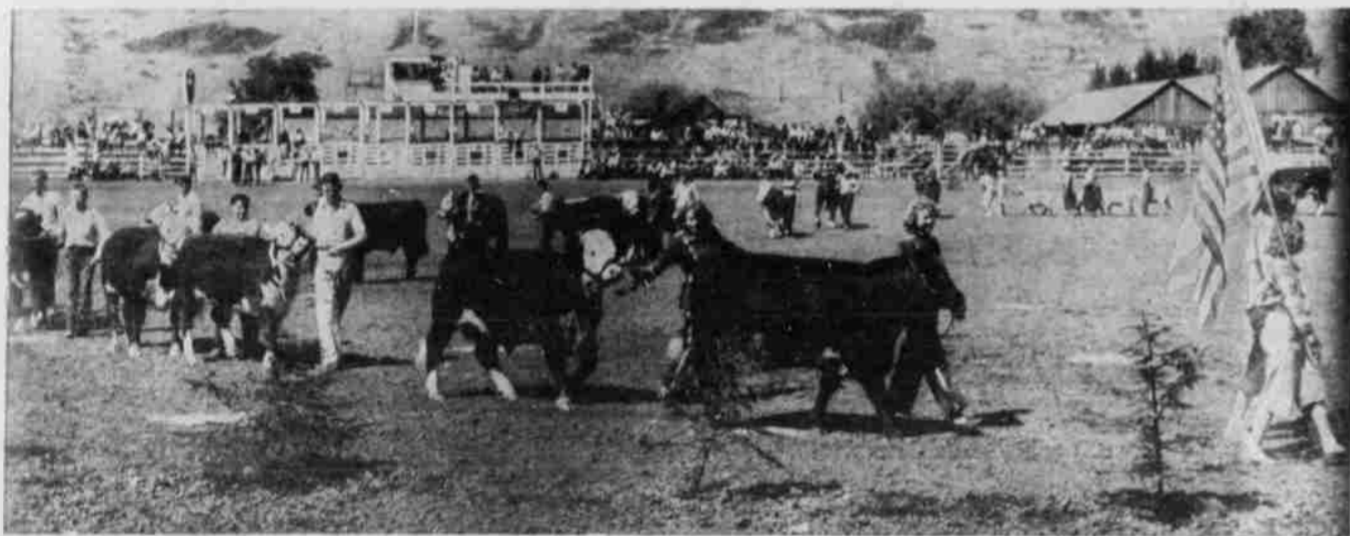




WHERE ARE THEY NOW? These are Morrow county 4-H'ers in 1939. G-T staff and county extension office can only partially identify this group. Front row (from left) are Wilma Beymer; next unidentified; Frances Skoubo; two boys holding sign are unidentified; Juanita Volle; Dick Edmondson; Peggy Tamblin.

Second row (from left) Guy Moore, kneeling; Mrs. Skoubo, chaperone; Mabel Rauch; next unidentified; Jeanne Wright; next unidentified; Don Campbell; Claudine Drake, now Mrs. Paul Warren; County Agent C. D. Conrad; and Malcolm O'Brien, kneeling.



THIS IS A 4-H livestock parade at the county fair here in 1948. Betty Graves, now Mrs. Louis Carlson, is shown with her grand champion (leading parade behind the unidentified flag bearers). Her sister, Rita, now Mrs. Walt Hill, Jr., of Corvallis, is

second in the line of march with her reserve champion. Third is Ron Baker. Others identifiable are believed to include Roger Palmer, Louis Carlson, Kenny and Pat Cutsforth.

I-H Sponsorship of 4-H Program Spans 50 Years

A half century ago, International Harvester first opened its doors to 4-H when 40 farm boys and girls were brought to Chicago to tour the International Live Stock Exposition and several places of business in the city. Harvester's plant was one of the places visited. This "tour" was the forerunner of the National 4-H Congress held annually in Chicago.

Since that time, International Harvester has been a staunch backer of 4-H. For the last 14 years the firm has sponsored the national 4-H Agricultural awards program. The sponsorship was made possible through the combined efforts of the Cooperative Extension Service and the National 4-H Service Committee, according to Norman C. Mindrum, director of the 4-H Service Committee.

