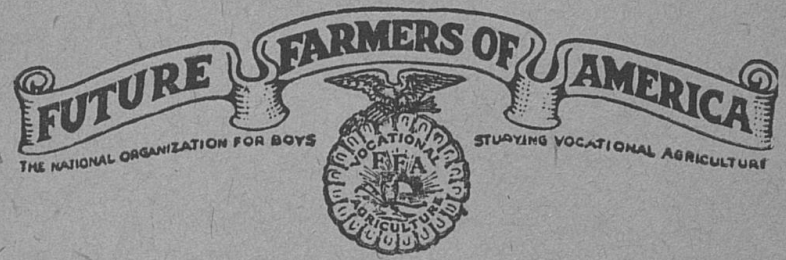


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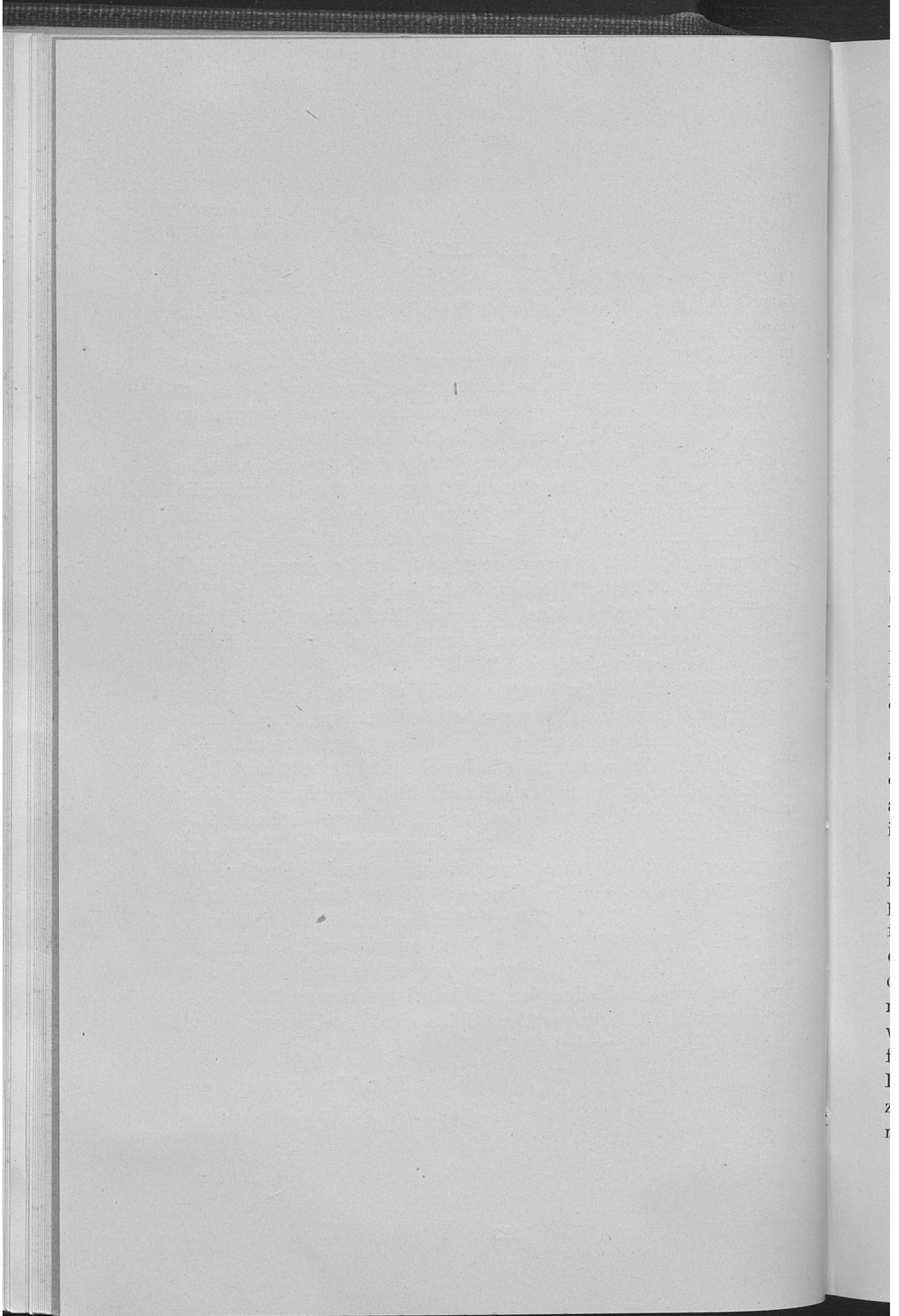
FOREWORD

The Future Farmers of America is a national organization of farm boys studying vocational agriculture in the high schools of the country. Every state has an affiliated State Association and Hawaii and Puerto Rico have active associations. This organization plays an integral part in the training of the future farmers of the nation and through its leadership training program is very helpful in training the much needed rural leadership to man the farming industry of the nation. The Future Farmers of America creed is challenging evidence of the aims and purposes of this worthwhile youth organization and gives convincing evidence of the determination of its membership. "I believe in the future of farming" "I believe that to live and work on a good farm is pleasant as well as challenging. . . ." "I believe that rural America can and will hold true to the best traditions in our national life and that I can exert an influence in my home and community which will stand solid for my part in that inspiring task."

This bulletin sets forth many of the activities composing the leadership and recreational program of the Kentucky Association of the Future Farmers of America. It gives an interesting and challenging picture of the program of education which these farm boys are receiving and indicates beyond doubt that it makes their high school program much more interesting and valuable to them. The editing and arrangement of this bulletin was done by Mr. W. C. Montgomery, assistant supervisor of agricultural education in the State Department of Education, and Mr. Lee Harris, assistant in vocational education in the College of Education at the University of Kentucky. This bulletin should be of especial value to teachers of agriculture, Future Farmer groups and others interested in this program of vocational education. I heartily recommend this bulletin for the careful consideration of the school leaders and all of the citizens of the Commonwealth.

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PREFACE

It has long been accepted as a natural process in a democracy for people to work through an organization. It is easy to understand why persons with common interests, whether youth or adult, should be interested in being a member of an organization which they guide and direct, and through which they may work. American farm youth living in rural communities throughout the country have common interests, surroundings, and in many cases, their objectives in life are quite similar. It is a natural, therefore, to have an organization of farm boys such as the national organization known as the Future Farmers of America.

