June Colhouer display their 4-H yard sign. 10. The Kramers and their baby beef are Eugene, Connie and Verda Mae Kramer. 11. Tom Frisbie and Geraldine Fritz were the Grantville health delegates. 12. Grantville observed 4-H Sunday. 13. The Meriden 4-H Club had a Christmas party. 14. Dunavant girls with project work are Shirley Rogers, Alice Pitts, Barbara Cummings, and Dorothy Hannah. 15. The county tractor maintenance champion was Tom Frisbie. 16. Here are five entrants from the Prosperity Club at the county fair.

JACKSON COUNTY

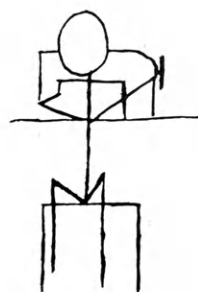
Jackson County had fourteen clubs with a membership of 330. Ninety-one percent of the members completed their projects. Lynn Bartlett was selected as a representative to the American Youth Foundation Camp at Shelby, Mich. Ten members were selected to Who's Who. This has been one of Jackson County's most successful years.



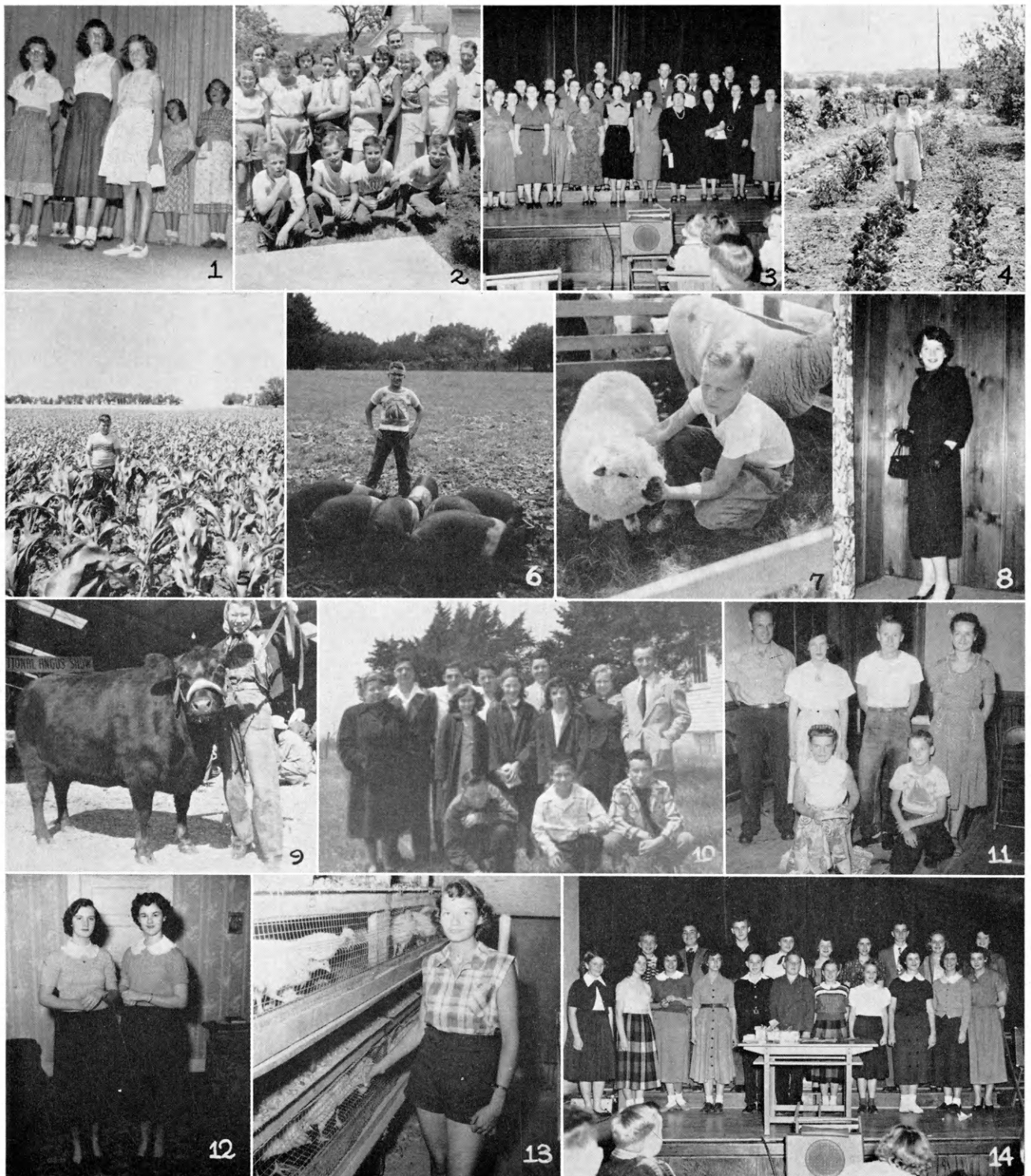
1. Harold Walker and the Mayetta Mustangs on club tour. 2. Keith and Kenneth Gilliland and some of their Jerseys. 3. Sunshine Winners float at the Jackson County Fair. 4. The Denison Builders' blue ribbon booth at the Topeka Free Fair. 5. The Lucky Sunflower float at the county fair. 6. The Hoyt Livewires on their club tour. 7. Earl Stevens and Beautena, the Ayrshire calf he won at the Jackson County Fair. 8. Wanda Salts was the county cherry pie contest winner. 9. Pleasant Valley Rustlers in front of Holton Hospital after having blood typed. 10. Alma Jean Klahr, Happy-Go-Lucky, was county junior leadership champion. 11. Joyce Rawlins was the county style revue champion. 12. Nine of the 10 key award winners received awards from City Service at the achievement banquet.

JOHNSON COUNTY

In 1952 the 15 4-H Clubs of Johnson County had an enrollment of 330 members, 80 percent of whom completed their projects satisfactorily. Recognition came to the county when the dairy foods demonstration team, Carolyn Files and Janie Haskin, Zion Zippers 4-H, received state championship honor and a gold wrist watch as awards. One new club, Greenwood Meadowlarks, was organized with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kochersperger as leaders.



1. Gary Richardson, Pioneer 4-H, and his registered Holstein heifer. 2. Bernie Miller, Greenwood Meadowlarks, and his swine project. 3. Larry Justice's "Dynamite." 4. A judging school session at the Glenn Wiswell farm. 5. Warren Moore, Gardner Gremlins 4-H, and one of his projects. 6. The Stanley Buccaneers' tour stopped to look at the Colson boys' Holstein cows. 7. Larry Green, Gardner Gremlins 4-H, with his third year dairy cow. 8. Lanesfield Hummers on their tour have just viewed Wayne Knabe's wheat in the background. 9. Betty Moore, Gardner Gremlins 4-H, with her heifer that won first prize at the county fair. 10. 1952 Johnson County Round-up delegates, leader and agents. 11. 1953 4-H council officers with their extension agent: Front row, left to right: Maan Dedrick, Patsy Dunlap, Barbara Mills. Back row, left to right: Ted Colson, Hugh Hannagan and Franklin Lane. Seated, Harold Eversmeyer, club agent. 12. The Stanley Buccaneers 4-H Club viewing LeRoy and Eddie Young's deferred fed calves. 13. A group of Gardner Gremlins 4-H clothing project girls modeling their dresses and aprons on achievement day. 14. Harmony 4-H members attending church together on 4-H Sunday. 15. A group of 4-H members, Merry Workers Unit and Gardner Unit, who helped paint the inside and outside of the Johnson County 4-H home economics building at Gardner, Kansas. 16. The girls and Miss Brenner at the State Fair encampment. 17. Danny Peters, Antioch 4-H, with his beef heifer.



1. Learning to sew winners at the county fair. 2. Antioch 4-H tour. 3. 1952 4-H community and project leaders. 4. Georgia Dana, Pioneer 4-H. 5. Robert Barthol, Pioneer 4-H. 6. Bobby Hughes, Stanley Buccaneer 4-H, and his pig project. 7. Roger Kirts, Antioch 4-H, and his ewe and lamb. 8. Barbara Mills, Harmony 4-H, style revue winner. 9. Betty Moore, Gardner Gremlins 4-H, and her Angus. 10. Pioneer 4-H Sunday. 11. Officers and leaders of Greenwood Meadow Larks. 12. Janie Haskin and Carolyn Files, 1952 state dairy foods demonstration team, Zion Zippers 4-H. 13. Margaret Foote, Antioch 4-H, and her turkeys. 14. 1952 county champions.

KEARNY COUNTY



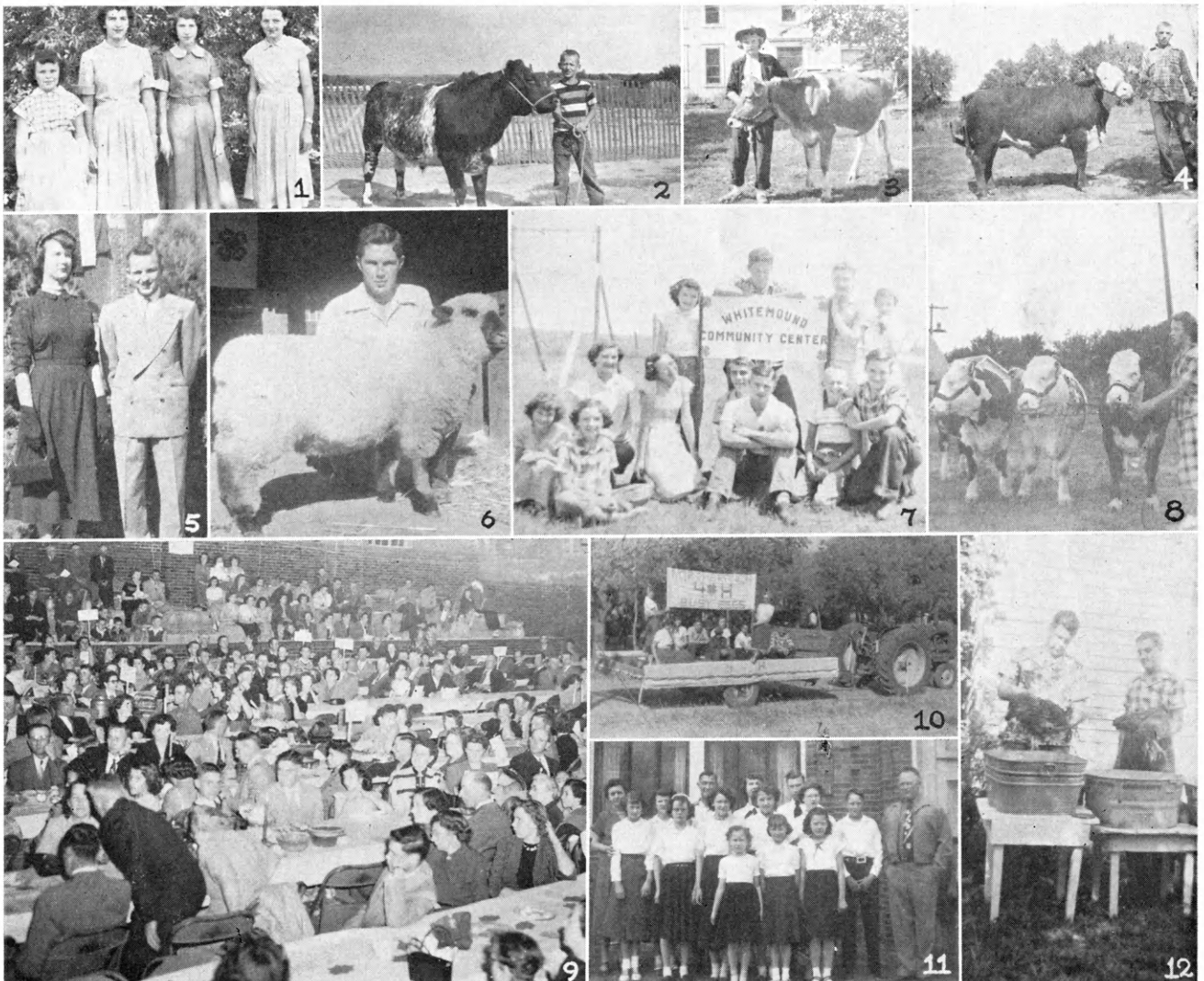
The Prairie View 4-H Club of Kearny County was honored in 1952 by receiving one of the demonstration invitations to annual Round-up, and an invitation to take part in the State Chorus Camp held in connection with Round-up. Also, their reporter, Dave Brownlee, received second place award in the state news writing activity. With 102 members carrying 239 projects, 397 exhibits were shown at the county fair and 35 at the State Fair. Club members participated in the Garden City and Hays judging schools, Round-up, four state camps, State Fair, and the National Western Livestock Show.



1. These girls from the Peppy Workers 4-H Club modeled clothes suitable for 4-H members in a demonstration prepared and presented by Sharon Taylor, Mrs. V. J. Rice and Anna Ploeger (three in front). 2. Southwest Kearny 4-H members give a square dance on one of the floats in the rodeo parade. 3. The younger members of the Peppy Workers 4-H Club present a square dance for their 4-H Club day number. 4. Karen Rixon, Leta McCue and Lois McCue, Pioneer 4-H Club members, display some home economics accomplishments on their annual club tour. 5. Kearny County delegates to the 1952 annual 4-H Round-up. 6. Foods members of the Peppy Workers 4-H Club entertain their parents and other members of their club at a picnic. 7. Members of Peppy Workers 4-H Club were hosts to the Southwest Kearny 4-H Club on their annual project tour. 8. Doris Loeppke, Sunset 4-H Club, received a red ribbon at the State Fair for this demonstration. 9. Members of the Prairie View 4-H chorus received a blue rating at the district club day and took part at the state chorus camp held in connection with Round-up. 10. Parents of Southwest Kearny 4-H members assist in developing a recreation area in their community. 11. Norma Ann Trussell, Southwest Kearny 4-H Club, was named 1952 Kearny County style revue champion. 12. Marilyn Maddux and Betty De Keyser, Prairie View 4-H Club, presenting their demonstration at the 1952 annual 4-H Round-up. 13. Marie Jensen, Southwest Kearny 4-H Club, received a two-year-old mare from Mr. R. B. Christy, Scott City, Kansas, to be used in the 4-H saddle horse project. 14. Lois McCue, Mrs. Ivan Duvall and Ronald Trussell were Kearny County delegates to 1952 state health camp.

JEWELL COUNTY

The 16 clubs in Jewell County with an enrollment of 286 had over 1,000 entries in the county 4-H fair. Over 50 blue ribbon winners at the county fair went to the State Fair at Hutchinson. Jewell County had the grand champion fat steer at the Topeka Fair in September. In the fall 600 parents, leaders, and 4-H Club members attended the annual achievement banquet, held in the high school gymnasium. The 4-H'ers attended Round-up in May.



1. Sharon Voboril, Virginia Kindler, Carol Thummel and Patricia Cochran model their clothing projects. 2. Donnie Fogo with his fat steer at the county 4-H fair. 3. Deanna Ross shows her Guernsey heifer to the rest of the White Rock Valley Club on the club fall tour. 4. John Ross and his Hereford steer project. 5. Style revue champion, Shirley Howe, and best groomed boy, Frank Langer, at the county fair. 6. Eldon Hollern and his county grand champion fat lamb. 7. Members of the Whitemound Builders around the new sign marking their remodeled meeting place. 8. Donna Ferguson with calves belonging to her and her brother Dale. 9. Part of the parents, leaders and club members attending the 1952 Jewell County achievement banquet. 10. Members of the Northbranch Busy Bees advertise their club in a local celebration. 11. Members and leaders of the White Rock Hustlers Club at the county 4-H Club day in Mankato. 12. State Fair blue ribbon demonstration winners, Eldon Hollern and Melvin Silsby of the Whitemound Builders practice their demonstration.



KIOWA COUNTY

Monte C. Clark, county agricultural agent, reports 103 members in six clubs. These members completed 204 projects besides participating in junior leaders' and safe drivers' clubs. Activities included Round-up, State Fair, district camp, health camp, junior leadership, and conservation camps at Rock Springs, county and regional 4-H Club days.



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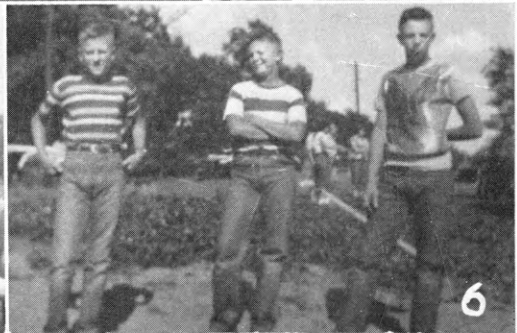
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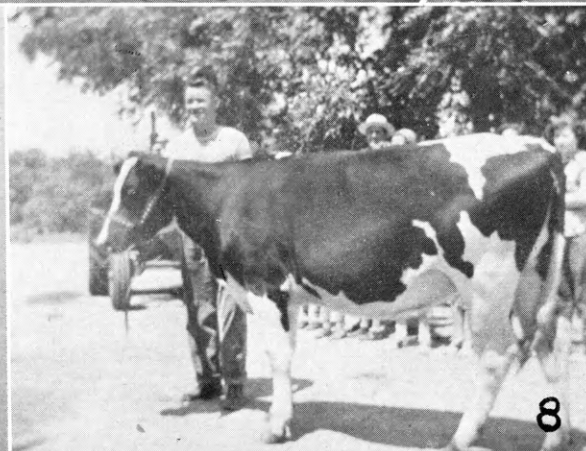
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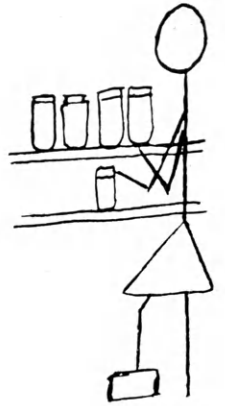
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1. Philip Rush was an outstanding county 4-H'er. 2. Kenneth McFadden was Kiowa County's outstanding 4-H'er. 3. Janie and Eunice Rinkel showing off their swine projects on the club tour. 4. Pauline Binford was county food preservation champion. 5. Unique Rustlers on a club tour. 6. Wayne, Keith and Philip Rush on the club tour in their garden project. 7. Celia Ralstin, general home economics champion, was also an outstanding county 4-H'er. 8. Paul Binford, dairy achievement and sorghum champion, showing off one of his Holstein heifers on the club tour. 9. Eunice Rinkel, exhibits her cake on the club tour.

KINGMAN COUNTY



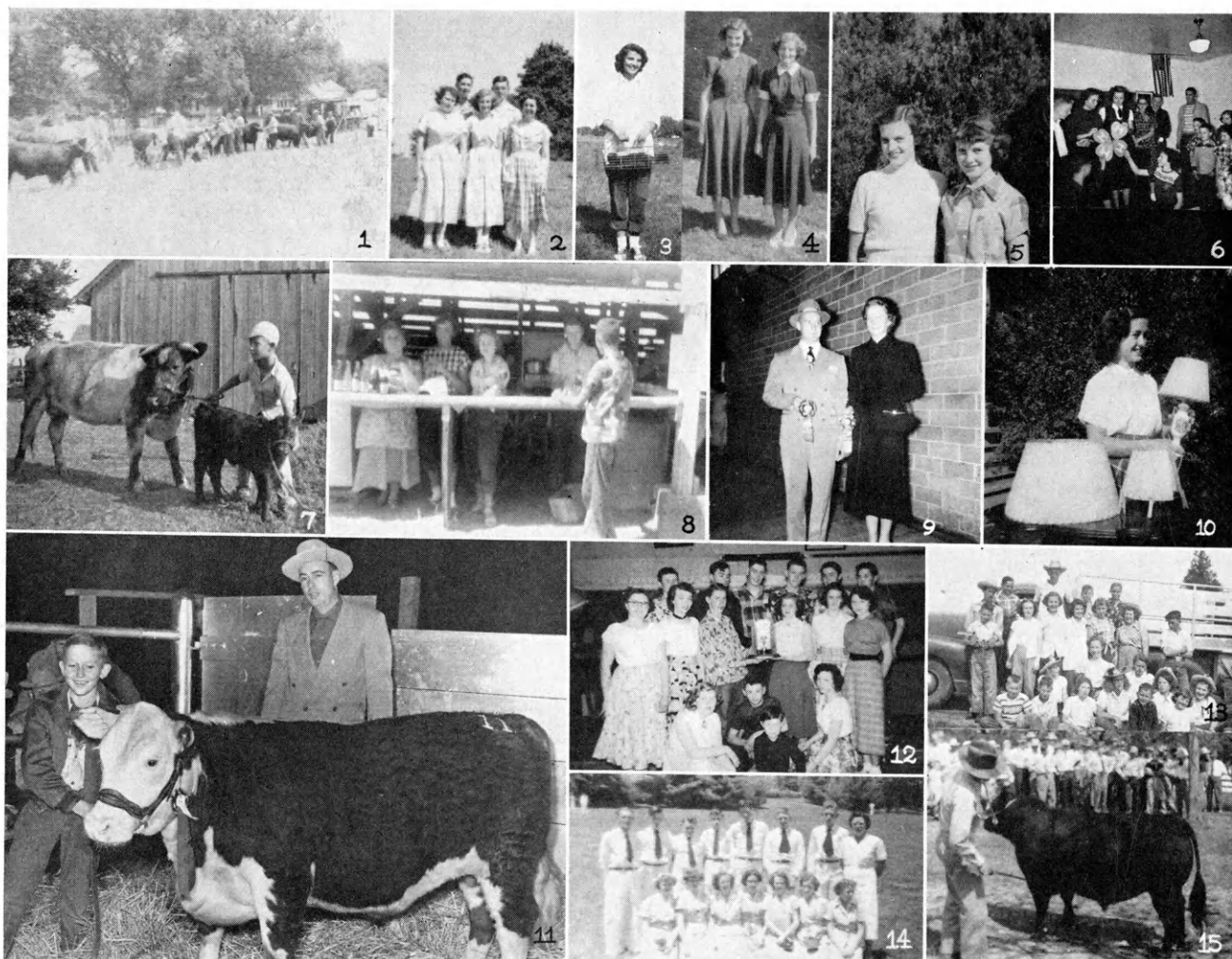
Kingman County 4-H'ers learned of the difference in living conditions and types of agriculture that exist in another part of the world when Fred Jackson, an IFYE from New Zealand, stayed with the E. C. Lindholm family while in Kingman County. The county 4-H council was reorganized to better serve as the guiding hand of the 4-H Clubs. Council meetings are held each month with one 4-H Club being responsible for the entertainment or recreation and another club provides the refreshments. Kingman County 4-H members took part in many out-of-county events, such as the state cherry pie contest, younger 4-H camp at Hays, district home economics, livestock, and grain judging school at Hays, 4-H Round-up, state health camp, older youth camp at Rock Springs Ranch, junior leadership, soil conservation and wild life camp, State Fair, American Royal, and Fat Stock Show at Wichita. The county-wide 4-H parties were held with over 400 attending.



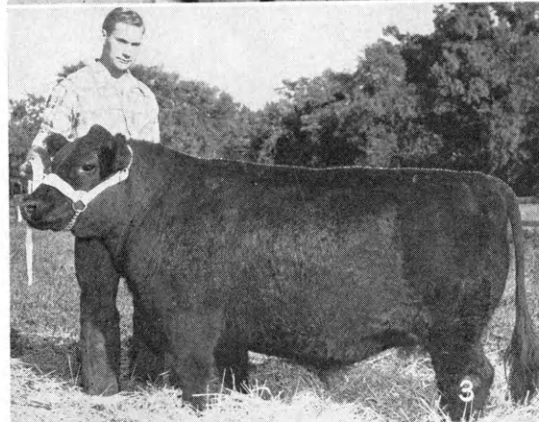
1. Joe Beat and his Duroc gilts. 2. The Belmont 4-H community service project. 3. Leonard White of Vinita 4-H and his sheep. 4. Teresa Beat shows her duck project to the Willowdale 4-H'ers on their spring tour. 5. Nashville 4-H girls and their clothing projects. 6. The Alloway twins, Jerry and Terry, and their little sister. 7. The Adams 4-H float placed third at the county fair. 8. Mrs. Gladys Dixon, project leader of the Hawk 4-H Club, and her class. 9. The Zenda Zoomer junior leaders and officers. 10. Wayne Blumanhourst and some of his tall corn. 11. Posters for a blue ribbon booth at the county fair are displayed by Carolyn McCoy. 12. Roland VanGieson and his Hereford heifer. 13. Earl Wineinger pictured with some honey from his bee project was county project achievement boy. 14. The Hawk 4-H Club booth at the county fair.

LABETTE COUNTY

Labette County had a state champion in 1952, Lester Phillips, who received a trip to Chicago for outstanding achievement in his gardening project; he also received a trip to Royal Conference for outstanding achievement in the brooding project. At the State Fair in Hutchinson Labette County was represented by many fine exhibits and teams. Francis Grillot, Jr., was sweepstakes winner and also second high individual in the dairy judging contest; Lester Phillips was third high individual in the poultry judging contest; Delores Pilkington gave her demonstration at the State Fair; Carl Jones and Wymetta Bougher competed in the best groomed boy and girl contest. Labette County had 520 4-H Club members to be ninth high in the state. Projects were worth a total of \$97,789.68.



1. Spring 4-H baby beef show. 2. Group that attended Junior Leadership camp at Coffeyville. 3. Fran Miller and her mink, spring 1952 4-H tour. 4. Barbara Jean Unruh, county health champ, and Bunny Robinson exhibit their blue ribbon dresses. 5. Health champions—Barbara Unruh, over 14, and Sue Cunningham, under 14. 6. Altamont Rooters 4-H Club initiating new members. 7. Richard Nickol's heifer project. 8. 101 Go-Getters' concession stand at Labette County Fair at Oswego. 9. County champions in best groomed girl and boy contest. 10. Lamp shade demonstration which Delores Pilkington gave at Kansas State Fair. 11. Larry Richardson's grand champion steer which sold for .87 a pound at the Parsons Fall Festival. 12. Sunflower 4-H square dancers with their trophy. 13. Snow Creek Pals 4-H Club on spring tour. 14. Round-up delegates. 15. Fitting and showing demonstration.

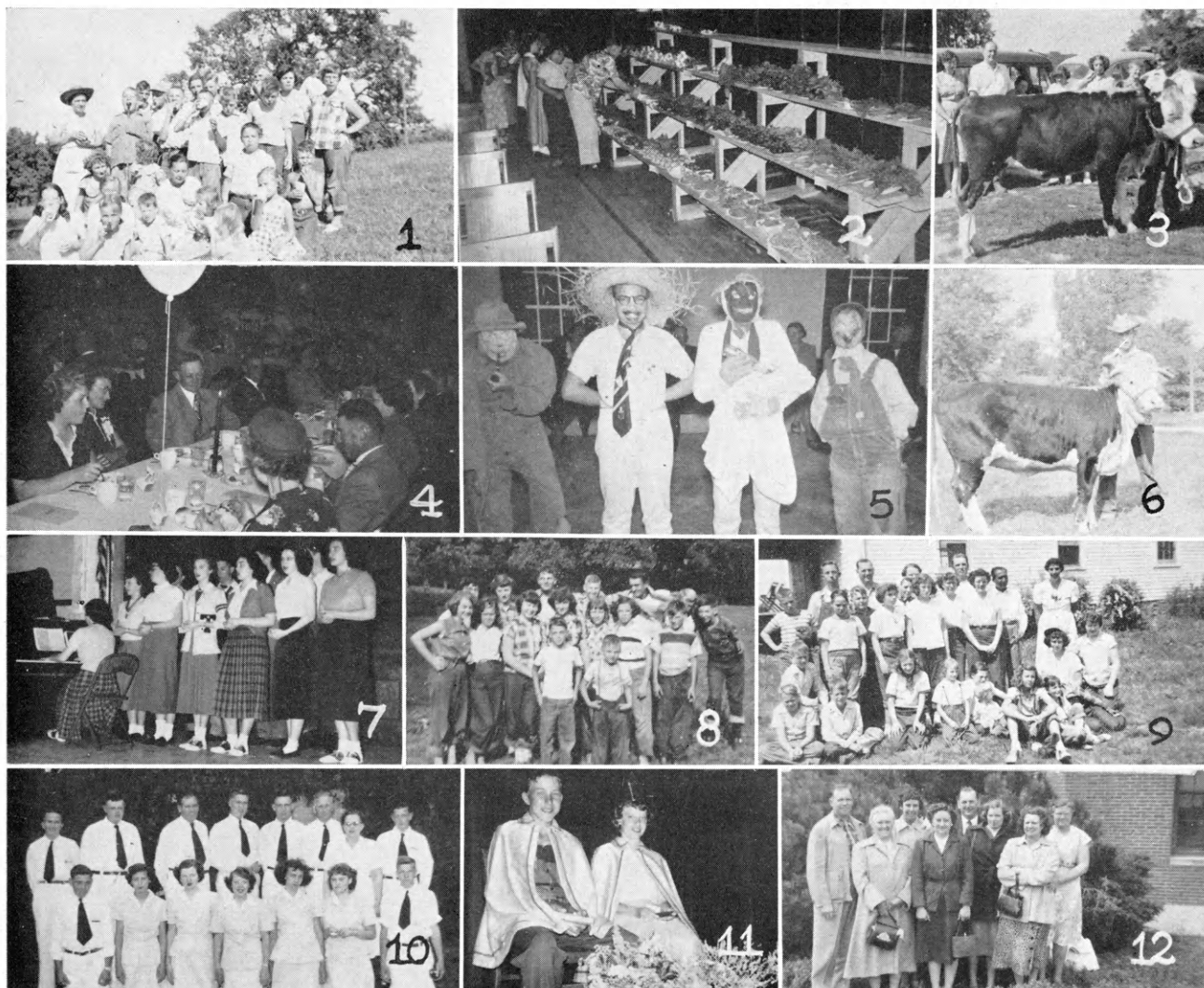


1. Bob Clark of Cities Service and George Alderman, Parsons C. of C. 2. Francis Grillot, Jr., best showmanship. 3. Carl Jones, grand champion steer, at county fair. 4. Larry Richardson's grand champion baby beef at the Parsons Fall Festival. 5. Wymetta Baugher, style revue champion. 6. Joe Turney, county club agent, at the achievement party. 7. Achievement party with Lester Weatherwax. 8. Francis Grillot, Jr., second high individual in tractor safety derby.



