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1965 has been chosen International Cooperation Year (ICY) by the United Nations General Assembly. This will be a year of special emphasis on international understanding.

Kansas 4-H'ers have long had an interest in international cooperation. They have been leaders in the International Farm Youth Exchange (IFYE) Program, with 134 delegates going to 64 countries and 702 families hosting 267 exchangees. All 105 counties have participated to make Kansas the leading state.

With recent additional interest in international understanding, Kansans have taken leadership from former President Eisenhower and his “People-To-People” idea. Here is a quote from him:

"One of the surest ways to bring about world peace is for the young people of all nations to know and understand each other.”

This issue of the JOURNAL is “International” from cover to cover. It is devoted to programs and ideas of interest to us readers. Dick Tomkinson, Extension Specialist in 4-H and coordinator of IFYE, who also gives leadership to the People-To-People project, has been of great help in preparing this issue.

We encourage 4-H members and clubs to use this issue as a sourcebook for information, ideas and inspiration in furthering their international interests.

NAMES OF ELECTRIC WINNERS OMITTED

Glenda Odgers of Washington county called an error to our attention. We neglected to list the names of those in the back row of the picture at the top of the Electric Light and Power Companies in Kansas advertisement, back page, of the December issue. From left, the winners are Kent Palmberg, Shawnee County; Walter Patton, Cherokee; Bill Yeager, Chase; Kenny DeDonder, Lyon; and Jerry Brown, Finney. Thank you, Glenda, for calling this to our attention.

OUR COVER

Mary Jo (Mauler) Hamon was an IFYE to Japan in 1961. Our cover shows her with one of her host families. Mary Jo was a 4-H member in Barton county.

Many people have asked the Kansas 4-H Journal why we have not published an IFYE issue. This shows the great interest in international understanding there exists among Kansans.

This issue contains reports from winners in the People-to-People project and reports from IFYE's and host families plus many ideas. We hope you enjoy it.
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People-to-People Winners Share Activities

This year’s four state winners in the People-to-People project agreed to share their activities and accomplishments with 4-H’ers throughout the state. The winning state club also sent their suggestions for other club’s projects.

Annette Clausen, Brown County, began by writing to pen-pals in the USA and abroad and became a member of the national PTP organization. Her club has contributed to a fund for the support of a foreign exchange student in their school and also to CARE.

Her work with People-to-People was highlighted this summer in an exchange trip to Brown County Ohio. Two 4-H’ers returned home with her and another Brown County 4-H’er. All four gained a wealth in ideas and friends. Annette met the governor of Ohio during the exchange.

Carol Odgers, Haskell County, became interested in the 4-H People-to-People project when her family was host to a Filipino IFYE and to Hawaiian and Venezuelan boys who spent Christmas with them. Their guests prepared foreign foods which Carol later prepared in demonstrations.

A “dinner of nations” is sponsored by Carol’s club. Each family brings a foreign dish and an international program follows the dinner. Carol has promoted People-to-People through project talks, demonstrations, recreation, news stories, UNICEF drive, window displays, library display, and displays at club meetings.

Melody Weyer, Nemaha County, has emphasized pen pals in her People-to-People project. She’s exchanged post cards, pictures, greeting cards, information about sports, hobbies and customs with her nine pen pals, five of which write regularly.

A Missionary Project Tour sponsored by her church further interested Melody as she toured the Southwest.

Karolyn Kellogg, Phillips County, combined her People-to-People project with school work by studying Spanish. She writes to her pen-pal in Mexico in English and he writes to her in Spanish. She’s learned to prepare foreign foods with Mexican tacos her favorite.

This summer, she talked with a Polish communist at the Polish Embassy during a 4-H Citizenship Lagoratory in Washington, D.C. Karolyn has studied the Peace Corps and IFYE programs.

Tisdale 4-H Club, Cowley County, chose People-to-People for a project three years ago because it was new and had good program potential.

At least half of the 36 members have pen pals. A bulletin board at the club meeting place has a map showing the countries of the pen-pals. Members can display pictures and letters there too.

Foreign guests and speakers from nine countries have presented talks to club members. Two club families have been hosts to international visitors including an IFYE from Thailand. Parent’s night programs in October featured numbers on eating with chopsticks, tulip bulbs from Holland, a visit with a Korean student, African music, and an imaginary trip around the world.