The national organization was chartered and began its first activities in 1928. Just two years later the Kentucky Association received its charter. It has been in active operation since that time. The program of the Kentucky Association has always been built around worthwhile leadership training and recreational activities. The activities of the association add much to the interest of the boys in their formal course in vocational agriculture in high school. Through the state association and through their local chapters, Kentucky farm boys learn to speak, to provide over meetings, to participate in worthwhile community service activities and to encourage increased efficiency in farming, both on their home farms and on other farms in their community.

The Division of Vocational Education, through its field staff and its teacher training staff, has worked through the years to increase the efficiency of the total program of instruction in vocational agriculture in Kentucky. Future Farmer work has been given an important place in this program.

The contents of this bulletin should serve to acquaint Kentuckians in all walks of life with the objectives of the Future Farmer program. It should also serve to cause persons interested in the farm youth of the state to lend their support to the worthwhile educational program being operated for the members of the State Association of Future Farmers. Kentucky's youth is its greatest natural resource and the training they receive as they develop into adults will have more to do with the future of Kentucky than any other force. The program of vocational agriculture and the Future Farmers of America will do much to help develop the kind of citizens to live in rural areas which the Kentucky of the future so sorely needs.

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State Director of Vocational Education

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Front Row, Left to Right: James Wilson, Meade County Chapter, Secretary; Gerald Penick, Dry Ridge Chapter, President; Richard Applegate, Fleming County Chapter, Treasurer; Back Row: Gene Crowley, Hanson Chapter, Reporter; Wallace Morris, Hawesville Chapter, Vice-President.

ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The executive committee of the Agriculture Teachers Association, composed of the chairmen of the nine district organizations, is the advisory committee to the Kentucky Association of Future Farmers of America. The members of the advisory committee for the year 1947-48 and the districts they represent follow:

Lester Goheen, Reidland	Purchase
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FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA CREED

I believe in the future of farming, with a faith born not of words but of deeds—achievements won by the present and past generations of farmers; in the promise of better days through better ways, even as the better things we now enjoy have come up to us from the struggle of former years.

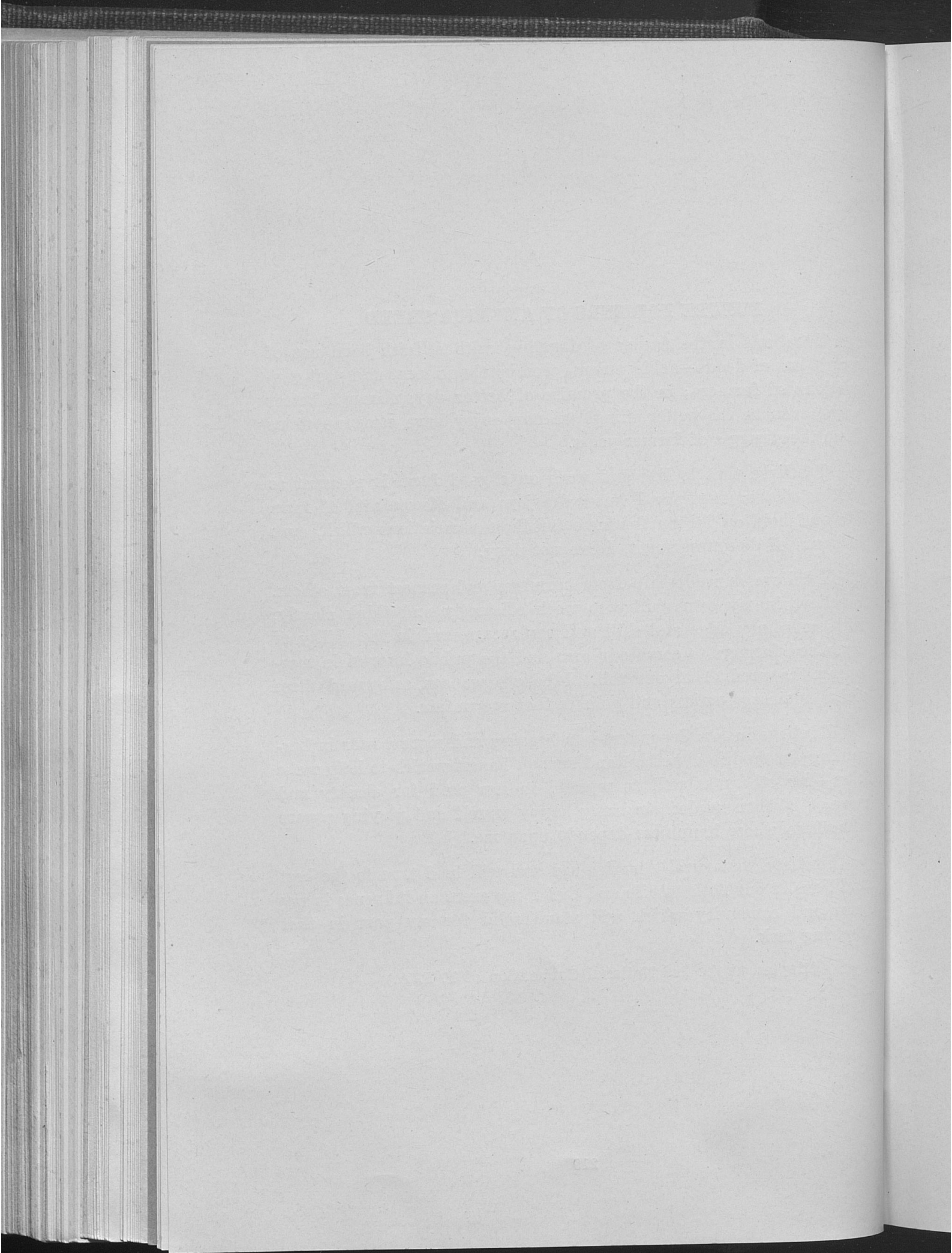
I believe that to live and work on a good farm is pleasant as well as challenging; for I know the joys and discomforts of farm life and hold an inborn fondness for those associations which, even in hours of discouragement, I can not deny.

I believe in leadership from ourselves and respect from others. I believe in my own ability to work efficiently and think clearly, with such knowledge and skill as I can secure, and in the ability of organized farmers to serve our own and the public interest in marketing the product of our toil. I believe we can safeguard those rights against practices and policies that are unfair.

I believe in less dependence on begging and more power in bargaining; in the life abundant and enough honest wealth to help make it so—for others as well as myself; in less need for charity and more of it when needed; in being happy myself and playing square with those whose happiness depends upon me.

