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Leaders, parents, members, agents and 4-H friends are invited to write.

Wrong Town

Dear Editor:

We wish to call your attention that you have our dealership, Mercier Chevrolet Company, as being in Valley Center, Kansas, in your September issue.

In fact you show two Chevrolet dealers in Valley Center. You do not show any listing for Valley Falls at all.

Due to the donation we give and being in a community which has been real strong in 4-H activities for a number of years, we thought it would be nice to have our name in the proper town and our town mentioned.

L. P. Mercier
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Name in Error

Dear Editor:

We wish to call your attention to the fact you have our name in error. We are the Federal Land Bank Association of Fort Scott, not National Farm Loan Association.

Louis F. Schmidt
Manager

Enjoy Magazine

Dear Editor:

We enjoy your paper from cover to cover. It sure helps in many ways.

Mrs. Dave Picolet
Council Grove

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Large Response to Article

Dear Editor:

It was amazing to me the number of letters I received from 4-H families requesting more information about the IFYE weekend which was publicized in the July Kansas 4-H Journal. We were rather late in getting out our IFYE program and other publicity, so we know they had to read about it in the Journal.

Needless to say, from now on when we put something in the Kansas 4-H Journal, we will know that people who are receiving this Journal are reading it and taking note of the publicity you are giving us.

R. B. Tomkinson
Extension Specialist
in 4-H Work

Investments in 4-H

Following are those who have invested in youth through the Kansas 4-H Foundation during the month of August. (4-H Clubs should use the form in their secretary's boog for transmitting their contribution)

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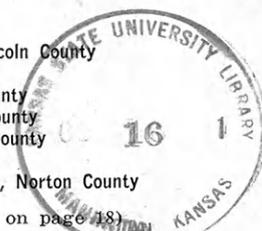
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Jones, Harold E.
Jones, Taylor L.
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4-H'ers Auction Themselves For IFYE Project

Elk county 4-H Clubs raised \$850 in a one day drive.

So ended campaign plans which had started months before.

The Elk County 4-H Council decided they wanted to sponsor an IFYE (International Farm Youth Exchange) delegate. The county's share of sponsorship is \$800. Additional funds are contributed by the Kansas and the National 4-H Foundations.

First step was to appoint a council committee to plan the drive. To raise the money meant the clubs would have to raise an average of \$3 for each member.

Each club planned their own money raising project. Most of the individual club projects included some form of a slave auction.

To increase the effectiveness of publicity, all events were on the same day. Publicity included handbills to plaster the county, personal contacts to prospective purchasers to find out what

Kenny Crawford had himself auctioned off to buck bales as a part of the Elk County slave auction to raise money to send an IFYE delegate overseas.



services were needed and to encourage people to attend the auction, and newspaper publicity from county and local 4-H reporters.

Three clubs in the Howard area combined their event with a food sale and slave auction. Another club had a car wash and slave auction.

Some 4-H'ers painted fences, mowed lawns, bucked bales, etc. Others sold their services for baby sitting, odd jobs and errands. One leader with a special lawn mower sold himself twice to mow some of the larger lawns in the Howard area.

Most older members volunteered to work one day, some of the younger members worked shorter hours.

Buyers paid \$1.70 an hour for bucking bales, \$1 an hour for baby sitters, etc. Prices varied by the demand and was determined by the amount the buyer was willing to pay.



Planning the county-wide one day money raising project are county council president Sheryl Renner, leader Earl Perkins and Carolyn Cummings, council reporter.

Cover Story

Carolyn Smith sits with Julia Fooshee when county agent Dale Fooshee purchased Carolyn's services in a slave auction to raise \$800 for the county's IFYE project.

Left, Bud McKinley auctions off Jim Smart to mow lawns as a part of a county-wide slave auction. Also pictured is Harold Howe, auctioneer's



assistant. Right, Jim Smart pays off by mowing the lawn of the person buying him at the auction.



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Child's Step Stool and Chair

Larry Hillman, Trego county, made this handy step stool (the back of which folds up to make a chair) for his little sister Sheryl Ruth. Plans for this blue ribbon exhibit at the Trego county fair are available from lumber yards listed on the following two pages.



Chest of Drawers

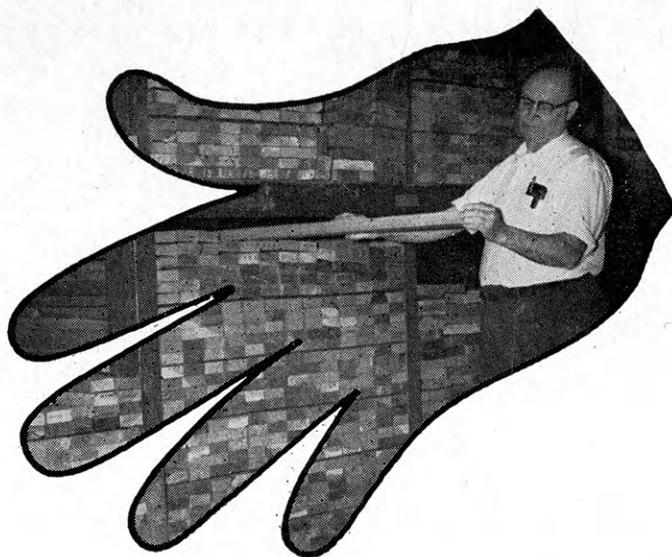
Wayne Beeson, Clark county, made this attractive chest of drawers for use in his room. Wayne exhibited this at the 1960 Kansas State Fair, winning a blue ribbon. He was 1960 state woodworking winner. Plans for this chest are available from lumber yards listed on the following two pages.