Scores of 4-H'ers have benefited from the annual scholarships presented to national agricultural program award winners. Hundreds have traveled to Chicago as state delegates to the National 4-H Congress. Today the national 4-H Agri-

cultural program enrolls almost a million boys and girls in 50 states and Puerto Rico. The broad program includes many projects in addition to livestock and crops.

Club members participating in the program may engage in other projects such as entomology, conservation, veterinary science, electric, horticulture, tractor and small engines. Living on a farm is not a prerequisite for learning about agriculture, but actual farm experience is helpful, 4-H leaders point out.

Since four out of 10 workers in the U. S. depend on agriculture for their jobs, it is easy to see why 4-H'ers are so interested in the many phases of agriculture.

Seek Jobs Off Farm

Most of the 4-H "graduates" will undoubtedly seek jobs off the farm. Those planning on a college education will profit

from experience in agri-business gained through their 4-H projects.

All six 1967 national 4-H Agricultural scholarship winners carried livestock or crops projects. Two already are in college pursuing agricultural courses. The other four, still in high school, emphatically stated that they plan to become full-time farmers. The six boys live on farms ranging from 19 to 3,000 acres.

The 1968 national champions will be announced during the National 4-H Congress the first week in December. County and state award winners will be named earlier by the Extension Service.

Besides county medals, and expense-paid trips to the 4-H Congress, International Harvester will give six \$500 scholarships, an increase of \$100 over 1967.

New Club Organized

The name of our 4-H club is "The Merry Mixers". Our first meeting was held October 1 at the home of our leader, Mrs. Pettyjohn. Our officers are Kathleen McElligott, president; Dawn Peterson, vice president; Donna Palmer, secretary; Rene Flack, news reporter; Debora Planer, treasurer, and Doreen Flack, game leader. Our next meeting will be on October 15. Rene Flack, reporter

Appreciate Leaders

The Lone Trail Riders 4-H club had its last meeting for the season on Monday, September 23. Members got their books in order to be sent in. They also had a test. All those present agreed to give Mrs. Linnell and Mrs. Hammond a vote of confidence and a thank you for their time and effort spent in making our club a success. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Linnell and Mrs. Zinter. Susan Piening, reporter

The 4-H Club plan now circles the globe. About 75 other countries around the world have 4-H Clubs or similar youth organizations.

4-H Members and Leaders:

CONGRATULATIONS ON



For All Your Shoe Needs
COME TO:

GONTY'S

- Air Step
- Acme Boots
- Red Wing
- La Crosse
- Hush Puppies
- Miss Wonderful
- Charm Step

Also Transistor Radios & Record Players

4-H Girls Vie For Best Batch Of Bread, Rolls

SPECIAL—If one can visualize a mountain of piping hot, delicious homemade loaves of bread, coffee cakes and rolls, the pictures might well represent the output of more than a half-million young 4-H bakers.

While there is no way to measure the thousands of dozens of rolls and loaves of bread baked by girls enrolled in the national 4-H Bread program, their records do provide some figures.

For instance, a Kansas girl has made over 1,000 dozen rolls (a total of some 12,000) and nearly 300 loaves of bread. Everytime a Wyoming miss kneads a batch of dough, she pops 70 rolls and eight loaves of bread into the oven; much to the delight of her school chums who stop by on baking days.

Quantity, however, is not the main goal of this learning-to-make-bread project, according to extension home economists and 4-H leaders who supervise the educational program.

Delve Into Science

Club members delve into the science of yeast bread baking. Among other things they learn what causes yeast to make bread rise, and why bread products are necessary to well-balanced daily meals. They study basic nutrition, and experiment with recipes of their own.

Throughout the state, 4-H girls have perfected demonstrations on television.

One Oklahoma girl made it a practice to send a basic yeast roll recipe to brides and low-income families in her community. She points out that homemade bread saves money and provides extra nourishment as well.

By participating in this program, the older teen girl gets a good start on preparing for her future role as a homemaker. Skills learned in 4-H are useful throughout a lifetime.

Firm Gives Awards

The bread program has a sponsor: Standard Brands Incorporated. In cooperation with the National 4-H Service Committee and the Cooperative Extension Service, Standard Brands annually offers county, state and national awards.