I believe that rural America can and will hold true to the best traditions in our national life and that I can exert an influence in my home and community which will stand solid for my part in that inspiring task.

(Adopted at the 3rd National Convention of F. F. A.)



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REQUIREMENTS FOR STANDARD CHAPTERS

Minimum qualifications for Standard Chapters as approved by the State Executive Committee follow:

1. Chapter officers must have been elected by June 30. Officers take office when school starts.
2. The chapter must have a functioning committee organization.
3. A challenging program of activities must have been set up early in the school year and one copy of the program submitted to the executive secretary of the Kentucky Association of F. F. A. by *February 1, 1948*.
4. Chapter officers must attend District Leadership Training School.
5. Chapter must participate in District F. F. A. Day.
6. Chapter must send delegates to the Kentucky F. F. A. convention, starting in 1947.
7. Provide official pins for Green Hands and Chapter Farmers.
8. Use official secretary and treasurer books.
9. Pay state and national dues by *January 1, 1948*.
10. Hold Father and Son Banquet, or a get-together meeting, of Future Farmers and parents during the year.
11. Participate in one or more of the following District or State contests:
 - a. State Fair Judging Contest
 - b. County or District Fair
 - c. Kentucky F. F. A. Sheep Shearing Contest
 - d. Evansville, Louisville or Bluegrass Fat Lamb Shows and Sales
 - e. Owensboro Tobacco Show and Sale
 - f. Bourbon Stock Yards Fat Cattle Show
 - g. State F. F. A. Camp
12. Own one or more shares in the Kentucky F. F. A. Cooperative, Inc.
13. Chapter must participate in one or more groups of cooperative activities.
14. Chapter must sponsor one or more community service activities.
15. One hundred per cent of members must have access to official manuals.
16. Hold a minimum of one chapter meeting per month with a planned program.

STATE PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES 1947-1948

I. Membership

1. Have an active F. F. A. Chapter in each department of vocational agriculture in Kentucky.
2. Get each chapter to pay State and National dues by January 1, 1948.
3. Have at least 3 per cent of the total state membership meet qualifications and file applications for the Kentucky State Farmer Degree and provide official State Farmer Charms. Executive committee select the best qualified candidates by June 1, 1948.
4. Have at least 5 per cent of qualified Kentucky Farmers apply for American Farmer Degree. Select the best qualified applicants by April 1, 1948, and send successful candidates to National F. F. A. Convention.
5. Local chapter retain 75 per cent of graduated members for three years after graduation.
6. 100 per cent membership in F. F. A. of boys enrolled in all-day classes.
7. Recognize standard chapter by awarding certificates to those chapters meeting qualifications of a standard chapter for the first time and seals for each year thereafter in which the requirements have been met.
8. Permit former members who were induced into the armed forces to be reinstated in vocational agriculture and encourage these members to become candidates for the next degree.

II. Supervised Farming

1. Select the Star Kentucky Farmer at the 1948 state convention.
2. Hold district and state farming achievement contests in beef cattle, dairy, hogs, poultry, sheep, corn, tobacco, hay crops, farm shop, pasture improvement and home improvement. Add other enterprises if possible. Secure suitable district and state awards.
3. Hold district and state livestock cooperative contests and secure suitable state awards.
4. Secure greater participation by chapters in making use of the facilities of the Kentucky Future Farmers Cooperative

in purchasing such things as beef cattle, sheep, dairy cattle, hybrid seed corn, phenothiazine and D. D. T.

5. Secure greater participation in, and secure suitable awards for, the following shows and sales: Louisville Fat Cattle Show and Sale, Tri-State Fat Lamb Show and Sale, Bluegrass Fat Lamb Show and Sale, Louisville Fat Lamb Show and Sale, and the Green River Tobacco Show and Sale.
6. Encourage a greater number of chapters to participate in Department Z of the Kentucky State Fair.
7. Hold State Livestock Judging Contests at the 1948 Kentucky State Fair in general livestock, dairy cattle, and poultry and secure suitable awards. Have each winning team represent the association in the National Judging Contests.
8. Select outstanding District Farmer in each district from the Kentucky Farmer applications.
9. Support and secure greater participation in the State F. F. A. Sheep Shearing Contest.
10. Secure sponsorship and add to program of activities a *general farm improvement* achievement contest.

III. Cooperation

1. Encourage chapter membership in county Farm Bureaus.
2. Have a representative on the Kentucky Farm Bureau Federation Board of Directors.
3. Provide ushers for the state Farm Bureau Convention.
4. Cooperate with the national organization and other state associations in promoting F. F. A. activities.
5. Cooperate with other agencies and organizations for the betterment of agriculture and farm life.
6. Encourage all local chapters to become members of the Kentucky Future Farmers Cooperative, Inc., and to use its services whenever possible.
7. Present gavels to state farm organizations promoting better farming.
8. Have a representative of the state association on the board of directors of the Kentucky Purebred Livestock Association.

IV. Community Service

1. Hold district and state Community Dairy Improvement Contests, and secure suitable awards for the winners.

2. Hold state Farm Fire Prevention contests, and secure suitable awards.
3. Cooperate with Junior Sportsmans' Clubs in local schools whenever possible.
4. Assist local farmers in the repair and construction of farm machinery.
5. Aid returning service men in obtaining information about Veterans Farm Training Program.
6. Promote the community cannery program.
7. Encourage greater use of the government tobacco stripping and grading demonstration service by chapters.
8. Encourage community service activity in the local chapter such as:

Soil testing
Butterfat testing
Poultry culling
Pest extermination

V. Leadership

1. Hold district and state public speaking contests, secure suitable awards, and provide a state medal for the state winner.
2. Send the winner of the State Public Speaking Contest to the Regional Contest.
3. Hold district and state Impromptu Speaking Contests, secure suitable awards, and provide a state award medal for the state winner.
4. Use good parliamentary procedure in all state meetings.
5. Set up state program of activities by the committee organization method, and have three or more Future Farmers and two advisers on each section of the program.
6. Have district federation officers elected in each of the nine District Federations; officers appoint committees at the officers training school; committees plan program of activities for the Federation, and one adviser be appointed on each committee.
7. Encourage the District Federations to hold leadership-training schools early in the school year.
8. Make leadership training a definite part of the state camp program.
9. Hold district F. F. A. Days in each of the districts in the spring of 1948.
10. Require local chapters to submit their program of activities to the state association before February 1, 1948, and ac-

accomplishments on activities be submitted not later than two (2) weeks before state conventions.