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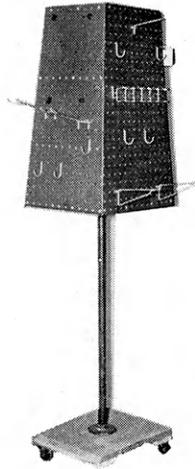
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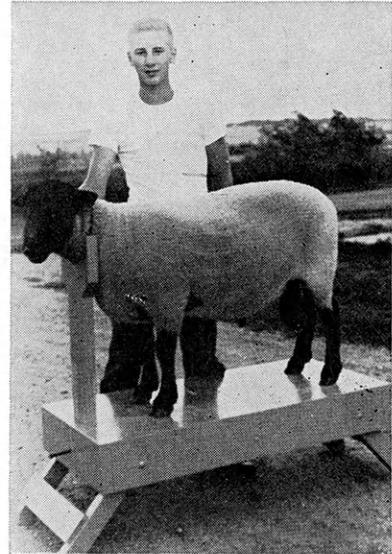
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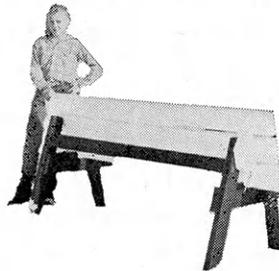
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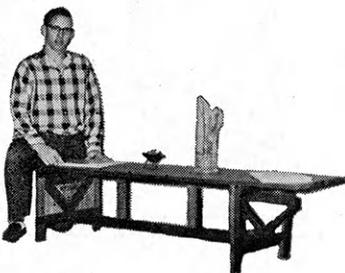
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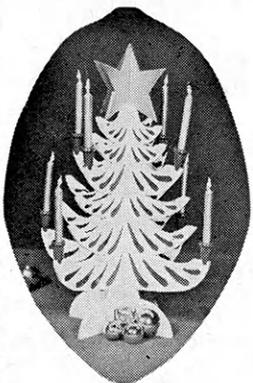
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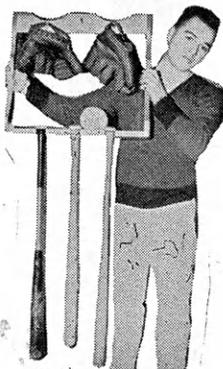
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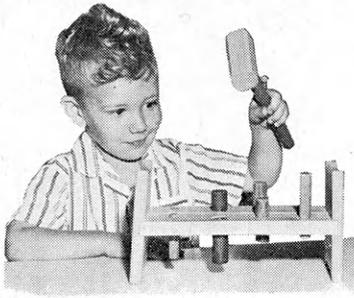
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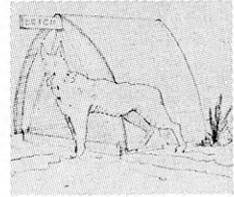


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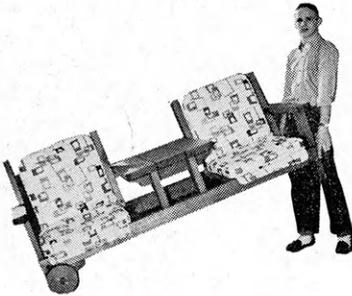
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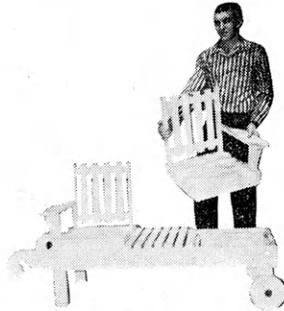
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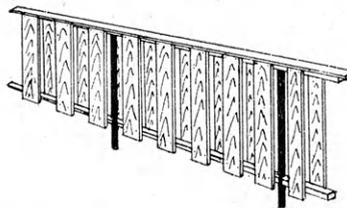
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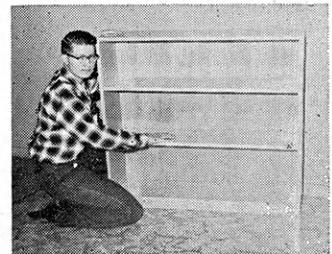
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A BACK YARD FENCE



BOOK CASE



SIMPLE WORK BENCH



HOLDING GATE



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Parents-Members-Leaders are Best 4-H Membership Boosters



One of the most effective ways of "selling" 4-H is when members talk enthusiastically of their activities to other boys and girls. Roger Walls of the Rose Hill Club, Butler county, shows Jan Nelson his lamb project.

October is 4-H enrollment month. 4-H members, leaders, township representatives and parents are the best possible salesmen for 4-H Club.