The Tisdale 4-H Club has contributed to CARE and the IFYE fund, to an organ fund for Kenya, and has sent 4-H pamphlets to Kenya. They purchased the “World Atlas in 4-H” and presented it to the county extension office.
SOURCE MATERIALS FOR PTP PROJECTS

PROGRAM INFORMATION:
People to People Public Relations Committee, P.O. Box 896, Washington 4, D.C.
Natl People to People Foundation, 2401 Grand Ave., P.O. Box 1201, Kansas City, Mo.
4-H CARE Program, 660 First Avenue, New York 16, N.Y.
Heifer Project, Inc., P.O. Box 2455, Modesto, Calif.
American Friends Service Committee, 1830 Sutter Street, San Francisco 15, Calif. or 825 East Union Street, Pasadena, Calif.
United Nations Children's Fund, United Nations, New York, N.Y.
Cooperative Recreation Service, Radnor Road, Delaware, Ohio.

REFERENCES:
Looking to New Horizons, State 4-H Club Office
UNESCO Relations Staff, United Nations, New York, N.Y.
4-H People to People Program, National 4-H Foundation, 7100 Connecticut Avenue, Washington 15, D.C.
4-H Peace Corps Project, National 4-H Foundation

PEN PALS:
Pen Pals, World Affairs Center, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis 14, Minn. Send name, age, address, and 25¢. Indicate you are a 4-H member.
International Friendship League, 40 Mount Vernon Street, Boston 8, Mass. Send a self-addressed stamped envelope for an application form. 50¢ charge.
Letters Abroad, Inc., 45 East 65th Street, New York 21, N.Y. For those 15 years or older. Send name, address, sex, age, and general interests with self-addressed stamped envelope.
League of Friendship, 4 Ash Street, Mount Vernon, Ohio. Send self-addressed stamped envelope for application form. 25¢ fee.

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GIFTS:
Meals for Millions Foundation, 215 W. 7th Street, Los Angeles 14, Calif.
CARE, 1028 Connecticut Avenue, N.W., Washington 6, D.C.
CROP, Elkhart, Indiana

MAGAZINES AND BOOKS:
United States Information Agency, Office of Private Cooperation, Washington 25, D.C.
Magazines for Friendship, 35 South Raymond Avenue, Pasadena, Calif.
Magazines from America, 2444 Silver Ridge Avenue, Los Angeles 39, Calif.
Books USA Inc., Box 1960, Washington 1, D.C.

FILMS
Available from Visuals Department, UMberger Hall, KSU:
Peace Corps—1961
Grass Roots Ambassadors—1951 IFYE film
People to People—1959 by General Eisenhower
Available from National 4-H Foundation:
Lee Yu's 4-H Banner—4-H in Formosa
Other Hearts, Other Lands—1957 IFYE film of Israel
Available from Midwest CARE Office, Emery Bird Thayer, 11th & Walnut Streets, Kansas City 6, Missouri:
The CARE Story—CARE at work
World Our Hands Can Make—CARE's work in a Latin American Village
Story of the Lai Family—CARE at work with a Chinese fishing family
Tashi Writes a Letter—CARE helps a Tibetan family with food and tools
Operation in Vietnam—MEDICO helps a girl walk
MEDICO Around the World—60 color slides with script

OTHER:
Foreign Students, 102 Holtz Hall, Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kans. (Weekend visits, speakers)
IFYE delegates (for programs): Each County Extension Office has a list of returned delegates, their country, and present addresses.

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Lem Kemp, Holton, Jackson County

JANUARY, 1965
The role of an IFYE is, in large part, that of an ambassador. In many cases, he represents "the American". The way he looks, thinks, talks, and works becomes identified in the minds of those who observe him in his host country as the way all Americans behave. This is especially true in Eastern Europe, behind the "iron curtain", where an American is rarely seen and where anti-American propaganda is profuse.

As one of the six IFYE "grass-roots ambassadors" to Poland in 1963, I found myself representing not only a picture of the USA, but many times a picture of all Western capitalistic nations. And in turn, by becoming a member of 13 Polish families during my six month stay, I began to assimilate their culture, understand their attitudes, and feel their needs and desires.