VI. Earnings and Savings

1. Make annual budget for the association at the 1948 state meeting.
2. Audit the treasurer's books at the end of the year.
3. Hold district and state Chapter Treasurer's Book Contest, and provide a suitable award for the state winner.
4. Pay national dues by May 1, 1948.

VII. Conduct of Meetings

1. Hold regular state convention in August, 1948.
2. Send two voting delegates to the National F. F. A. Convention.
3. Hold district and state Chapter Meeting Contests, and provide suitable awards.
4. Hold district and state chapter Secretary's Book Contest, and provide a suitable award for the winner of the state contest.
5. Provide special training for state and district officers.
6. Have community singing at the opening of all state meeting sessions.
7. Open each state meeting with invocation.

VIII. Scholarship

Require Kentucky Farmer Degree candidates to have a scholastic standing above the lower quartile of their high school class.

IX. Recreation

1. Maintain and improve the state camp.
2. Secure more athletic equipment for the camp.
3. Hold district and state chapter music contests, and provide a suitable award for the state winner.
4. Hold district and state individual music contests in piano, vocal solo, novelty instrument, and orchestral instrument, and provide state award medals for the state winners.
5. Sponsor a state F. F. A. band.
6. Encourage chapters to participate in the National F. F. A. Day Program.
7. Provide an entertainment program each day of the state convention.

X. Information

1. Provide funds for keeping a state association scrapbook.
2. Provide funds for taking pictures of state and local activities.
3. Publish a state newsletter two or more times during the year.
4. Hold district and state newsletter contests, and provide a suitable award for the state winner.
5. Hold district and state chapter scrapbook contests, and provide a suitable award for the state winner.
6. Work out a standard sign for use by local chapters.
7. Put on district and state radio programs.
8. Urge each chapter to prepare its chapter history.
9. State association have a suitable display at the state convention and state fair explaining Future Farmer activities.
10. Urge chapter reporters to send clippings or news items to state office each month.
11. State office send out F. F. A. news stories to county papers.
12. Recommend that pictures of state officers be sent to local newspapers throughout the state.

GENERAL RULES GOVERNING ACTIVITIES

All Activities

1. Participation in a Future Farmer activity is limited to members, in good standing, of chapters affiliated with the Kentucky Association of Future Farmers of America.
2. An active member of the F. F. A. shall be considered in good standing when:
 - a. He attends local chapter meetings with reasonable regularity.
 - b. He shows an interest in, and takes part in, the affairs of his chapter.
 - c. He pays his dues regularly.
3. Local advisers are responsible for the eligibility of all entries from their chapters, and must be ready to certify to the eligibility of a contestant when called on. An entry made by a local adviser in a Future Farmer activity is considered evidence that he is willing to certify to the eligibility of the entry.
4. Future Farmers participating in F. F. A. activities should have their official F. F. A. membership cards with them and be ready to present them if asked to do so.

State Meeting Contests

1. Participation is limited to Future Farmers who are regularly enrolled high-school students of vocational agriculture, unless specified otherwise in the rules governing certain contests. Future Farmers who graduate from high school in the spring are eligible to compete in the state meeting contests held that summer. A member is eligible for certain contests if he retains active membership for three years after graduation, or until he may become 21 years of age, whichever length of time is greater. No member may retain active membership beyond his 25th birthday.
2. A Future Farmer who has previously won a state contest is thereafter ineligible to participate in that same contest. This rule shall not apply to teams or members thereof.
3. Only winners of district elimination contests are eligible to participate in state contests. Should circumstances prevent the first-place winner of a district contest from participating in the state contest, the second-place winner becomes eligible to represent the district in that contest.

4. All contestants shall comply with the rules governing that contest.
5. Unless otherwise provided for, only first-place winners shall be judged.
6. The executive committee of the Kentucky Association of Teachers of Vocational Agriculture shall be responsible for securing competent and impartial judges for all state contests.

District Contests

1. District elimination contests shall be held in connection with the district F. F. A. Day.
2. Entries in district contests shall be made by the advisers of local chapters.
3. A chapter may make entries only in the district in which it is located. Districts for Future Farmers contests shall be the same as for the Kentucky Association of Teachers of Vocational Agriculture.
4. A chapter is limited to one entry in each elimination contest.
5. Eligibility requirements in district contest shall be the same as for the final state contest.
6. Unless otherwise provided for, first-, second- and third-place winners will be judged in district contests.
7. The activities committee, or field day committee, of the district teachers association shall be responsible for securing competent and impartial judges for all district contests.

These rules and the rules pertaining to specific contests shall not be altered, modified, or set aside in district or state contests. The executive committee of the Kentucky Association of F. F. A. has sole power of changing or setting up rules governing F. F. A. contests. Rules or changes must be approved by the executive committee of the Kentucky Association of Teachers of Vocational Agriculture.

THE STAR KENTUCKY FARMER

The most outstanding Kentucky Farmer candidate each year is designated as the *Star Kentucky Farmer*, and receives the Star Farmer award.



Eddie Mylor, Star Kentucky Farmer for 1947, receiving a 17-jewel wrist watch from Mrs. Samuel Guard of the Kentucky Farmers Home Journal.

This award is designed to give recognition to all of the boys who qualify for the Kentucky Farmer degree, as well as to the most outstanding member of this group. It is expected, also, that the award will encourage the Future Farmers in Kentucky to further improve their supervised farming programs.

Selection of the Star Kentucky Farmer will be made from the group of boys receiving the Kentucky Farmer degree that year, and will be based on the following criteria:

1. Supervised farming program:
 - a. Present.
 - b. Past.
2. Labor earnings from supervised farming.
3. Investment in farming and net worth.
4. Leadership and cooperative activities.
5. Participation in other F. F. A. activities.

In 1943, the Kentucky Farmers Home Journal, Louisville, awarded an attractive wrist watch to the Star Kentucky Farmer, and in the future, this farm magazine will provide a suitable award to the individual selected for this honor. Winners to date follow:

- 1942—Calvert Kelsey—Stamping Ground
- 1943—Charles V. Bean—Bardstown
- 1944—William Vallandingham—Sadieville
- 1945—John Roderer—Jeffersontown
- 1946—Joe D. Whittington—Bloomfield
- 1947—Eddie Mylor—Gallatin County

PUBLIC SPEAKING CONTEST

The Kentucky F. F. A. Public Speaking Contest is sponsored by the Courier-Journal and Louisville Times. Probably no activity has a more important place in leadership training than public speaking and training for public speaking. Every chapter should have a representative.