LEAVENWORTH COUNTY

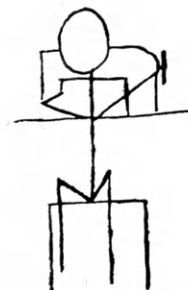
A bill was passed to build a 4-H community building through taxation. The clubs also raised money to build new 4-H livestock barn at the county fair. County-wide activities included: 4-H Sunday, businessmen's picnic, achievement party and leaders' banquet, sponsored by junior leaders. Vegetable entries at the garden and flower show totaled 175. The dairy judging team placed second at Hutchinson. Joanne Brown was a Santa Fe trip winner to National Club Congress. Seven 4-H leaders attended state leaders' conference.



1. Members of Basehor Skyliners enjoy hot dogs on the club tour. 2. Mr. Harold Champion, judged vegetables at the annual garden and flower show. 3. Melvin Dale proudly displays his beef heifer to members and leaders of the Jewett 4-H Club. 4. Adult leaders banquet was sponsored by junior leaders. 5. Winner at junior leader's Hallowe'en party. 6. Robert Knocke poses with his registered Hereford heifer. 7. A blue ribbon winner at county and regional 4-H Club day from the Happy Helpers Club. 8. Members of the Deadwood Beavers 4-H Club go on a tour. 9. Mr. Andrew Kanangara from Ceylon goes on the Glenwood tour. 10. Delegates and agents attended 4-H Club Round-up. 11. Joe Jauering and Rettalou Torneden—Garden king and queen. 12. Seven leaders and club agent attended state leaders' conference.

LANE COUNTY

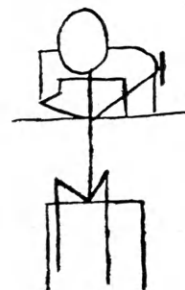
There were 119 members enrolled in five clubs in Lane County in 1952. One of the important activities of 4-H work was the I.F.Y.E. program. In the winter months Paul Tillotson of the Shields Jayhawks was one of the first exchangees south of the border. During the fall months Bertel Lund, I.F.Y.E. from England, spent three weeks in Lane County. Some of the clubs are doing fine work in soil and wildlife conservation. Eighteen members exhibited projects at the Southwest Fair at Dodge City, winning 10 blue ribbons. Eight entries at the State Fair received four blue ribbons. At the achievement banquet two girls received Who's Who keys, the first to be awarded in Lane County.



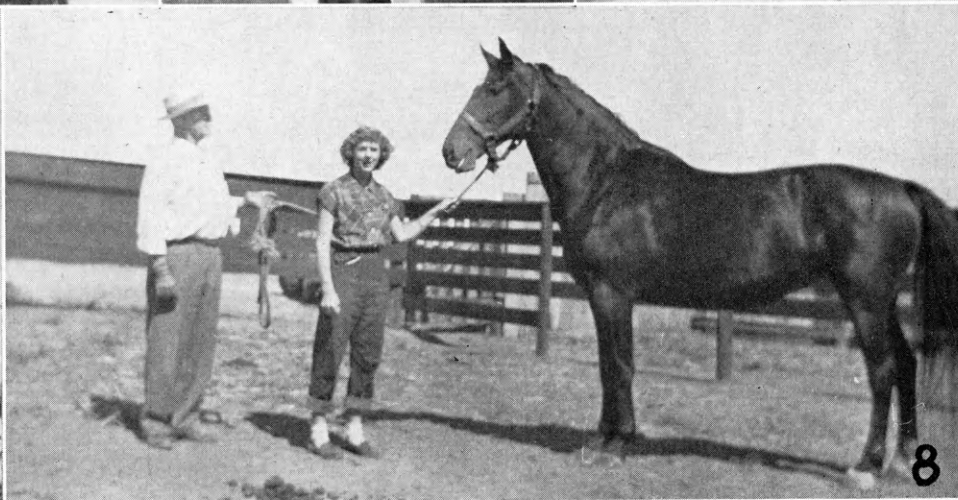
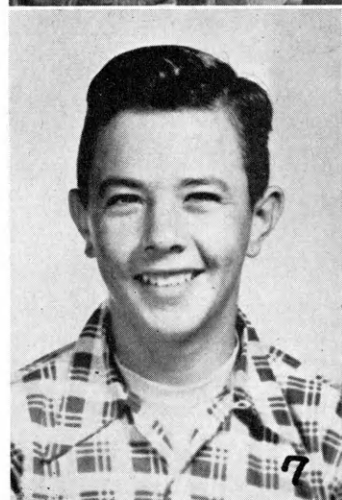
1. Jo Von Schritlz receiving the cup for outstanding club of the year from Miss Helen McCollum, H.D.A. 2. Lane County first Who's Who members, Lina Owen and Betty Tillotson, receive pins from a Cities Service representative. 3. On the Amy 4-H Club tour, Donnie Connor exhibits his colt to the club members. 4. A group of Hereford calves lined up at the Lane County Free Fair. 5. The Shields ayhawks Club tour. 6. The council discusses the county 4-H program with IFYE delegate, Bertel Lund of Finland. In picture, left to right: Presley Herndon, Stanley Maughlin, president of council; Bertel Lund, IFYE; Lina Owen. In back, Ernest Kuehn, Jo Von Schritlz, Peggy Tillotson.

LOGAN COUNTY

The old idea of lifting yourself up by the bootstraps is no joke—Logan County 4-H'ers practically did just that. One girl attended the National Club Congress, three girls were elected to the Who's Who Club, several blue awards were won at the State Fair, and Monument 4-H Club representing the county had a booth at the State Fair. On the county level things picked up also. About 800 exhibits were shown at the county fair, the livestock sale was highly successful, tractor maintenance classes were organized, and our boys and girls did a fine job at judging contests. Logan County was well represented at the State Fair, Round-up, county camp at Rock Springs, conservation camp and other events.



1. Katherine Heuftle was a member of the champion demonstration team. 2. Kenneth Merica kept the 4-H council in line while serving as president. 3. Lonnie Mader was county beef champion this year. 4. Donald Schwebach surprised everyone when his wheat received a blue award at the State Fair. 5. Norma Smith entered her home improvement articles in the State Fair. 6. Paul Radziel caused much merriment by mowing the lawn with his county fair ribbons pinned across his chest. 7. Larry Ellis has been hard to beat in the dairy division in the past two years. 8. Raymond Potterf turned handicraft skills learned at county camp into a source of personal income. 9. Delbert Majors learned to dive at county camp and was soon out-swimming the rest of his cronies. 10. Jeanne Majors thoroughly enjoyed county camp even if she did fall out of bed. 11. Murry Brown has exhibited remarkable skill with his rabbit projects. 12. Phyllis Majors gave the boys an idea how to win first place with her breeding heifer. 13. Dorothy Smith was a state blue ribbon reporter and a Who's Who member. 14. Norma Winterscheidt, one of the State Fair delegates, recently became a Who's Who member. 15. Harriet Hauschild's chocolate cake took a blue award at the State Fair. 16. Barbara Boston was named food preparation champion. 17. Ruena Jo Quinn, a member of the champion demonstration team, received a 4-H horse from R. B. Christy. 18. Verla Fairchild watched the judge closely and came out on top in the livestock fitting and showing contest at the county fair.



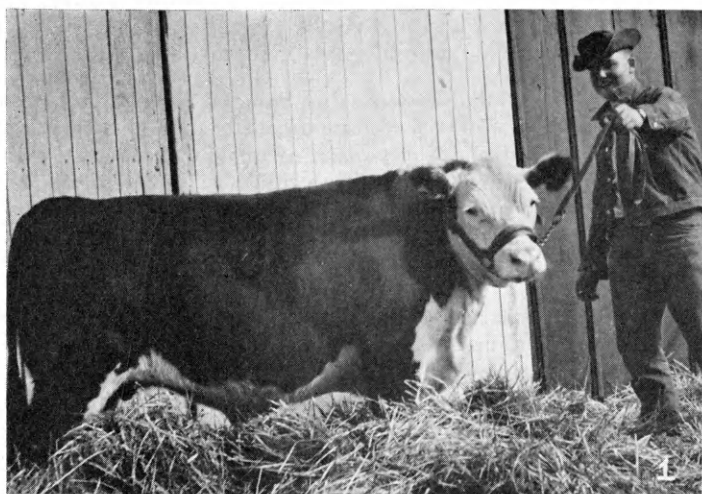
1. Officers of Smoky Club include Verna Voshall, Katherine Hueftle, Ruena Jo Quinn, Glennis Uhrich, Doris Ludolph and Paul Radiel. 2. Mae Vavricka was foods champion and sent several groups of preserved food to the State Fair. 3. Caron Stevenson, one of the younger members of Union Club, has shown promise of being a future winner. 4. Club members of Smoky 4-H smile prettily for their leader. 5. Tommy Miller is a scholarship winner now attending Kansas State. 6. Wanda Depperschmidt won the Santa Fe award and a trip to National Club Congress. 7. Darrell Fairchild's baby beef was used in the county fitting and showing school and later entered in the county contest at the fair. 8. One of the horses donated to the 4-H program by R. B. Christy was given to Jackie Merica.

LYON COUNTY

Lyon County 4-H enrollment reached an all-time high of 600 members in 23 clubs. These club members carried 1,489 projects with a value of \$2,333.80 and 87% of them were completed. Over 1,400 exhibits were on display at the county fair with approximately 180 of them going on to the state fairs. One thousand two hundred parents and 4-H members attended the annual 4-H achievement sponsored by the Emporia Chamber of Commerce. Approximately 3,000 multi-flora roses, 600 red cedars, and 60 pounds of sericea lespedeza was planted by club members in the wildlife conservation contest sponsored by the Neosho Valley Hunting and Fishing Club. Two state awards came to our county this year with Gary Jensen, sorghum, and Loris Luginsland, sheep state champions. Six club members received the State Who's Who gold key award. Ten clubs received purple seals. Lyon County received an American saddle mare in the light horse project.



1. Robert Hyde exhibited his Angus steer at the county fair and the Wichita Fat Stock Show. 2. Men and boys of the Rinker 4-H set out 250 multi-flora roses and 50 red cedar plantings furnished by the state game and fish hatchery at Pratt. 3. No cockleburrs grew in Robert Buck, Jr., field of corn. 4. Bob and Bill Barr, Twin Valley 4-H, are proud of their Jersey heifers that received blue ribbons at the fair. 5. State Health camp was a delightful week for Janet Bond and Garold Hodges. 6. Small, but mighty, could be the phrase used to describe the Duck Creek Pals 4-H. 7. The business men of Emporia really enjoyed themselves at the picnic given by the 4-H'ers. 8. Tommy DeWeese carried two Spotted Polands for part of his projects. 9. Mrs. John Wingert presents gifts to the king, Clare Pearson, and queen, Joyce Grieder, of the county 4-H carnival. 10. These 12 4-H'ers and leader really had fun and learned more about the 4-H program. 11. This group of 4-H'ers at state music camp believe they learned something that will help the local clubs. 12. The Admire 4-H boys are learning tractor care under the direction of Lewis Jones. 13. John Diebolt, Eplo Beacon, was proud of his blue ribbon Hereford heifer. 14. Richard Letellier is shown holding one of his White New Zealand rabbits.



1. Ronnie Hughes had the grand champion beef at the county fair and a blue ribbon winner at the Wichita show. 2. At the 4-H leaders' recognition dinner Mrs. Chester Wright was recognized for 26 years; Mrs. John Winger, 11 years; Elmer Bock, 11 years; and Gertrude Bacon, 16 years. 3. Members of the Reading 4-H Club go in for livestock and do quite well when fair time comes. 4. Left to right: LeAnna Boline, style revue champion; Sylvia Hyde, reserve champion; Clare Pearson, best groomed boy champion, and Ronnie Hughes, reserve champion. 5. Geneice Jacob, fair queen, with her attendants, left to right, Nadene Mays, Joanne Wingert, Kay Mounkes, and Marlene Scheafer. 6. Rear: left to right: Donald Pearson, Bob Dunn, Patsy Pedersen, Doris Ann Pearson; Front row: left to right: Albert Wamser, Robert Smith, Patricia Jones; are members of Badger Creek 4-H which is always outstanding at the county fair. These members stood at the top or near the top with their exhibits.



LINN COUNTY

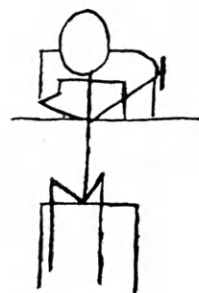
The 4-H program is on the upgrade. Membership jumped from 175 members to well over 220. Four new clubs were organized by the agents, Mrs. C. Duree and Mr. Bruce E. McLaury. Completion of projects was good and the exhibits at the county fair were of very high quality. The number of exhibits far exceeded those of preceding years. Thirty-six members attended Rock Springs, double the number in 1951. A new 4-H building was approved by the voters in the November election to be built in 1953. Over 300 members and their parents attended the 4-H picnic in July and there were 310 at the achievement banquet. Barbara Carson won the Kansas cherry pie baking contest in February, 1953, and was declared central regional champion at the national contest in Chicago.



1. Round-up delegates—Larry Dan Foster, Phil Polley, Robert Cox, Junior Woods, Evelyn Polley, Carolyn Masters, Glenna Bartles, Patricia McCoy. 2. The Busy Bugs Club. 3. Therow and Thurman Miller, Busy Workers, show their heifer projects. 4. Linn County judging team. 5. H.D.A., Mrs. Duree, and junior leadership camp delegates, Barbara Carson (county leadership champion) and Glenna Bartles. 6. Eva Mae Reece is food preservation champion and Delores Brownback is clothing champion. 7. Charles Carson, garden champion, poses with two of his fair entries. 8. Junior Woods, Busy Bugs, with his blue ribbon heifer. 9. Linn County cuties at Rock Springs. 10. Thirty-six 4-H'ers attended Rock Springs. 11. Tommy Perry and Ronald Jackman enjoy crafts at Rock Springs. 12. Beverly Robinson models the dress which won second reserve champion in the style revue. 13. The entire Lucky Clover Club shows their fair ribbons. 14. Roger DeMott, top in his dairy class, and Windfred DeMott are members of the Lucky Clover Club. 15. Bobby Bartles, Busy Workers, with his Shorthorn heifer. 16. Barbara Carson, Kansas cherry pie baking champion, is shown at the National contest in Chicago where she placed second to the national champion. 17. Patricia McCoy, president of Valley Rangers 4-H, which was best exhibited club at the county fair. 18. LeRoy McCoy, county dairy champion, received a certificate of award at achievement day. 19. Charles Hampton, Parker 4-H, was county poultry champion. 20. John Teagarden, Cadmus, was county beef champion. 21. David Crawford, Jayhawker, was the county achievement boy. 22. Wallace McGee, council vice-president, and livestock judge, is the oldest 4-H boy in Linn County. 23. Eddie Kay Grigsby, county swine champion, was awarded these medals at the achievement banquet.

MARION COUNTY

Marion County's enrollment of last year reached a record high of 448 members. We had a state and national champion in home improvement. At county club day seven different groups took first place honors and represented the county at the regional. Exhibits at the county fair reached a peak of 1,143 compared with 255 in 1948. One of the outstanding activities for the previous year was the raising of \$4,049.25 for Rock Springs Ranch. Five judging teams were in competition at the State Fair. Other activities were held, such as 4-H Sunday, leaders' banquet, businessmen's picnic, and the achievement banquet. We had national champion in home improvement.



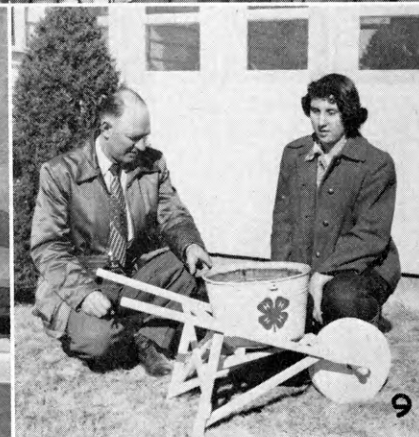
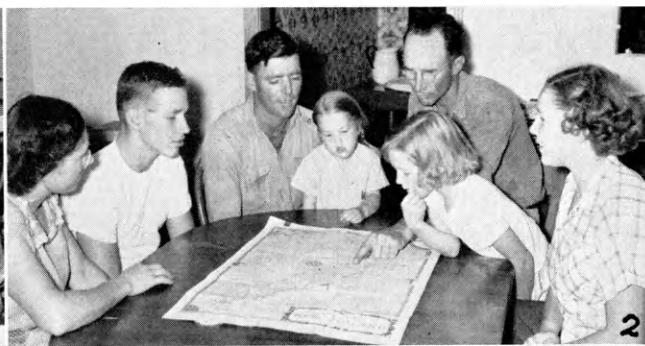
1. Tampa Triple T's 4-H members Jerry Schwartzman and Cecile Gooding demonstrating at club day. 2. Mary Jane Gains, Summitt Boosters 4-H Club, demonstrating how to make muffins at the county club day. 3. Ruth Robinson and Yvonne Osgood, Jayhawk 4-H Club, giving their demonstration at 4-H club day. 4. Top 4-H club day 13 and under demonstration, Jackie Boothe, member of the Willing Workers 4-H Club. 5. Lucky Leaf 4-H members giving their model meeting: Willard Hett, Karne Suderman and Duane Fruechting. 6. Ruth Wohlgemuth gave a blue ribbon demonstration at the regional club day. 7. Dick Davis and Melvin Burdorg, showing how to care for a farm pond. 8. Harmony Hustlers regional club day blue ribbon vocal ensemble: LaDonna Schlehuber, Doris Geis, Janice Frick, Donna Geis, Judy Peters and Morene Zimmerman. 9. The Pilsen Lucky 13 4-H chorus. 10. Luella Schmidt and Joan Mellott giving their demonstration on artificial respiration at county club day. 11. Anna Lee Nickel, national home improvement champion, tells of her Chicago trip at council meeting. 12. Ronney Ewert receiving model cow from D.H.I.A. president, George Flaming, for being county dairy production winner. 13. Regional blue ribbon instrumental ensemble: Patti Baker, Melvin Burdorf and Charles Windsor of Peabody Hustlers 4-H Club. 14. Sunshine 4-H secretary, Joyce Conyers, helps initiate new members: Carol Sue Conyers, Sue Summerville, Karen Jost and Annabell Bass.

MCPHERSON COUNTY

McPherson County was proud of their two national champions and state winner. Helen Sterling was national health champion and Donna Jean Bloomberg was national home grounds beautification champion. The girls received a trip to Club Congress in Chicago. Eula Mae Murrey was one of the state winners in the promotional activity. She received a trip to Jackson Mills, Virginia. The county boasts an all-time high in members with 488 enrolled in 1952. The new 4-H building, completed in February of 1952, has been a great asset to the 4-H program. Over 200 meetings were held in the building during the year. The annual achievement banquet highlighted the 4-H year with a record attendance of nearly 500 4-H members, leaders and guests.



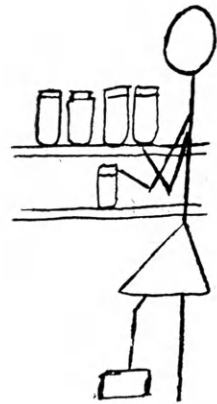
1. The new 4-H Club building of which McPherson County 4-H'ers are proud. 2. Helen Sterling was national health champion. 3. The McPherson County line tour. 4. Barbara Ericson showing her reserve grand champion baby beef and Eldon Becker showing his grand champion baby beef. 5. Ronald Wedel, county sheep champion, shows James Stephens and Joyce McClure how to block a lamb at the Kansas National Fat Stock Show. 6. The county champion 4-H booth made by the Golden Opportunity Club. 7. 4-H leaders attending a leaders' training meeting. 8. Members of the Meadowlark 4-H Club after a project meeting. 9. The Friendly Fremont's model meeting which was the county winner and a blue ribbon winner at the regional. 10. Live Wire 4-H Club members promoting health by sponsoring a bloodmobile. 11. Ronald Tarnstrom and his father showing off their Swedish costume.



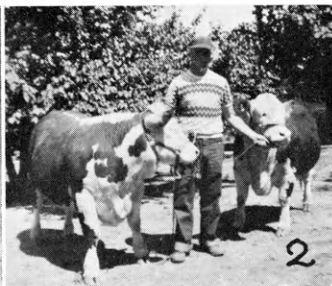
1. Recreation is fun at the Cloverleaf 4-H Club meetings. 2. Fred Jackson, center, IFYE delegate from New Zealand, showing the Dale Galle family a map of New Zealand. 3. Lucky 13 Club looking over record books. 4. Honoring Donna Jean Bloomberg, the national home grounds beautification champion, in the Smoky Valley model meeting. 5. Judging at the county 4-H fair. 6. Members of the Good Luck 4-H Club. 7. Style revue champions are Tommy Schrag, Eula Mae Murrey; Darlene Nelson and Norma Stockman, reserve champions. 8. Cherry pie winners are Vera Jean Goering and alternate Lola Hanson. 9. Donna Jean Bloomberg showing Laurence Lundstrom, 4-H leader, new yard cart that she made.

MARSHALL COUNTY

Marshall County has 20 clubs. 4-H'ers attended the livestock judging school held at the Elmer Peterson farm. The Farm Bureau sponsored a county skilled drivers' contest. Marshall County formed a 4-H tractor maintenance group this year. The Marysville Chamber of Commerce sponsored the 4-H achievement banquet held November 24, 1952. There was a 4-H Open House held in the Marysville auditorium. The Chamber of Commerce also sponsored a county achievement fair.



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1. Richard Hedstrom is giving Jobst Von Schaubert, German exchange student, a scrapbook in behalf of the 4-H Clubs of Marshall County. 2. Arlyn Peterson proudly poises his two prize winning Hereford baby beeves. 3. James Millenbruch specialized in swine last year. 4. Florence Sanderson working her garden project. 5. Progressive Climbers 4-H'ers take time to smile after their tour. 6. Bruce Sanderson checks his poultry project. 7. Bonnie and Ronnie Jacques admire their poultry project. 8. Patty Pletcher, county style revue reserve champion, shows some of her ribbons. 9. Dorothy Hildebrandt with her prize winning baby beeves. 10. Arlyn Peterson, North Central Kansas District champion, receives a plaque from the Holstein-Friesian Association.



1. The champion booth at the Marshall County Fair stressed safety. 2. This dart balloon game drew a lot of attention at the county-wide carnival. 3. Sheldon Pishny feeding his dairy calf. 4. Bill Simpson is presenting the King, Donald Russell, and the Queen, Marilyn Williams, of the county carnival. 5. Balderson Boosters line up for picture before going picnicking. 6. All ready for their project tour are the Happy Go Lucky Club. 7. Merry Makers' first place float of the Industrial Day parade. 8. Sunflower 4-H Club's float made a good showing in Industrial Day parade. 9. The Wide Awake Club after taking part in the radio program "A Place in the Sun for 4-H Leaders." 10. Balderson Boosters ready to show off their float to the Industrial Day spectators. 11. The Balderson Boosters on their project tour. 12. Ken Visser, county club agent, introducing the queen candidates of the carnival. 13. Galyn Peterson, Community Builders, is posing his prize winning baby beef that won him top honors at the Marshall County Fair, Marysville Achievement Fair, Kansas State Fair and Wichita Fair Stock Show. 14. Jerry Bennett with his poultry project. 15. 4-H Club members and leaders at the achievement banquet where they were hosts to the Marysville C. of C.

MIAMI COUNTY

Our 350 4-H members in Miami County did exceptional work with their projects with over 80 percent of the projects shown at the fairs in the county. The junior leaders' organization promoted a better recreation program in the county and helped on county-wide events.



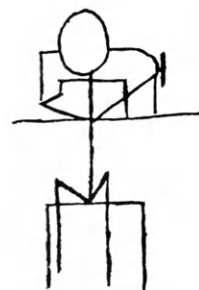
1. Here are the Got-Mor's officers at installation ceremonies. 2. Eldon Doane, Bucyrus Boosters, with his champion calf. 3. Lloyd Peckman, Twin Valley, won honors as county swine champion. 4. Donald Doane, Bucyrus Boosters, holds a champion. 5. Twin Valley's new officers start a new year. 6. Tommy Brockway, Happy Go-Getters Club, was county dairy champion. 7. David Aiken, Got-Mor Club, a 100-bushel county corn champion. 8. Gladys Thoden, Twin Valley, was county beef and garden champion. 9. The Progressive Club Christmas party was a big success. 10. The Sunflower Club Christmas party was fun for all. 11. John Conklin, United Club, had a firm hold on his blue ribbon breeding ewe.



1. James Poole, Happy Go-Getters Club, was general livestock and sheep champion. 2. The county poultry champion was Ronald Reifel, Twin Valley Club. 3. Sandra Brady, county turkey champion, holds one of her birds. 4. Barbara Godfrey, Got-Mor Club, was county general home economics and food preparation champion. 5. Milda Windler, Twin Valley Club, was county food preservation and frozen foods champion. 6. Alan Schendek, Happy Go-Getters, was county home beautification champion. 7. Gary Williams spent many hours on this tractor to become county wheat and corn champion. 8. The Got-Mor Club goes on an outing. 9. Gene Martin, Busy Bee Club, exhibited a blue ribbon winner. 10. Gladys Thoden, Twin Valley, and Martha Greenawalt, Progressive, were county style revue winners. 11. Charlene Johnston, Bucyrus Boosters Club, with a champion fat calf at the Miami County Fair. 12. These were a blue ribbon group of dairy heifers at the county fair.

MITCHELL COUNTY

Mitchell County has 12 clubs with 319 members. Ninety-five percent of the members completed their projects this year. The Eureka Club won the Folger State Health award. Over 400 members and parents attended the county achievement banquet. 4-H'ers and their parents donated all of the labor towards building a new cattle barn at the county fairgrounds. The 4-H council and Farm Bureau Association paid the total cost of \$3,200. The county musical game winner and the boy's promotional talk were invited to Round-up.



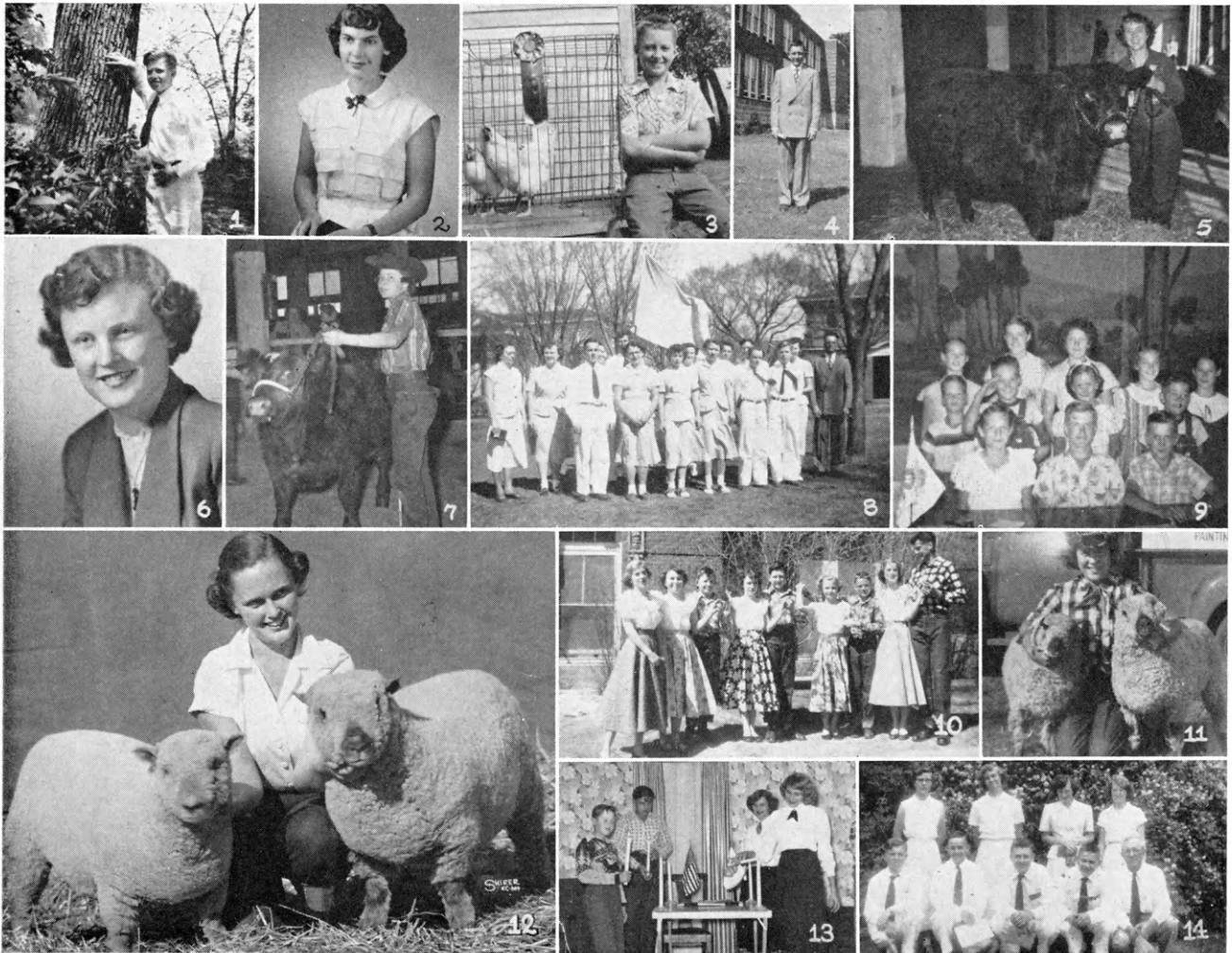
1. Frances Siegrist is pictured with her garden project. 2. The Walnut Creek 4-H Club clothing girls. 3. The Mitchell County delegation at Round-up. 4. Louis Magette with his baby beef project. 5. Billie Lou Campbell and her litter of Sears pigs. 6. The Walnut Creek 4-H Club had home beautification as their club project. 7. It's dinner time on the Walnut Creek Club tour. 8. The Asherville Club tour. 9. The Eureka 4-H Club on their summer tour. 10. Aubrey Lee Strawn and his grand champion fat steer at the county fair. 11. Jim Bean and his champion Hereford at the county fair. 12. Victor's 4-H Club and their musical game group at the county 4-H Club day. 13. Associate member, David Snyder, and his first baby beef. 14. Leroy McLain shown with his horse project.