Last year alone, nearly 5,600 girls won county medals. The medals are presented on the basis of four per county, so the recipient has to be exceptionally capable to make out over her competition. Winning the state championship is even more demanding, because most county winners compete for state honors and a trip to the National 4-H Congress in Chicago.

The top prize is a \$600 scholarship which goes to the nation's six outstanding bread project members. All winners are selected by the 4-H staff of the Cooperative Extension Service.



GROW WITH 4-H

We Salute the World's Largest Rural Youth Organization During Their Week.

OCTOBER 6-12

PLEDGE OF THE 4-H CLUB

I PLEDGE MY . . .

HEAD

FOR CLEARER THINKING — FOR BETTER JUDGMENT OF TOMORROW.

HEART

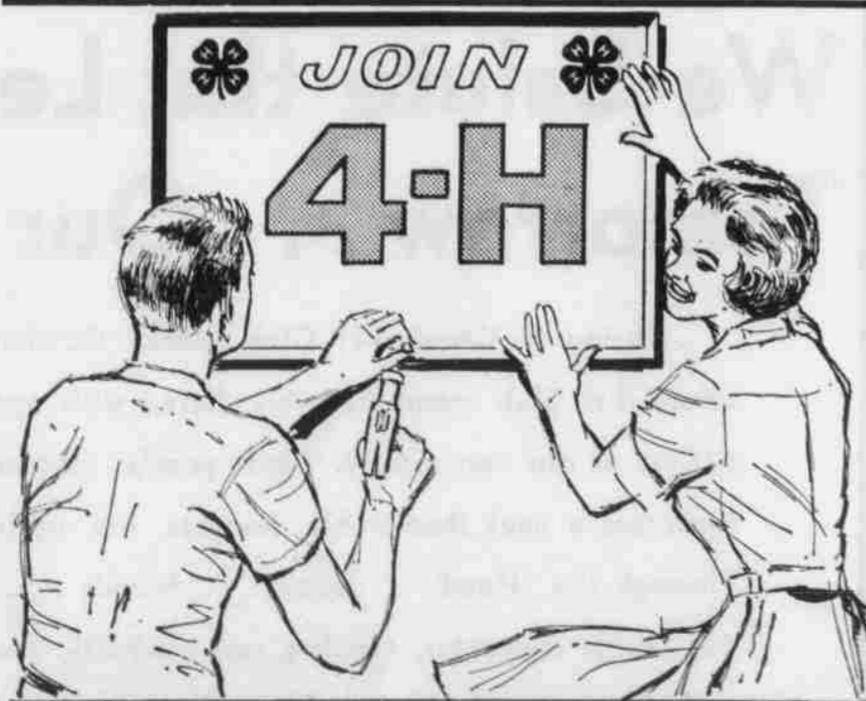
FOR GREATER LOYALTY TO THE U. S. AND THE AMERICAN WAY OF LIFE.

HANDS

FOR THE NECESSARY SKILL TO MEET THE TASKS THAT ARE IN THE FUTURE.

HEALTH

FOR BETTER LIVING AND GREATER SERVICE.



In Line with This Year's 4-H Week Theme — "Expand 4-H" — We Urge All Youngsters to Join This Fine Movement.

There Is A Place For You!

Call Your County Extension Office—676-9642

Columbia Basin

ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE

"Serving Morrow, Wheeler & Gilliam Counties"



10 4-H GUIDE POSTS

1. DEVELOPING TALENTS FOR GREATER USEFULNESS.
2. JOINING WITH FRIENDS FOR WORK, FUN AND FELLOWSHIP.
3. LEARNING TO LIVE IN A CHANGING WORLD.
4. CHOOSING A WAY TO EARN A LIVING.
5. PRODUCING FOOD AND FIBRE FOR HOME AND MARKET.
6. CREATING BETTER HOMES FOR BETTER LIVING.
7. CONSERVING NATURE'S RESOURCES FOR SECURITY AND HAPPINESS.
8. BUILDING HEALTH FOR A STRONG AMERICA.
9. SHARING RESPONSIBILITY FOR COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT.
10. SERVING AS CITIZENS IN MAINTAINING WORLD PEACE.