Jimmie Don Threlkeld, winner of the State Public Speaking Contest for 1947.

GENERAL PLAN

The public speaking contest is designed to help train and develop Kentucky farm boys for rural and agricultural leadership. The general plan for the contest is adapted from the rules of the National F. F. A. Public Speaking Contest. The winner of the state contest will represent Kentucky in the regional contest. Preliminary contests will be held in local chapters and in each of the nine districts in Kentucky.

RULES

1. The speech of each contestant is to be the result of his own efforts. Training in both composition and delivery is limited to the facilities and faculty of the school from which the contestant comes. Facts and working data may be secured from any source.
2. Contestants may choose their own subjects for their speeches. Any current subject of an agricultural character and of general interest to the public will be acceptable.
3. Each speech shall be limited to 10 minutes, and 5 minutes additional time will be allowed each contestant in which to defend his production on questions which shall be asked by the judges.
4. The speeches shall be judged by three persons, who represent as far as possible, the fields of agriculture, business and education.
5. Each contestant shall submit to the person in charge at the time of the contest three typewritten copies of his speech to be used by the judges. The same procedure will be followed in the state contest.
6. Contestants shall draw for order of speaking. Each contestant shall be introduced by the chairman.
7. A timekeeper will record the overtime, if any. Deductions will be made as provided by the score sheet. The timekeeper will stand when a speaker's 10 minutes is up.
8. The judges will be expected to select the winner of the contest using the official score sheet only to supplement their combined opinion.
9. The winner of the state contest will represent Kentucky in the regional contest.

AWARDS

Cash prizes amounting to \$130 will be awarded in district and state contests by The Courier-Journal and Louisville Times. A grand prize of \$50 will be awarded the winner of the state contest. A district prize of \$10 will be awarded the winner of the first place in each district except the district represented by the winner of the state contest.

In addition to the cash prizes, the official F. F. A. speaker's medal will be awarded each district winner, by the Kentucky Association of Future Farmers of America.

The winner of the state contest will represent Kentucky in the Central Regional Contest, and will receive an award of \$50 from The Courier-Journal and Louisville Times.

SPECIAL AWARD

The Future Farmer Foundation, Inc., will give \$100 to the winner of the state contest.

NATIONAL AWARDS

Medals and certificates will be awarded to the contestants by the National Organization of Future Farmers of America. The Future Farmers Foundation, Inc., will give cash prizes as follows:

1st place	\$250.00
2nd place	225.00
3rd place	200.00
4th place	175.00
5th place*	150.00

* Offered only in case Hawaii or Puerto Rico participate.

KENTUCKY F. F. A. PUBLIC SPEAKING CONTEST

Judges' Score Sheet

Items to be Scored	Points Allowed	Points Awarded Contestants											
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1. Voice	10												
2. Stage presence	10												
3. Power of expression	20												
4. Content of speech	20												
5. Composition of speech	10												
6. General effect	10												
7. Response to questions	20												
Less overtime deductions for each minute, 2 points													
Total Scores	100												

Explanation of Score-Sheet Points

1. **Voice** includes:
 - Quality
 - Pitch
 - Force
 - Pronunciation
2. **Stage presence**, includes:
 - Personal appearance
 - Poise and body posture
 - Attitude
 - Confidence
 - Personality
 - Ease before audience
3. **Power of expression**, includes:
 - Fluency
 - Emphasis
 - Directness
 - Sincerity
 - Communicativeness
 - Conveyance of thought and meaning
4. **Content of speech**, includes:
 - Importance and appropriateness of the subject
 - Suitability of material used
5. **Composition of speech**, includes:
 - Accuracy of statements made
 - Evidence of purpose
 - Organization of the content
 - Unity of thought
 - Logical development
 - Language
 - Accomplishment of purpose
6. **General effect**, includes:
 - Extent to which the speech was interesting, understandable, convincing, pleasing, and held attention.
7. **Response to question**, includes:
 - Ability to satisfactorily answer the questions on the speech which are asked by the judges, indicating originality, familiarity with subject, and ability to think quickly.

IMPROMPTU SPEAKING CONTEST

The Impromptu Speaking Contest is sponsored by the Dairy Products Association of Kentucky. It is one of the features of the activity and leadership training program. Attractive district and state prizes are provided by the sponsor. Subjects since the beginning of the contest follow:

- 1937—The Place of Dairying in Kentucky's Planned Agriculture
- 1938—The Importance of Quality in Dairy Products
- 1939—Profitable Dairying Through Efficient Feeding
- 1940—Greater Profits Through Selection and Breeding
- 1941—The Importance of Quality Dairy Products to National Defense
- 1942—Dairy Products for a World at War
- 1943—More Milk and Cream per Farm, per Cow, per Man
- 1944—Increasing Dairy Production Through the Small Herd
- 1945—Efficiency Pays in Dairying
- 1946—Dairying in Kentucky's Post-War Agriculture
- 1947—The Place of Dairying in the Farming Program
- 1948—(To be selected)

RULES

1. Approximately 30 minutes before the contest is to start, all contestants shall assemble in a room, preferably adjacent to the stage or scene of the contest. A referee shall supervise the drawing of subjects and shall notify contestants when they are to speak. Contestants shall draw for order of appearance. After order of appearance is determined, Speaker Number One shall draw his subject from a hat 20 minutes before he is to speak. Six minutes later, speaker number two will draw his subject, and so on until all speakers have drawn subjects.
2. Each speaker shall be limited to 6 minutes.
3. A score sheet (herewith presented) shall be used by judges, seated apart in the room.
4. Each local chapter should provide for a local contest. Teachers are urged to have local persons interested in dairying offer local prizes when possible.
5. Judges for the chapter contest shall be selected by the local high school faculty. (It is suggested that at least one of the judges be a dairyman or a person well informed on dairy problems.)
6. Local contests shall be held in time to send the winner to the district contest. (Date of district contest to be announced by district chairman.)

7. Three judges for each district, one to be designated as chairman, are to be selected by the executive committee of the Kentucky Association of Teachers of Vocational Agriculture.
8. The state contest shall be held at the time of the state convention of Future Farmers of America.
9. Three judges shall be selected by the Contest Committee of the Dairy Products Association of Kentucky to judge the state contest.
10. A contestant shall not be eligible to represent his school in both the impromptu and public speaking contests.