1. The Eureka 4-H Club at their health project meeting. 2. Asherville Achievers Club members, Kay Reiter, Leta Davis, Lila Lee Heidrick, Darry Melton, and Carolyn Guard, set their club sponsored welcome sign. 3. Pleasant View 4-H Club at their Christmas party. 4. James Schultz and his registered Hereford cows and calves. 5. Alberta and Rose Marie Hennes of the Fairview 4-H Club at foods project meeting. 6. Jimmy and Wavelyn Schneider with their garden project. 7. The Glen Elder Club's 4-H Sunday group. 8. Glen Elder is sampling water for testing on their club tour. 9. The Jolly Workers' 4-H Club on a project tour. 10. Parents, agents, and club members attended the Pleasant View 4-H Christmas party.

MORRIS COUNTY

The 286 4-H Club members of Morris County had another busy year in 1952. They had ninety-five percent project completion. Morris County 4-H'ers are hosts each August to the Eastern Kansas Judging School. This is the oldest established judging school in the state. It is held at Camp Fremont, near Council Grove. 4-H'ers also use this camp for their county council meetings and for the 4-H fair. There have been several new buildings constructed for the livestock exhibits. The county fair is followed by a livestock sale. The week after the sale, members go to the Tri-County Fair held in Herington. Morris County has two camp sessions at nearby Rock Springs Ranch—one for the older and one for the younger group. Delegates also attended state camps. Elaine Olson was the state beef champion in 1952.



1. John Richards was the county swine champion. 2. Lynn Moxley, Neosho Valley Club, was county home economics demonstration and safety champion. 3. County demonstration boy champion this year was Ronnie Herpich. 4. Charles Wilson was county wheat champion and county health boy champion. 5. Here is Neosho Valley's Janis Viar with her State Fair champion Short-horn. 6. Donna Jeanne Schoof was county champion in project achievement and in promotional activity. 7. Grand champion in county fair baby beef showmanship was Elaine Olson. 8. This is the county composite model meeting group at Emporia Regional Spring Festival. 9. Officers and some members of Parkerville Progressive Club, 1952. 10. The Council Oak Club musical group received blue ribbon at the regional festival. 11. Mary Louise Hodson from Burdick Hustlers Club is shown with her blue ribbon lambs. 12. Janis Schoof poses with her champion lambs at the American Royal. 13. The 1952 officers of the Full-O-Pep Club take part in a candlelighting installation ceremony. 14. The county delegation to Round-up at Manhattan.

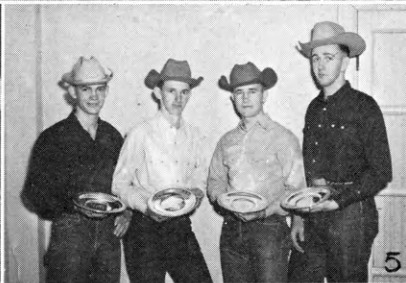
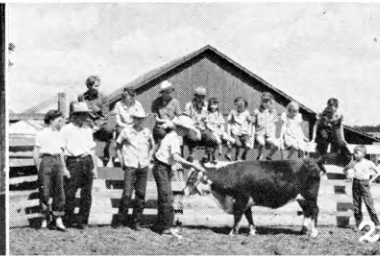


1. Joyce Miller, Dwight Sunflowers Club, displays her dairy heifer to crowd on the annual tour. 2. Council Oak Club observes 4-H Sunday at the Baptist Church at Council Grove on May 25, 1952. 3. The Parkerville Progressive Club and leaders are on their fall tour. 4. Elaine Burns won her share of awards in 1952—county food preservation, county frozen food, and reserve style revue champions. 5. Mary Hebrank, Peppy Pick-Up Club, is shown with her dairy calf. 6. Neosho Valley food preparation girls, Lynn Moxley, Janis Viar, Dorothy Neilson, Patty Bernard, are with their leader, Mrs. Viar. 7. Dorothy Neilson showed the grand champion barrow at the county fair, was county leadership girl champion, and county alternate food preservation champion. 8. Grand champion barrow at the Tri-County Fair was displayed by Mary Bowen. 9. Delavan Club's soil conservation booth was the best at the county show. 10. Ralph Peterson was county garden and potato champion. 11. Ronald Strand shows his baby beef to the crowd on the spring tour. 12. County health girl champion and Who's Who key award winner was Zella Harmon. 13. Gary Dalquist (second from right) shows his beef and dairy projects. 14. Hall Moxley is discussing his beef projects with his father. 15. The 1952 play cast from the Four Mile Club at the spring festival. 16. Jerry Thomas was county livestock champion and promotional activity boy champion. 17. In 1952 Roger Wilson was county project achievement boy champion, county leadership champion, county field crops champion, and state corn champion. 18. State beef champion and Chicago trip winner was Elaine Olson. 19. Elda Ruth Peterson, Delavan Club, was county clothing champion for 1952. 20. This is a group from the Council Oak Club who participated in the county-wide scrap paper drive.



MONTGOMERY COUNTY

Four state champion judging teams, livestock, dairy, poultry and home improvement, are part of the accomplishments of the 660 4-H Club members of Montgomery County. Other highlights of the county program include six years of continuous radio broadcasting, businessmen's party, annual 4-H Club fair and achievement party.



1. County project and activity champions. 2. Harold Swearingen shows fellow members of Country Boosters his breeding heifer project. 3. Adult leaders attend the state conference. 4. Cities Service key award winners who were recognized at the annual achievement party. 5. The national champion livestock judging team: LeRoy Tremain, Paul Baker, Bob Sanford and Warren Keltz. 6. Members of Drum Creek prepare for a square dance. 7. Up and Coming basketball tournament winners. 8. Montgomery County State Fair delegation. 9. Bob Sanford, county junior leadership winner, and his fat lamb. 10. The Jolly Workers' trio won the annual talent contest. 11. Alene Lively, Cheery Cherokees, and her Sears' gilt project.

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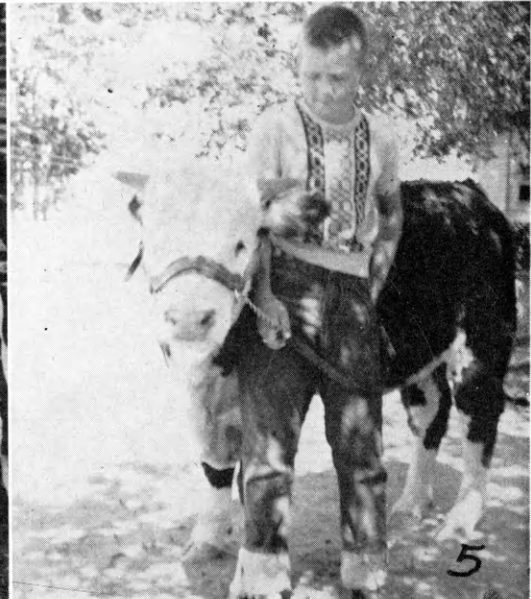
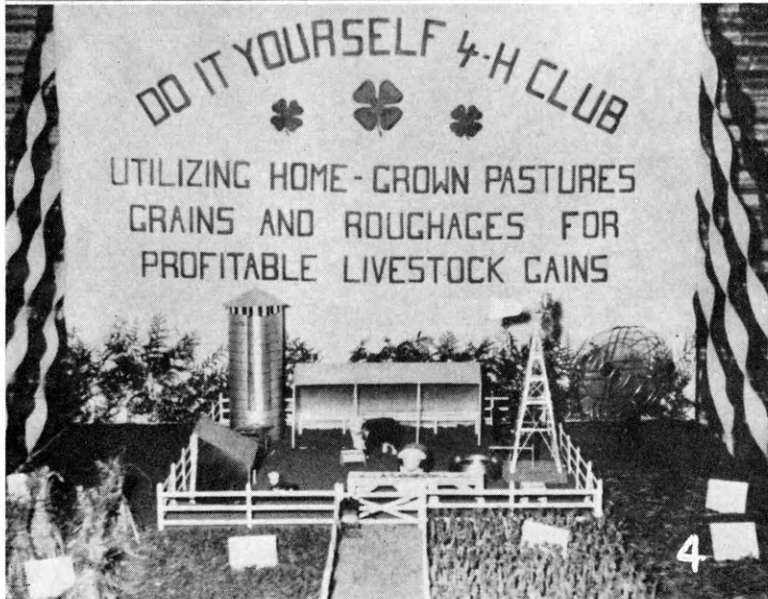
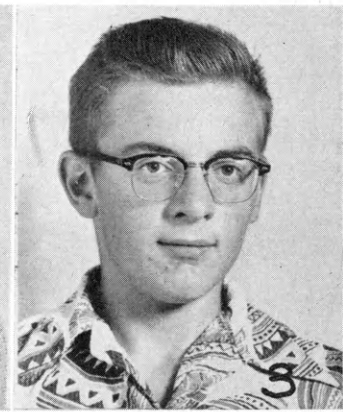
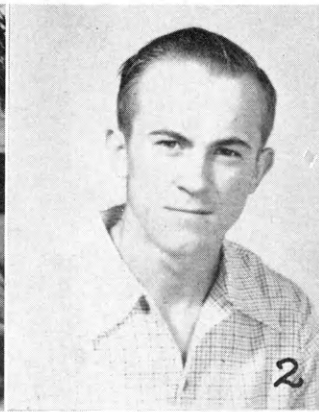
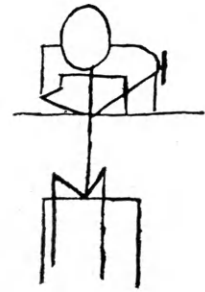
Exhibits at the county fair numbered 876. County camp, county 4-H day, regional 4-H day, picnics, junior leaders' camp, adult leaders' conference and judging schools were events enthusiastically participated in. 4-H people of the county also raised money to construct a 4-H poultry building and make improvements on the dairy, swine and sheep barns and 4-H fairgrounds. Judging teams and exhibits won honors at the state fairs, too.



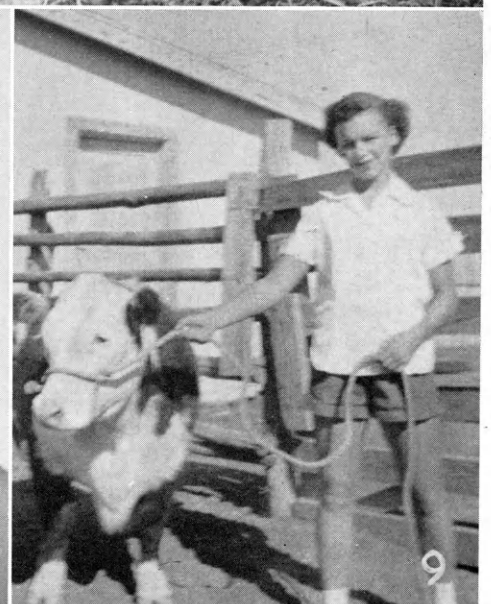
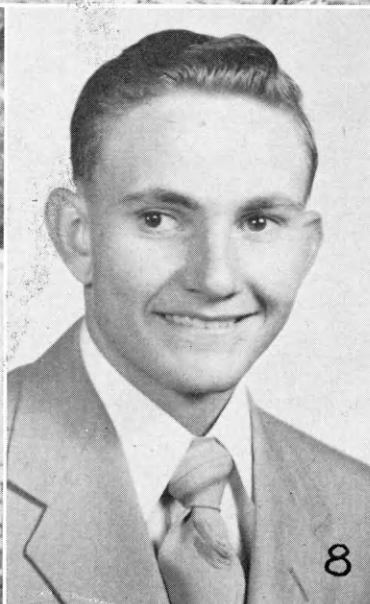
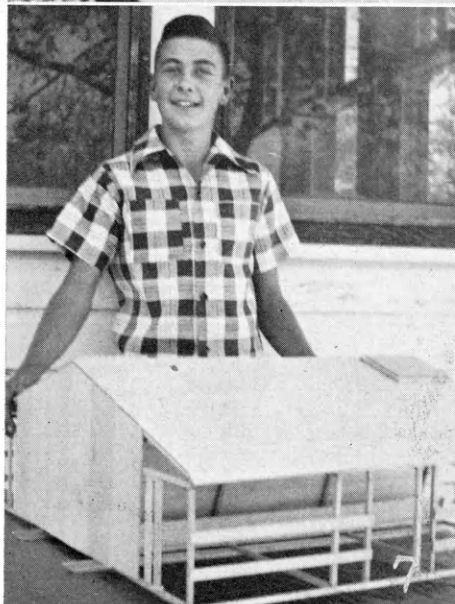
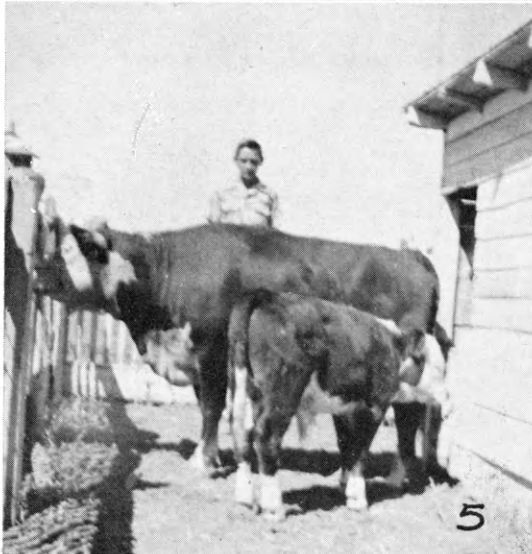
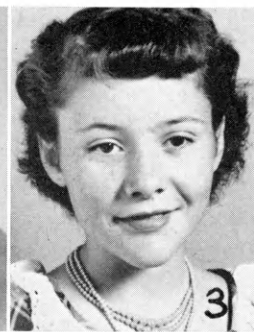
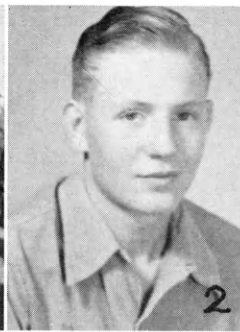
1. The Neosho Valley Busy Bees are proud of the trophy received for designing the grand champion booth at the State Fair. 2. Both Dean Hines and George Morehead's breeding heifers placed first blue in their classes. 3. Here's Hillcrest on achievement night! 4. Neil Gray, Harmony Rustlers, shows his dairy heifer. 5. Gary Braden, Harmony Rustlers, shows his Shropshire ewe and lamb. 6. Gene Reinhardt shows his Hereford baby beef while Bill and Richard show their twin breeding heifers. 7. Phillis Gray, on Harmony group tour. 8. Ray Schooley and Joyce Greathouse were county health champions. 9. Mary Fickel and Mike Fickel won grand and reserve champion with their Holsteins. 10. Kenneth and Larry Barch pose with their Milking Shorthorn heifers. 11. Donnie and Ray Carter take pride in showing their Guernsey heifers. 12. Arthur and Philip Bonine, Galesburg, won champion and reserve champion on their Jerseys. 13. Richard Schultz showed the grand champion baby beef and Bill Schultz's calf took reserve champion at the county 4-H fair. 14. The Galesburg 4-H'ers are on a project tour. 15. Returning from Southeast Kansas Junior Leadership camp are Joyce Greathouse, Carol Thielen, Mary Jo Schoenhofer, and Mary Fickel.

MORTON COUNTY

Even though new leaders are continually being needed, Morton County 4-H Clubs are still contributing to the progress of the worthwhile undertakings in the county. The four clubs, with a total of seventy-three members, have participated in many local and state events. Stanley Kneller of the Yucca Club was second in the state skilled drivers' finals at Topeka. Delegates to Round-up, Southwest Camp, Health, Junior Leadership and Conservation camps at Rock Springs have brought home new enthusiasm. Names of several Morton County boys have been near the top in lists of judging contests. The county fair, achievement banquet and 4-H Sunday received local support. Ribbons of all colors from the State Fair with a blue one on the D.I.Y. booth and another one for Charles Sipes, a member of this club, on his demonstration was evidence of reward for faithful work.



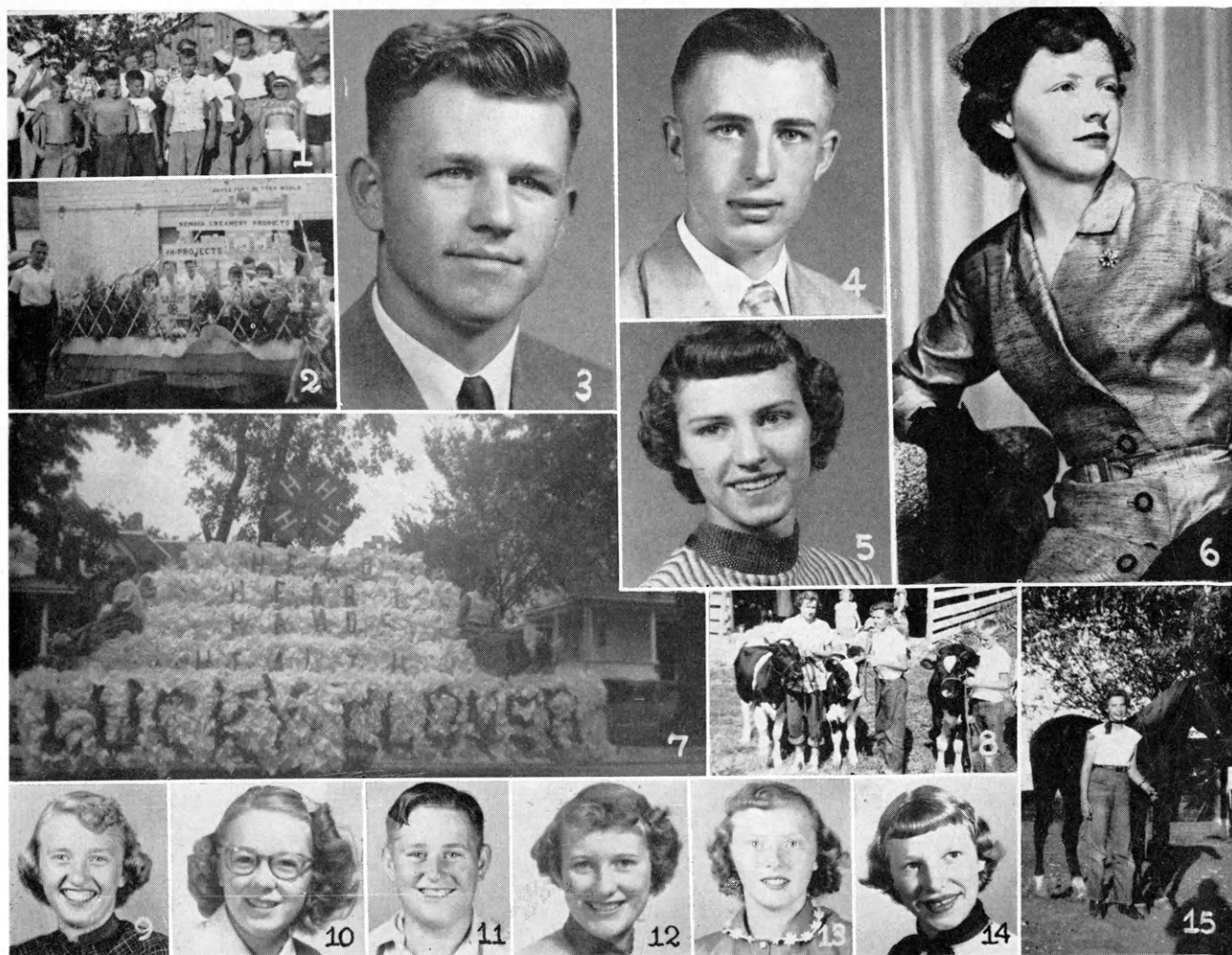
1. Rolla swimming pool after the county tour. 2. Jimmy Bitner, county wheat champion, won a trip to the American Royal. 3. Larry Coen, treasurer of Borderline Club, showed Herefords at the county fair. 4. The D.I.Y. booth that won a blue ribbon at the State Fair at Hutchinson. 5. Bill Boekhausa, Best Yet Club, had both wheat and Hereford projects.



1. 4-H tour stops for refreshments in the beautiful Kneller yard. 2. Bob Sipes, past 4-H council president, was delegate to the American Royal as the outstanding club member of the year. 3. Edna Mae Guymon, president of Borderline Club, was a blue ribbon winner in district promotional talk. 4. A group of girls from the Yucca Club: Sheri Clinesmith, Norma Clinesmith, Gwendolyn Lauderdale, Donna Cowser and Marie Morgan. 5. Freddie Claassen, Best Yet Club, had a Hereford project last year. 6. Carol Ely, Best Yet Club, had cooking, sewing, and poultry projects last year. 7. Charles Sipes was a blue ribbon demonstration winner at the State Fair. 8. Stanley Kneller, president of Yucca Club, won second place in the state skilled drivers' contest. 9. Marilyn Mills showed the champion baby beef at the county fair.

NEMAHA COUNTY

In 1952 there were 277 4-H members in Nemaha County. Towards the end of the year, the fifteenth club was organized with twenty-six members called the Bancroft Busy Beavers. Nemaha County had a Chicago trip winner, Vera Banman, who was state style revue winner. This county has fine participation in county 4-H Club days and also in district and state activities. They participated in six fairs. The extension agents during the year were Robert Bohannon, Herbert Bulk (present county agent) and Ruth Bishop, H.D.A. Success for the winnings of 1952 not only should be given to the 4-H members, but to the leaders and extension agents also.



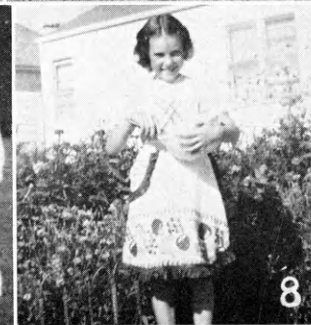
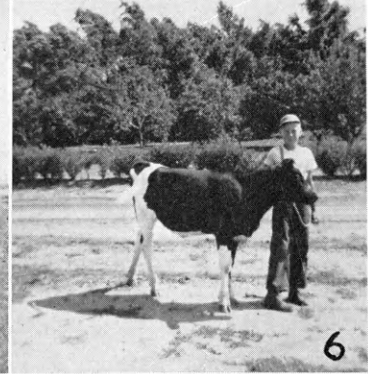
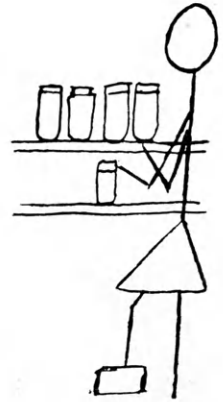
1. The H.H.H.H. Club on their tour. 2. The Busy Jayhawker's float, a prize winner at the Sabetha Creamery picnic. 3. Boyd Allen was president of county 4-H council, leadership boy, project achievement boy, home grounds beautification champion, and general livestock champion. 4. Gerald Sourk, Rustlers, winner in general crops. 5. Joan Rottinghaus won a trip to 4-H leadership camp and to Round-up. 6. Vera Banman was state style revue winner and also a Chicago trip winner. 7. The Lucky Clover 4-H Club float which was a prize winner in the Sabetha Creamery picnic. 8. Viola Rottinghaus, LeRoy Sauer, and John Rottinghaus, H.H.H.H., on fair day. 9. Mary Lee Sourk was the county champion in general home economics. 10. Edwina Huerter was food preparation champion in the over 14 age group. 11. Harvey Alley was the champion winner under 14 for baby beef. 12. Deanna Cordon was food preservation champion. 13. Virginia Sourk was food preparation champion in the under 14 age group. 14. Clara Wempe received a scholarship for conservation camp. 15. Ruth Gerber, a blue ribbon winner, and her horse project.



1. The Kelly Highlights Club tour. 2. Gary D. Schlaegel was reserve champion in dairy. 3. The Kelly Highlights had a pop stand for money raising. 4. Gerald Ketter, Wetmore Cardinals, was a dairy showmanship winner. 5. The Nemaha County style revue group. 6. The Nemaha County 4-H camp at Sycamore Springs, a local health resort. 7. Our Round-up group at Manhattan. 8. Lakeshore's model meeting group won top blue on 4-H Club Day, and third blue in regional. 9. Lakeshore's judging group was top in judging at better beef day at Horton. 10. Merlin Strahm, Busy Jayhawkers, had the baby beef grand champion in the over 14 group. 11. The demonstration team of the Happy-Go-Lucky Club, Janice Deters and Kathleen Koch. 12. Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Swartz, Rustlers community leaders, received their 15-year recognition in 1952. 13. State judging teams, home improvement and food preparation, at Hutchinson.

NORTON COUNTY

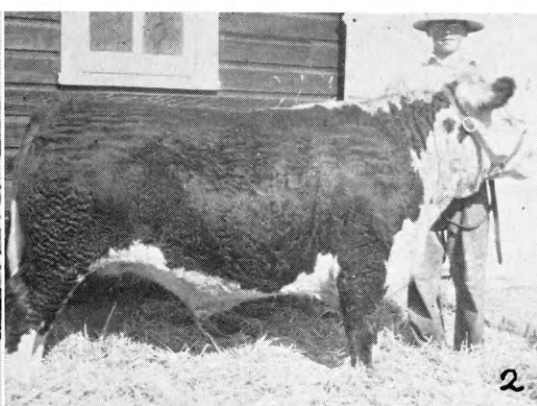
An increasing interest is being shown by 4-H members and local 4-H supporters in the 4-H building project. A county-wide junior leaders' club is becoming more active in support of the whole county 4-H program. A highlight of the club year occurs in January each year when one delegate from each 4-H Club is awarded an all-expense trip to the Denver Stock Show. The trip is financed by local businessmen and farmers who are interested in promoting better livestock projects and better showmanship among 4-H members. There were 424 members enrolled in 16 clubs in 1952. County extension agents are Mahala Argenbright and Beverly D. Stagg.



1. Louis Anderson, Walnut Ridge, was a ribbon winner at the McCook show. 2. Loretta Cranmer, blue ribbon demonstrator, is a member of Cedar Ridge. 3. Cedar Ridge 4-H Club members pause at a fish pond for a brief cooling off period on a hot day. 4. Dale and Donna Reeves show off their lambs to the Emmett Builders 4-H Club on their tour. 5. Grant Eagles 4-H Club greets U.S. 36 tourists with this sign. 6. Terry Hager, Busy Jayhawkers, and his dairy heifer. 7. Norton County Round-up delegation in 1952. 8. Sandra Tweed, Busy Beavers, is mixing cookies. 9. Emmett Builders 4-H Club members.



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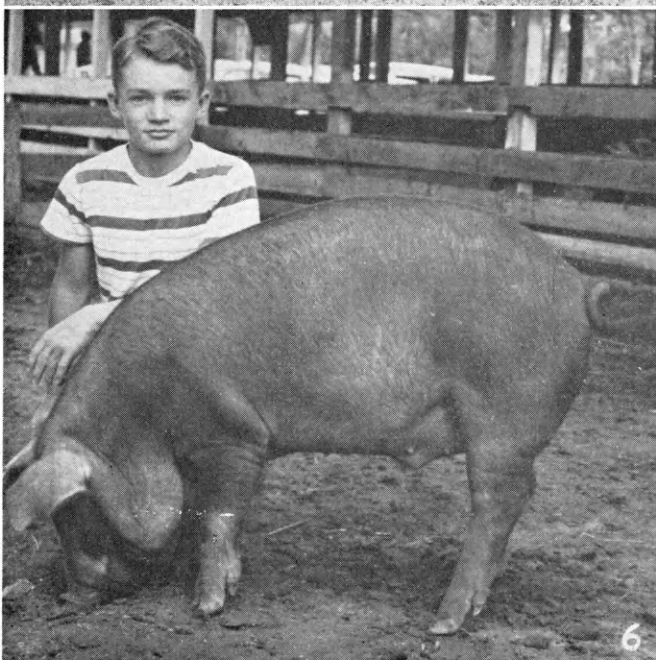
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1. The Cedar Ridge 4-H Club float in the implement parade. 2. Darrell Rieman was county beef champion in 1952. 3. The Four Square 4-H Club float won top blue ribbon. 4. The Good Hope Boosters calf exhibit at the fair. 5. The Solomon Valley 4-H Club float in the parade. 6. Dane Ashley had the grand champion fat pig at the county fair. 7. The Densmore 4-H Club float in the implement parade in Norton. 8. Junior leaders presenting their model meeting at the county 4-H Club Day.



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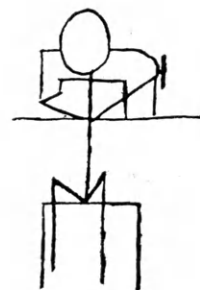
Ness County had the highest enrollment on record with 174 members in eight clubs. Ness County won first place in the regional one-act play, demonstration and folk game. The play by the Happy Kansan 4-H Club was presented at 4-H Round-up this year. A 4-H achievement party for those completing projects sponsored by the Ness City Chamber of Commerce and a 4-H barbecue for the leaders were highlight events this year. A county-wide party was sponsored by the Top Notch 4-H Club in the early fall dedicating a new farm storage building. Ness County was represented at all state 4-H camps this year.