Poland has had a long and stormy history. Frequent wars with Russia and Germany, a period of non-existence, the hideous atrocities of World War II by which 20 per cent of the Polish people perished, and a country reduced to rubble after the war—these are the memories of the Poles as they celebrate their millennium of existence.

It is not surprising to discover, then, that Poland is a country still in the process of rebuilding, and very poor materially. Three-fourths of the homes now have electricity, but cooking is done on wood stoves and the main staples in the diet are bread and potatoes. In rural areas, transportation is almost exclusively by horse and wagon; in urban centers, by tramway and buses. On private farms, farming is done by hand or with horse power and tools are usually of the wooden home-made variety.

As a result of the forests which were burned during World War II, paper is quite scarce. Meat is not sold, even in restaurants, on Sunday or Monday, and is difficult to obtain at other times, then being almost solely sausage. Such commonplace things to us as kleenex, ball point pens, soda pop, and paper bags are virtually non-existent.

Poland is a socialist nation, closely aligned politically and economically with the Soviet Union.

Michelle Steele, Kansas IFYE to Poland, sharpens a scythe at the home of her host family.

Michelle Steele's host mother and sister prepare food in the family kitchen.

The state owns and controls nearly all means of production. This virtually eliminates competition and the result is a lowering in the variety and quality of the products. In addition, nearly all transportation and marketing facilities and 12 per cent of the farm land is state owned and controlled.

Politically, the socialist system and the alliance with Russia are popularized through many different media—billboards proclaiming "Long Live Socialism", radio and TV, September—National Friendship with Russia month, political programs in the youth clubs, factories, and schools. (Eight years of Russian language is required of all grade school pupils.)

Agriculturally, the socialist system is popularized by making it much easier for a farmer to work on a state farm or cooperative than to have his own private land. State farms pay no taxes and are given machinery; the cooperative farm is also given machinery but pays a minimal tax of 1½ per cent of income. For private farms, the tax is graduated from 5 per cent income for a 14 acre farm to 40 per cent for a 37 acre farm. The taxable income, however, is not real, but calculated on the basis of what one acre should produce. Therefore, in reality, about one-third of the private farmer's earnings go to the state. Also 35 per cent of meat production and 40 per cent of crop production must be sold to the state at a rate one-half that of free market price.

The state farm worker receives his medical care free, the collective worker pays one-third, and the private farmer pays full price. Despite these benefits, the private farmer holds to his land as evidenced by 86 per cent of the land remaining in private hands. Production per acre is much higher on private plots than either state or cooperative farms even though the private farmer does not have the advantage of machinery.

The reaction of the people to the government varies greatly. Politics is a favorite topic of conversation and opinions are discussed relatively freely and openly around friends. As one Pole expressed it, "There is freedom of speech in Poland as long as it is kept quiet and in well known company. A minority are truly in favor of the present government. These proponents of Marx and Lenin are usually between the ages of 20 and 30 and have lived only under post-war Poland. Some are entirely dissatisfied with the present government. One teenage friend said to me as he defiantly spit on the floor, "Gomulka, Khrushchev—they're nothing but swine."

But the majority, while not in favor of the government, are satisfied with it because it is an improvement over the post war terrorist days of Stalin and it does allow for existence, meager though it may be. Most people feel that Gomulka, the head of the Polish state, is "more Pole than communist" and will fight for the Polish state and its national rights. One man summed up the

To Know — To Understand

By Michelle Steele, IFYE to Poland
feeling well by stating, “If you don’t have what you like, you like what you have.”

The primary opponent of communism and the Polish government is the church. But little can be done because priests are required to sign a loyalty oath to the government and any activities counter to it are punishable by forbidding the guilty party to preach anywhere in the country. Seventy-three per cent of all Poles are Roman Catholic. Churches are crowded with men, women, and children on every Sunday and religious holidays. Roadside shrines are evident along the countryside and icons are found in almost every home. Nearly all children are baptized and sent to church instruction classes, even those from communist families.