AWARDS

Cash prizes amounting to \$130 will be awarded in district and state contests. A district prize of \$10 will be awarded the winner of each district contest except the district represented by the winner of the state contest. State prizes will be awarded the winners as follows: First prize \$35, Second prize \$10, Third prize \$5. Representatives of the Dairy Products Association of Kentucky will be present at the state convention banquet to award the premium checks.

In addition to the cash prizes, the official F. F. A. bronze speaker's medal will be awarded each district winner by the Kentucky Association of Future Farmers of America.

Judge's Score Sheet

Items to be Scored	Points Allowed	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1. Content	25							
2. Composition	15							
3. Voice	15							
4. Stage presence	15							
5. Power of expression	15							
6. General effect	15							
Total Scores	100							

Explanation of Score Sheet Points

Voice, includes

- Quality
- Pitch
- Force
- Articulation
- Pronunciation

General effect, includes

Extent to which the speech was interesting, understandable, convincing, and pleasing, and to which it held attention

Stage presence, includes

- Personal appearance
- Poise and body posture
- Attitude
- Confidence
- Personality
- Ease before audience

Content of the speech, includes

- Suitability of the material used
- Accuracy of the statements included
- Evidence of purpose

Power of expression, includes

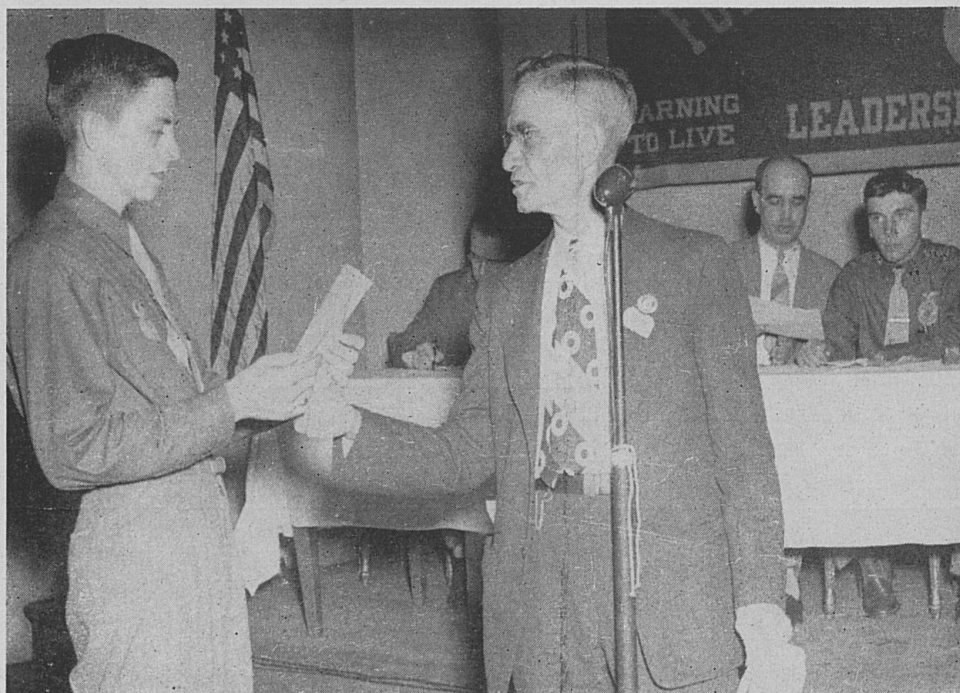
- Fluency
- Emphasis
- Directness
- Sincerity
- Communicativeness
- Conveyance of thought and meaning

Composition of the speech, includes

- Organization of the content
- Unity of thought
- Logical development
- Language
- Sentence structure
- Accomplishment of purpose, conclusions

NOTE: The subject and an analysis of the subject will be mailed teachers later in the year.

CHAPTER MEETING CONTEST



Billy T. Manley, of the Owingsville Chapter, receiving the 1947 State Award for the winning Owingsville Chapter Meeting team from Mr. R. H. Proctor of the Kentucky Farm Bureau Federation.

PURPOSES

The purposes of this contest are to encourage the effective use of the official ritual in opening and closing meetings and proficient participation in the conduct of the business of an organization. Rules for parliamentary procedure in democratic organizations have grown out of years of experience in the conduct of meetings and have two primary aims:

1. To facilitate the orderly transaction of the business of a meeting.
2. To insure arriving at the intelligent wish of the majority.

Demonstrated ability to open and close a chapter meeting and handle the ordinary business of a chapter meeting effectively will be the basis for judging this contest.

RULES

1. A team shall consist of a president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer, reporter, adviser, and not more than five other members.
2. The chapter officers will open the meeting by the use of the official ceremonies for opening a chapter meeting, handle such business as will demonstrate four or more abilities in parliamentary procedure, and close the meeting with the official closing ceremonies. (After the business has been transacted, the team should go directly into the closing ceremonies. A motion to adjourn is not necessary.) A team shall use not more than 12 minutes for the contest.
3. The secretary of the team shall submit his notes on the business proceedings in their original form to the judges, upon the conclusion of his team's participation.
4. One judge, who shall be designated as "participating judge" in the contest shall participate in the business proceedings of each team at least twice, but not more than four times. Business asked for or introduced by the participating judge shall be handled by the team in the same manner as if presented by a regular member of the team.
5. The teams shall be judged and ranked on the basis of points allowed on items in the accompanying score card.
6. Elimination contests shall be held in the state contest and may be held in district contests.

AWARDS

District and state chapter meeting awards (\$350.00) made possible by the Kentucky Farm Bureau Federation and the Farm Bureau Mutual Insurance Company.

District Awards

First	\$15
Second	\$10
Third	\$ 5

State Awards

First	\$25
Second	\$20
Third	\$15
Fourth	\$10
Fifth	\$10

JUDGES' SCORE SHEET

Chapter-Meeting Contest

Items to be Scored	Points Allowed
1. Opening and Closing Ceremonies	
a. Correctness of ritual used.....	10
b. General effect of the ceremonies.....	15
2. Business Transactions	
a. Chairman's presiding ability.....	10
b. Secretary's participating ability.....	10
c. Team's participating ability and versatility.....	20
d. Clarity of business transactions.....	10
e. Correctness of parliamentary transactions.....	10
f. Democracy and sincerity of proceedings.....	15
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Total score.....	100

COMMUNITY DAIRY IMPROVEMENT AWARDS

To encourage departments of vocational agriculture and Future Farmer chapters to develop programs of dairy improvement, the Dairy Products Association of Kentucky is awarding \$200 to the three Future Farmer chapters, which, together with their departments, have made the greatest achievement in dairy improvement in their community.