1. 4-H member taking written county safety driver examination under supervision of HDA, Miss Neelly. 2. 4-H members help plan the purebred hog breeders sale in Ness County. 3. Ronald and Jeanne Hochen showing their horse projects on the Ransom Junior Farmers 4-H Club tour. 4. Gerald Schwein and his registered swine project with the county Sears committee giving his project a management inspection. 5. Walnut Valley 4-H foods members display their results on the 4-H tour and used these products as part of the refreshments at the end of the tour. 6. 4-H boys who attended the Denver Stock Show were, left, Vernon Brown, member of the Arnold Boosters 4-H Club, and right, Richard Birzer, member of the Happy Kansans 4-H Club. The girl is Lina Belle Owen, member of one of the 4-H Clubs in Lane County. These boys were county livestock and crops champions, respectively, and won an expense paid trip sponsored by Rotary. 7. 4-H members and agent attending 4-H Round-up last spring. 8. Happy Kansans and their "Pa and Ma Kettle float." 9. Rabbits are becoming a profitable project in Ness County. Here is Carol and LeRoy Holmes and their rabbits. 10. Raymond Wittman and several of his large production project. 11. Jo Leen Rupp, member of the Top Notch 4-H Club, and her excellent job of home beautification. 12. Picture of the 4-H reporters at the 1953 training school. Pictured are, left to right, Florence Brown, Arnold Boosters; Joyce Philip, Happy Kansans; Mary Hewkinson, Sunshine; Shirley Michaelis, Top Notch, and Roy Thornburg, Utica Meadowlarks. 13. Merle Harris, junior leader from the Top Notch 4-H Club, giving dairy conformation pointers to his brother, Gail, on this dairy heifer. 14. Floats were on the increase at the county fair; here is the Walnut Valley 4-H Club float.

OSAGE COUNTY

Osage County had another fine year of 4-H Club work. County-wide activities included the Spring 4-H Day, Spring Feeders' Day, three judging schools, 4-H Sunday, Round-up, camp at Rock Springs Ranch, and three county 4-H fairs and an achievement day. Membership increased to reach another all-time high of 450 members. "Welcome" signs were set up on the north and south boundaries of the county on Highway 75 as a project of the county council.

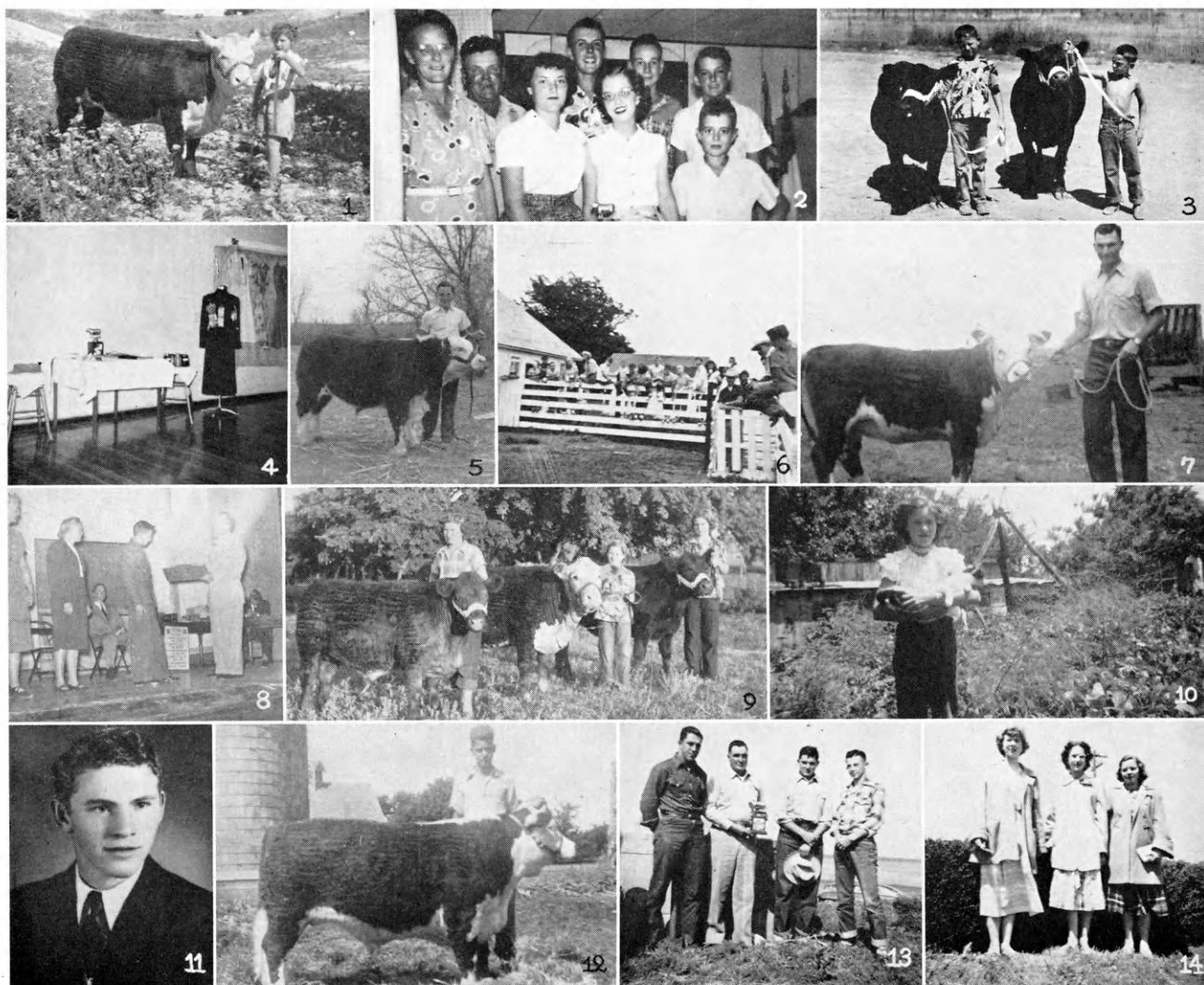


1. Mary Ann Shelinbarger, Melvern, was county clothing champion. 2. The project achievement award went to Janice Everson. 3. Shirley Williams won the reserve clothing championship. 4. Garold Markley, Burlingame, was wheat champion. 5. Terry Dean Reams was named county garden champion. 6. The champion in food preservation was Shirley Bush. 7. Both potato and garden championships went to Ray F. Dunn. 8. Dale Tindell was the swine champion. 9. James W. Smith was general livestock and project achievement boy. 10. Myron Harsch, Osage City, was the county rabbit champion. 11. Raymond Cummings, Lyndon, took honors as sheep champion. 12. The county demonstration champion was Jeannette Dodds. 13. The Osage County corn champion was Donald Shepherd, Burlingame. 14. County honors in frozen foods were won by Joan Lee Markley. 15. A member of the champion demonstration team, Kathleen Wilson, won news writing, promotional activity, and leadership champion and the first winner of the Who's Who Key Award. 16. Jette Lee Newman was project achievement girl and general home economics champion.



OSBORNE COUNTY

Nine members were selected for membership in the State Who's Who Club. Three new clubs were organized and received charters. Twenty members formed the tractor maintenance activity group and put on a tractor driving contest at the county fair. Larry Yost, Solomon Valley 4-H Club, received a Carl Raymond Gray scholarship. The first annual spring beef show was held with 35 steers entered. The annual steer sale was held with 59 steers being sold at an average price of almost \$34.00 per hundred. Treva Westfall, Sumner 4-H, was grand champion in the style revue at the county fair and received a blue ribbon in the state style revue contest. Forty-two members enrolled in junior leadership and forty-one project leaders and 33 community leaders were recognized at the banquet.



1. Anita Beck had the grand champion steer at the 1952 county fair. 2. Victory 4-H Club receiving the spring beef show trophy. 3. Ted and Steve Hale with their Angus beef heifers. 4. A scene from Sumner's 4-H Club achievement day. 5. James Storer, No. 1 4-H Club, and his steer. 6. Sumner 4-H Club on their tour in June. 7. David Griffin, Natoma Rustlers 4-H Club, was general livestock champion. 8. The Busy Beaver 4-H Club receiving "Typical 4-H Club" bronze plaque presented by radio station WIBW. 9. Deanna Beck, Anita Beck and Beverly Beck with their fat steers. 10. Marina Masters, Natoma Rustlers, was garden champion. 11. Joe Green was vice-president of the county council, general crops champion and promotional talk winner. 12. Duane Spears had the reserve champion steer at the 1952 county fair. 13. The winning judging team at Schoen's field day at Lenora in May were Deryl Carswell, J. Harold Carswell, leader, Gayle Carswell and Merlin Grimes. 14. Sumner's home economics judging team which placed fourth at Hays in April were Treva Westfall, Wilda Stockbridge and Sibyl Cooley.

OTTAWA COUNTY

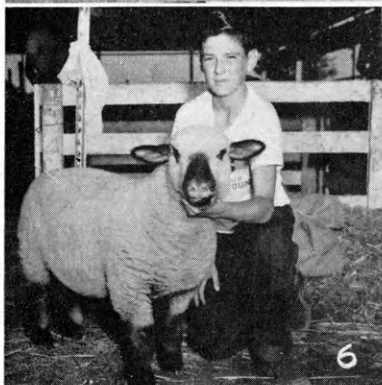
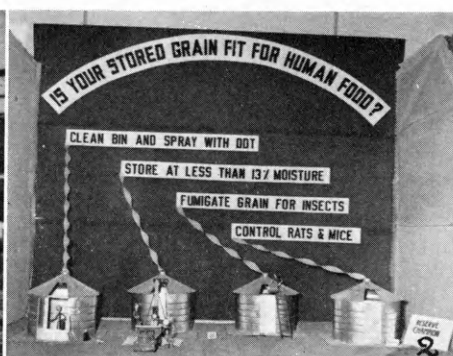
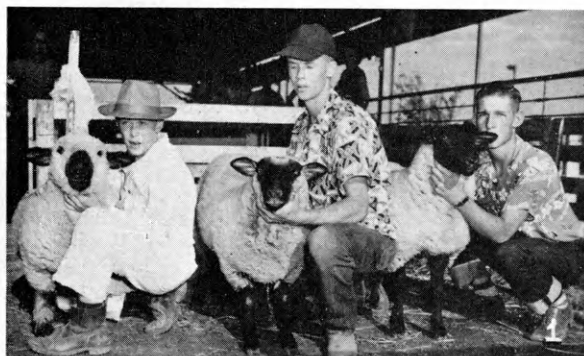
Under the leadership of Inez Pass and Louis Cooper, extension agents, and with the assistance of community and project leaders, Ottawa County's 4-H Clubs enjoyed a prosperous year. An extensive safety program was successfully carried out by two Ottawa County clubs. They checked homes for rats, well water, and Bangs disease in dairy cows. Ottawa County always makes a fine showing at 4-H day in March, the county fair, and the 4-H camps held at Rock Springs Ranch. After receiving the many awards at the annual 4-H achievement banquet, Ottawa County 4-H'ers are looking forward to a challenging new 4-H year.



1. Gary Kay, Gerald Heald, and Elwyne Payne, members of Rockhill 4-H Club, who checked 33 homes for health and safety to help their club to be county winner in the Farm Bureau safety contest. 2. Taking top honors in the float division at the county fair was the Rockhill 4-H Club with their entry "4-H For World Peace." 3. Nadine Krieger, Woodsdale 4-H Club, was county style revue champion. 4. Gary Wing, Solomon Valley Club, and his champion Hereford steer. 5. One of the Ottawa County girls, Charldine Delcamp of Solomon Valley 4-H Club gives the boys tough competition at the fair. 6. Double-R members enjoying their club tour. 7. These six girls from the Culver Livewires formed a sextette which won county and district honors. 8. Recreation time! Ottawa County 4-H'ers playing a fast game of softball after a picnic. 9. May Jones displays her 4-H clothing.

PAWNEE COUNTY

4-H membership has almost tripled in the last three years. We feel our 4-H program is strong because of 22 fine community leaders, 58 hard-working project leaders, and four active junior leaders and parent and community cooperation. These are a must for a strong program. 4-H Club members, leaders and parents were hosts to over 300 county businessmen at a chicken dinner. Pawnee County received the 4-H crops trophy this year which is presented by the State Board of Agriculture for the best county crops exhibit. 4-H'ers participated in the following out-of-county activities: LeRoy Martin and Donald Haun were the winners of the Humburg dairy award trip for 1952. The First National Bank sponsored a trip to the American Royal for the top two 4-H members in the livestock projects, Lorraine Couchman and Norman Morrow. Harold Couchman attended the National 4-H Club Camp in Washington, D. C. Harold was also state dairy champion and alternate to a sectional scholarship in the national contest, and master of ceremonies at the 4-H Round-up banquet in 1952. Whiston Barr was one of 10 4-H Club members in Kansas to receive a \$200 scholarship for outstanding work in soil conservation.



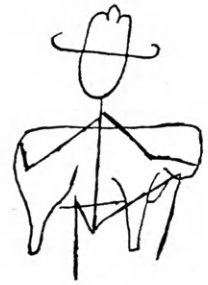
1. Champion ewes at the 4-H fair are shown by Pat Seeman, Leon Sucht, and L. Dean Fox. 2. Tiny Toilers' booth was reserve champion at the State Fair. 3. Margaret Clark does a fine job in fitting and showing at the county fair. 4. Rozel Hustlers take time from their 4-H Club tour for a picture. 5. 4-H'ers enjoyed camp at Ford County lake. 6. George Wells exhibited the champion fat lamb. 7. Besides having the champion beef heifers at the county fair, Donald Welch and Lorraine Couchman had the champion Angus heifer at the State Fair and Roy Peter Bach had the champion Short-horn heifer at the State Fair. 8. Leon Graver, Jr., exhibited the champion fat barrow to win this honor three years in a row.



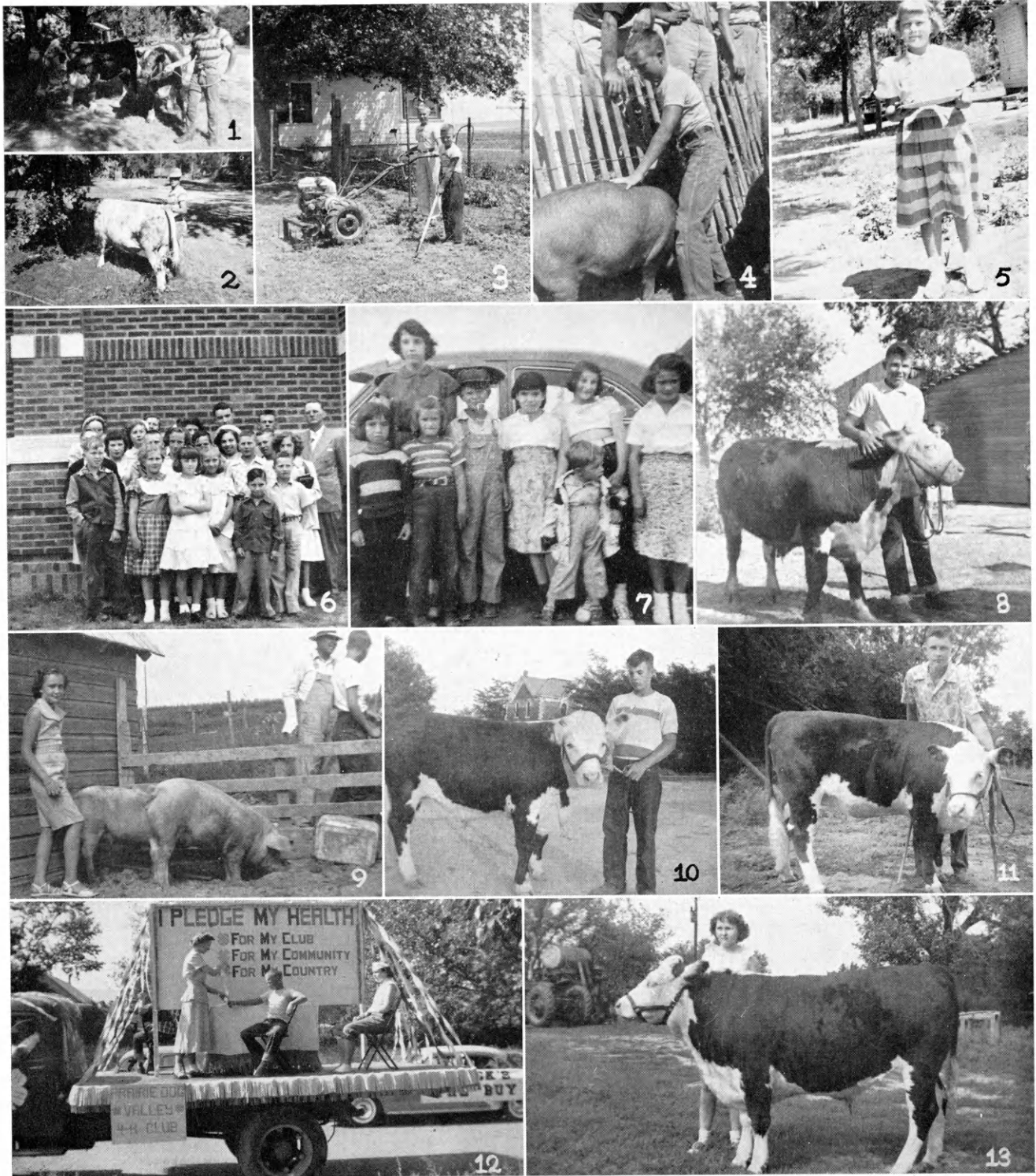
1. Round-up delegates: Claudette Campbell, Nola Drake, Darlene Wilson, Millicent Schultz, Miss Alice Gore, club leader, and Ruth K. Huff, HDA, Leon Sucht, Roy Peter Bach, Norman Morrow, James Nairn, Cliff Manry, county agent, and Harold Couchman. 2. Here are Pawnee County's best dressed 4-H boys at the 4-H fair. 3. Carol Fairchild shows her home improvement work on the club tour. 4. Pawnee County's outstanding 4-H Club boy and girl, Lorraine Couchman and Barbara Beye, receive watches given by Schumacher Jewelry and the First State Bank. 5. County 4-H Club champions front and center! 6. James Nairn poses in his field of certified Kiowa wheat. 7. 4-H Club leaders work hard selecting county champions. 8. Robert Lewis shows his grand champion baby beef. 9. River Ramblers 4-H'ers make salads at a project meeting. 10. County style revue champions and blue ribbon winners at the State Fair were LeRoy Martin and Barbara Clark. 11. Dairy breed champions at the 4-H Club fair were Laurel Lee Johnson, Harold Couchman, Gary Tranbarger, Mikey Zook, Millicent Schultz. 12. Let's eat.

PHILLIPS COUNTY

A new 4-H Club, organized in December, 1952, brings the total to 14 clubs with 215 members. The 4-H achievement banquet was provided and served by the home demonstration units. The crowd of 250 also enjoyed a talk by Miss Carol Jean Blackhall, IFYE delegate. 1952 was a disastrous year for 4-H baby beef projects but Phillips County 4-H'ers bounced right back with more baby beef projects than ever for 1953. There are 55 enrolled for tractor maintenance and 53 for farm and home electric programs in 1953 with two instructors.



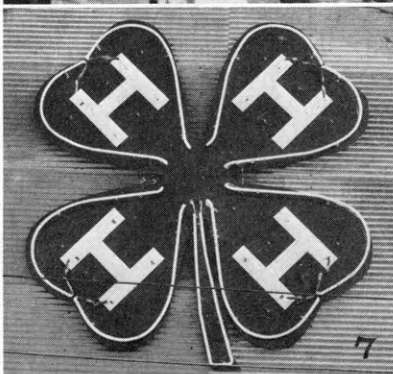
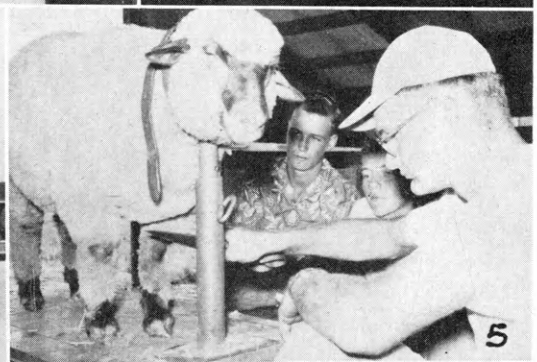
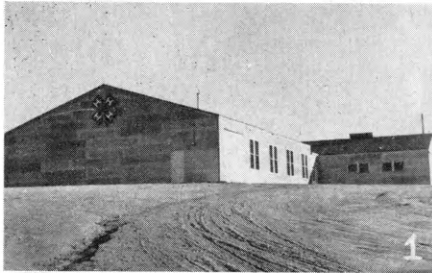
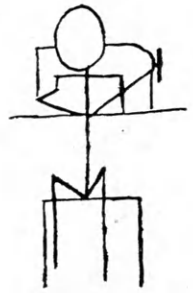
1. Blue ribbons went to Claire Ruppe and Norman Nelson, Prairie Dog Valley. 2. Carolyn Grof, Prairie Dog Valley, has a sheep project. 3. Look to that straight top-line on Glenna Grof's baby beef. 4. Norman Nelson's baby beef was a blue ribbon winner. 5. Nancy Scholl, Prairie Dog Valley, received a red ribbon. 6. LaDonna and Beulah Gruwell, Lichel Hauer, and Phillip Avery with 4-H calves. 7. Iowa Unoin 4-H project sewing class. 8. State Line Ramblers 4-H Club.



1 and 2. Loyall Vincent, Prairie Dog Valley, with his beehives. 3. Harlan and Martin Nonhoff, Iowa Union, work in the garden. 4. Rodney Vincent, Prairie Dog Valley, shows his project. 5. Mary Nonhoff, Iowa Union, has baked a fine cake. 6. The Iowa Union 4-H Club pose for the camera man. 7. Deer Creek 4-H Club members line up for a picture. 8. Stanley Kats, Prairie Dog Valley, shows his steer. 9. Doris Rogers, Prairie Dog Valley, has a swine project. 10. Norman Nelson, Prairie Dog Valley, won a blue ribbon. 11. James Brown, Blue Mound, with his project. 12. The Prairie Dog Valley 4-H Club float at the county fair. 13. "Heads-Up," says Marilyn Graf to her Hereford baby beef.

PRATT COUNTY

Pratt County's 207 4-H'ers under the supervision of three extension agents, and 57 voluntary leaders have a record of 811 completed projects. Some outstanding 4-H'ers were Naomi Stadel, state winner in Citizenship and the W. W. Virtue scholarship; Elaine Lunt, state winner in public speaking and a Jackson Mill delegate; Jack Grier, IFYE delegate to Norway. 4-H members participated in the biggest fair ever held in the county. Outstanding yearly events include record livestock sale, champion pen deferred steers at Dodge City show and sale, chicken dinner for local C. of C.; county health exams, and Southwest camp.



1. 4-H building with new neon emblem. 2. Trumpet trio from Richland 4-H Club. 3. Pratt County delegation to Round-up. 4. 4-H Club Sunday at Golden Valley. 5. Darrel Miller demonstrating how to fit and show a lamb. 6. Janice Humble, Pratt County style revue winner. 7. 4-H emblem in neon. 8. Pratt County 4-H members ready for Southwest Camp.



1. Ceremony of placing seal on charter, Cairo 4-H Club. 2. Darrel Miller accepting trophy from H. Johnson, C. of C. president, for Fairview 4-H Club's championship booth at Pratt County Fair. 3. Elaine Lunt, state public speaking winner. 4. Fairview sewing girls. 5. Trio from Cairo Moler 4-H Club. 6. Naomi Stadel, state citizenship winner. 7. Melva Fitzsimmons' blue ribbon and grand champion ribbon at Pratt County Fair for New Hampshire Red chickens. 8. Ninnescah Live-wires' square dance group at spring festival. 9. Dale Hoeme with his Sears' gilt project. 10. Norman Helmke and his 4-H Holstein heifer, grand champion showman at county fair. 11. Lester Goyen and Andre Lurton, IFYE from France. 12. Philip Lunt giving demonstration of "Care of Paint Brushes." 13. Hopewell 4-H Club. 14. Pratt County 4-H members ready for Southwest Camp. 15. Douglas Bolt proudly displays his grand championship pen of deferred steers at Dodge City. 16. Chicken dinner.



POTTAWATOMIE COUNTY

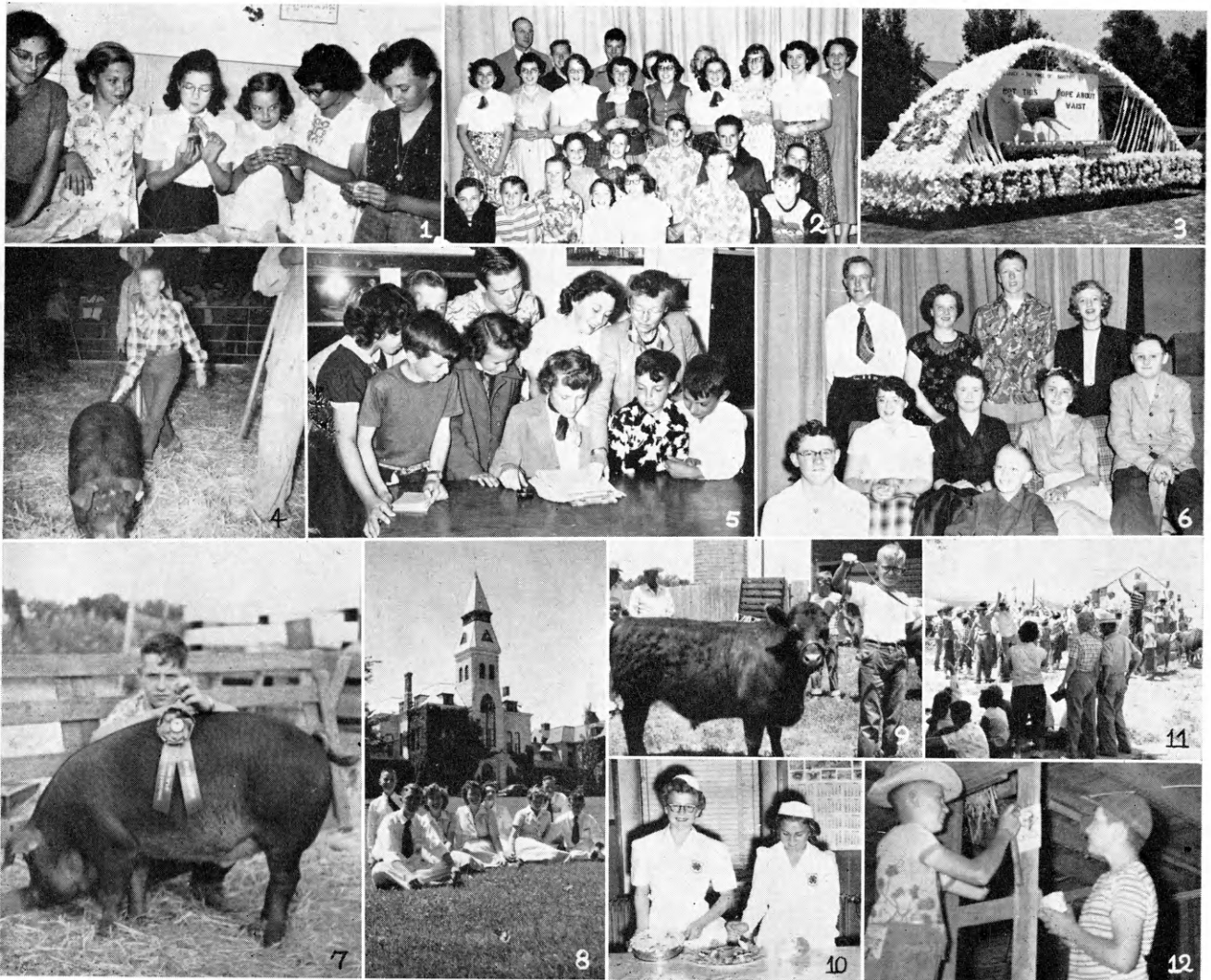
Pottawatomie County had 341 members in sixteen clubs. Livestock projects were most popular among the boys with 66 head of cattle projects carried and 79 head of hogs. One hundred and fifty-three girls were enrolled in clothing and 154 enrolled in food preparation. Twenty-eight members were enrolled in leadership. Members participated in county camps, state camps, state fairs, and judging events to complete a well-rounded program in 4-H work.



1. Louisville D.I.Y. 4-H Club meeting. 2. Shirley Bernritter, Shining Star Club, is shown receiving the bankers award trophy for the outstanding club. 3. The Blackjack Club on their club tour. 4. Janice Casey, Shining Star Club, was the county health champion. 5. Jack Bernritter and Dale Schilling, with their top blue demonstration at the county fair which they presented at the State Fair. 6. The Triple V 4-H Club tour and picnic. 7. Linda Kolterman, Victory, was county 4-H clothing champion. 8. Greta Kolterman, Victory 4-H Club, was the style revue champion. 9. The Blue Valley Go Getters 4-H Club picnic with representatives of sponsoring organizations of Manhattan. 10. Karen Schilling and Anna Marie DeFries, Shining Star Club, with their blue ribbon demonstration at the county club day. 11. Delegates to Round-up at Manhattan, 1952.

RAWLINS COUNTY

Rawlins County club members helped raise money to send Marion Tongish as an IFYE delegate to Austria. After his return he told of his experiences at the 4-H achievement party. Prior to the county fair the 4-H Clubs presented the businessmen with a picnic supper and program. The county fair is the highlight of 4-H Club activities in Rawlins County. The county exhibits in the state fair rated very high. All the club members, leaders and parents are working to make their community a better place to live.



