

Haywood Only County In Southeast With 4-H Club Exchange Program

Project Initiated In 1949

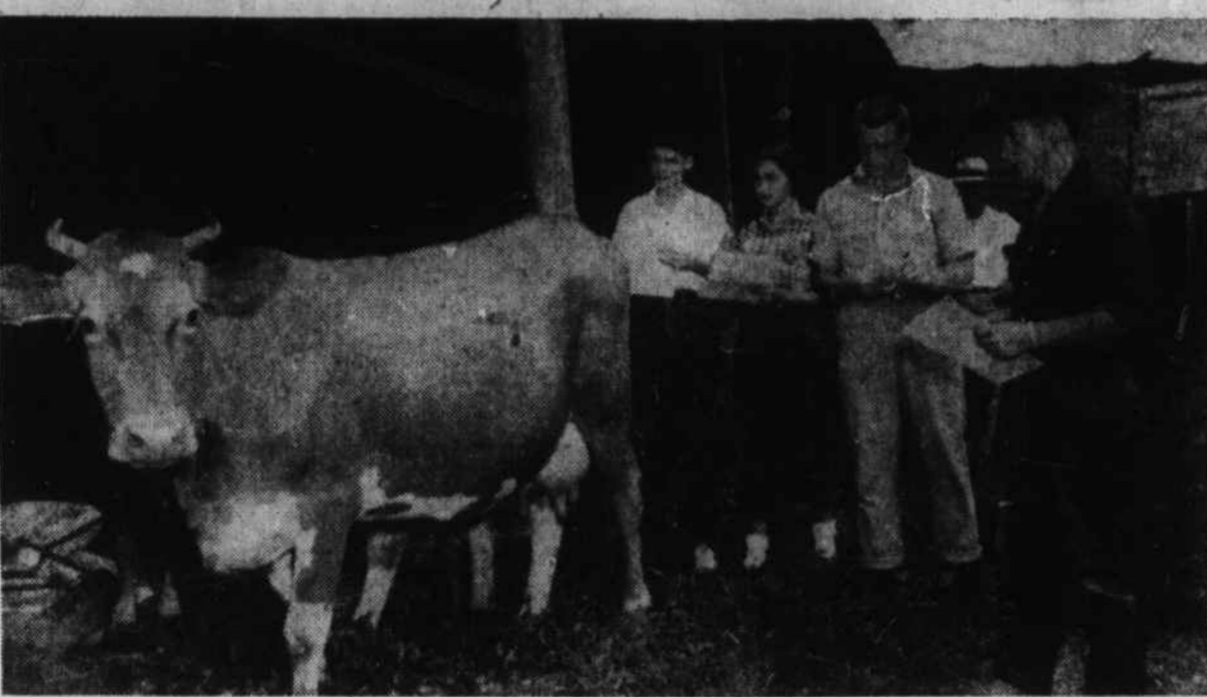
BY BOB CONWAY

Haywood County 4-H Clubs are the only ones in the entire Southeast carrying on of an exchange program with clubs in other states—a project which has been a highlight of the 4-H program since 1949.

Haywood County is one of the few counties in the entire Southeast to maintain such a program of exchange visits.

In the past six summers, county members have visited with clubs in Iowa; Denton County, Texas; Berkshire County, Massachusetts; and Weid County, Ohio; and have played host to members of three groups.

Each year when Haywood County 4-H ambassadors have returned, the exchange program has been the first for their



4-H CLUB DAIRY CATTLE JUDGES in action Thursday afternoon at the annual Western North Carolina district contest on the Osborne Farm on N. C. 110 were (left to right) Charles Taylor of Transylvania County, Peggy Ann Carroll of Valley Springs in Buncombe County, who was high scorer in the contest, and two members of Haywood County's victorious team: Tom Garrett of Saunook and George Kirkpatrick of Crabtree-Iron Duff. Haywood's four-man judging team nosed out Buncombe County by four points to take district honors. (Mountaineer photo).

people and the Coloradoans showed just how successful our visit was." Miss Jean Childers, assistant to the county agent, said: "Some of the differences between farms and home life in North Carolina and Colorado, noticed by the Tar Heels, were:

The complete cowboy outfits worn by many of the men and boys; hard rolls of light bread eaten in the homes instead of cornbread or biscuits so familiar in these mountains; irrigation which must be used on all crops in Colorado; the flat land and intense heat of that part of the country; the comparative absence of fried foods, and the Republican leanings in politics.