PURPOSES

The purposes of these awards are to encourage more boys and young men to get started in dairying, the use of better production and marketing practices, and the development of sound community dairy improvement programs by departments of vocational agriculture.

GENERAL PLAN

The state awards will be made at the State F. F. A. meeting, to the three F. F. A. Chapters representing their departments of vocational agriculture which have the most outstanding records of accomplishments for the year 1947-48. The contest will be on both a district and state basis, with the first-place winner in each of the nine districts advancing to the state contest.

AWARDS

Cash awards amounting to \$200 will be provided by the Dairy Products Association of Kentucky. The district prize money shall be used to purchase dairy breeding animals, to purchase dairy equipment for the F. F. A. chapter, or to promote dairying in the community. The state prize money shall be used in the purchase of dairy breeding animals.

To the first-place winner in each of 9 districts.....\$10
 To the three chapters ranking highest in the state
 contest:

First	\$50
Second	\$35
Third	\$25

RULES

1. Participating is limited to departments of vocational agriculture that have F. F. A. chapters in good standing in the Kentucky association.
2. The contest year shall be August 1, 1947, to July 31, 1948, for the state contest and accomplishments from August 1, 1947, up to the time of the district F. F. A. Day for the district contests.
3. Records of productive enterprise and improvement projects completed at any time during the contest year shall be included in the report.
4. A written record of the accomplishments of the department shall be the basis for judging the contest. The record shall be signed by the teacher of agriculture and the president of the local F. F. A. chapter, and shall be made up as follows:
 - a. **Narrative story** of what was achieved and how accomplished, including explanations. This story shall not exceed two double-spaced, typewritten pages.
 - b. **Record of accomplishments** completely and accurately filled out. (Form available from the Department of Agricultural Education, University of Kentucky.)
 - c. **Cover**—an attractive cover such as a “theme cover” may be used to bind the report. The front cover shall have the following title:

Community Dairy Improvement Awards

Sponsored by

Dairy Products Association of Kentucky

..... Chapter of F. F. A.
 Kentucky

5. The teacher of agriculture and a representative of the chapter (preferably the president) shall be present for personal interview in district and state contests.
6. Judging will be done by a committee of judges in district and state contests.

7. Judging will be to determine the most outstanding accomplishments in dairying by departments of vocational agriculture and its F. F. A. chapter. Judging shall include evaluation of the following:
 - a. Supervised farming in dairying of members of all-day and young farmer classes
 - (1) Productive enterprise projects
 - (2) Improvement projects
 - (3) Supplementary practice
 - b. Community dairy improvement
 - (1) Adult farmer classes
 - (2) Community services in dairying performed by the department
8. Chapters winning first, second, and third place awards in the state contest shall be ineligible to compete in the district and state contest the following year.

FARMING ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

ALL ENTERPRISES

The purpose of these awards is to encourage outstanding achievement in farming by giving recognition to Future Farmers who excel in proficiency in their supervised farming in the following enterprises:

Beef Cattle	Poultry	Hay Crops
Dairy	Sheep	Tobacco
Hogs	Corn	Farm Shop

GENERAL PLAN

Awards will be made on both a district and state basis to Future Farmers, who, in the opinion of the judges, have attained the most outstanding achievement in each of the above farming enterprises.

AWARDS

Cash awards totaling \$135 will be made to the highest ranking boys in Dairy, Poultry, Corn, Hay Crops, Tobacco, and Farm Shop as follows:

1. In each of the nine districts

First	\$ 5
Second	3
Third	2
2. In the state

First	\$15
Second	10
Third	8
Fourth	7
Fifth	5

Cash awards totaling \$600 in Beef Cattle, Hogs and Sheep, to be used toward the purchase of approved breeding stock, will be made as follows:

BEEF CATTLE AND SHEEP

1. In each of eight districts	
First	\$10
2. In the state	
First	\$45
Second	25

HOGS

1. In each of the nine districts	
First	\$25
2. In the state	
First	\$50
Second	25

DONORS OF AWARDS

The following firms have made the awards possible:

Beef Cattle

L. & N. Railroad, Louisville, Kentucky.....	\$150
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Dairy

The Great A. & P. Tea Company, New York, N. Y.....	\$135
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Hogs

Sears, Roebuck Foundation, Chicago, Ill.....	\$300
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Poultry

Kroger Grocery & Baking Company, Cincinnati, Ohio.....	\$135
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Sheep

L. & N. Railroad, Louisville, Kentucky.....	\$150
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Corn

Ross Seed Company, Louisville, Kentucky.....	\$135
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Hay Crops

The Kentucky Stone Company, Louisville, Kentucky.....	\$135
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Tobacco

Brown and Williamson Tobacco Corp., Louisville, Kentucky.....	\$135
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Farm Shop

Belknap Hardware and Mfg. Co., Louisville, Kentucky.....	\$135
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RULES

1. Participation is limited to Kentucky Future Farmers in good standing, who are regularly enrolled in all-day classes of vocational agriculture or who have been out of school less than three years.
2. To be eligible to compete for awards in an enterprise, the Future Farmer must be conducting that enterprise as a part of his supervised farming program.

3. An F. F. A. chapter may enter only one boy in each of the 9 enterprises. A boy may represent his chapter in not more than two enterprises.
4. Judging will be done by a committee of judges at the district field days and the state meeting. A written record of the project and a personal interview with the boy will constitute the basis for judging.
5. The written record of the project shall be signed by the boy, one of his parents or his landlord, and his teacher of agriculture. The record shall be made up as follows:

- (a) **First sheet—Story of the Project**, explaining how the project was carried out. This story shall not exceed one double-spaced typewritten page.
- (b) **Second sheet—Project Summary**, filled out completely and accurately.
- (c) **Third sheet—Record of Accomplishments**, completely and accurately filled out. (Forms for the different enterprises are available from the Division of Vocational Education, Frankfort.
- (d) **Cover**—An attractive cover may be used to bind the report. The front cover of the report shall have the following title:

Farming Achievement in

Sponsored by

.....
(name of concern)

Boy's name

Address

Name of school

- (e) **Pictures**—Not more than three snapshots of significant aspects of the project may be used. Pictures should be pasted on the inside of the front cover, with proper legends.
 - (f) **Supporting evidence**—Such material as sales tickets and bills that show weights and prices may be inserted following the Record of Accomplishments.
7. All contestants shall be present for personal interview by the judges, in district and state contests. The contestant should have his supervised farming record book containing the complete records of the project he is entering in the contest and the record of all his supervised farming carried at the time of the competing enterprise. The judges may interview any contestant and shall interview all contestants placed to receive the awards.
 8. The following score card shall be used by the judges in district and state contests:

Factors	Points
Improved practices used	25
Results secured	50
Other factors	25

The judges may deduct from 1 to 25 points for an inaccurate, incomplete, or poorly prepared report. If too inaccurate or incomplete, the report may be thrown out.