After hearing and seeing a great deal of anti-American propaganda including a TV show on the valiant struggle of the Castro-led Cubans against “imperialist” USA; bulletin boards depicting the U.S. and her NATO allies as proponents of war, aggression, and extermination; a and continual front page pictures and articles of the bloody battle for equal rights in our country, I was surprised and humbled to find such a welcome among the Poles. As an American, I was treated with respect, honor, and a great deal of curiosity. Most Poles have relatives in the U.S. who write to them about the wonders of America and they find it quite difficult even to imagine such things as supermarkets, our vast highway complex, and families who own their own cars. America, in general, is idealized and greatly respected.

Many families and schools receive packages from CARE for which they are most grateful. One lady spent several hours telling me with a choked voice and tears in her eyes how CARE had enabled her to live.

Life is not all work and worry with the Pole. He enjoys visiting with the neighbors, singing, and going to the Saturday night dance held usually at the school house or public building in the village. A community band composed of a few accordions, a fiddle, and occasionally a drum blares out polkas and rock-and-roll while youngsters and oldsters alike dance and drink far into the night. When I commented once on how thoroughly everyone seemed to be enjoying himself, the answer was given, “You see, we know the extremes of life. We have experienced fear, pain, and suffering—we know what war is; therefore, we can better appreciate happiness and fun.”

Activities of rural youth include attending the Saturday night dances and going to movies either in their own village or a larger neighboring town. Films of many nationalities are shown and the U.S. western is almost always the favorite.

Quite a few of the rural youth belong to an organization which is roughly comparable to our 4-H clubs—the Rural Youth Union. In the meetings the members discuss their crops and animals and are given suggestions for improvement by a local agronomist. Community projects consist of such things as cleaning up state farms or making benches for the bus stops. Often the members attend camps during the summer or go on excursions to other parts of their country. These are financed by the state.

The primary difference between the Polish Rural Youth Union and our 4-H club is that the former is a political organization. The organization is one of the main organs through which the government can operate its propaganda dispersion. The primary goal of the Youth Union is to uphold the ideals of socialism and further it throughout the country. This, as you see from the attitudes of most private farmers toward the socialist goal of state and collective farms, often produces conflict within the community between the elders and their children.

The Poles are a proud, hard-working, gracious people. If we become impatient with them for not rebelling against their government, let us remember that conditions are better now than they were 10-15 years ago, that nearly all the energies of the rural people must be put to use in farming their 10 to 15 acre plots in order to produce enough to eat for their families, that Poland is surrounded by three communist countries and the sea, that they are still recuperating nationally and individually from World War II, and that, more than anything, they desire the existence of a Poland.

At a meeting of the Rural Youth Union, Michelle Steele receives a bouquet of flowers.

IFYE Michelle Steele and her Polish host family on their way to church.

Polish schoolrooms are similar to those in the United States. Double desks and benches are one difference however.
An old Chinese proverb states, "A journey of 10,000 miles begins with a single step." Our journey for better world understanding begins with a single person—YOU!

Joanne Fajen says--

"The Personal Development Project can do much toward building a well-rounded and versatile 4-H'er."

Joanne has been enrolled in the Personal Development project for three years and has worked in each of the phases. She was a blue award winner in the state and received a trip to the recognition program in Wichita last fall.

This past year she was project leader for Dickinson County. "We emphasized a different phase at each meeting," she said. "Our activities included guest speakers, films, topics, opinion surveys, skits, and a successful IFYE Benefit Record Hop."

Joanne and other winners at the Wichita event discussed these other project and activity ideas:

- Demonstrations
- Extension manuals and materials
- Group dinners, practicing manners and etiquette
- Panel discussions
- Guest speakers from various professions
- Attendance of Citizenship Short Course in Washington D.C.

Joanne reports many guests attended their meetings. She says the Personal Development Project is one "that a member can work out for himself, doing as much or as little as he desires."

Many club groups in this project study and practice one phase each year while others stress a different phase at each meeting. Any or all are invited to send ideas for this advertisement.

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If You Want To Be An IFYE...

By Dick Tomkinson

I encourage young people who are interested in becoming an IFYE delegate to take part in some people-to-people activities which are listed in the 4-H project leaflet or participate in People-to-People activities on college campuses.

A also recommend that interested young people encourage their family to become a host family for an IFYE. By having an international visitor live with you for three weeks, your whole family becomes interested in other people in other lands.