Major crops of Weld County, the Haywood group learned, are sugar beets, truck crops, beef cattle, corn, wheat, potatoes (usually referred to as "spuds" there), cantaloupes, and watermelons.

Like other Western states, Weld County also has its oil wells and some recently discovered deposits of uranium.

Although Colorado's snow-capped mountain peaks are visible from Greeley (the county seat of Weld County), the 4-H members had to travel 100 miles to reach the Rocky Mountain National Park.

The Carolinas praised the beauty of the towering spruce and pine trees in the Rockies, the variety of wild flowers, and the impressiveness of the snow fields in the high elevations.

Even for youngsters used to being in the Great Smoky and Blue Ridge mountains, the Haywood countians found their ears stopping up and had some trouble breathing while in Trail Ridge at an altitude of 12,183 feet.

While on the trip some of the Haywood folk met one of President Eisenhower's close friends—Governor Dan Thornton of Colorado.

From all reports, the Carolinians were as much impressed by the Western hospitality as anything. "Their hearts are as big as their plains," one boy remarked. The hosts also had a kind word

Pvt. Clyde Lambert Returns From Germany

Pvt. and Mrs. Clyde Lambert and young son, Gary, are visiting Mrs. Lambert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Frank Davis, in Hazelwood.

Pvt. Lambert has just returned from duty in Germany. Following a 30-day furlough, he will report to Fort Riley, Kansas, where Mrs. Lambert and their son will join him.

for the Haywood 4-Hers, terming them a very well-behaved group. Similar praise came from the managers of hotels and restaurants along the route.

Miss Childers summed up her opinion of the tour participants this way: "They were so congenial and a real pleasure to be with."

Although it'll be another year yet before the Coloradoans come to Haywood County for a visit, the young people here are already anticipating a reunion with their new Western friends.

Haywood Wins 4-H Dairy Meet

Haywood County's 4-H Club dairy-judging team, competing together for the first time, took top honors in the Western North Carolina district contest here Thursday.

The Haywood team composed of Arnold Phillips of White Oak, Tom Garrett of Saunook, George Kirkpatrick of Crabtree-Iron Duff, and Tommy Davis of White Oak won the contest with 1,498 out of a possible 1,800 points. Buncombe County was second with 1,494 points.

Phillips scored 519 points out of a possible 600, Garrett had 490, Kirkpatrick 489, and Davis 457. Coach of the Haywood team is Cecil Brown, assistant home agent.

The top individual scorer in the contest was a girl—Peggy Ann Carroll, who amassed 532 points for Buncombe County.

Also participating were teams from Transylvania, Macon and Henderson counties. First and second-place teams will compete in the state finals at Raleigh July 25.

Prizes to be used in defraying the expenses of the Raleigh trip were awarded by the dairy commission of the Asheville Agricultural Development Council, Inc.

J. D. George, dairy specialist of the State College Extension service, was in charge of the program, assisted by T. C. Blalock and T. R. Farnham, other dairy specialists.

A. W. Nesbitt, Fairview dairy-



NOW IT'S OFFICIAL, as Alston Broom, right, pins the district governor's pin on the lapel of Lawrence Leatherwood, new district governor of 31-A, Lions International. The installation program was held at the WTHS Cafeteria Thursday night with about 350 attending. (Mountaineer photo).