Does your club have plans to contact every boy and girl in the community? It can be done in many ways, as illustrated by these pictures from the Rose Hill Rustlers, Butler county.

Not only does the Rose Hill Club have a lot of members—56—but the members and parents are all enthusiastic 4-H boosters. "4-H is one big family feeling," one leader said. "It's not so businesslike the people don't feel they can have any fun."

One of the club's leaders, Mrs. Fred Evans, says "we try to get all first year members on the program. It keeps them interested and they feel more as if they belong. We work in all the demonstrations and project talks

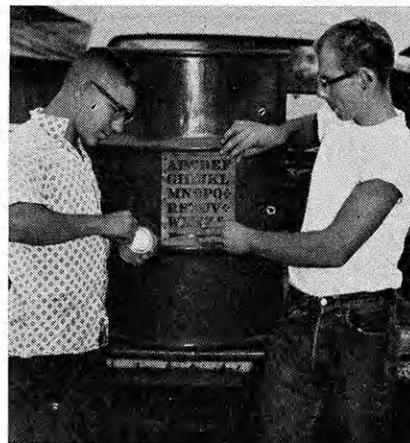
we can at each meeting.

"A lot of members are interested in the extra activities," Mrs. Evans continued. "We have skating parties, square dancing, etc. At our next meeting, we are having a sergeant from Derby bring his trained police dog.

"We also have, in our club, a junior leaders group," added Mrs. Evans. "All get together and have a discussion on junior leadership, counselling, etc."

As you can see from the pictures on this page, the parents of the Rose Hill Club are almost as important as the members. And, when you start your plans for 4-H membership promotion, don't forget parents of 4-H members talking to the parents

of prospective members are the best 4-H salesmen there are.



Community service projects help call 4-H to the attention of the public. Brian Evans and Jerald Russell stencil credit lines on a trash barrel to be placed at county road intersections.

Selling 4-H is as much a parent to parent relationship as it is member to member. Left, Mrs. Eugene Russell and Mrs. Adrian Hall tell Mrs.

Everett Nelson about some of their 4-H experiences. Right, Bill Walls, Fred Evans and Gene Russell discuss their sons' 4-H progress.





Assembled here on the campus of Oklahoma Christian College are 129 Kansas high school students who attended the second annual citizenship seminar in Oklahoma City, July 10-15. These students were sponsored or co-sponsored by 78 county Farm Bureaus. The conference was conducted and directed by the American Citizenship Training Center of Oklahoma Christian College. Through the media of lectures, films, research, educational tours and association with internationally recognized authorities these young people became better acquainted with the American scene and motivated to a more forceful expression of pride in our traditions and ideals.

CITIZENSHIP

Nations which live by the great principles of Christianity, freedom, and dignity of the individual will endure. We need to rededicate ourselves to active participation in programs which will preserve these principles upon which our republic was founded and developed.

There is a tendency on the part of too many people to shirk their duties as citizens and to react indifferently to the needs of our country. To combat this indifference, every home, school, and voluntary organization should encourage appreciation of the origin, history, and meaning of citizenship in the United States. We recommend a vigorous campaign of civic education for all Ameri-

cans, including new citizens, and immigrant aliens.

We urge that all Americans, as individuals and groups, undertake with renewed vigor the basic responsibility of citizenship. This includes voting; active participation by the individual in the political party of his choice; a continuing study of local, state, national, and international issues; and sound citizenship programs in our homes, schools, local organizations, and institutions.

As a farm organization, we have a special opportunity to assume leadership and to obtain the cooperation of other groups and individuals, who hold beliefs similar to ours, in formulating and carrying on continuous active citizenship programs.

Kansas Farm Bureau

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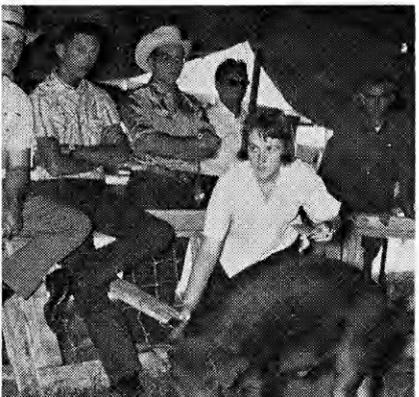
Oscar Brown, Farmers and Merchants Bank, Hill City, has been Kansas 4-H Journal sponsor for many years. Members of the Hill City Centennial 4-H Club, Graham county, surprised him this year with a gift, cookies and cakes on which they had received purple ribbons at the county fair. Gifts were presented immediately after the judging. Pictured are Jerry Hedge, Juanita Sutton, Brown, and Melanie Anderson.

Pictures from the Fairs



Smith County 4-H'ers unload feed and fitting supplies to take care of their show string of beef cattle.

Showing off a pig to best advantage keeps this 4-H lass on her toes.



Every eye is on the judge and that's "no foolin'".

Do you follow the suggestion of this club in their State Fair booth?





4-H Is a Way of Life

It's a way of life that's increasingly important today to thousands of Kansas youths . . . young men and women growing up in a world that calls for good citizenship, mature thinking and self reliance. 4-H helps them to achieve a good measure of all three.