If you're between the ages of 20 and 30, mature and single, have a sincere desire to understand other people and are willing to give considerable time to study before going and sharing your experiences when you return — contact your Extension office.

Your Extension agents have these four pieces of material that will help you plan to be an IFYE:

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IFYE Host Families
Have Fun, Learn

"Being an IFYE host family is one of the most exciting, educational experiences a family can have," the Marvin Heitschmidt 4-H family of Rice County, believes.

The Heitschmidts were one of 35 families who were hosts to the twelve IFYE's visiting Kansas this year.

Narendra Singh, India, was the second IFYE guest of the Heitschmidts. Jan Laylor, Australia, had stayed with them three years ago. They learned of the program from 4-H agents who had been IFYE delegates.

"We all read information sent to us from the State Office, studied the map of their countries and located their home towns which seemed to please them," Mrs. Heitschmidt said. "Singh was Hindu so we studied that religion so we would know a little about it."

In addition to helping with farm work, their guests saw the Hutchinson grain elevators, a TV station, the Hays experiment station, and a milk processing plant plus other points of interest.

The Heitschmidts have continued their participation in the IFYE program by encouraging others to be host families. Their son Arthur has promoted a club exchange with a Korean 4-H Club.

The value of the program, the Heitschmidts believe, is expressed in this letter from Singh:

"Not only foreign tour but to stay with the people and work with them is an incomparable education which cannot be written in books."

The Charles Lawhead family of Johnson County, were hosts to Juan Soderlund. Two of their children had Spanish in school and they requested a Latin American exchangee.

Soderlund was interested in everything from machinery on the farm to a coin-operated laundromat. Later in the summer, the Lawheads visited with other host families at Rock Springs and are making plans for another IFYE exchangee this next year.

Water skiing was new to Jennifer Clark of New Zealand. Her host family, the Marvin Collins of Ford County, spent several weekends at the lake where Miss Clark learned to ski. She was interested in all aspects of farming and American life.

Miss Clark showed slides of the "Make It Yourself With Wool Contest" held in New Zealand which has a large wool and sheep industry. Mrs. Collins and Bonnie became interested in the contest and entered it with Mrs. Collins being district adult winner. Bonnie hopes to be an IFYE someday and visit New Zealand.

"We encourage more people to be a host family," Mrs. Collins said. The reward is great and as our family said last year when Jennifer was here, 'It is like having a vacation at home, only more fun.'

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With new knowledge and skills, the young people are able to raise their standard of living. And, they learn citizenship and leadership along with gardening, financial management, sanitation, home care, sewing, nutrition, and farm or home improvement.

The National 4-H Foundation is currently recruiting both men and women to begin training early in 1965 for service in Nepal, Sarawak, Brazil, and Uruguay. The Nepal project is new; 170 alumni and current volunteers have worked with projects in the other three countries and Venezuela.

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2. 4-H Peace Corps Picture Exhibit—A series of enlarged photographs of life and work of a volunteer in the Brazil 4-S project. The exhibit is loaned on the basis of paying shipping costs from and to the National 4-H Center or other borrower.
3. 4-H Peace Corps Project Recruitment Brochure—A general information piece which describes opportunities available for persons interested in a 4-H Peace Corps Project.

Write to the State 4-H Club Office, Umberger Hall, Kansas State University, Manhattan, for more information regarding those aids.

One Kansas 4-H Club, the Manning Jayhawkers of Scott County, have helped a former member with a Peace Corps project in Guatemala.

Shortly after arriving in Guatemala, volunteer Clifford Gruver made a baby chick brooder, since poultry is the main meat of the Indian people. The Jayhawkers, through efforts by their club leaders and friends, have sent two small brooders to Gruver.

Stanley Gruver, brother of the volunteer and Jayhawker 4-H member, secured names of 4-H’ers who wanted pen-pals from Guatemala and sent their names and addresses to his brother.
Ideas That Work

Make a thorough and complete study of a country. Learn phrases of the language. Study the way the people live. Plan a club meeting based on the country with music, recreation, a food demonstration, and other program numbers.

Have a trick or treat evening as a club, or sell Christmas cards for UNICEF.