1. The girls of Driftwood Sunflowers are learning to judge foods at a 4-H project meeting. 2. Lake-side Buffaloes were the first club to receive the "Club of the Month" title which told of the club's accomplishments in the local paper. 3. Driftwood Sunflowers designed and built the winning float on 4-H safety. 4. Elliott Glad had his eyes on the auctioneer as his pig entered the 4-H sale ring. 5. Chardon 4-H Club made plans to win the achievement trophy at the fair for the second time in three years. 6. Ilion Meadowlarks play cast takes a breather after winning the county championship. 7. This is the grand champion pig at the county fair shown with its proud owner, Jimmy Prochazka. 8. Anderson Hall at Kansas State College is the setting for the county Round-up delegation: Left, Richard Ruda, Bob Wright, Glenda Schwarz, Vera Reuber, Mrs. Frank Sawyer, Judy Copper, Floyd Trail and Bob Reinert. 9. Beginning of a champion as shown by Tommy Kopriva of Beardsley Beavers who later took grand champion honors at the county fair, and also won champion with his dairy heifer in rear. 10. You too could make a delicious salad if you were to follow Rita Kopriva and Jane Sramek of Beardsley Beavers as they give their demonstration. 11. Livestock judging was part of the 4-H program in the county at the district contest. 12. Jerome Micek, assisted by his brother, Leo, tacks up a hazard sign in the safety drive.



RENO COUNTY

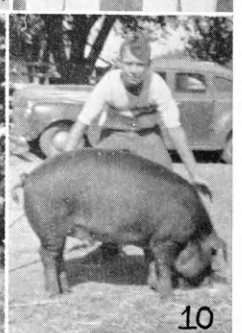
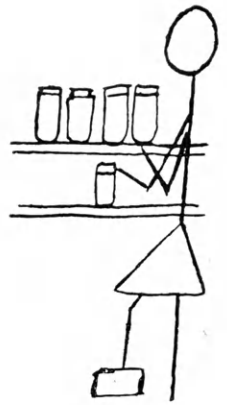
Reno County had 630 club members in 1952. Glen Hurst was a Santa Fe trip winner to Chicago. Clinton and Kenneth Peirce won pen and pencil sets for their soil conservation demonstration which was awarded a purple ribbon at the State Fair. Duane Kelman won the dairy production contest for the Jersey division and received a trip to the National Dairy Cattle Show at Waterloo. Leon Miller, county wheat champion; Glen Hurst and Margaret Burditt, county leadership champions, were awarded local trips to the American Royal 4-H conference.



1. Reno County boys at Round-up in 1952. 2. Chee Club booth at State Fair. 3. Clinton and Kenneth Peirce—purple ribbon soil conservation demonstration at State Fair. 4. Abbyville 4-H Club girls at food preparation class. 5. Busy Beavers 4-H Club foods and clothing project meeting. 6. Girls who attended Round-up from Reno County. 7. Abbyville Club working on vegetable judging instruction class. 8. Judging sheep at spring lamb and wool show. 9. Turon 4-H Club girls at food projects meeting. 10. Hayes 4-H Club tour—looking over a sheep project.

REPUBLIC COUNTY

Republic County has 14 4-H Clubs with approximately 325 members. The girls' clothing team placed first at the State Fair, while the home improvement team placed sixth. The county 4-H fair was held in the quonset building provided for that purpose last fall. During this fair the members operate a food stand. The money earned is used to finance trips to all of the state camps. Members participate in judging schools, and the county and regional 4-H days whenever possible. A summer picnic is financed by the members—every member and his family is invited.



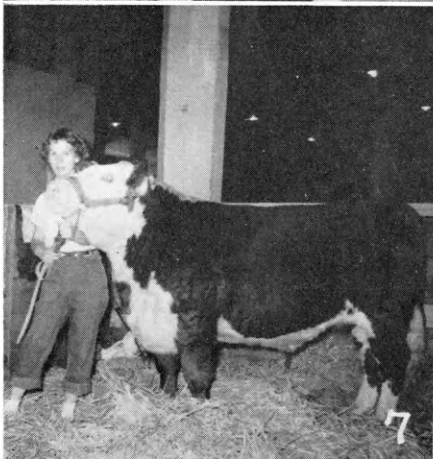
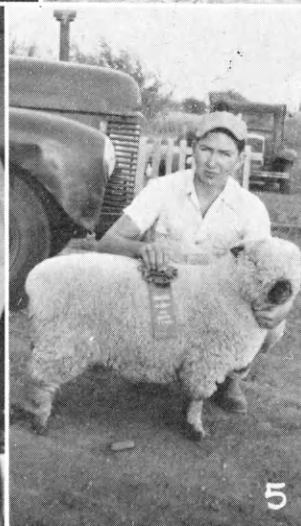
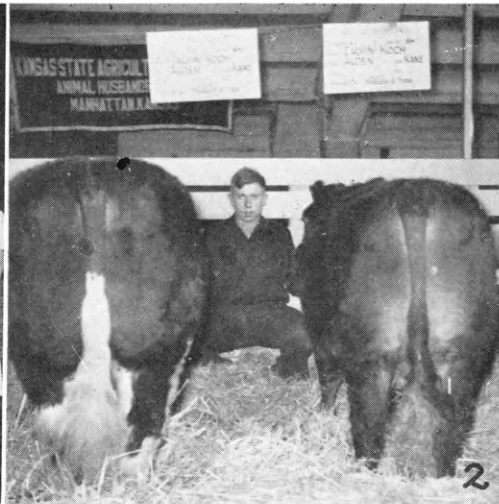
1. The Sherdahl Booster 4-H Club at the Republic County picnic. 2. Illene Rizek with her champion Hereford steer and heifer which she exhibited at the North Central Kansas Free Fair. 3. Joan Skupa. 4. Janet and Allen Miller are members of the Sherdahl Booster 4-H Club. 5. The Rydal Rustlers on their spring tour. 6. The Narka 4-H Club trio. 7. Carol Reynolds and Verlin Kolman were members of the demonstration team which won blue ribbons at the county and district 4-H days. 8. Jan Fredrickson, county dairy production champion. 9. The members of the Narka 4-H Club. 10. Jim Rizek with his grand champion barrow at the North Central Kansas Free Fair.

RICE COUNTY

Rice County had 338 members enrolled in 1952. The membership was nearly divided between boys and girls and was distributed among fifteen clubs. One of the outstanding achievements of the year was the Bon Ame Club being selected the winning health club in the state and ten members and two leaders received a trip to the American Royal 4-H conference. Delmar Conner was state champion Holstein dairy production winner and received a trip to the National Dairy Cattle Congress, Waterloo, Iowa. Dwight Bennett, Bon Ame, was a winner in the state reporter contest, and Shirley Hardwick, Valley Bluebirds, was a blue ribbon winner in the state food preservation contest. The county 4-H fair is the highlight of the 4-H year. Considerable interest is also demonstrated in the annual achievement banquet and the leadership banquet.



1. Bushton Boosters girls' chorus. 2. Younger camp group, Rock Springs. 3. Bushton Boosters younger folk game entry at county 4-H days. 4. Raymond Lucky Four's achievement program. 5. 1953 4-H council officers: Delmar Conner, vice-president; Connie Griffin, president; Edythe Gaede, secretary; Janice Edwards, reporter; Mrs. Darwin Keller and Elmer Enders, adult advisors. 6. Raymond Lucky Four's musical ensemble. 7. Wendell Griffin, reserve grand champion baby beef. 8. Foods judging, Bushton Boosters: Donelda Poppelreiter, Mrs. Merrill Behnke and Mildred Peterson. 9. Bushton Boosters post conservation signs.



1. 1952 delegates to Round-up. 2. Calvin Kock, Jolly Aldenites, exhibit two steers at the American Royal. 3. Edythe Gaede and winning food demonstration. 4. Valley Bluebirds receiving the outstanding club award, Mrs. John Edwards, Cynthia Blackhall and Dale Hazlett, president of county Bankers' Association. 5. Gene Wilson and champion fat lamb. 6. Key award winners, Delmar Conner, Wendell Griffin, Joneta Edwards, K. A. DeVore, Connie Griffin, Curtis Bennett, Edythe Gaede. 7. Judy Hardwick, Valley Bluebirds, and her entry at Kansas National Fat Stock Show. 8. Connie Griffin, food preparation champion. 9. Bon Ame Club delegates to American Royal 4-H conference, winning health club.

RILEY COUNTY

For the year 1952, Riley County had an active livestock judging team competing in state events. The team members were Jim Murray, George Atkeson, Dave Carlson, and Don Carlson. Jeanette Collister, Betty Taylor, Margaret Edwards and Marion Benniga represented Riley County at the Free and State Fairs in home economics judging, winning fourth and eighth places. The 4-H fair started with a parade of 13 4-H floats followed by club members in new cars, two HDU floats, saddle clubs, farm implements and the band. The livestock auction at the fair sold 29 animals totaling \$10,065.



1. The 1952 Round-up delegation from Riley County. 2. Members of Be Busy 4-H Club work on Clean-Up day at their club grounds. 3. Diana Kientz, Riverview 4-H, with her geese project. 4. Kay Rudolph of Pillsbury 4-H Club and her beef project. 5. Ashland 4-H'ers enter their float in the 4-H fair parade. 6. Walter Rudolph and Delores Toy were the health delegates to Rock Springs Ranch. 7. Harold Strauss, general livestock champion, is shown with his swine project. 8. The Blue Valley square dance team were winners of the county spring festival. 9. The Cloverleaves had a square dance entry at the spring festival. 10. The Blue Valley tour stopped at the home of C. A. Crumbaker. 11. Lyle Goff, Wildcat 4-H, was the 1952 county sorghum champion. 12. Getting ready for a hayrack ride.



1. Alan Phillips is president of the 1953 4-H council. 2. Karen Burtis was 1952 county council president and general home economics champion. 3. Kenneth Swart—1952 leadership boy and soil conservation winner. 4. Albion Visser—president of his club and project achievement boy. 5. Style Revue winners—Margaret Edwards, reserve; Janet Frey, champion; Al Pishney, champion; Howard Pears, reserve. 6. This is the 1952 council secretary and food preservation champion, Phyllis Fenn. 7. Angela Schurle of the Wildcat club was the county dairy champion. 8. Martha Goff, Wildcat club, was the county beef champion.

ROOKS COUNTY

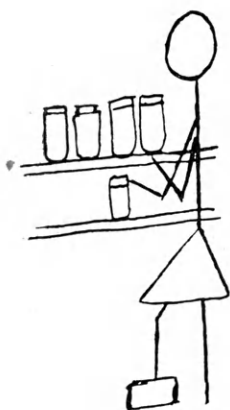
1952 was a prosperous year for the eleven clubs in Rooks County. The net profit for the 207 members completing their projects was five thousand dollars over 1951. Members had 39 exhibits at the State Fair. Four hundred and eighty-seven exhibits were on display at the county fair. The Rooks County 4-H Council was host to the Regional Club Day. Clubs have entered teams at Hays, Lenora and other judging events. A district judging school was held for surrounding counties.



1. 4-H members and families gather for a noon lunch on 4-H Sunday at the Rooks County Lake.
2. Part of the boys from the Busy Bee Club displaying ribbons won at the local fair.
3. Sack lunches and drink furnished by the Bow Creek Club were enjoyed at the noon stop during the county club tour in the Bow Creek recreation area.
4. A group of 4-H members showing Gudren Jensen, center, Denmark IFYE delegate, points in grooming calves for showing.
5. 4-H Club on the Lindsey farm during their club tour.
6. Clothing girls from the Star Club take time out from stitching to have their pictures taken.
7. 4-H girls after the style revue at the county fair.
8. Richard Vanderlip, Woodson Sunflower Club, with his cow and calf.
9. Busy Bee girls displaying the ribbons their projects received at the county fair.
10. Livewire boys working on poison feeders for rats.
11. Le Anna and Larry Krob, Star Club, showing their pigs during the club tour.
12. Rosalee and Gary Schultz, showing their calves on the Star Club tour.
13. Annette Thyfault, Damar, left, county winner of cherry pie contest and two others in the county contest.



1. Shirlee Hazen, Livewire 4-H, president of county 4-H council. 2. Richard Vanderlip and Richard Oliva in their best groomed boy outfits. 3. East Plainville cooking girls relax from a project lesson long enough to have their pictures taken. 4. Joyce Gager and Gloria Blecka as they appeared in the style revue at the fair. 5. Tommy Clark, West Paradise, holding his heifer that won the fitting and showing contest. 6. Darrell Bedore, 4-W Club, holding his reserve champion steer. 7. Members of the East Plainville Club on their club tour. 8. Junior leaders handled the information desk at the Regional 4-H Club Day in Plainville. 9. Anita Clark, West Paradise Club, showing her ribbon winning clothing projects displayed at the fair. 10. Karen Clark, West Paradise Club, holding her clothing projects exhibited at the fair.

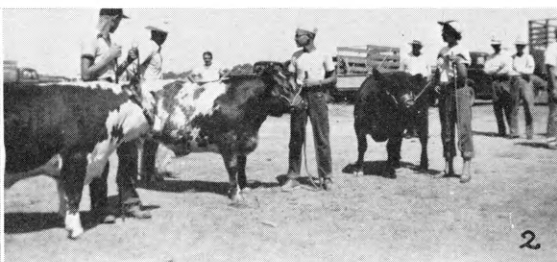


RUSH COUNTY

1952 was a banner year for Rush County 4-H. A record number of 4-H members enrolled this year and a record number completed their projects. Catherine Cain won national championship for girls' record. Rush County 4-H younger members camped at Hays, and the older members at Rock Springs. Highlights of the year were the county fair, 4-H day, achievement banquet, sponsored by the La Crosse Chamber of Commerce. Work was under the supervision of the county agents, Frances Brown and Ben Johnson.



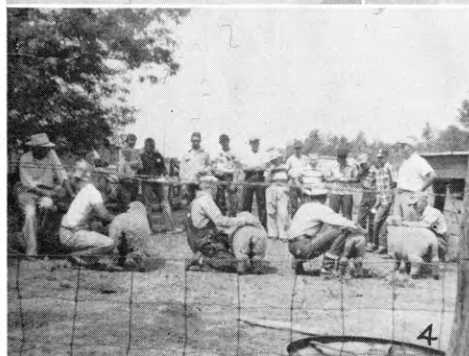
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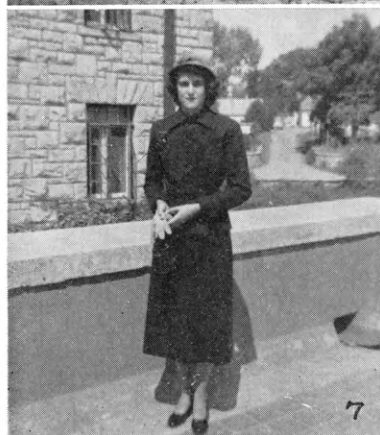
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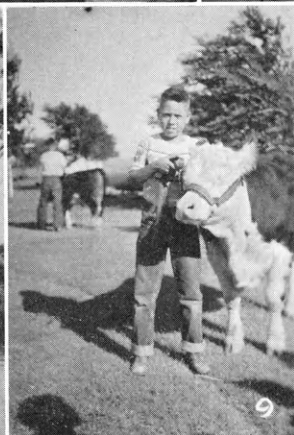
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1. Big Timber, folk dance blue ribbon winners at county 4-H day. 2. Judge Bob Acre picks grand champion steer at Rush County Fair. 3. Melvin Renner and Dale Tammen, Walnut City 4-H, giving blue ribbon demonstration at county fair. 4. County judging contest. 5. Who's Who award winners, Betty Gisick, Lone Star 4-H; Joe Jennings, Big Timber 4-H; Catherine Cain, Big Timber 4-H; Ann Elias, La Crosse Harmoniers; Mr. K. E. De Vore, Cities Service representative. 6. Kenneth Folkerts, accepting trophy for Timken Roller Bearing Club at achievement banquet from Frances Brown, home demonstration agent. 7. Catherine Cain, Big Timber 4-H, National Girls Record winner. 8. Delegation to Older Group Camp at Rock Springs. 9. Bobby Collins, Brookdale Hustlers, with baby beef. 10. Yvonne Seaman, Brookdale Hustlers, with Brown Swiss heifer.

RUSSELL COUNTY

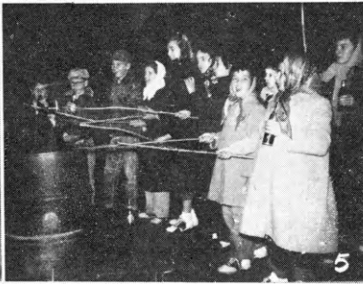
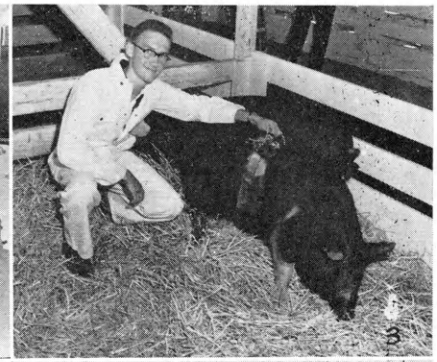
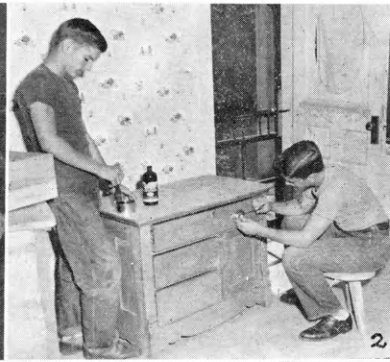
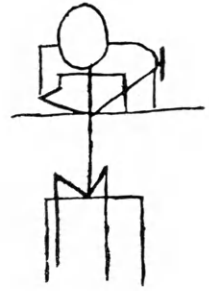
Russell County's 4-H is growing. This year there are nine 4-H Clubs having a total membership of 208. There were some 900 projects carried this year by this group for an average of 91.7% completion. Safety and health activity dominates in most of the clubs, although wildlife conservation is the chief aim in several. The largest achievement banquet ever held in Russell County was on November 15, 1952, with a total of 482 members and guests present.



1. Three Russell County 4-H'ers making music at a District 4-H Club Day. Those pictured, from left to right, are: Robert Anschutz, Wendell Cowan and Eugene Lundgrin of the East Wolf 4-H Club.
2. It was a happy group of 4-H'ers and agents that attended Round-up this year. Those pictured are, from left to right, Don Haberer, Janet Eddy, Gale Mullen, county agent, Mary Stricker, Ben Howe, Eugene Lundgrin, Beth Newell, home demonstration agent, and Palmera Keil.
3. Berny Veverka, Prospectors, tells and shows a "how to do it" in a demonstration given at the county 4-H day.
4. Dale Reich, Paradise Dell, was mighty proud of his steer "Butch" when he reigned as champion in the county show and also at the State Fair in 1952.
5. Patty Shaffer, center, reigned as the Fair Queen in 1952, attended, from left to right, by Carol Heckman, Kathryn Pauley, Wilmetta Mai, Marjorie Heard, Miss Shaffer, Julia Rogg, Pat Rogg, Joan Radina and Janet Becker.
6. A familiar sight in the Russell County fair beef barn of the interested folks looking over the prize winning stock that has been brought to the fair by the 4-H'ers.
7. Blue ribbon booth winner was the Lone Star 4-H Club with their presentation of the "Egg Story."
8. Prospectors 4-H Club booth at the county fair gained much attention because of the interest in the wildlife conservation in Russell County.
9. A typical sight in Russell County 4-H Days as the Boswell Boosters 4-H Club goes into action in the model meeting contest.
10. A group of 4-H'ers and parents busy with hammers and saws in preparation for the 4-H fair.

SALINE COUNTY

Sixteen 4-H Clubs with an enrollment of 433 carried a total of 1,040 projects. Ninety-five volunteer leaders promoted the 4-H program. A very successful carnival was held, sponsored by the 4-H Clubs and the Salina Lions Club. Fifty-nine demonstrations were given in county competition during the year, with four presented at the State Fair. Nine judging teams represented the county at state contests. Outstanding work was done in tractor maintenance with fifty-five members enrolled. Dairy and clothing projects rated high at the State Fair. State championships were won in the cherry pie baking contest, legumes and grasses, and Brown Swiss dairy production, plus a Washington trip winner.



1. Salina Ramblers 4-H girls entertain at their club. 2. Tom and Bill Flemming, Brookville, work on home improvement. 3. Dean Becker won both grand champion and reserve at the fair with his three fat barrows. 4. Who's Who Key winners receive awards at achievement banquet. 5. A wiener roast is part of the Sunny Valley Hallowe'en party. 6. Leo Gene Clanton, Friendly Valley, shows one of his blue ribbon capons. 7. Willing Workers 4-H Club post their wildlife preserve. 8. The style revue champions and reserve champions receive awards at the county fair. 9. Jerry Haley, Cloverleaf, gives a dairy demonstration at 4-H Club day. 10. Martha and Ann Larson, Smoky View, are proud of their baby beef projects.



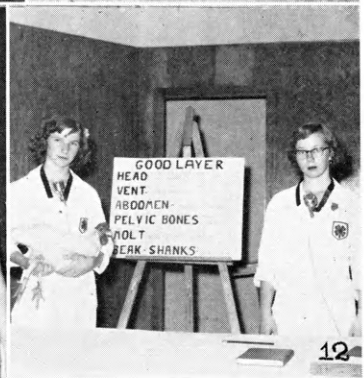
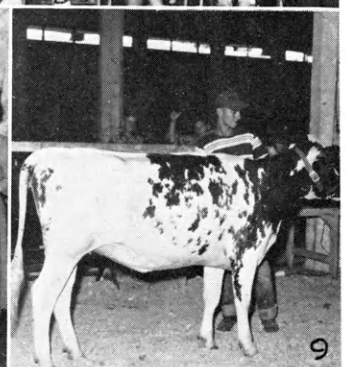
1. Past and present leaders of the Kipp Wide-a-Wake Club get together at the club's 25th anniversary reunion. 2. The younger girls food class of City-Go-Getters display their work. 3. Foods class, older group, of City Go-Getters display products on tour. 4. These 4-H leaders attended state leaders' conference. 5. Smoky View 4-H'ers have a good time on their project tour. 6. Charter members of the Kipp Wide-A-Wake Club have a reunion with Dwight Hull, first Saline County agent, at the 25th anniversary celebration. 7. Garold Homman, Willing Workers, shows his Hampshire lamb. 8. Darrell Elder, Saline Valley, displays his Berkshire gilt while his sisters look on. 9. Thurston Thiel, Gypsum, leads his colt in the livestock parade at the fair. 10. Gary and Steve Winslow, Cloverleaf, groom their dairy heifers. 11. Dolores Lindblad, Friendly Valley president, labels food preservation project for the fair. 12. Here is the 1952 Round-up delegation. 13. Bavaria Livewire 4-H'ers are on tour. 14. The Bavaria Livewire dairy judging team attended district judging school. 15. State winners, Marilyn Veltman, cherry pie baking champ; Agnes Smith, Washington trip winner; Chester Peterson, Jr., legumes and grasses champ, and Fred Cox, meat animal winner. 16. Peggy and Helen Hoeffner, Salina Ramblers 4-H, work on clothing projects. 17. Eldon Eliason, Gypsum, washes his Shorthorn heifer.

SEDGWICK COUNTY

Sedgwick County had 28 active clubs in 1952 which boosted a membership of 1,032 members. There were several state champions in 1952, boys' achievement, better grooming, laying phase of poultry, and a Washington, D. C., trip winner. The meats judging and identification team was also a state winner. Thirteen Sedgwick County 4-H'ers were initiated into the Who's Who in Kansas 4-H Club. The 4-H members of Sedgwick County conduct a weekly radio program and publish a yearbook of the county accomplishments. They have had an I.F.Y.E. delegate in 1952 and another delegate in 1953.



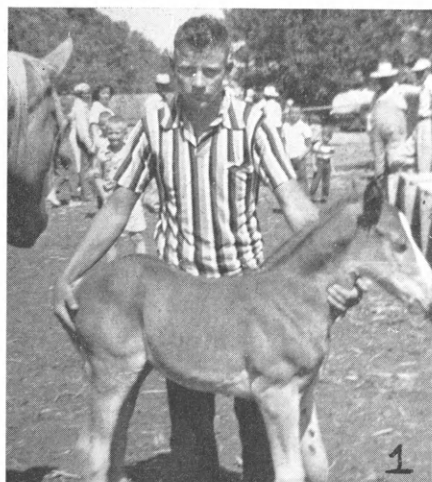
1. King and queen of the county show were Bob McDowell and Sandra Dunnegan. 2. State Who's Who members with the sponsor from Cities Service. 3. County and state meats judging team. 4. Earl Vanderhoff of Ripley Club shows the county champion fat lamb. 5. Delegates to Round-up. 6. County champion baby beef and exhibitor, Jerry Farney from Riverside Club. 7. Home economics project champions. 8. County foods judging team—Jo Bailey, Ernestine Retzlaff, Lucille Ottaway, and Ruth Younkin. 9. Russell Boodson, Sharon Lewis, Patsy Clark, and Donna Turner made up the poultry judging team. 10. The county dairy judging team was Darry Wade, Wanda Koab, and Curtis Creed.



1. Betty Turner, Sunnydale, and Tom Shinn, Ninnescah Valley, were county leadership champions and received watches. 2. Who's Who members enjoy a watermelon feed on their summer hay ride. 3. Members take part in the land judging demonstration at county camp. 4. Agricultural and miscellaneous champions. 5. The yearbook staff works on the Sedgwick County Yearbook. 6. Marcia Bishop, Maize, and Charles Becker, Schulte, are the county achievement champions. 7. Charlotte Becker, Sandra Dunnegan, and Velma Beagley were members of the county home improvement judging team. 8. Style revue winners are Jerl Blalack, Bob McDowell, Marcia Bishop, and Betty Turner. 9. Bruce Hand of Mulvane Club was dairy champion of the county show. 10. County livestock judging team with their coach, the associate county agent. 11. County clothing judging team composed of Donna Turner, Marcia Bishop, and Louise Ottaway. 12. The Poultry demonstration at the State Fair.

SEWARD COUNTY

The Seward County 4-H council was in charge of a weekly radio program the fifth Saturday of the month having five Saturdays. The 4-H council also built a new concession stand to use at the Five-State Fair as their money making project. Twenty-one members attended the Southwest Camp. In June Seward County 4-H'ers held a county judging school. They also held a judging contest during the county fair. 4-H livestock judging schools were held at Arbuthnot's Ranch. Mr. Lester Weatherwax was guest speaker at the 4-H achievement banquet.



1. Gary Warden and his colt, taken during the Eager Beavers' project tour. 2. Westline Pals 4-H Club project tourers pause to view Patty Bonsall's garden. 3. Nadine Beard with her county winning angel food cake, eligible for State Fair. 4. Westline Pals 4-H members on project tour viewing Carble Packer's champion breeding heifer. 5. The Westline Pals 4-H Club chorus after presenting their radio program.

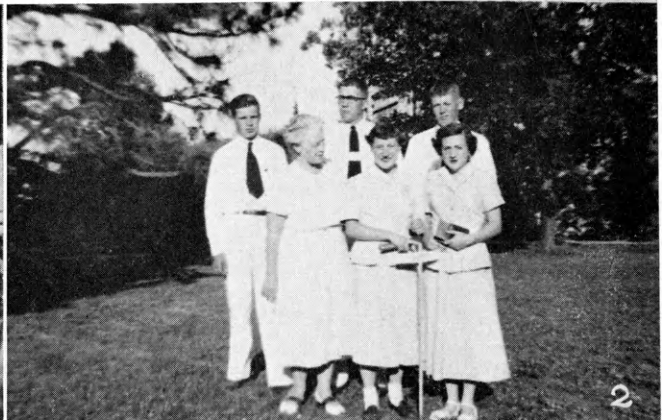


1. Pat Wright with the Hereford breeding heifers belonging to him and his brother Danny. 2. Westline Pals 4-H Club members after a practice session on their numbers for achievement banquet. 3. Riverside Boosters' cooking leader, Mrs. George McElfresh. 4. Wide Awake 4-H'ers win blue ribbon in festival with play, 'Ada Gives First Aid.' 5. Janice Preedy displays products from her projects. 6. Riverside Boosters' Dalene Beard with garden projects. 7. Steve Boles and Mohammed Naqvi, professor of agronomy in Pakistan, prepare a script for one of weekly 4-H radio programs. 8. Riverside Boosters' cooking group. 9. Riverside Boosters' sewing group. 10. Best dressed girl, Janice Preedy, and best groomed boy, Steve Boles. 11. Janice Preedy working on her home beautification project. 12. Wide Awake grand champion float, Christmas parade.



SCOTT COUNTY

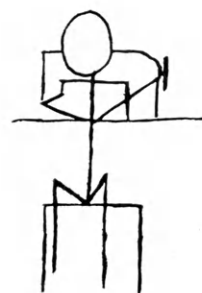
A 96% record of completion was posted by the 107 Scott County 4-H members during 1952. A new club, the "Try-'N'-Do" 4-H Club at Grigston, was organized in the spring. They worked hard to complete charter requirements and were awarded their charter in the fall. More improvements were added to the county 4-H and home economics building. The building was wired for electricity and lights were installed; also the ceiling was put on. Two junior leaders, Martha McReynolds and Gail Rudolph, received the State Who's Who award and gold watches as the outstanding junior leaders in the county.



1. Vernon Heim shows his steer during the Lucky Clover 4-H Club tour. 2. The 1952 Scott County Round-up delegation. Girls, left to right, are Mrs. Alma Giles, HDA, Inez Leach, and Hazel Boulware; Boys, left to right, are Jack Frick, Harold Johnson, county agent, and Sam Brookover. 3. Group of 4-H members who received awards at the 1952 achievement party. 4. Leona McReynolds showing her Salad Bowl lettuce from her garden project. 5. Robert Neuenschwander presents a wrist watch to Gail Rudolph for outstanding leadership. The other winner in the Robert's Award was Martha McReynolds who was not present for the picture. 6. Henry Patton shows his Sears pig project. 7. 4-H members and parents line up for a picnic dinner at the Otis Patton farm during their annual county tour. 8. Billy Dean Krebs, Pence 4-H Club, and his 1952 Sears pig project.