Folger's is proud to support such a fine activity. The Kansas 4-H Foundation needs YOUR support too!

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Community Leaders Must Have Parent Support

As a community leader, Mrs. Irvin Gedney, Busy Beavers in Smith county, consults with club secretary Muriel Swank before the club meeting.

As a 4-H community leader, you may have a big influence on the future of the boys and girls in your 4-H Club. They are at a very formative stage.

You'll want to know how you can do better the job of giving members a richer 4-H experience. There are many well known "secrets" to being a good leader which people are willing to share with you.

You may find some in this article. Fellow community leaders will have many. County extension agents have a storehouse of good ideas. A publication called "Kansas 4-H Club Leaders Manual" is available at your county extension office.

Parent Cooperation

Mrs. Irvin Gedney, Smith county Busy Beavers leader, says one of her "secrets" is knowing you have to have the help of the "Moms and Dads" or you are sunk. It's simple to get parent cooperation, she says.

Mrs. Gedney counsels with and encourages club members with their program numbers. She's encouraging her own daughter, Melissa, here.



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Every teen wants to feel at ease and poised with others.

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The 4-H personal development project includes information on six areas of good manners for teens. Included are manners at the table, on the telephone, on a date, at a meeting, every day manners and special occasion manners.

If you'd like to get "in the groove" with other Kansas 4-H teens, ask your county extension agent how you, too, can have a part in the new 4-H personal development project.

You may be interested, too, in the medals, certificates, bonds, and trips given as awards for county, district and state winners by the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company. See your county extension agent for details.

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One responsibility of community leaders is to help with county programs. Lyle Beardsley and Mrs. Dale Bell, Smith county community leaders, are helping with county champion selection.



Mrs. Irvin Gedney and Raymond Ifland, community leaders of the Busy Beavers Club in Smith county, help Edward Weiser and Carol Ifland with some knotty record book completion programs.

Just ask them to help and show them, in the ways all of you know how, that you appreciate their assistance.

"We try to have families—both parents and 4-H members—on our committees," Mrs. Gedney adds, "We don't have leaders, as such, on our committees."

"The first thing new leaders should do," says Raymond Ifland, Mrs. Gedney's co-leader in the Busy Beavers Club, "is to get acquainted with the members and parents in the club."

"One early responsibility is to work with the club advisory committee to make sure there is a good group of project leaders," he added.

Plan Program

Another early job is to check with the club officers or a special committee in outlining the club's program for the year. "Figuring out who's going to do what is always a problem," Mr. Ifland continued.

Community leaders shouldn't forget, either, they have a responsibility to help make sure 4-H membership is actively offered to each boy and girl in the community.

"We've been fortunate in retaining many of our older members," Mrs. Gedney said.

Keeping the interest of the older members is a problem which many community leaders face. Many professional 4-H workers now feel that, while there is no one answer, the major problem is to develop a program of special interest to the older members.

Variety of Activities

Special parties and events are necessary through the year to keep the members interested, the Busy Beavers leaders said. Parties on occasion, tours, 4-H Days, and county fairs are all events which, scattered through the year, help maintain interest.

"Each individual member in our club is responsible for getting their own program numbers," Mrs. Gedney says. "Our youngest members are actually the ones which will be most prompt. Members have their own program books and do their own remembering."

Tour in Evening

Believing that parent attendance is very important, the Busy Beavers have their tour in the evening. As the 34-member club is too large to include all the stops in one evening, the tour is held on two evenings.

"We outgrew meeting in homes several years ago," Mrs. Gedney continued. "Mr. Kelly Pratt made this store building in Gaylord available to us at a ridiculously low price. We canvassed the community for contributions and it is now used for a community as well as a 4-H center."

County agricultural agent Leonard Parker gives much of the credit for the Busy Beavers' success to the leaders' ability to develop parent interest and get parent cooperation. The leaders don't try to do all the work themselves, he said.

Help with County Activities

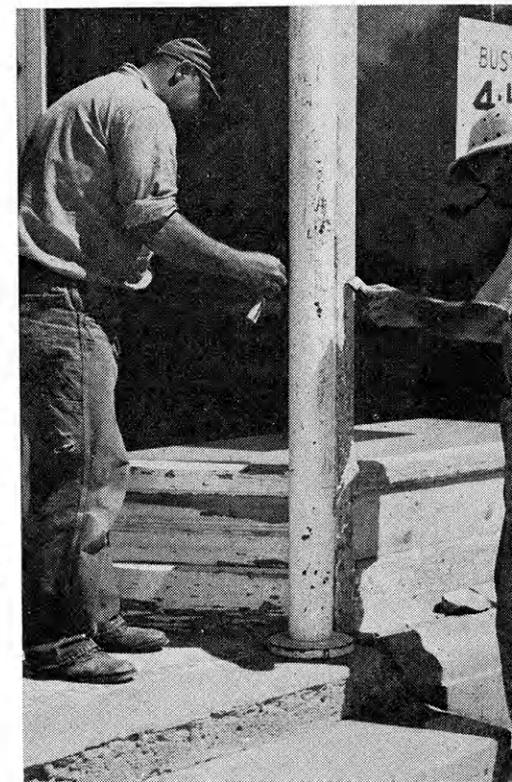
It's the responsibility of the community leaders to help with

certain parts of the county-wide program. Leaders should contribute to the planning of county-wide events as well as carry a report of plans to the local club.