Have discussions on international relations and problems at club meetings. Foreign students from a nearby school may be able to give their side of the story more accurately than a member of the club.

Supply local libraries and schools with information on foreign countries. Gift books and magazine subscriptions will be enjoyed by many.

Order filmstrips on international programs to be shown at club meetings, in schools, or at community meetings.

Contact returned Peace Corps volunteers for programs. Or help a present volunteer by sending supplies. There may be a volunteer from your own community.

This is the United Nation's 20th birthday. Plan a special celebration in your own community. Get the mayor to issue a special proclamation, plan a joint program with civic, business, religious, and professional group. Order the "United Nations Leaders Guide for Individual and Community Action" from the United Nations Association of the U.S.A., 345 East 46 street, New York, N.Y., for more ideas. One copy free.

Have each club member choose a country at the beginning of the club year. Several times during the year, have the members answer roll call with a fact about his country—at one meeting everyone tells about the geography (briefly of course) of his country; at another, the agricultural situation in that country; at another, the customs of the people; and so on.

Project groups can collect material on the project subject from other countries. A food class can collect foreign recipes and prepare them. A clothing group can gather information on styles of another country.

Start a stamp collection. Pen pals are an excellent way—if several club members have pen pals in different countries, the members can exchange their extras.

Make scrapbooks which show American life as it is. Cut pictures from magazines and include actual photos of families. Give an accurate view. These can be sent to other countries so the people can obtain a realistic view of the American people.

Become tape pals with 4-H’ers in another nation. Tape songs, the 4-H pledge, and other things to be exchanged.

Host foreign students attending state colleges. Invite one or a group for a weekend on the farm (or in town). Show them the farm operation, points of interest in the community, and make them a part of the family.

Have an exchange with a “sister” club in another state or country. A club can exchange letters, program ideas, records, pictures, scrapbooks, tape recordings, etc.

Encourage 4-H family to make application as IFYE host families. Urge older members to apply to be an IFYE delegate. Promote an IFYE delegate from your county by suggesting ways to raise money.

Collect books, clothes and other usable items for world relief organizations.

Study a new language. If several in the club are studying one language at school, the club might purchase study or fun records for practice and entertainment.

Invite IFYE alumni to tell of their experiences or to conduct discussions on international understanding. Make the meeting open to the entire community instead of just 4-H members.

Prepare exhibits, displays and booths on People-to-People in your city, school, clubs, and at fairs, meetings, and activities. Emphasize specific parts of the project in a series of displays or news stories.

Older members may want to plan an exchange with another state instead of camping. A club or county group can correspond with 4-H’ers in other states or possibly Canada. They can raise money for transportation costs, plan the trip themselves, and be hosts in alternate years.
An eighteen year member of the State 4-H Staff, John Hanna is in charge of the Northeast District 4-H program. Hanna joined the State Staff in 1946 following service in the U.S. Army during World War II. He had been assistant county agent in Neosho, Edwards, Grant, and Elk Counties; county agricultural agent in Elk County and county agent in Butler County. A native of Clay Center, Hanna attended a Kansas State University, receiving a B.S. degree and later a M.S. in extension education. He sang in the first Collegiate 4-H Club quartet for three years. Before college, he was a member of a Clay County Beef Club for two years.

His responsibilities on the State Staff include state winner selection; project areas including crops, tractor, auto, woodworking, wheat quality, grain marketing, bees, forestry, soil and water conservation, and music; and leader training programs in tractor and auto. Hanna is in charge of state music camp and organizes the Chicago Trip Reunion each year. He is in charge of the 4-H Exhibit Building at the Mid American Fair and assists with 4-H exhibits at the State Fair. He holds membership in Epsilon Sigma Phi (extension), Alpha Zeta, and Gamma Sigma Delta.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanna have one son, Gary.

RECREATION — GAMES FROM OTHER COUNTRIES

(These games were selected from Hi Neighbor Books 1-3 published by the U.S. Committee for UNICEF, United Nations, New York, New York.)