SHAWNEE COUNTY

Three members received state recognition. Mary Simpson received a \$200 fire prevention scholarship, Marjorie Smerchek was state safety winner and Beth Shafer received a gold watch as state frozen foods champion. Highlighting our county work in 1952 was recreation, band work, judging and demonstration team work. The Shawnee County Who's Who Club made a 2,300-mile tour through seven southern states during June.

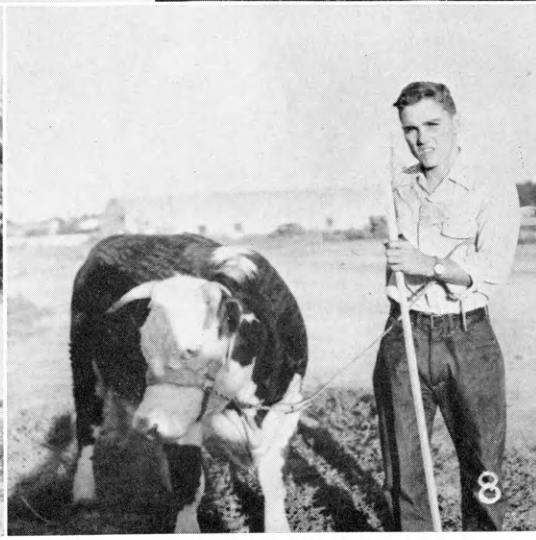
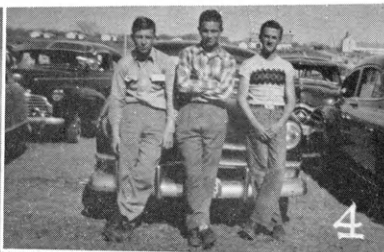


1. Shawnee County Round-up delegation. 2. The adult leaders' conference. 3. Mary Simpson won a \$200 fire prevention scholarship. 4. Dick Enoch with his grand champion steer at the 4-H fair. 5. For National 4-H Club week. 6. "What'll You Have?" at the Kansas Free Fair. 7. Rice 4-H'ers at Rock Springs. 8. Marjorie Smerchek was state safety champion. 9. Marilyn Pence was county style revue winner. 10. The staff for the Shawnee County 4-H annual. 11. We camped with Reno County.



SHERIDAN COUNTY

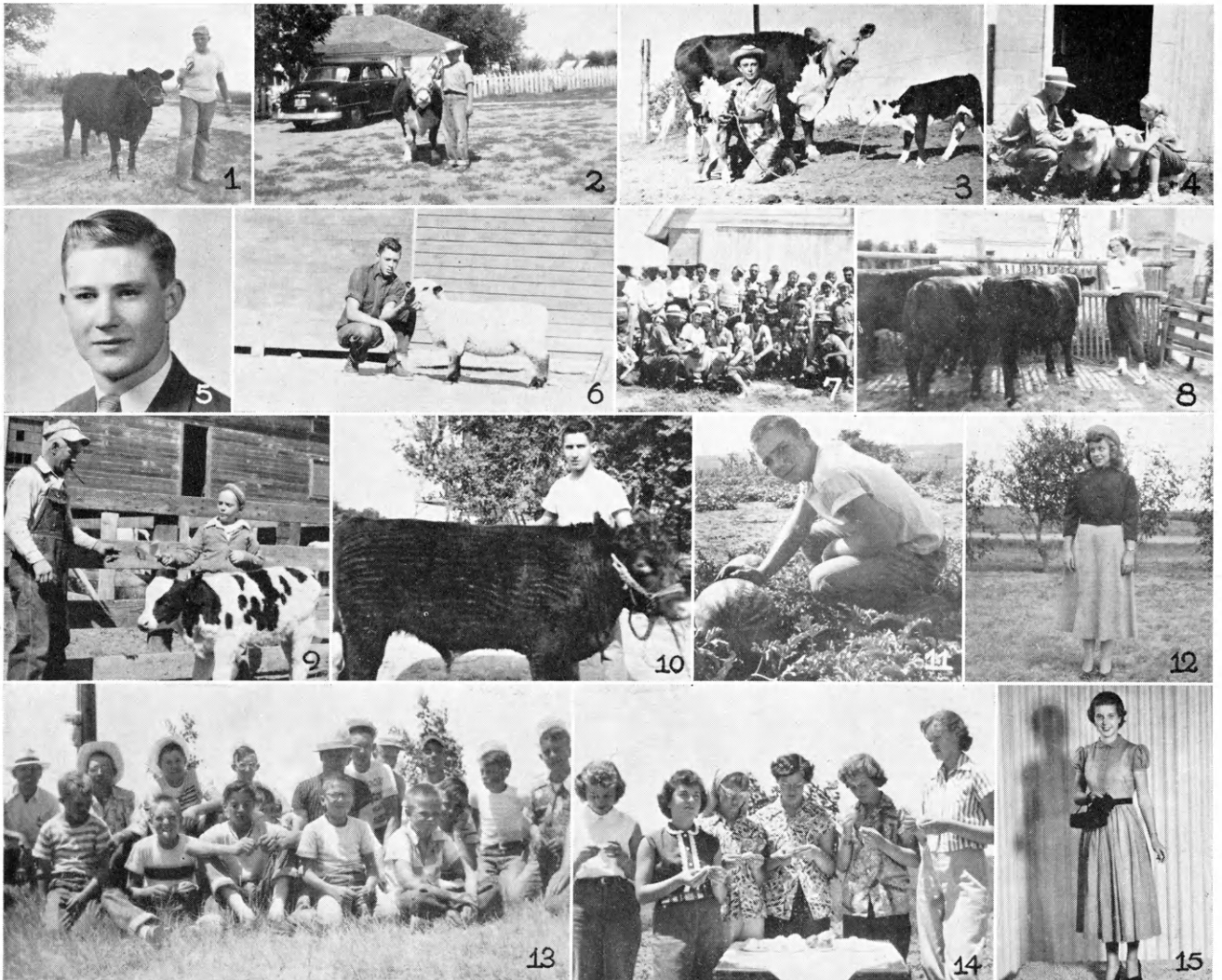
There were 158 4-H members enrolled in nine 4-H Clubs in Sheridan County in 1952. One hundred and fifty-two members completed one or more projects for a completion of 96%. Projects valued at \$50,004.80 were produced at a cost of \$28,976.02 for a profit of \$21,051.10. Wheat was the most profitable project for the year. Nineteen members took wheat projects. It cost \$4,357.72 to produce wheat valued at \$18,967.04, for a profit of \$14,609.32. 4-H Club members participated in many activities during the year. Included in these activities were: 4-H Club days, 4-H Round-up, district judging schools, 4-H and FFA fair, businessmen's picnic, county camp at Rock Springs Ranch, State Fair at Hutchinson.



1. Eileen Schlick—Chicago Jayhawkers. 2. Lawrence Simon of the Saline Valley 4-H Club. 3. Laura Robben, member of Evening Star 4-H, at the fair. 4. Chicago Jayhawkers judging team were Duane Wonten, Lester Kemper and Lloyd Mills. 5. Shirley Chapman of the Hoxie Hustlers. 6. Lois Chapman was queen of the Sheridan County 4-H Fair. 7. Larry Ochs with his grand champion lamb. 8. David Flippe, a member of Angelus 4-H, showing his breeding heifer.

SHERMAN COUNTY

The 12 4-H Clubs of Sherman County, under the supervision of Evans Banbury and Evelyn Erichsen, turned in a 98.4% record book completion. Last summer 52 4-H'ers enjoyed camping at Rock Springs. At the State Fair, Sherman County had the champion food judging team and was second high in clothing judging. Also at the State Fair, Patty Owen took third place in foods and clothing judging, and Jim Flanders took third in livestock judging. Lu Anne Hicks was state junior leadership champion.



1. The reserve grand champion ribbon was awarded to this steer belonging to Gary Mosbarger, who was selected as county beef champion. 2. The reserve champion Hereford steer as groomed and shown by Dale Rice of Grant Boosters 4-H Club. 3. The breeding project of Jon Sheldon from Grant Boosters Club. 4. Myra Curry, shown with her father, was the proud owner of the grand champion lamb at the Northwest District Fair. 5. A number of county championships and the Who's Who Blue Key award went to Floyd Kemp, Jr., of the Sherman Leaders Club. 6. The blue ribbon ewe lambs shown by Dale Stephens of Grant Boosters 4-H Club. 7. A large group enjoyed the Warren Star Busy Bees' project tour. 8. Three of the four steers carried as a beef project by Margaret Litz of the Sherman Leaders 4-H Club. 9. Roland Isernhagen receiving papers on his registered Holstein heifer project. 10. Elton Chatfield displays a well-groomed blue ribbon Short-horn steer at the district fair. 11. Cecil Sherrod of the Prairie Dale Club displays a juicy melon from his garden project. 12. LuAnne Hicks was county champion in many projects and state junior leadership champion. 13. The Llanos boys gather for an agricultural project meeting with their leader, Mr. Peters, and the county agent. 14. The Llanos girls enthusiastically sampling baked products at a project meeting. 15. Mildred Bergsman was county style revue champion.



SMITH COUNTY

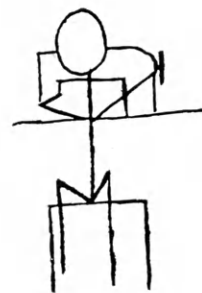
Judging was one of the largest activities in Smith County this year. The Big Timber Boosters' livestock team placed second at the Hays judging school. Demonstration work also attracted much interest with two demonstrations receiving blue ribbons at the regional club day. Many 4-H members helped with fair activities. 4-H Clubs painted mailboxes, tested eyes and tested water as service projects. Other activities included camping at Rock Springs Ranch, a trip to the American Royal and an achievement party.



1. Smith County Round-up delegates pose on the KSC campus. 2. Carolyn Monte, county girls record champion, poses with her blue ribbon skirt. 3. Gyra Caldwell, Harlan Circle junior leader, and her foods project class. 4. 4-H members work on craft projects at Rock Springs Ranch camp. 5. Big smiles from some Smith County campers at Rock Springs. 6. Charleen Harndon, Big Timber Boosters, and her calf project. 7. Neil Herndon and his calf project at the Big Timber Boosters tour. 8. Mary Lou Rubendall, county home improvement champion. 9. Smith County 4-H campers at Rock Springs. 10. Sharon Burgess and reserve champion dairy heifer at the county fair.

STANTON COUNTY

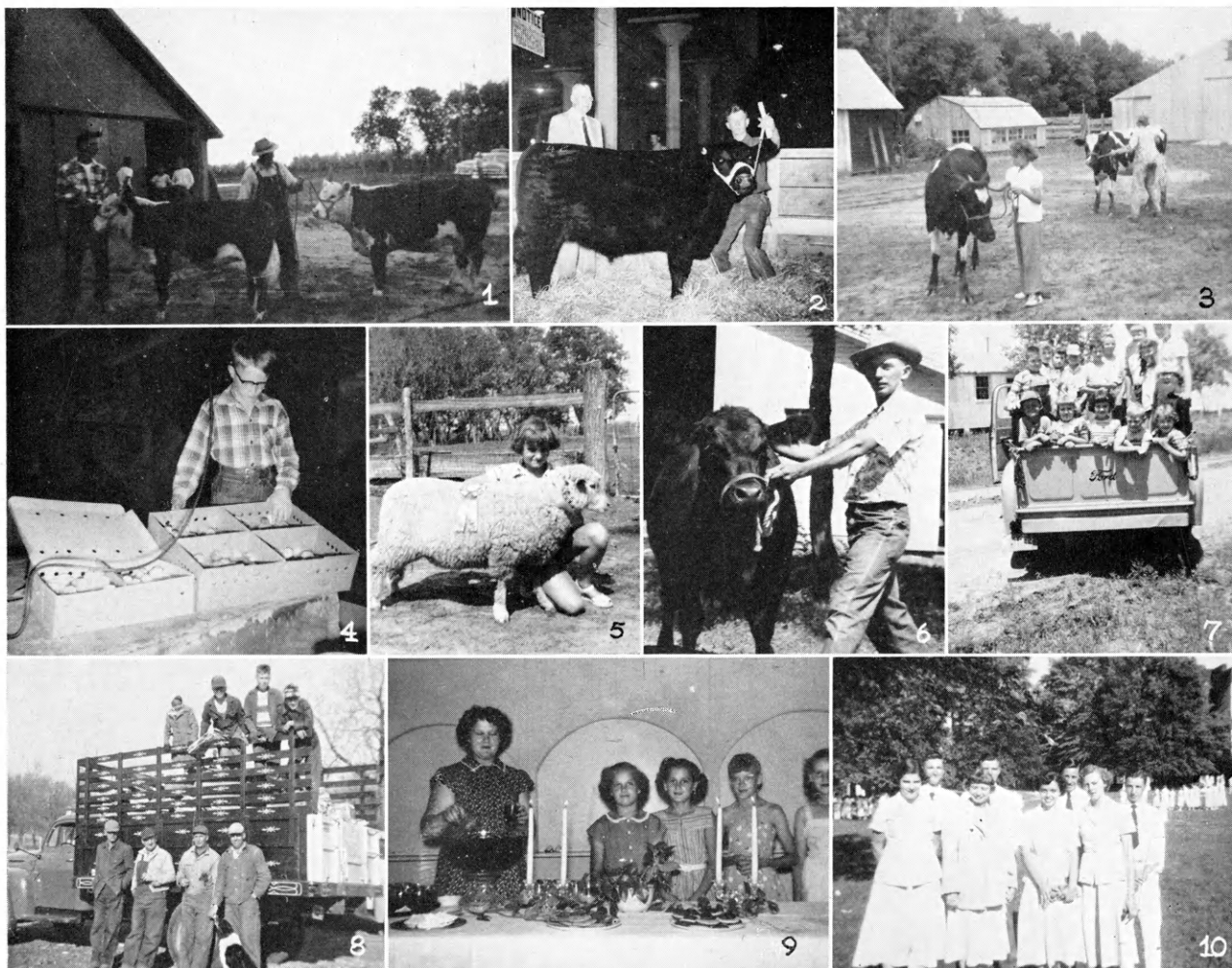
Stanton County's five clubs have a membership of 91 4-H Club boys and girls. One of the favorite annual events is the picnic given for Rotary in appreciation of their help throughout the year. The Stanton County 4-H Fair is an outstanding 4-H fair in the Southwest. Mrs. Charles Winger was awarded the pearl clover for 15 years outstanding leadership in Stanton clubs. John Allman and Marian Walters are the county extension agents.



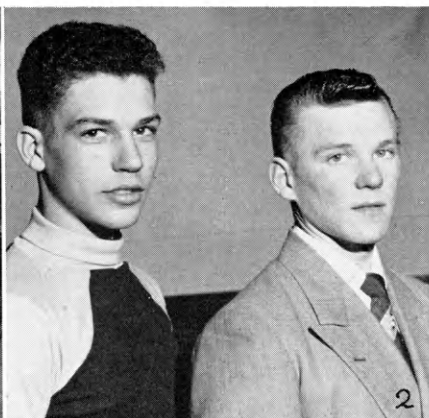
1. Four top beef animals at the county fair. 2. A first aid demonstration was given at the district 4-H day by Janet Raney and Donna Pepper, members of Mitchell Meadowlark 4-H Club. 3. Clifford Pepper and his unusual project in poultry. 4. Maurina Loader, Go Getters 4-H Club, and her lamb project. 5. The 4-H Rotary picnic at the youth building in Johnson, June 4, 1952. 6. A novelty number for 4-H Club day by the Mitchell Meadowlark Club members. 7. Stanton County delegation to Southwest Camp, 1952. 8. The Sunflower 4-H Club model meeting at the district 4-H day at Liberal, 1952. 9. Lanny Loepke, Big Bow 4-H, and his rag doll seed tester demonstration at district 4-H day. 10. Oavid Ruth and his dairy project, "Bar Ada." 11. Greta Julian, county foods champion, being presented with awards by Marian Walters, H.D.A. 12. Joe Whipple, Big Bow 4-H, and his garden project.

STAFFORD COUNTY

Ninety-four percent of the boys and girls enrolled in the 12 clubs in Stafford County in 1952 completed their projects. Club projects netted their owners \$38,162.08. Members had 980 exhibits at the county 4-H fair and 76 exhibits at state shows. Thirty-three junior leaders assisted 81 adult leaders with the 4-H program. Forty-nine members attended one of the camping programs including state junior leadership, state health camp, state conservation camp, 4-H Round-up and State Fair encampment. Seven of the eight events entered in the district 4-H day placed in the blue award group and the eighth received a red award.



1. Bob Gleason, Radium 4-H, shows his Hereford heifer to fellow members during their club tour. Bob's father holds a heifer belonging to brother Donald. 2. Marc Asher and his steer at the Wichita Fat Stock Show. 3. Karen and Gary Green, Radium 4-H Club, show their Holsteins to club members during their spring tour. 4. Darrell Garner, a blue ribbon winner in the poultry project, gets started early with his project work. 5. Lu Ann Grissman, Eden Valley Hustlers, and her grand champion ewe. 6. Robert Shank, Antrim Streamliners, completed his second year in deferred steer project. 7. Jayhawker 4-H members get together to paint mail boxes in their community. 8. Radium 4-H members and parents load scrap paper for a fund raising program for their club. 9. Radium 4-H girls entertain at a tea sponsored by their club. 10. Nancy Sanford, George McCandless, Wanda Stalcup, Doug Lamb, Vivian Setser, Rex Schrader, Mary Ellen Waters, and Bob Gleason constituted the county delegation to State 4-H Round-up.



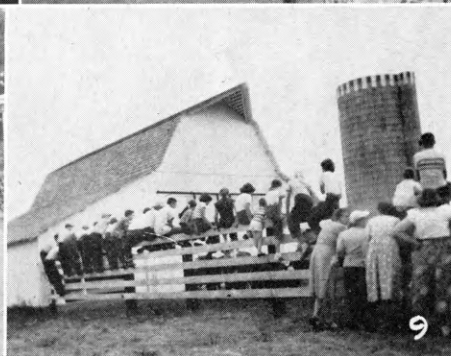
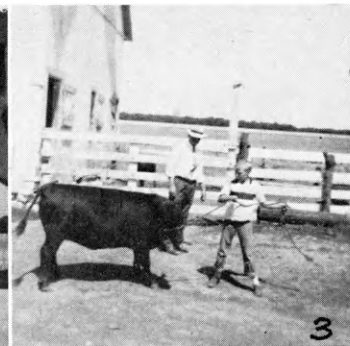
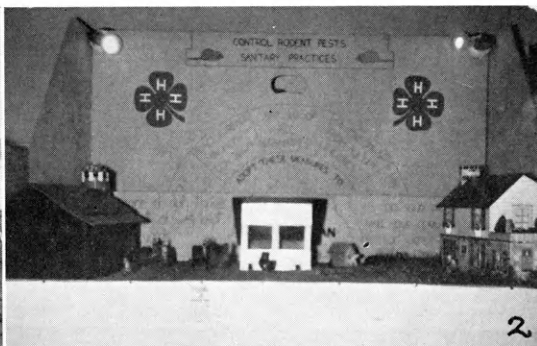
1. Eden Valley Hustlers prepare Christmas bundles for the needy, in connection with their Christmas party. 2. Darrell Brensing, president, and Vernon Bartlett, vice-president of the 1952 County 4-H Council. 3. Wanda Stalcup was county leadership and food preservation champion, blue ribbon promotional winner, and also secretary to the County 4-H Council in 1952. 4. Ronald Miller, Eden Valley Hustlers 4-H Club, was general crop champion for 1952. 5. County 4-H champions for 1952. 6. Meadowlark 4-H members enjoy a swim at the conclusion of their 4-H tour. 7. County 4-H Council members. 8. Club officers, left to right, Jolly Workers, Jolly Elves, Meadowlark, and North Star 4-H'ers. 9. Club officers, left to right, Sunflower, Eden Valley Hustlers, (front row) Radium, (back row) Pleasant Home, and Wheat Valley. 10. Club officers, left to right, Cloverleaf, Jayhawker, Antrim Streamliners, and Corn Valley.

SUMNER COUNTY

Sumner County has 96 first-year members completing their projects. It also has 46 4-H'ers with seven to ten years of membership. The 4-H festival, Round-up, music camp, county camp, county 4-H fair, State Fair, and achievement banquet are the big events of the year. Our county received state recognition in leadership and soil conservation.



1. It's 4-H Sunday for the Anson Atoms. 2. The Rome Rockets dance at the festival. 3. The Redwing 4-H sewing class at a project meeting. 4. The Redwing vocal ensemble at the festival. 5. The Redwing cooking school with Phyllis Bunker, associate agent, in charge. 6. Tommy Castor was Sears' gilt management champion. 7. Jolly Workers make money and help farmers in their community. 8. The 4-H float at the Wheat Festival. 9. Gloria Hamilton and Elva Cottle, bread demonstration, and Mrs. J. W. Zimmerman, their project leader.



1. Grace Rose shows her garden and Shirley her formal on the Home Valley Club tour. 2. The Home Valley booth at the Sumner County Fair. 3. Selby McLain has a good start with Angus as J. B. Whitley, twenty years a community leader, looks on. 4. Dwayne Garry shows his wheat to fellow 4-H'ers. 5. Skylark boys and girls like to bake. 6. Skylark Club sponsored a district judging school. 7. Arlos Rusk was state winner 4-H leadership project, editor of the State Fair encampment paper, "Midway." 8. Bob Heimmerman and a good start with Angus. 9. Skylarks on tour with 21 first year members. 10. Rome Rockers show a new gate sign. 11. The Rome Rockers sponsored a 4-H party. 12. Donald Hamilton was a state soil conservation winner.



STEVENS COUNTY

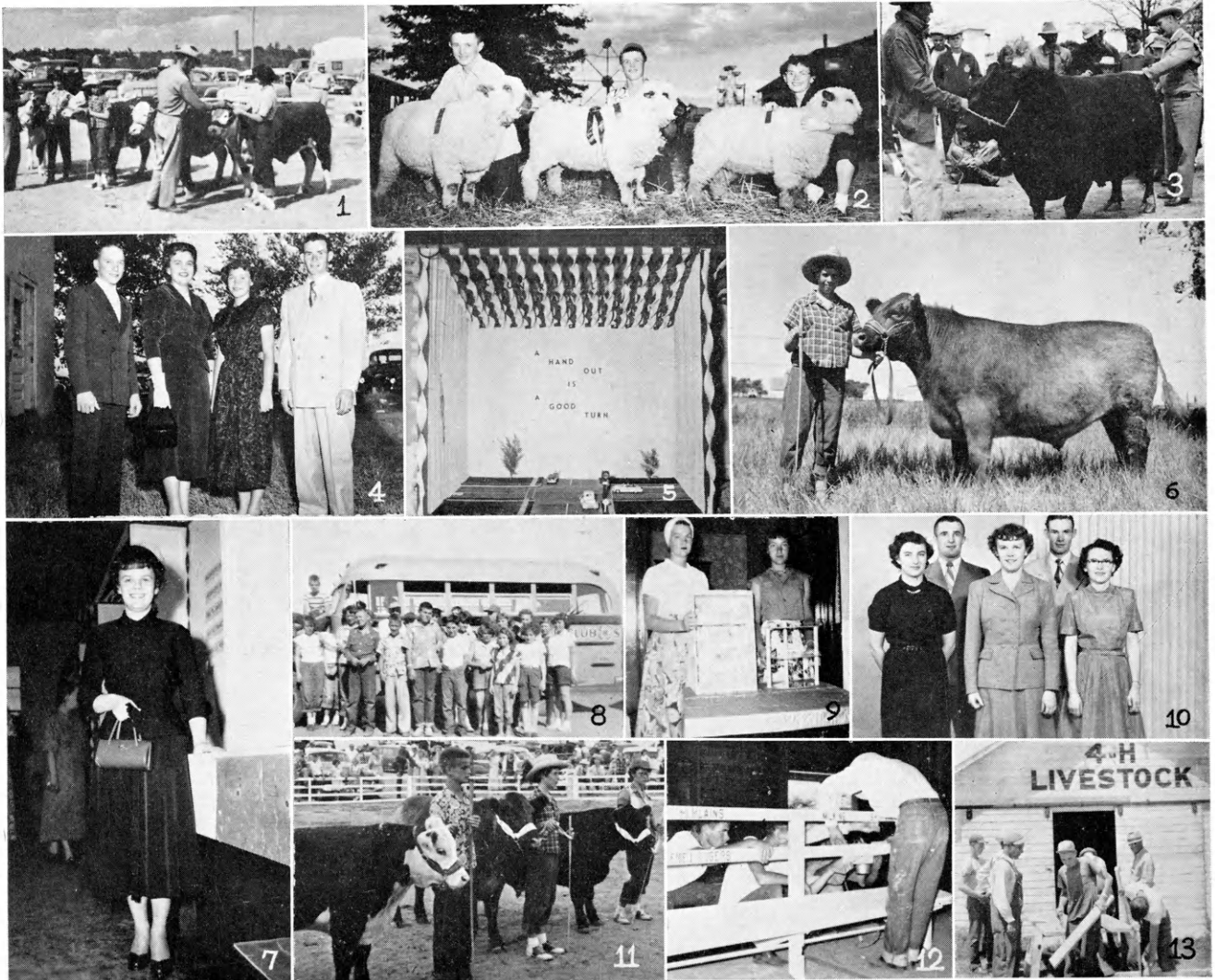
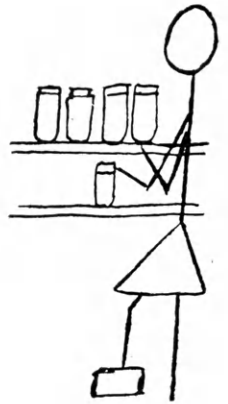
Seven clubs were active in Stevens County this year. One hundred and seventeen members were enrolled in the Daisy Dell, Southwest Boosters, Mapleleaf Rustlers, Moscow Zippers, East Side Kids, Busy Bees, and City Slickers. Purple seals were awarded to the Moscow Zippers and the Southwest Boosters 4-H Clubs at the annual achievement banquet. Over 350 persons attended the achievement banquet reports agent, Otis R. Griggs.



1. The folk game presented by the East Side Kids at club days, included Dean Stoops, Robert Harmon, Velda Crawford, George Titus, Jimmy Richardson, Nancy Porter and Jack Stoops. 2. Larry Brown and Gary Lynch are shown after winning a blue ribbon on their demonstration at club days. 3. Members of the Maple Leaf folk game team. 4. Leaders receiving awards at 4-H banquet, presented by Otis Griggs, county agent, were Mrs. Albert O'Dell, Mrs. Ralph Cutter, Mrs. Carl Stall, Mrs. Archie Cooper and Robert McGill. 5. Members of the Maple Leaf one-act play were Ronnie Webb, Vanda Knier, Johnny Peachey, Loretta Claggett, Jimmy Gooch and Sandra Peck. 6. Members of the Busy Bee one-act play were Earlene Peachey, Betty Martin, Robert O'Dell and Gordon O'Dell. 7. The five outstanding club members of Stevens County were Robert Duncan, Gordon O'Dell, Paul Grewell, Patricia Parker and LaVeta Wulfemeyer. 8. Donald Enier, Jimmy Cox and Johnny Peachey at 4-H camp. 9. The Busy Bee 4-H Club after their radio program. 10. Presentation of the purple seal to the Southwest Boosters and the Moscow Zippers 4-H Clubs. 11. Moscow Zippers 4-H Club members are Mrs. Archie Cooper, Joyce Tilford, Roxanna Cooper, Robert McGill, Ruth Traver, LaVeta Wulfemeyer, Jo Ann Tilford, Carol Wulfemeyer, Mrs. Leslie Wulfemeyer, Arthur Tilford, Merlin Cooper and Roger McGill. 12. Prizes from the county fair being presented to the members of the Moscow Zippers 4-H Club by county agent, Otis R. Griggs.

THOMAS COUNTY

Thomas County has a record enrollment of 271 members for 1952. The county fair was a success with the total number of exhibits at an all-time high. Plans have been started for a new livestock building to be finished for the 1953 county fair. The outstanding event of the year was the achievement banquet, sponsored by the Colby Chamber of Commerce. Jean Sims climaxed her 10 years of club work by receiving the Rock Island Railroad trip to National 4-H Club Congress. Richard S. Kubik and Rosella M. Berry serve as agents.



1. Fred Rogers, Rexford 4-H leader, and Ralph Brown, Prairie Gem 4-H leader, present top blue ribbons to winners in Hereford class. 2. Allan Henry, county sheep winner, presents his grand champion lamb while Wilburg and Mary Henry show blue ribbon lambs. 3. Techniques on judging were learned at the Golden Plains Angus judging school sponsored by Ralph Brown, owner, shown with Keith Swartz, judges. 4. Style revue and best groomed boy winners were Edward Metzler, Wise Owls 4-H, and Connie McIntyre, Rexford 4-H reserve champions, Lois Rogers, Rexford 4-H, and Dennis Ryan, County Pals 4-H, grand champions. 5. Champion booth was constructed by the County Pals 4-H at the county fair. 6. Bonnie Christiansen, Prairie Gem 4-H, shows her champion Shorthorn steer. 7. Jean Sims, county junior leadership and county clothing winner, also Rock Island Chicago trip winner, is shown wearing her grand champion suit dress. 8. Campers pose for a group picture beside the county 4-H bus. 9. Lenna Hughes and Lois Rogers, Rexford 4-H, start practicing for county fair demonstration. 10. County Who's Who key award winners were Mary Alice Todd, Larry Henry, Jean Sims, Dennis Ryan, and Mary Kay Henry. 11. Fitting and showing contest at county fair. 12. Finishing touches go on 4-H fair bench, one of twenty-two completed for the fair show ring. 13. Thomas County 4-H'ers build panels and benches for 4-H fair with lumber donated by the 4-H Clubs and livestock breeders.