The real purpose of the 4-H Club and the goal towards which the leaders should aim is to develop the boys and girls into worthwhile adult citizens.

The 4-H Clubs can contribute to this citizenship training by developing speaking ability, giving training in democratic principles and parliamentary procedure, and the emphasizing of a spirit of good sportsmanship, friendliness and cooperation among the members.

Parent help is essential to any good club, Mrs. Gedney says. She gets some parent help here in painting the club house from fellow community leader Raymond Ifland and from Mr. Gedney.



Great Hymns

Great hymns have grown out of every human emotion. Suffering, despair, elation and joy mark many of the hymns that are familiar to nearly all denominations.

When people seek peace of mind, comfort, assurance, guidance, or express joy or praise, they are able to do so with a wide selection of great hymns.

Perhaps more than anyone else, young people of 4-H age often are seeking for a personal creed, for a worthy dedication of themselves, as an expression of the high ideals they feel and want to express.

There are several beautiful hymns that help express the consecration of self to a greater cause, such as the well known, "Take My Life and Let It Be." For young people, perhaps the favorite will always be the beautiful, "I Would Be True."

Quite appropriately, the words for "I Would Be True" were first written by a young ministry student, who was wondering to what ends he should dedicate his life.

Howard A. Walter was taking graduate work in Japan when he began to put down in writing his ideas of a personal creed of dedication, of what he really expected to do and be.

Several years later he showed the creed, which was in verse, to a fellow minister, the Reverend Joseph Y. Peek. His colleague was so moved by the simplicity, breadth, and beauty of the words that he set the young students creed to music. This hymn of dedication, available in nearly any church hymnal, is found on page 41 of the National 4-H Song Book.

As an added suggestion for emphasizing the beauty and simplicity of this hymn, it could be read first to the club, in a completely darkened room or out of doors, lighted only by the reader's candle. Then, with just enough light for the members to read the words, sing the two verses softly, with meaning.



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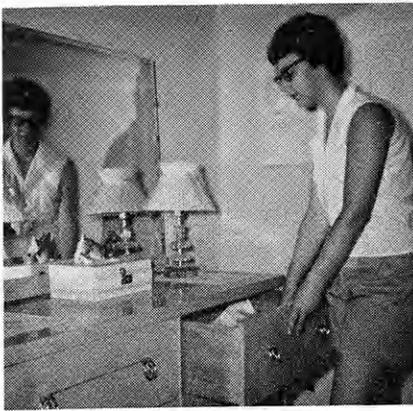
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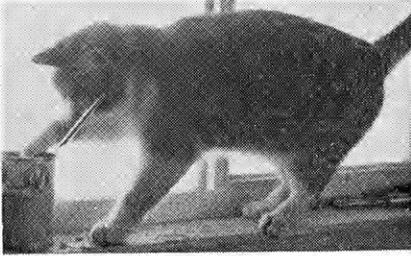
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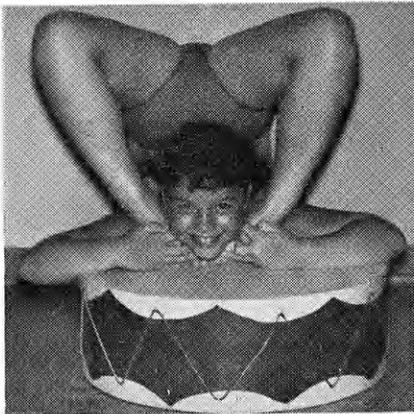
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The new president of the Pawnee Peppers Club, Pawnee county, is Beth Gore. She's pictured here as she exhibits some of the results of her home improvement project.



Morla Rae Howk's cat "Friskie" decided to get his own breakfast. Merla Rae, Bird City Go-Getters in Cheyenne county, took this picture in the 4-H photography project.



Karen Tomasich, KC-OK Club in Wyandotte county, performs with a dance number at the county talent show.



Frank Leonhard, 95, was made an honorary member of the Jayhawk Club, Douglas county, when he received this certificate from Patty Palmateer, club president, in a model meeting ceremony in honor of Mr. Leonhard's 4-H interest and his work with centennial year activities. His son, Lawrence, is an active leader in the 4-H Club.



The "Country Gents" cooking class of the Paradise Valley Club includes only boys. Mrs. Gerald Watkins, leader, is shown with Alan Watkins, Wayne Brown, David Boyle, Raymond Sumpter and Richard Macklin as they enjoy a meal they prepared themselves in Mrs. Watkins' home.

Kansas IFYE alumni attending the tenth national conference at the National 4-H Center in Washington, D. C., this summer were Marilyn Hansen, Washington county; Warren Prawl, Doniphan; Brenda Morgan, Sherman; Joan Engle, Dickinson; and Connie Clary, Pottawatomie.