West Pigeon CDP To Hear Talk By Reed

By MRS. CLIFTON TERRELL, Community Reporter

The West Pigeon Community Development Program will meet Thursday night, July 21, at 8 p.m. in the Bethel School cafeteria.

Mr. Lymon Reed, who has recently returned from a tour of Europe, will make a report of his tour.

Pfc. Edwin Mann and Pfc. Troy Hargrove of the U. S. Army spent the weekend with their parents, Mrs. Corwin Mann and Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Hargrove.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Lazenboy of Shawnee, Okla., are spending two weeks with Mrs. Lazenboy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Terrell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Terrell had as their dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Lazenboy of Shawnee, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Masters of Asheville, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Maney and daughters of West Asheville, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Terrell and sons and Miss Rheta York of West Pigeon.

and music committees in charge.

August 16 — Underprivileged children's committee, A. D. Harrison.

August 22 — "The American Way," Dr. Wilson Nance.

August 30—Support of churches committee, R. N. Johnson.

September 6—Club rally and picnic, Ed Aiken.

September 13—Boys and girls work committee, J. M. Carver.

September 20—Key Club committee, Homer Justice in charge.

September 27—Inter-club relations committee in charge.

Kiwanis Club Announces Third-Quarter Programs

Kiwanis Club programs for the remainder of July, August, and September were announced today by Erlos Boyd, chairman of the program and music committee. They are:

July 19—Employee-employer relations, public relations committee, Ray Pleiness.

July 26—Panel discussion, public and business affairs committee, Charles Edwards.

August 2—Wildlife conservation, Boy Scout committee, Joe Todd.

August 9 — "Florida Night," inter-club relations and program

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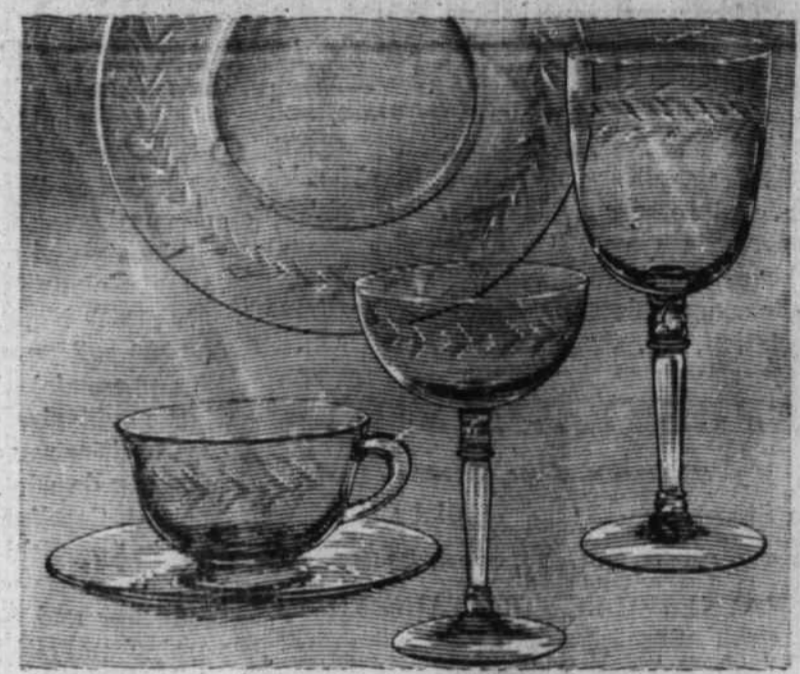
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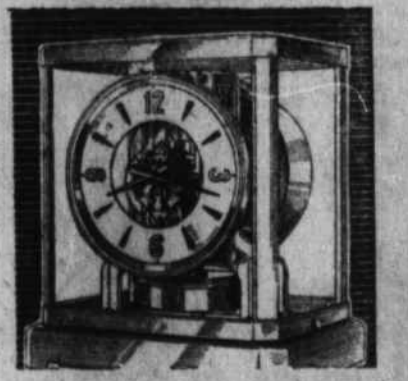


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