IL CUCUZZARO — ITALY

One player is chosen to be the “cucuzzaro” (pumpkin planter) and the others are pumpkins and sit in a circle. IT gives each player a number, and standing in the center he says; “In my orchard there are (for instance) five pumpkins.” Pumpkin No. 5 says, “Why five pumpkins?” IT says, “If not, how many?” And No. 5 says, (for instance) “thirteen pumpkins.” No. 13 answers the same way and the game goes on faster and faster. If a player forgets to answer quickly to his number or gets confused, he is punished with some silly penalty.

COELHO NA TOCA — BRAZIL

One player is IT. The rest form groups of threes: two holding hands making a “house”, one in the middle representing a rabbit. At a signal, each rabbit must move, trying to find another house. IT tries to find a house, too, and the player left homeless is next IT. Coelho na toc means “rabbit in his house”.

RAKAN-SAN — JAPAN

Rakan was the name of an ancient Buddhist priest. San is an affectionate suffix. So he is known to Japanese children as Rakan-san. He was supposed to have had an odd-looking face. In this game the players seat themselves in a circle, each facing slightly to the right in order to observe the player on his right.

Each player decides the pose he wants to take. Game begins with the leader saying, “Let us all imitate a Rakan-san pose, one-two-three, pose!” Each player strikes his own pose (hand on ear, arms in funny position, etc.). After a minute the leader says the same phrase, but this time the players must strike the pose of the player to the right (all the players shift their poses one person to the left). As the game proceeds, it is speeded up until no one can keep up, or make the changing poses fast enough!

TWO SYLLABLES — GREECE

Equipment: A man’s handkerchief, rolled into a soft ball. The players sit in a circle. One person is chosen to be IT, or leader. He begins by giving the first syllable of a two-syllable word, for instance, “win-”, at the same time throwing the ball to another player. The second player must instantly provide the second syllable, such as “-dow”, making the word “window”. If he fails, he must forfeit an article of clothing and drop out of the game. The last player to stay in the game wins.

At the end of the game, the winner holds up one forfeit at a time and says, “The owner may redeem this by making the sound of a donkey” (or some other animal), or do some other funny thing.
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- Chester Bennett
- Victor Piskakelinder
- Ray Greenwood

**ANDERSON**
- Grant Corley
- Charles Scherer
- John Klehl, Jr.

**ATCHISON**
- Jimmie Magnison
- Ronald Lambert
- Charles Pike
- Steve Weidner

**BARTON**
- George Wilson
- Thane Dirke
- Tom Tempero
- Lennie Pleake

**BOURBON**
- Norman Smith
- Charles Mann
- Les Davis

**BROWN**
- John VanDalsem
- Max Frickel
- Les Hooper
- Bill Kruse

**BUTLER**
- Martin Leinme
- Delvan Leinme
- Stephen Grisham
- Dickey Stowers

**CHASE**
- Bill Yeager
- June Fochelmayr

**CHAUTAGUA**
- Charles Rogers
- Gary Halderman

**CHEROKEE**
- Walter Patton
- Leon Patton
- Bobbie Kirk
- Ruth Babb

**CHEYENNE**
- Alan DeGood
- David Roberson
- Gary Lilllich
- Steven Scheller

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- Dan Lansford
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- Ronald Seesal
- Dennis Swanson

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- Dennis Moyer
- Earl Speelman

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- David Kirby

**COWLEY**
- Ed Bogner

**CRAWFORD**
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- Tommy Barton

**DECatur**
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- Merlin Oswald
- Clifford Ascher
- Marvin Cooley

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- Leslie Franklin
- Greg Thomas
- Jerry Anderson

**DOUGLAS**
- Mike Lee
- Dan Forstoll
- Larry Green

**EDWARDS**
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- Kevin Kline

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- Keith Holste
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- Larry Huskes
- Larry Pleuger
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- Phillip Chiles

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- Mark Walker

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- Kenneth Kimmimau
- Pat Internial

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- Leland Borgel
- Jim Moscrop

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The Investor-owned electric companies of Kansas proudly salute the Electric Project winners listed below. These worthy 4-H'ers have received Westinghouse Medals for their fine work. If you are not currently enrolled, join the many 4-H'ers in this project to learn more about electricity and the proper care and use of electrical equipment. Contact your club leader for more information.

*Received an educational trip to the annual Wichita Recognition Event.
The list of winners will be continued next month.

* Watch This Page For Ideas On Farm And Home Electric Projects