Pictures From Kansas 4-H'ers

SEND IN YOUR PICTURES

We want pictures taken by Kansas 4-H'ers. Prizes will be given for all pictures used in the Journal.

The picture need not be on 4-H Club work, but pictures with subjects related to 4-H Clubs are preferred. Action pictures are desired.

All pictures should be glossy prints at least five by seven inches in size unless accompanied by the negative.

Photographs should be accompanied by a short statement explaining the picture and including the names of persons shown.

Entrants should designate their choice of the following prizes. A year's subscription to the National 4-H Club News, one roll of color film—sizes 620, 120, 616, 116, 127 or 35 mm only, or a 4-H Club photograph album.

4-H members, parents, leaders, county agents or friends of 4-H may send in pictures.



Ideas That Work

Reporter's Notice: The Kansas 4-H Journal would like to print interesting stories of your local club events, activities, members and leaders. Local club meeting stories, if submitted, should contain something unusual or of interest to people outside your county.

Outstanding projects, services or events of your club, or stories of individuals within your club that would give ideas to other 4-H'ers would make excellent stories.

Prizes will be awarded all blue award stories each month. Please state your choice (1) a year's subscription to the National 4-H Club News or (2) a hard cover loose leaf 4-H notebook.

Many Service Projects

The Murdock Wranglers Club, Butler county, have stressed the service part of the 4-H pledge this year with several community service projects.

At Christmas they "adopted" two retarded children from the Institute of Logopedics in Wichita, giving them clothing and toys as gifts.

During National 4-H Week the Club's



Window display of the Murdock Wranglers, Butler county, during National 4-H Week invited boys and girls to join 4-H.

window display invited the children of the Whitewater community to join 4-H.

In July the club members sold candy and soft drinks at a farm sale with proceeds going to the Kansas Council for Retarded Children.

Susan Fagan, Rep.

Investments In 4-H—

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Club Celebrates 25th Anniversary

The Plum Creek Club, Miami county, observed its 25th anniversary with a basket dinner at the Osawatomie city lake.

A program including a reading of the club history was presented. 42 present and former members and leaders were present. The club now has 22 members, 2 community leaders, 7 project leaders and an adult advisory board.

A special "Hats Off" goes to Mrs. Glen Carpenter, club leader for 18 years.

Ellen Cowles, Junior Leader

Evils of Narcotics Told

Earlene Meckfessel strongly emphasized the danger of "trying" narcotics in a health talk at a meeting of the Rozel Hustlers Club, Pawnee county.

Narcotics may be defined as certain substances which have a strong effect upon the human nervous system. All forms of alcohol, tobacco and opiates are classified as narcotics. The careless use of narcotics have caused a serious problem in our country today, Earlene pointed out. The results are drug addiction and alcoholism. The three classes of drugs are (1) opium, causing sleep, (2) belladonna which produces hallucinations delirium and (3) alcohol which causes exhilarations followed by sleep.

Raylene Scott, Rep.

First Reunion Held

First reunion of the Rock Creek Club, Butler county, was June 5 in Douglass community building.

Since the club was organized in 1946, more than 200 members have belonged to it.

Junior leaders were in charge of a short program. Letters were read from persons unable to attend.

Past leaders and members were recognized. The program concluded with the 4-H pledge. Much interest was shown in the old club secretary books which were on display to help relive history of the club.

Dee McFaddin, Rep.

Recognized in Magazine

Junior leaders of the Up and Atom Club, Finney county, will receive recognition in both the state and national magazines of the Daughters of Isabella.

When the State Convention was in Garden City, the Up and Atom Club furnished its club bus for a tour of Finnup Park, the city's churches, schools and homes. The project was part of the club's citizenship activities.

Several inquiries as to how to start a 4-H Club in a church parish have been answered by members and leaders of the club. The junior leaders are quite proud to have created so much interest in such a worthy project.

Virginia Bauer, Rep.

Ideas In Brief

Amy Goings, Smoky Valley Club in Wallace county, reports she has made 64 garments costing a total of \$222.64 but valued at \$738.52 in her eight years as a 4-H member . . . 31 members from Wallace county attended a district home economics judging school at Colby where Shelia Pilger of the Harrison Endeavor Club, Wallace county, was high individual . . . Pawnee Peppers members, Pawnee county, displayed a project that had caused a special problem at their annual achievement meeting, then explained how they made a successful ending possible . . . Judy Ryan, Thomas county Country Pals club, ended her safety talk at the September meeting with this slogan, "Take time to be safe, and don't you forget it. If you don't you may never live to regret it."