TREGO COUNTY

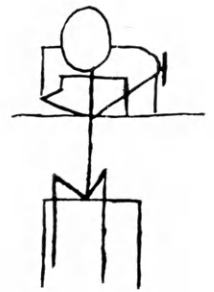
Trego County has six clubs with 157 members. The members carried 390 projects valued at \$24,027. Forty baby beeves were exhibited at the county fair. Twenty-one were blue ribbon calves. Out of six booths, three were given blue ribbons. Among the many special events were county and state fairs, Round-up, spring festival, county camp, county picnic, achievement banquet and junior leaders' camps. All clubs are headed by community leaders with many junior leaders assisting.



1. Janice Baugher, Ogallah 4-H, exhibited the champion Jersey at the county fair. 2. MarJean Olson, a junior leader and Who's Who member, was a delegate to Camp Miniwanca. 3. Here's the Banner champion booth at the Trego County Fair. 4. Bob Stenzel's honors include county beef champion, South Downer president, and delegate to 4-H Round-up. 5. Mary Gillespie, home economics and home improvement champion, was a delegate to Round-up. 6. Darlene Tidball, Pleasant Valley 4-H, exhibited a blue ribbon calf at the Trego County Fair as did Charles and Kenneth Tidball. 7. Patrick O'Toole, county leadership and project achievement boy, was also the best dressed winner. 8. Caroldean Stenzel, a first year club member, was dairy champion at the county fair. 9. Wm. Haflinger exhibited the champion Hereford and reserve champion beef of all breeds at county fair. 10. Barbara Baugher, Ogallah 4-H, junior leader, Round-up delegate, was a silver pin winner. 11. Another silver pin winner was Kenneth Weigel, president of Cedar Bluff 4-H. 12. Beverly Owens was the 1952 foods preparation champion and Karla Deines was the poultry winner at county fair. 13. The three Bongartz 4-H Club members, Raymond, Janette, and Jean, all have good dairy projects. 14. Rita and Charles Weigel both won blue ribbon on their calves. Charles' calf was a grand champion at the Ellis show. 15. Ailene O'Toole, Banner 4-H, was the project achievement girl. 16. LaVonne Owens, Mont Rose 4-H, clothing style revue champion, attended State Fair.

WABAUNSEE COUNTY

Wabaunsee County 4-H boys and girls were 225 strong, representing 11 clubs. All the clubs participated in one or all of the county-wide activities which were: Tractor Maintenance School; Club project tours; 4-H Picnic at Lake Wabaunsee; County Fair; 4-H Club Days; 4-H Judging Contests; Camping at Rock Springs; 4-H Round-up; and the County Achievement Party in November brought the 1952 Club year to a close.



1. Wabaunsee 4-H Club tour, Wabaunsee Community. 2. Achievement party at Newbury. Fall of '51. 3. Friendly Farmers 4-H Club tour, Eskridge Community. 4. Harveyville 4-H Club tour, Harveyville Community. 5. County 4-H livestock judging team at Kansas State Fair at Hutchinson. Left to right: Tom Watkins, Happy Valley 4-H; Darrell Kahle, Blue Ridge 4-H; Gailyn Hinson, Wabaunsee 4-H; James Heder, Flint Hills 4-H. 6. Enjoying the cool water and hot sun at the Rock Springs swimming pool. 7. County campers at Rock Springs Ranch. 8. Cottonwood 4-H tour, Wamego Community. 9. County 4-H Round-up delegates. 10. Blue Ridge 4-H Club tour, Alta Vista Community.



WALLACE COUNTY

Wallace County's five 4-H Clubs had a total membership of 113 in 1952. Kenneth Acre won a purple ribbon on his lamb at the Wichita Fat Stock Show. Dean Sivey received the Who's Who award at the annual achievement banquet. John Welsh, who made a bedroom set for his project, won a blue ribbon in room improvement at the Kansas State Fair. Twenty-one 4-H'ers attended camp at Rock Springs ranch. Two clubs, the Weskan Future Farmers and the Norton Hustlers, received purple seals.



1. Dale Radiel represented the Blue Bird 4-H Club by winning blue ribbons on his wheat and baby beef projects. 2. Prairie Sunset, the horse Patty Goings received through the new light horse project. 3. Dick Bowman of the Morton Hustlers showing his lamb project to his touring club members. 4. Members of the Weskan Future Farmers 4-H Club learning to swim in the Sharon Springs swimming pool as a part of their club's health and safety program. 5. Two Morton Hustlers 4-H members, Alfred Agnew and Patty Goings, exhibit their grand champion and reserve champion baby beeves at the county fair. 6. Carol Radiel of the Blue Bird Club wearing her skirt on which she was awarded a blue ribbon at the State Fair. 7. Edith Reiss instructs her 4-H foods class composed of Weskan Future Farmers Club members. 8. Mary Ellen Samuelson and Jarroll Reiss of the Weskan Future Farmers 4-H Club were 1952 style revue champions.

WASHINGTON COUNTY

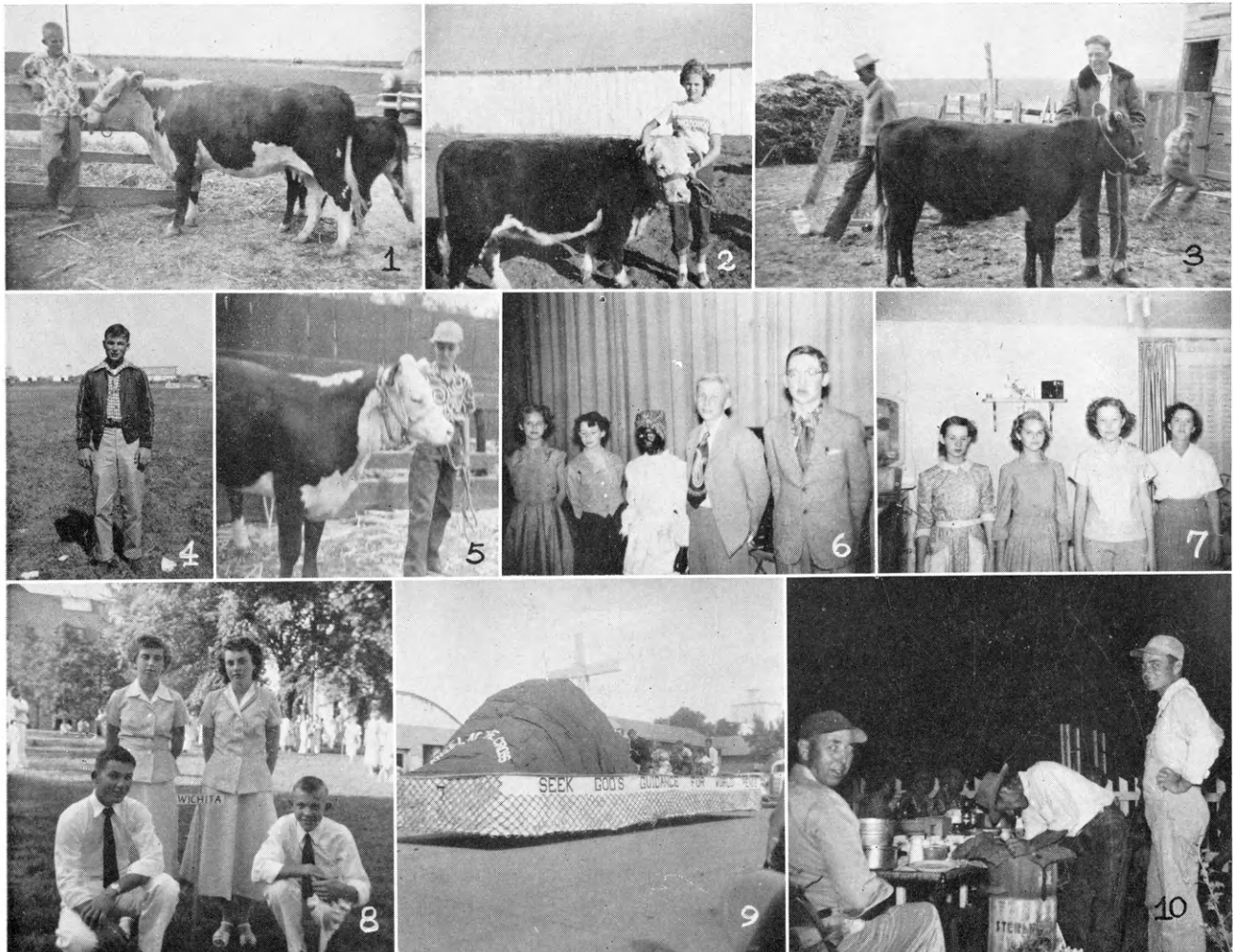
There are fourteen clubs in Washington, two of which were just organized last year. Ninety percent of the records were completed, due to the good work in the community and the assistance given by the clubs and junior leaders. Forty-one members received awards at the 4-H achievement party on November 24, 1952. The Mahaska Merry Makers Club was presented a purple seal—the second one awarded in Washington County. The Busy Bee Club followed close behind with a blue seal. Fifty-six members attended county camp at Rock Springs Ranch. Eighteen club members from Washington County entered exhibits or contests at the State Fair.



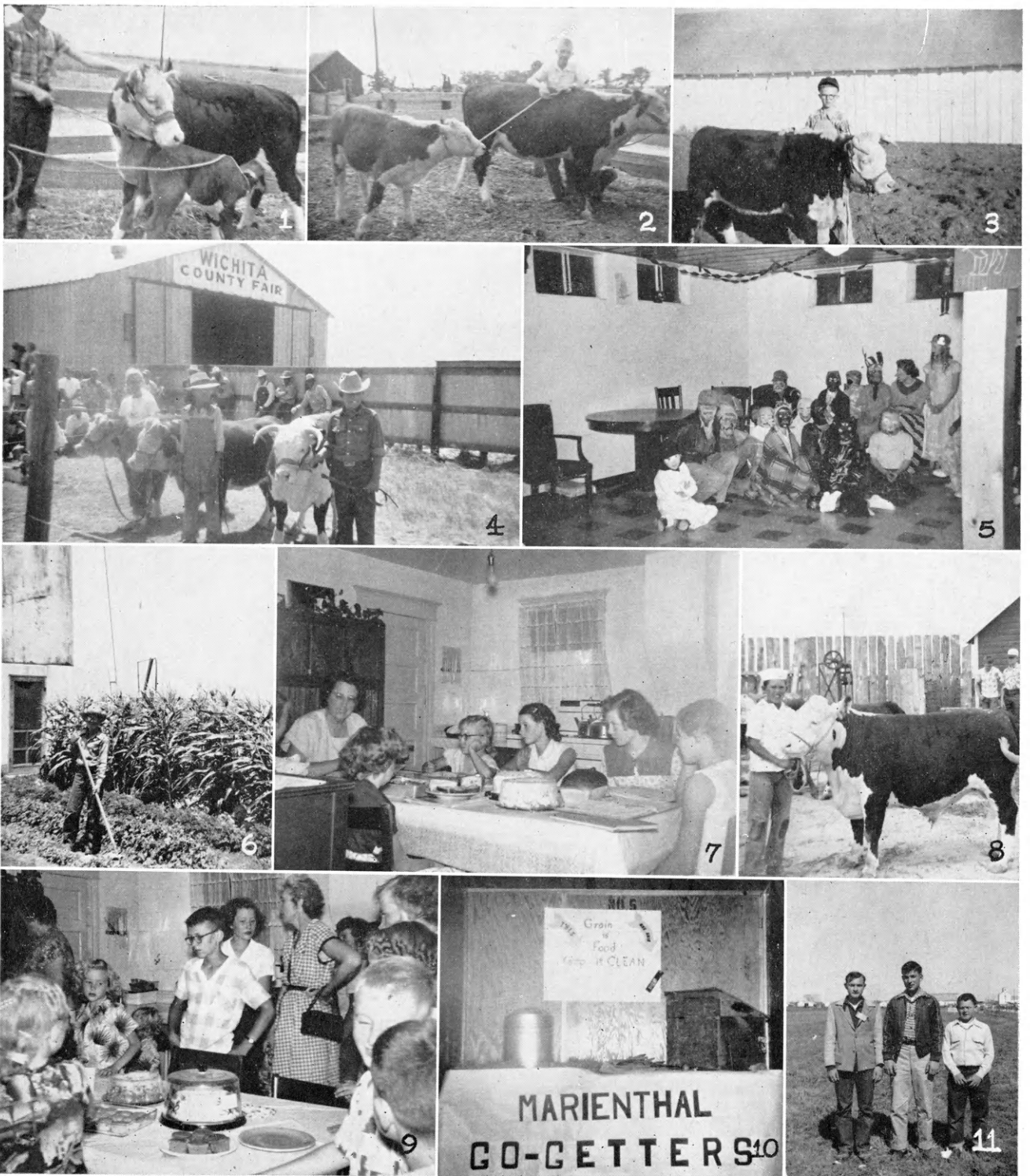
1. Patricia and Shirley McClelland were blue ribbon winners on their demonstration at the county fair. 2. The blue ribbon square dance group at district 4-H days. 3. Washington County Round-up delegation. 4. The Sunshine 4-H Club blue ribbon booth at the county fair. 5. The Washington County group pictured at the district 4-H livestock judging school. 6. Marilyn Mueller and Carleen Frahm were members of the county blue ribbon miscellaneous demonstration team at the Washington County Fair. 7. The Busy Bee 4-H Club champion booth at the county fair was also a special award conservation booth. 8. County style revue winners were Wayne Hill, Ardyce Fiser, also champion blue ribbon at the State Fair, Patricia Schnelle, and Daryl Taylor. 9. Joe Morey had the first place conservation demonstration at the county fair.

WICHITA COUNTY

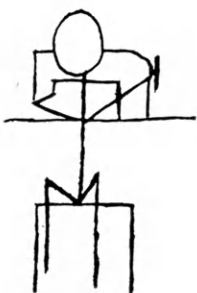
There were 78 members in the county with a total of 144 projects and a completion of 92%. The local achievement banquet was the main event this year. The Leoti Chamber of Commerce sponsored the banquet which had the largest attendance on record. The following seals were awarded in 1952: Gold seals—Busy Beavers and Leoti Hustlers; red seals—Marienthal Go Getters, Pleasant Valley Boosters and Lydia Jayhawkers. The county fair was held August 19 and 20 with a good representation in all departments. New booths provided were a great improvement.



1. Raymond Kuhlman shows his breeding beef heifer and calf. 2. Dolores Wilken and her breeding heifer. 3. Dallas Hahn and his dairy heifer. 4. Jack Smades, Pleasant Valley Boosters, was the high individual at Garden City District Livestock Judging Contest. 5. Ray Sonderegger exhibits his breeding heifer. 6. Members of the play cast of the Lydia Jayhawkers. 7. Lois Miller, Dolores Wilken, Johnie Eder, and Mrs. John Eder, clothing leader, model their garments. 8. 4-H Round-up delegates, Marcelle Walk, Shirley Kalbach, Jack Smades, and Darrel Kuhlman. 9. Pleasant Valley Boosters first place float at the county fair. 10. At the close of the Lydia Jayhawkers tour everyone enjoyed a wiener roast.



1. Breeding cow and calf shown by Vera Kuhlman. 2. Breeding cow and calf shown by Darrel Kuhlman. 3. Alvin Wilken and his breeding heifer. 4. Breeding heifers were exhibited by Dolores Wilken, Alvin Wilken, and Jerry Spradling at the county fair. 5. Lydia Jayhawkers at their Halloween party. 6. Jesse Eder working his garden project. 7. A foods project meeting conducted by Mrs. Thomas Rewerts of the Lydia Jayhawkers. 8. Jerry Spradling and his grand champion baby beef. 9. Home economics projects displayed on the Lydia Jayhawkers tour. 10. A booth at the county fair. 11. Kent Smades, Jack Smades and Charles Smades were members of the top livestock judging team at Garden City.



WILSON COUNTY

The county 4-H fair, sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, has grown along with club activities until it is the outstanding event of the year. The club members were an active bunch of boys and girls and except for projects ruined by dry weather had a high percent of completion. The grand finale of the year, the achievement party, completed the year for the 330 club members of Wilson County.



1. Mary Jo Kidd won a purple ribbon at State Fair on her clothing demonstration. 2. Here are the Wilson County cherry pie contestants. 3. This grand champion Brown Swiss heifer belongs to Jimmy Timmons. 4. Roy Lee Thomas won a blue ribbon in the best groomed boy contest at State Fair. 5. Jackie Chapman, Buffalo Boosters, had the reserve champion Hereford heifer. 6. David Thornton, Useful Youths, received a \$10 award on corn at the county fair. 7. The junior leaders enjoyed the Tri-County camp. 8. The Buffalo Boosters had the first prize float at Fredonia. 9. Twila Fortner won a blue ribbon in the State Fair style revue. 10. The home improvement county champion was Mary Jo Kidd. 11. Charles Anderson holds his grand champion Holstein cow.

WOODSON COUNTY



The year 1952 was highlighted by the construction of the county 4-H community building at Yates Center on 20 acres of land donated by the Yates Center Lions Club. Livestock exhibits for the county 4-H fair were housed for the first time in the new livestock sheds. County agent, Orville F. Denton, and HDA, Anna Grace Caughron, served as leaders for the 223 4-H members in 11 clubs.



1. Janene Nielson shows her home beautification project on the 4-H tour. 2. Neosho Valley Boosters presented "Wilbur Takes His Medicine" at the district 4-H day. 3. Gale, Gordon and Gary Webb exhibit their registered Angus heifers on the club tour. 4. Linda Stoll shows her registered Angus heifer on M.R.B. annual tour. 5. North Star club officers: Helen Scott, June Weston, Betty Brazil, Geo. Weston, and leaders, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Croissant. 6. John Massoth demonstrates artificial respiration on Jimmie Collins. 7. Willard Weide, council president, with the reserve champion steer of the Wichita Fat Stock Show. 8. Shirley George was style revue champion, achievement girl, winner of the promotional activity and Who's Who Key Award. 9. Vada and Harold Hessler hold their registered Corredale ewes on the M.R.B. club tour. 10. Dedicated to the memory of Bob Pringle, Three-In-One 4-H Club member, who was fatally injured in a tractor accident September 3, 1952. 11. Round-up delegates: Tommy Collins, Phyllis Wagner, Shirley George, Phyllis Ferree, Irl George, Eddie Bishop. 12. Every member of the North Star 4-H Club went on the tour. 13. The new 4-H community building, 50' x 100', for recreation and exhibit space, is completely fireproof. 14. There's new livestock exhibit sheds, too, 28' x 70'.



WYANDOTTE COUNTY

Wyandotte County 4-H members had a good year in 1952. The livestock judging team won second place at the Kansas Free Fair and sixth at Kansas State Fair. Judy Sortor, foods demonstrator, placed in the purple ribbon group at both fairs and was announced as the state winner in the bread demonstration award. The grand champion fat steer from the county 4-H fair, owned and shown by Eldon Miller, was presented to General Eisenhower by a political group in Wyandotte County. Wyandotte County placed in the blue award group in the national 4-H recreation and rural arts award program.



1. These delegates represented Wyandotte County at 4-H Round-up in 1952. 2. These five leaders attended state leaders' conference at Hutchinson. 3. The prize winning Hereford is owned and shown by Jack Glen. Bob Rehm gave his blue ribbon demonstration, "Care and Handling of Rabbits." 5. Delbert and Daryl Smith of the Horaniff Hustlers Club show their projects on the club tour. 6. Frank Nall, Jr., poses his calf on a Horaniff Hustlers tour. 7. Danny Purdue, Welborn, showing his chickens on club tour. 8. The Advance folk game group winners at district 4-H day, performing at the award banquet. 9. 4-H members enjoy the award banquet sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce. 10. Jimmy Sortor, Advance, receives his grand champion ribbon at the best groomed boy contest from Elmer Pimpton, judge.

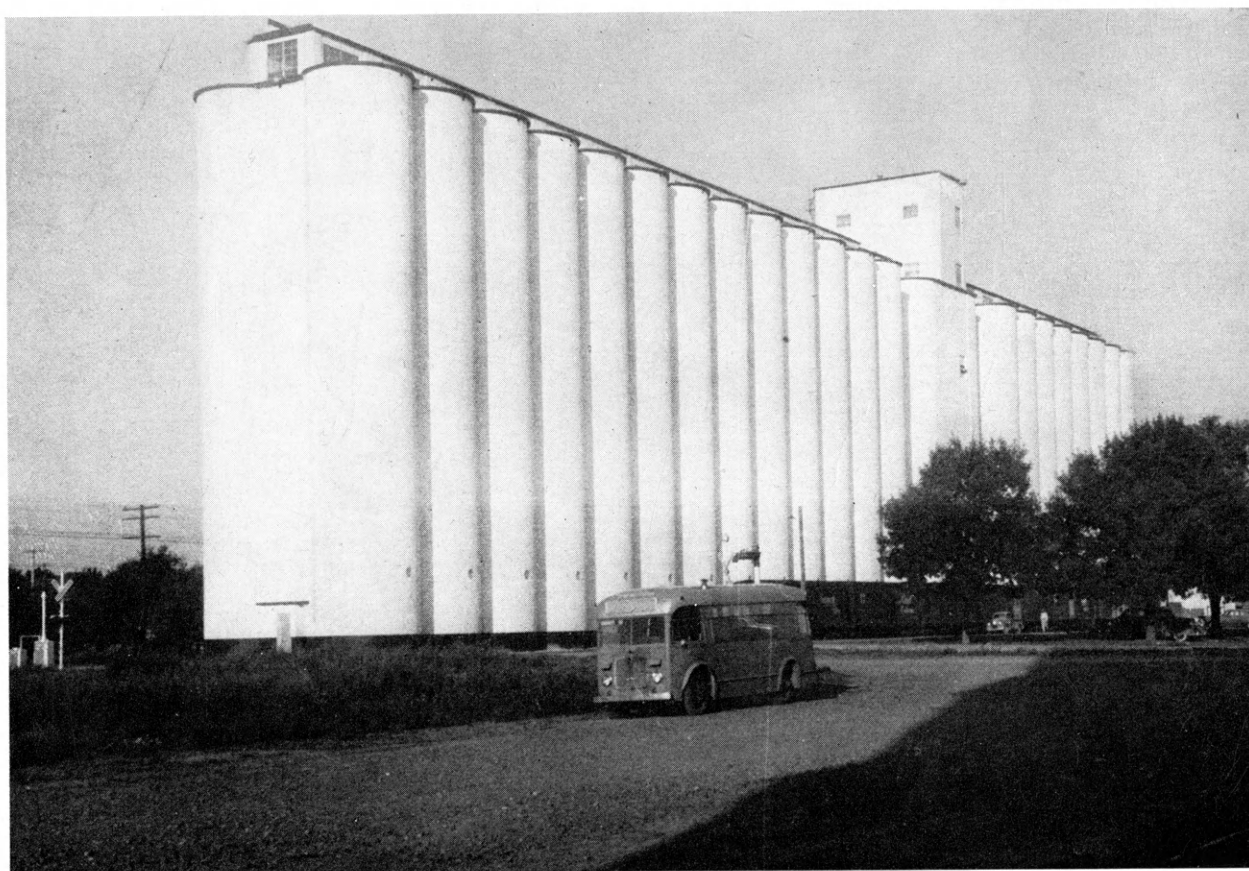
GREELEY COUNTY

Greeley County has four clubs and the membership usually runs 100 members. Most popular projects with the girls are foods, clothing, and room improvement. The boys like baby beef, swine, gardening, and wheat.



1. The Greeley County 4-H building. 2. Daryl Selastian's 1953 project. 3. Donald Bruce Stinson's project for 1953. 4. Joey Mallory is the proud owner of a litter of nine. 5. Left to right: Lloyd Surprise, Jackie Schultz, Arlene Abbott, and Alberta Young, at Round-up. 6. James Wallace and his project. 7. Gary Seba is shown with his new project for 1953. 8. James Wallace and his American saddle mare. 9. Melvin Abbott selected beef for his 1953 project. 10. Richard Kyser is showing his garden project. 11. The O.K. 4-H Club float at the county fair.

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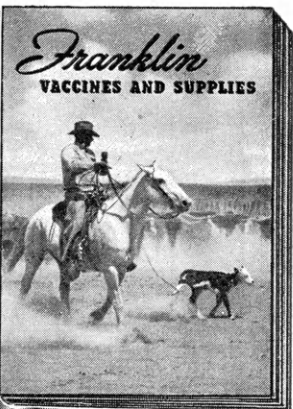
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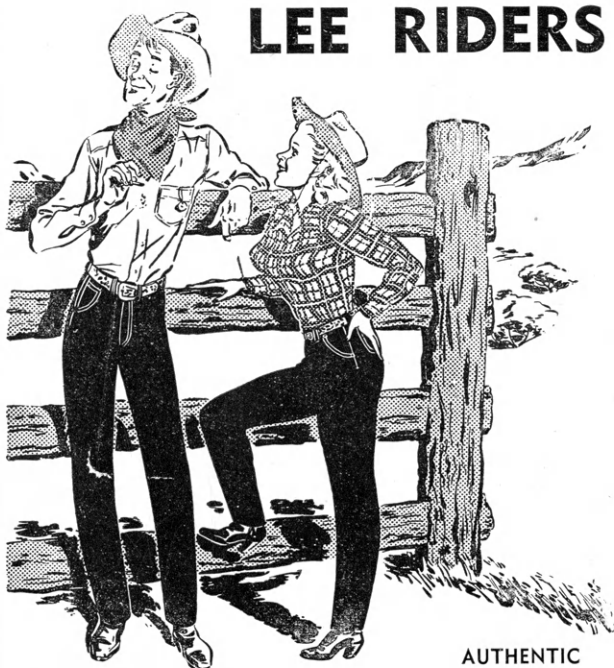
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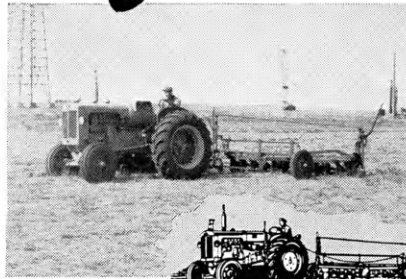
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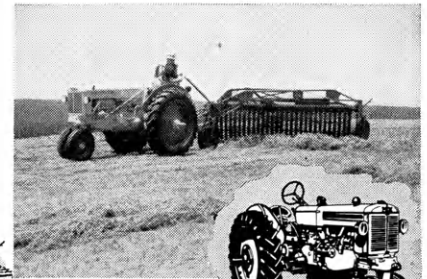
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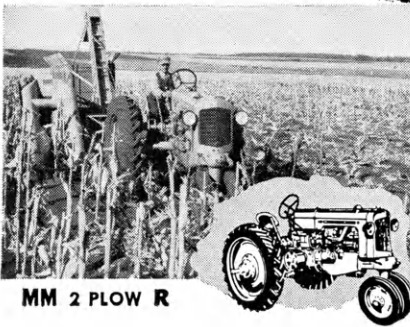
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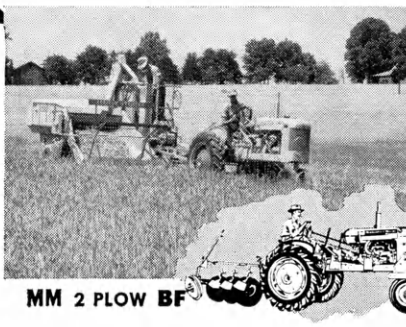
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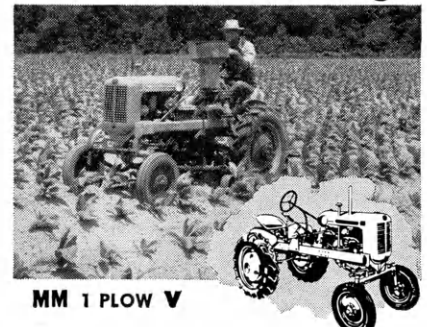
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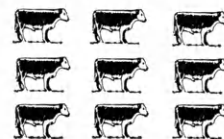
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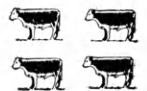
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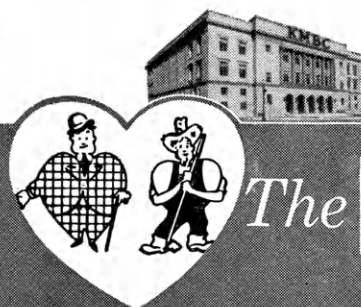