. . . Wyandotte county's entries at the Mid-America Fair included a pair of shorts made by Norman Stockwell of the Bonner Club, the only boy in Wyandotte county to be enrolled in the clothing project . . . The annual leaders recognition banquet for Wyandotte county will be October 3 at the Grandview Methodist Church. Hosts are the local 4-H Clubs and the Wyandotte county junior leaders organization . . . New president of the Lucas club, Russell county, is Nancy Good . . . A style show featuring fashions made by club members during the year preceded the annual tea of the Bird City Go-Getters Club, Cheyenne county . . . Merla Howk demonstrated the use of three different types of camera at the meeting of the Bird City Go-Getters, Cheyenne county . . . Following a pot luck dinner members and parents of the Welborn Club, Wyandotte county, made cancer bandages and scrapbooks for a local hospital . . . Twelve Wyandotte county junior leaders and their leaders, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pedersen, enjoyed an annual weekend trip to the Lake of the Ozarks . . . The Country Pals Club, Thomas county, has won 14 consecutive purple seals for their club charter . . . Bonnie Duffey reported on her trip to the State Health Conference at Rock Springs Ranch . . . Girls styled garments they had made during the year at the parents night meeting of the Highland Club, Harvey county . . . Rojean Westfahl gave a demonstration on mixing and baking French bread (using Kansas wheat) at a meeting of the Lucky 13 Club, Harvey county . . . Members brought old clean cotton rags to the meeting of the Kansas Jayhawkers Club as a money raising project . . . Four girls who have been members of the Abilene Aggies Club, Dickinson county, will all enroll at Kansas State University this fall. They are Leah Daily, Pat Jordan, Linda Emig and Bonnie Leckron . . . Members of the Partridge Upstreamers Club, Reno county, plan a dance for their achievement night party

... Roll call for the Haven Club, **Reno** county, was naming a favorite TV star ... Hayes Club members were guests of the Huntsville Club, **Reno** county, for their August meeting ... Future meetings of the Pleasant Club, **Harvey** county, will be at the Elbing school ... Linda Dyck reported on the safety activity at a meeting of the Macon Club, **Harvey** county ... Campus Champions Club, **Harvey** county, plan a paper drive in the near future ... Carolyn Endres demonstrated some tips on modeling for girls at a meeting of the Newton City Slickers Club, **Harvey** county ... Stanley Keller showed a new use for old nylon hose when members of the Plum Creek Club, **Cheyenne** county, visited his place on the tour. He uses them to tie tomato vines up to stakes. Another member of the club, Glenn Zweygerdt, is building a 38'x60' grain storage building as a part of his woodworking project ... To be protected from mental illness, children need love, security, faith, protection, control, acceptance and independence. So said the booth of the Country Pals Club, **Thomas** county, at the county fair ... The Penalosa Club, **Graham** county, put reflector tape on farm machinery at the homes of each of their members as one of their safety projects ... Junior leaders of the Lucky 13 Club, **Harvey** county, cleaned up the school grounds of the Suncrest School before school started ... 23 **Harvey** county junior leaders attended a good grooming school in Newton ... 45 members, parents and guests of the Kansas Jayhawkers Club, **Harvey** county, made their annual tour through a local industry when they visited the American Coach Factory in Newton ... A swim and picnic supper concluded the tour of the Kellas Club, **Harvey** county ... Morris Voth and Kenneth Stein told how to care for Bob White Quail at a meeting of the Gem Go Getters Club, **Harvey** county ... Alex McClure told how to make brownies at a meeting of the Hesston Union Champions, **Harvey** county ... "Seven Steps to Put a Question Before the House" was presented in the form of a skit at a meeting of the Halstead Progressive Club, **Harvey** county ... Scranton Scramblers, **Osage** county, enjoyed a picnic and swim at the Crestview Country Club in Topeka ... Girls taking cooking projects in the Hayes Club, **Reno** county, had a picnic for their parents ... Cooking girls of the Haven Club, **Reno** county, purchased food for and had a "cook out" supper at the home of Lisa Goltz ... Susan Rexroad and Phyllis Bontrager described an ideal sewing basket at a meeting of the Partridge Upstreamers Club, **Reno** county ... **Graham** county junior leaders were guests of the **Rooks** county junior leaders for a picnic and recreation at Webster Dam ... A style review was the highlight of the monthly meeting of the Lawn Ridge Club, **Cheyenne** county

... The senior cooking girls of the Lawn Ridge Club, **Cheyenne** county, had a Bar B-Q on the Price's front lawn. Menu included kabobs, hamburgers, potato chips, lemonade and dessert ... The Riverview Club's booth at the **Sedgwick** county fair emphasized the People to People activity and the club's part in it. The booth showed a huge padlock called World Peace with a large key ring carrying, as six keys, ideas the Club was using in carrying out the activity ... Members of the Tasty Makers Club, **Wyandotte** county, toured the Seal-test Milk Company in Kansas City ...

Naming "A bird I have seen lately" was roll call for the Salem Club, **Reno** county ... Highland Club members **Harvey** county, played miniature golf when the closing of the Newton swimming pool (due to cool weather) spoiled a swimming party ... Morris Club, **Wyandotte** county, money raising project was an ice cream social ... Members of the Sylvania Club, **Reno** county, had an evening tour with county club agent James Childers in attendance ... The Plevna Club, **Reno** county, sold soft drinks at the Abbyville Centennial Celebration.