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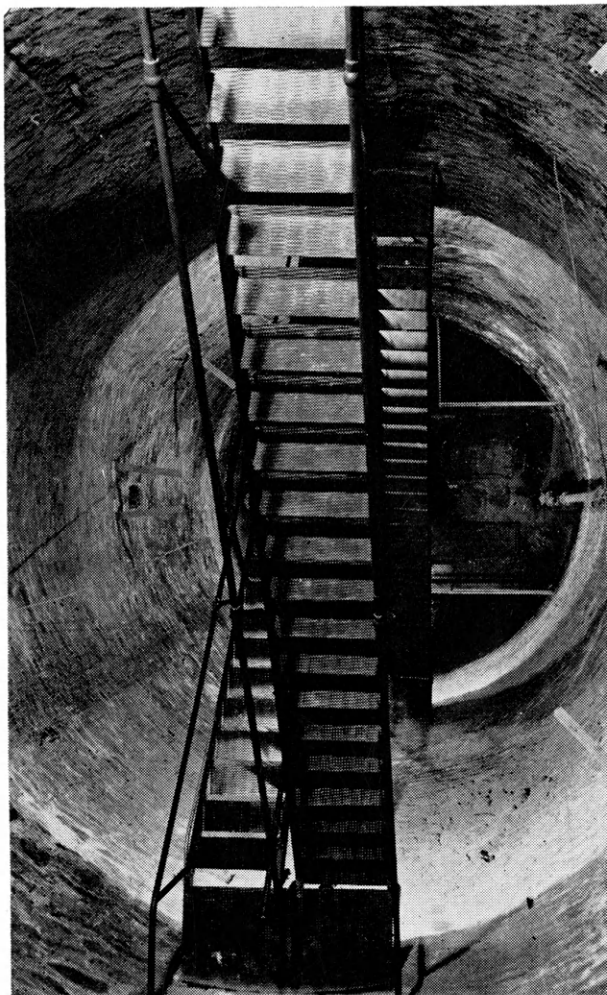
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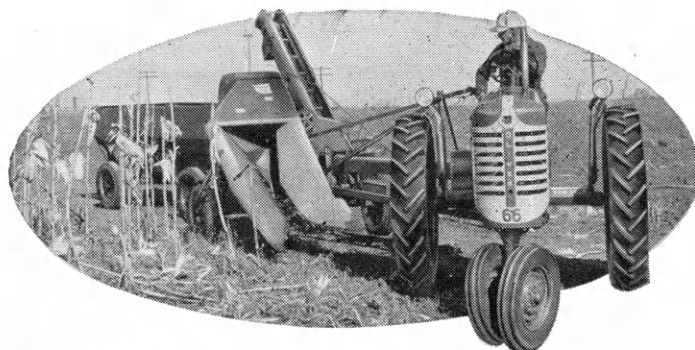


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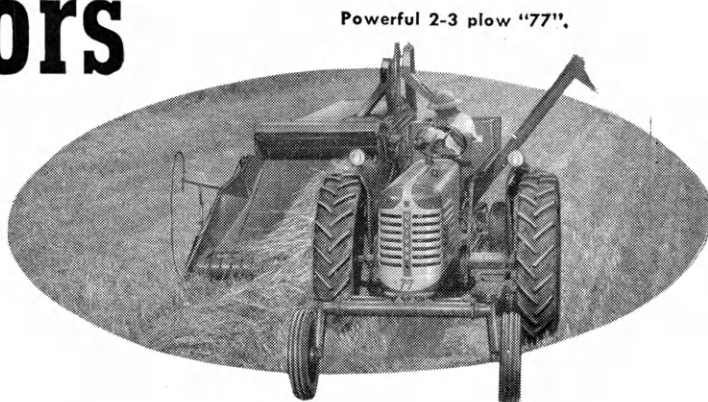
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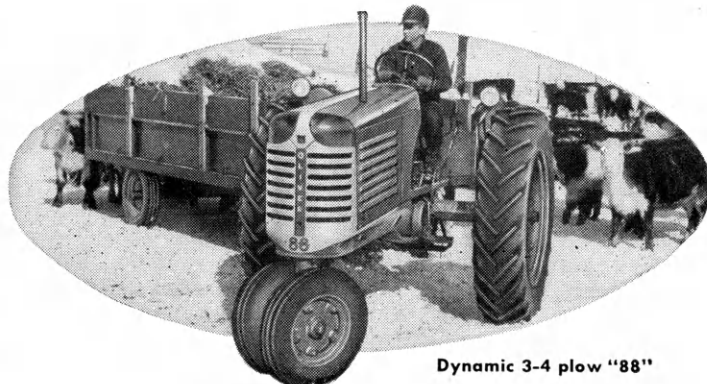
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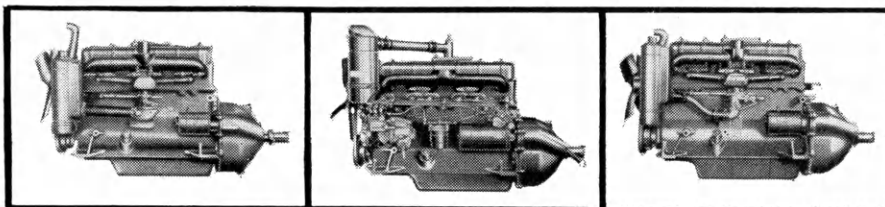


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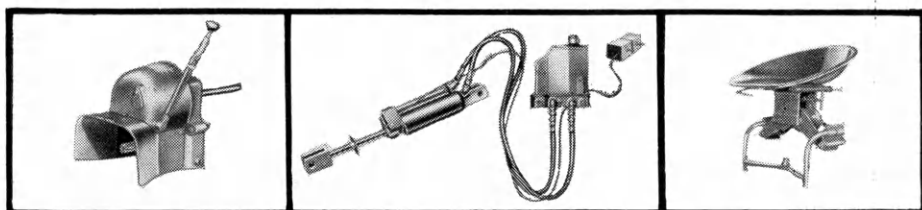


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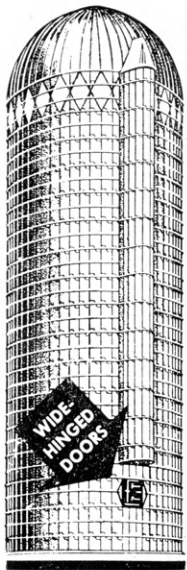
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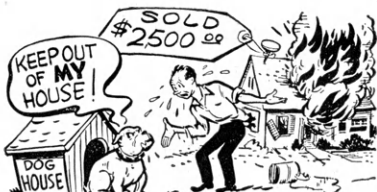
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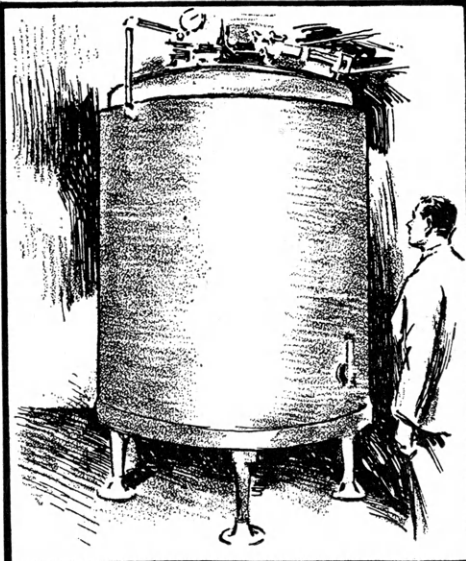
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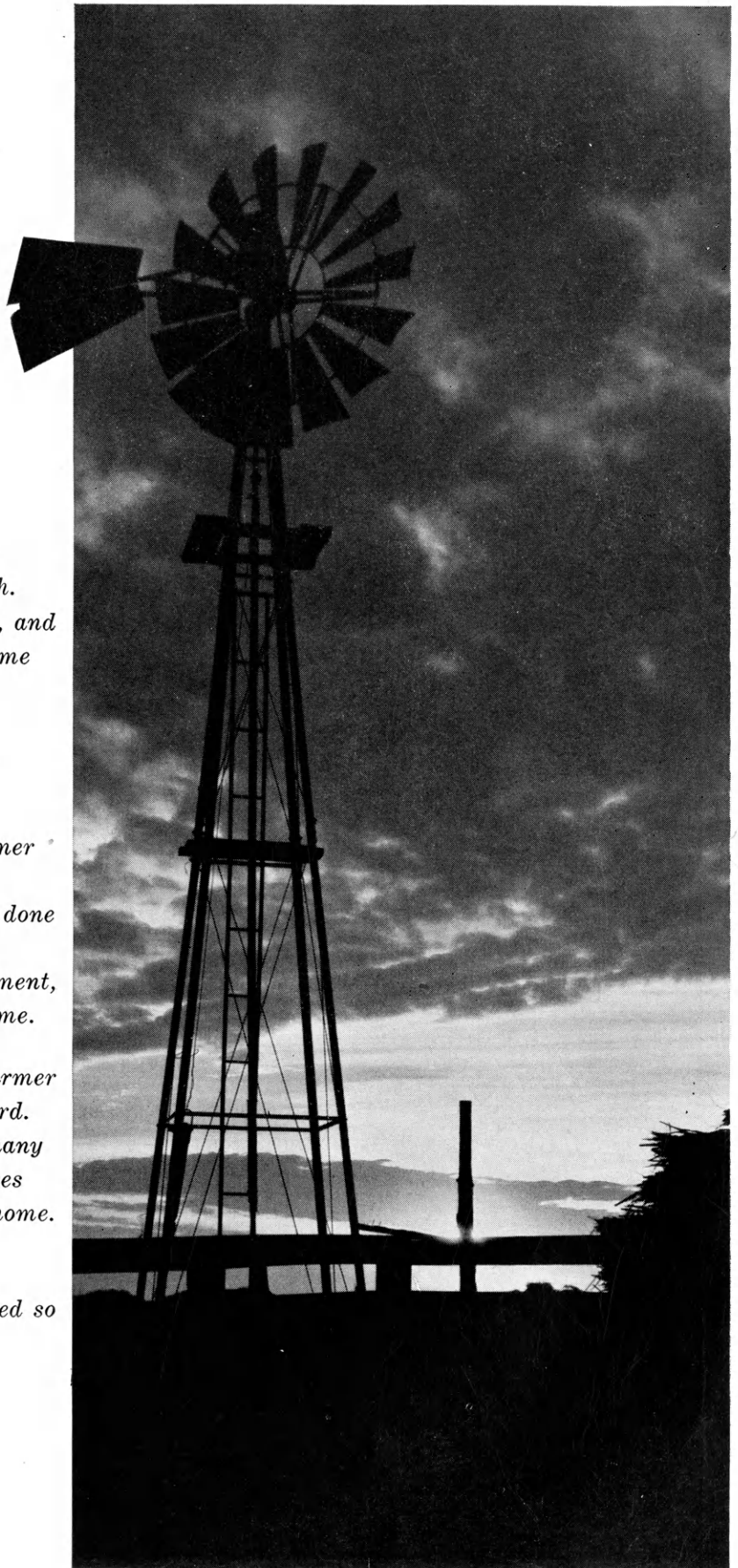
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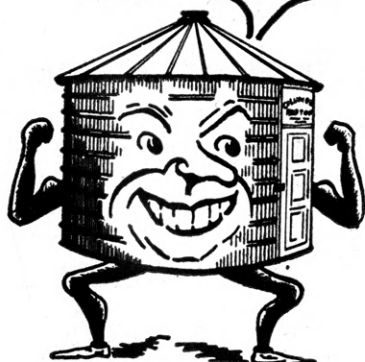
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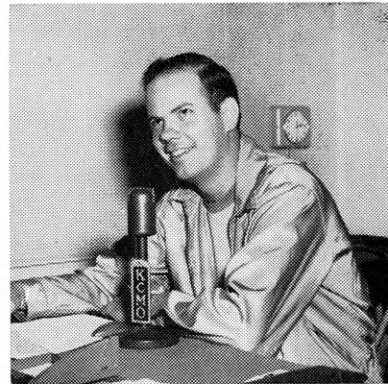


JACK JACKSON

As a 4-H member, farmer, county agent, member of The Texas Extension Service Staff, and KCMO's Director of Agriculture, Jack Jackson has been active in 4-H Club work for the past 30 years. Jack's farm programs which are beamed to rural Mid-America, are based upon a personal knowledge of 4-H and farm problems. Hear Jack as The Farm Editor at 6:50 A.M.; with Farm Topics at 12:10 P.M.; his Poultry Report at 12:25 P.M.; and Market Trends at 12:45 P.M.

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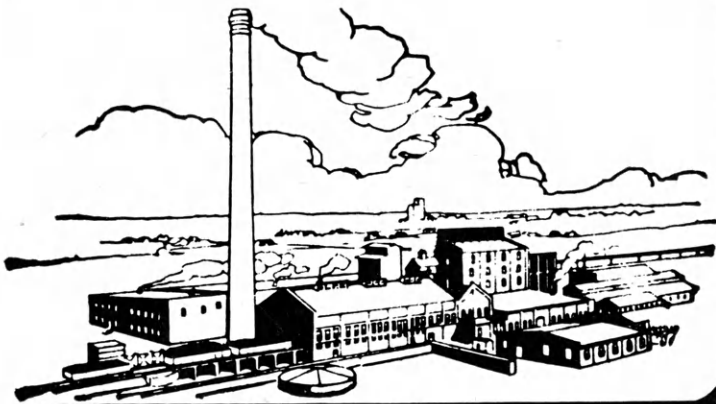


BRUCE DAVIES

Bruce Davies, KCMO's Market Reporter and Associate Director of Agriculture, was also an outstanding 4-H Club member. His 4-H projects led to a special interest in livestock, which in turn resulted in his present job. Bruce spends his entire working day at The Kansas City Stockyards observing and reporting the markets. On KCMO his first Market Summary is at 6:45 A.M., followed by his Grain and Produce Market Report at 12:20 P.M. and then Livestock Markets at 12:40 P.M.

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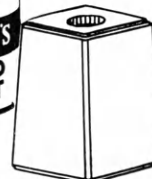
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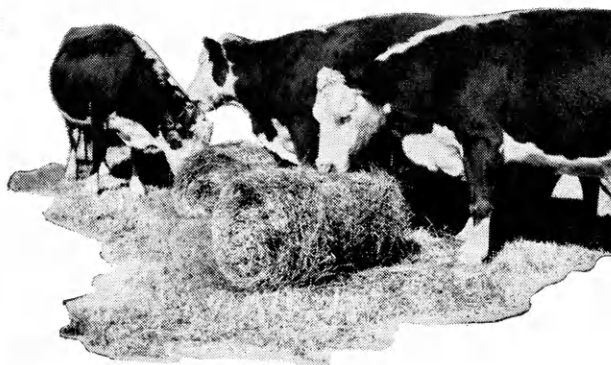
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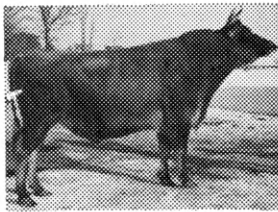
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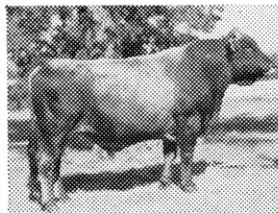
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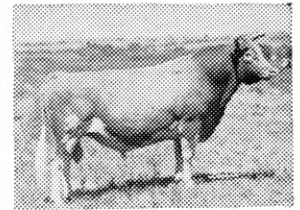


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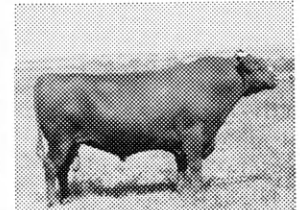
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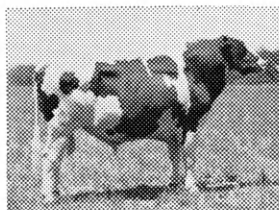
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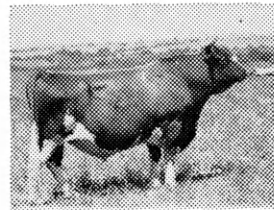
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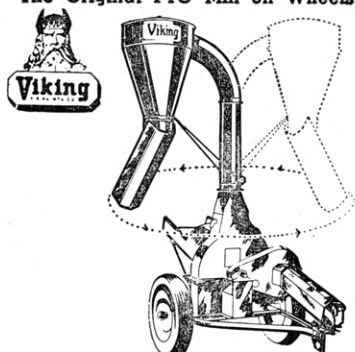
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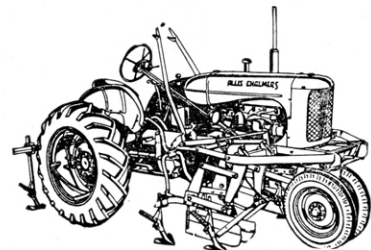
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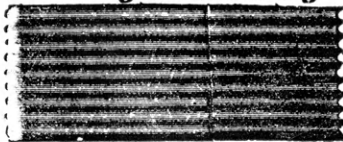
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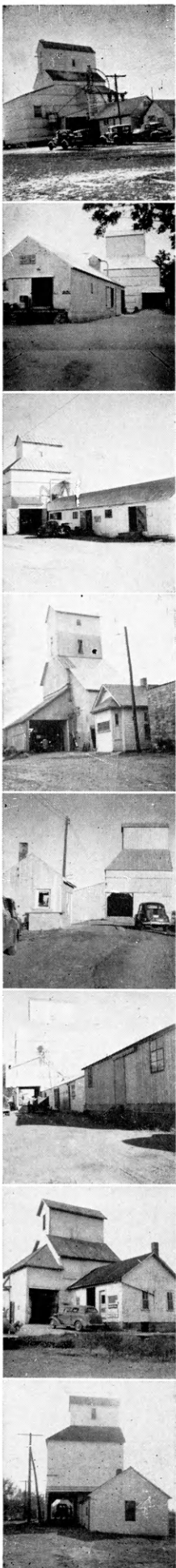
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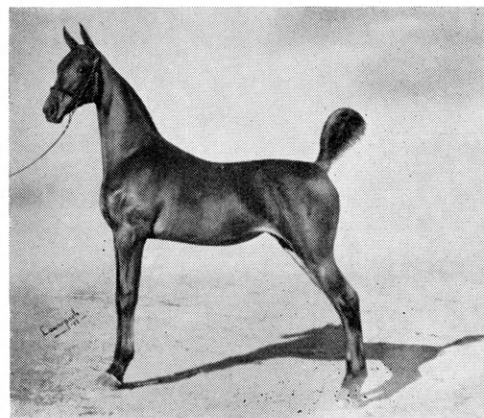
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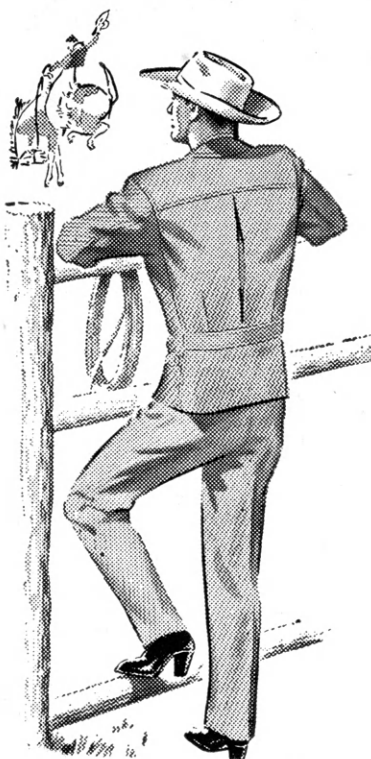
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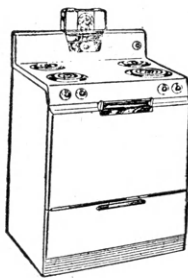
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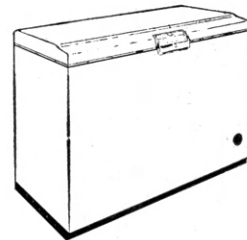
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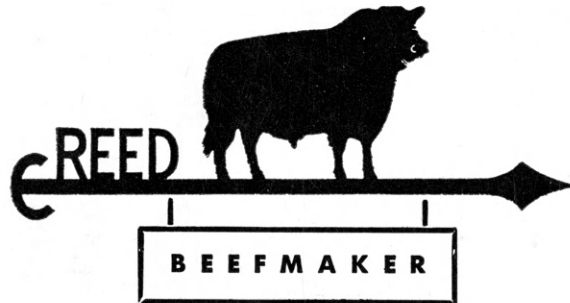


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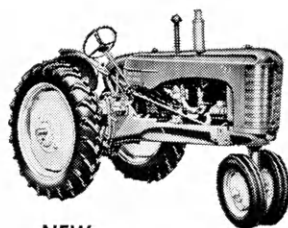
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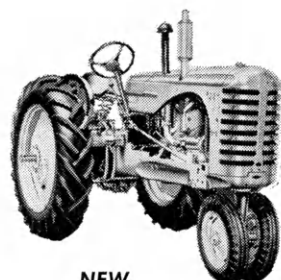
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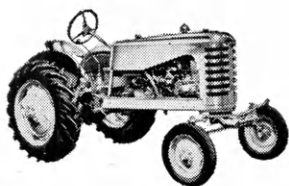
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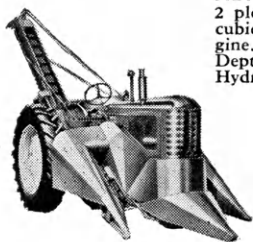
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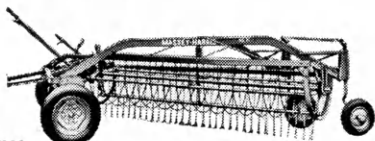
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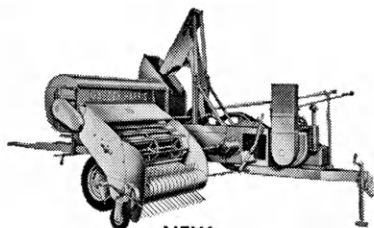
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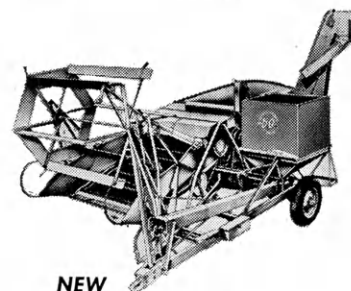
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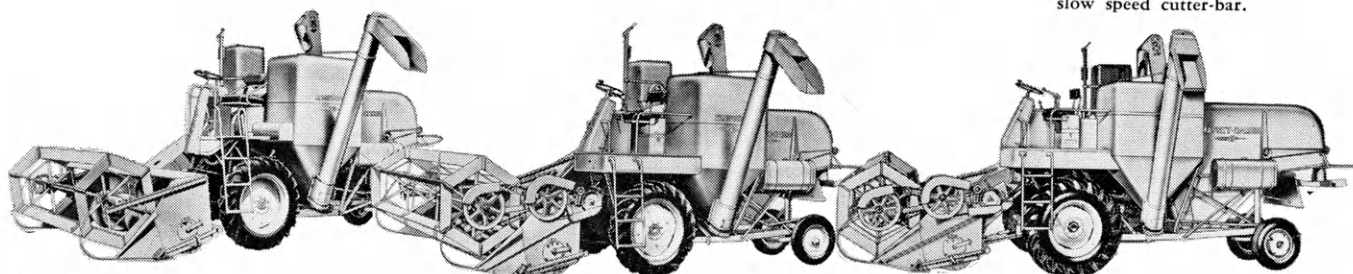
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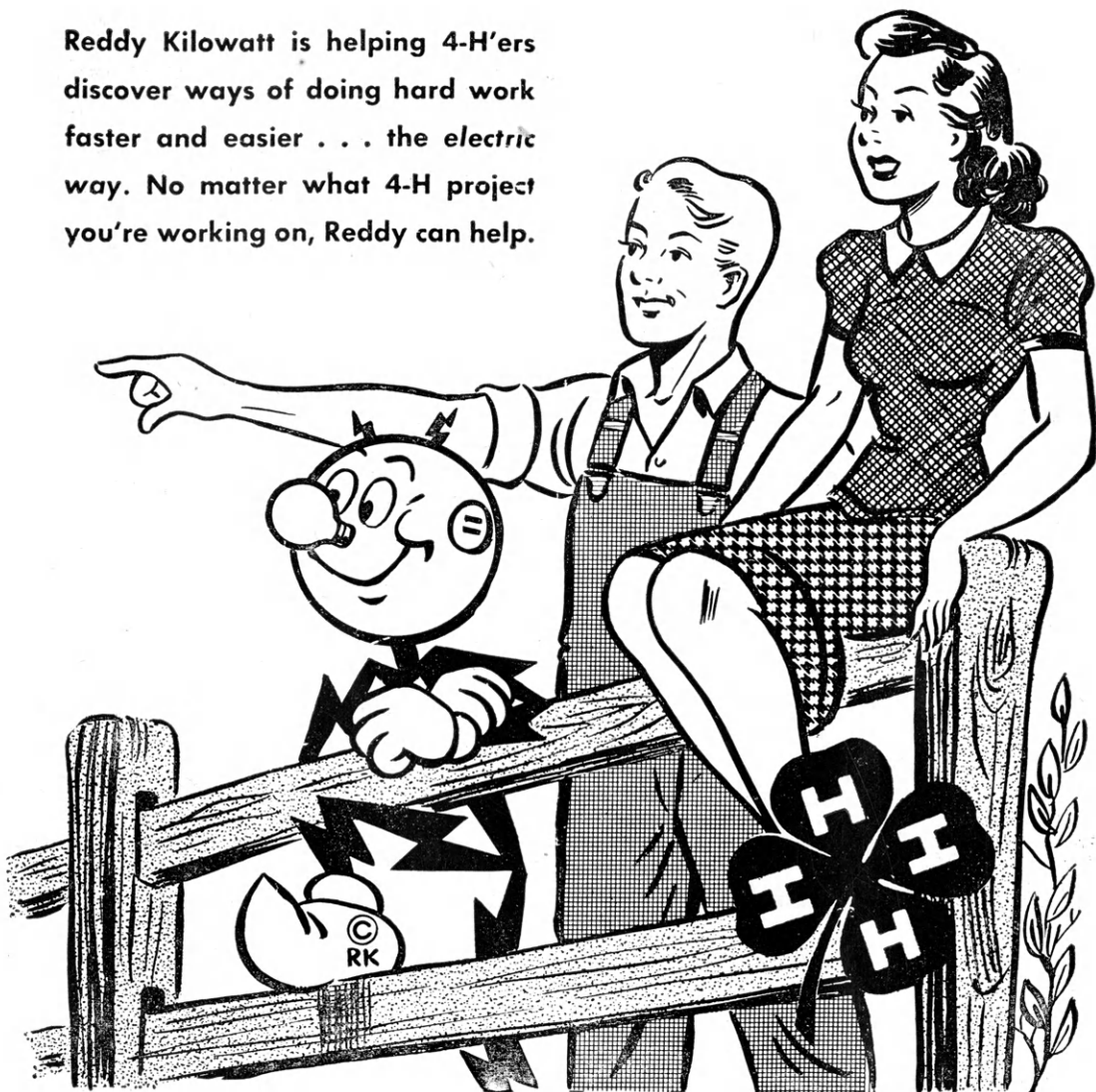
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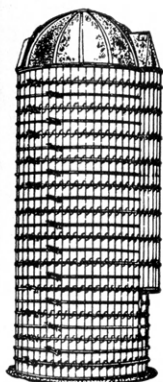
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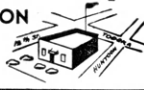
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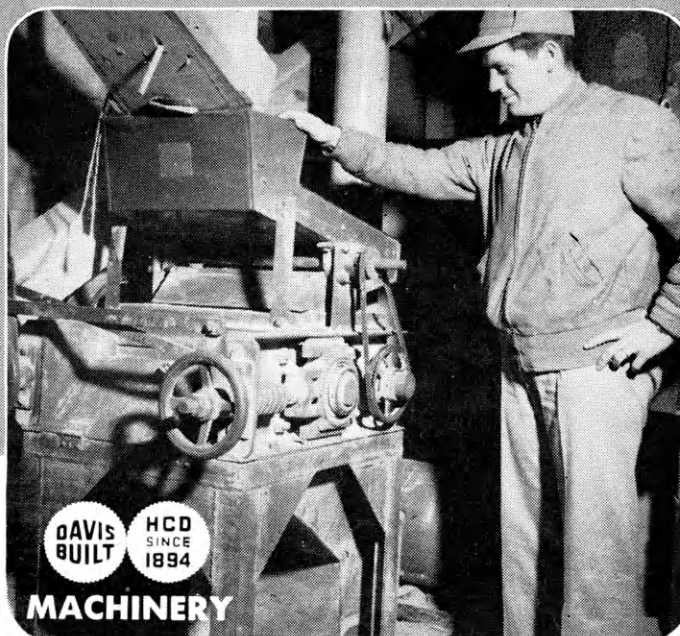
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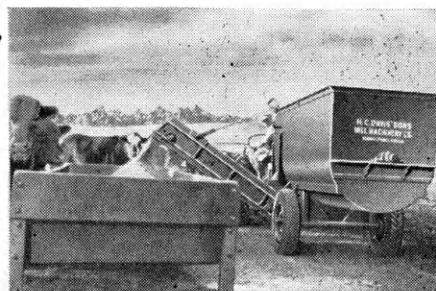
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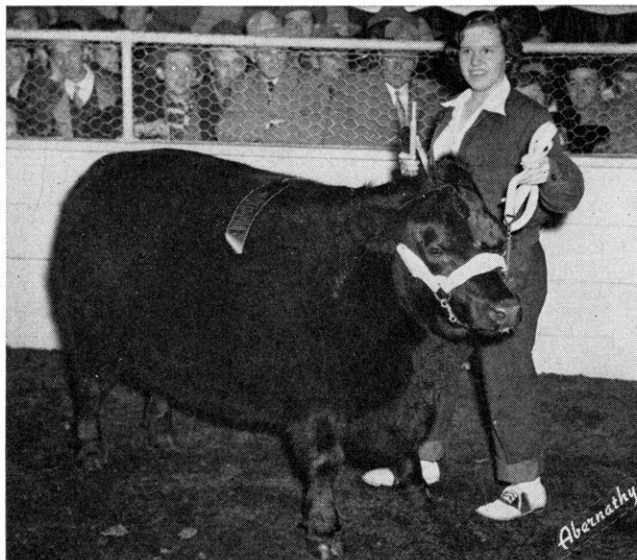
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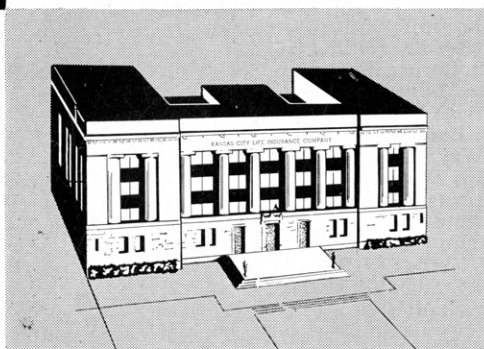
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