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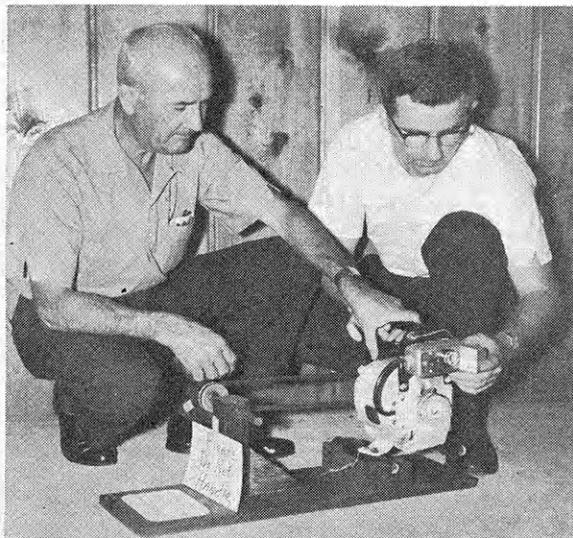
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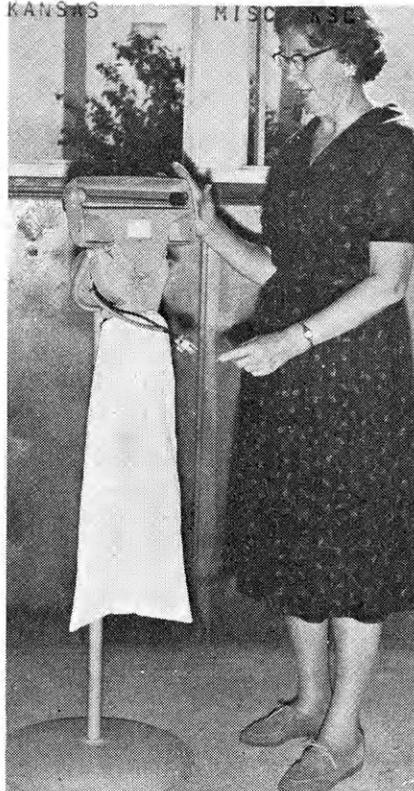
For Your 1962 4-H Electric Project

Need a new idea for an electric project? Do one of these practical and useful projects. Each was displayed at the Mid-America Fair in Topeka after having won a top award at a county fair.

Pictured with 5 of the 159 electric projects exhibited at the two fairs are the Topeka electric project judges and the 1959 state winner in the electric project.



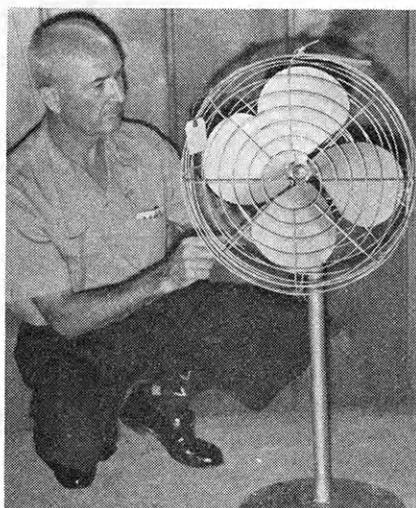
Harold Stover (extension engineer) and Keith Robertson (K-State ag engineer) examine a portable motor mounting exhibited by Kent Palmberg, Shunga Valley Club in Shawnee county. A good mounting device has, the judges suggested, a belt self tightener, good electrical grounding, proper size wire and a time delay fuse.



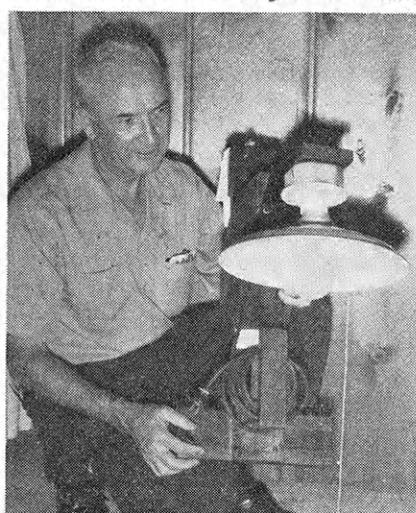
Patricia Huston, Milford Club in Geary county, made this motorized patio bug catcher being examined by Ethel Self, extension home management specialist. The device utilizes the motor and fan from an old vacuum cleaner. Judges commented, "Such bug catchers should be well mounted, have weatherproof electrical fittings and should have a large diameter base."



Kansas 1959 electric winner Elvon Van Dalsem, Brown county, looks at a pump house heat lamp exhibited by Thane Palmberg, Shunga Valley Club in Shawnee county. The old incubator thermostat acts to conserve energy in warm weather. Judges commented, "Heat lamps should be properly grounded and bulbs should be mounted where they are not easily broken."



"This portable shop fan (exhibited by Lyle Beers, Rock Chalk Club in Douglas county) has a good sized base, is easy to move, has well guarded blades and gives a good movement of air," commented judge Harold Stover in making suggestions for other 4-H'ers.



"A good light with a reflector steps up safety in the shop," says Harold Stover about this portable shop light made by Ronnie Gossage, Hazel Grove Club in Wyandotte county. "Be sure," he added, "to mount the light on a strong bracket support."

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