L. & N. RAILROAD AWARDS IN BEEF CATTLE

To encourage better beef cattle production-and-marketing practices among Kentucky Future Farmers and to encourage more young men to start and continue with beef cattle, the Louisville and Nashville Railroad is providing \$150 in awards. This award is to give recognition to the Future Farmers, living in counties served by one or both of the railway systems, who have attained the most outstanding achievement with their supervised farming in beef cattle.

GENERAL PLAN

Awards will be made to the boy in each of 8 districts in Kentucky who, in the opinion of the judges, has the most outstanding record of accomplishments with his supervised farming in beef cattle. A grand award will be made to the boy in the state whose record is adjudged the most outstanding.

AWARDS

The following awards will be made by the railroad, to be used toward the purchase of approved breeding stock:

1. In each of the 8 districts	
First	\$10
2. In the state	
First	45
Second	25

RULES

1. The contest year shall be any 12 months period ending between September 1, 1947, and March 1, 1948, for the District F. F. A. Day, and between September 1, 1947, and July 1, 1948, for the State Contest.
2. Judging will be to determine the most outstanding accomplishments in beef cattle and shall include evaluation of the following, according to the score card in Rule 8 in Farming Achievement Awards.
 - a. Improved practices used
 - b. Results secured, including
 - (1) Calves produced (if breeding herd)
 - (2) Gains secured on young stock
 - per head
 - per day
 - per pound on market animals or
 - per head on breeding animals

- (3) Price
- (4) Labor earnings, total
- (5) Labor earnings, per head
- (6) Feed cost per pound gain
- c. Other factors, including
 - (1) Scope (size) of the project
 - (2) Responsibility of the boy in managing and conducting the enterprise
 - (3) Accompanying feed-crop projects
 - (4) Self-labor of the boy
 - (5) Difficulties met
 - (6) Boy ownership in the project
- 3. Districts for this contest shall be the same as the Future Farmer Federation districts except that the Cumberland and Eastern Kentucky districts shall be considered as one district.

A. & P. AWARDS IN DAIRYING

To encourage better dairy production-and-marketing practices among Kentucky Future Farmers, the Great A. and P. Tea Company, New York, N. Y., is providing \$135 in awards to Future Farmers who have attained the most outstanding achievement with their supervised farming in dairying.

Many more boys should be getting started in dairying as a main livestock enterprise, and many boys enrolled in vocational agriculture should secure a dairy heifer or cow so that they will have a good family cow of their own. This contest should do much to encourage more boys to make a start in dairying, as well as encourage the use of better dairying practices.

GENERAL PLAN

The Great A. and P. Tea Company will make cash awards totaling \$135 to boys who have achieved the most outstanding success with their dairy projects.

RULES

1. The contest year shall be any 12-month period beginning in 1947 and ending by March 1, 1948, for the district F. F. A. Day, or July 1, 1948, for the State Contest.
2. Judging will be to determine the most outstanding achievement in dairy productive-enterprise projects and shall include evaluation of the following factors by the judges using the score card outlined in Rules of Farming Achievement Awards.
 - a. Improved practices used
 - b. Results secured, including
 - (1) Pounds of milk produced per cow per year
 - (2) Pounds of butterfat produced per cow per year

- (3) Labor earnings, total
- (4) Labor earnings per cow
- (5) Feed cost per 100 pounds milk and per pound butterfat
- (6) Selling price of milk, butterfat, and calves
- c. Other factors, including
 - (1) Scope (size) of the project
 - (2) Responsibility of the boy in managing and conducting the project
 - (3) Self-labor of the boy
 - (4) Difficulties met
 - (5) Boy ownership in the project
 - (6) Total supervised farming program

SEARS-ROEBUCK FOUNDATION AWARDS IN HOGS

To encourage better hog production-and-marketing practice among Kentucky Future Farmers, The Sears-Roebuck Foundation, Chicago, Illinois, is providing \$300 in awards to Future Farmers who have attained the most outstanding achievement with their supervised farming in hogs.

GENERAL PLAN

The Sears-Roebuck Foundation will make cash awards totaling \$300 to boys who have achieved the most outstanding success with their hog projects.

RULES

1. The contest year shall begin with the farrowing of the spring litters in 1947 and continue through the marketing of the spring litters and the marketing of the 1947 fall litters.
2. Judging will be to determine the most outstanding achievement in hog productive-enterprise projects and shall include evaluation of the following according to the score card in Rule 8 for Farming Achievement Awards.
 - a. Improved practices used
 - b. Results secured
 - (1) Number of pigs per litter farrowed
 - (2) Percent of pigs farrowed raised
 - (3) Number of strong pigs raised
 - (4) Rapidity of gains
 - (5) Pounds of pork per sow
 - (6) Feed required per 100 pounds gain
 - (7) Cost of producing 100 pounds gain
 - (8) Selling price per head
 - (9) Labor earnings per sow
 - c. Other factors, including:
 - (1) Scope (size) of project

- (2) Responsibility of the boy in managing and conducting the enterprise
- (3) Accompanying feed-crop projects
- (4) Self-labor of the boy
- (5) Difficulties met
- (6) Boy ownership in the project
- (7) Total supervised farming program

KROGER AWARDS IN POULTRY

To encourage better poultry production-and-marketing practices among Kentucky Future Farmers, the Kroger Grocery and Baking Company, Cincinnati, Ohio, is providing \$135 in awards to Future Farmers who have attained the most outstanding achievement with their supervised farming in poultry.

The average poultry production in Kentucky is low. With good production-and-marketing practices, poultry would become much more important in Kentucky's agriculture.

GENERAL PLAN

The Kroger Grocery and Baking Company will make cash awards totaling \$135 to boys who have achieved the most outstanding success with their poultry projects.

RULES

1. The contest year shall begin with the securing of baby chicks in the spring of 1947 and continue through the egg-production season to March 1, 1948, for the District F. F. A. Days, and July 1, 1948, for the State Contest. In case the laying hens are sold before July 1, 1948, the project year shall end with the sale of the laying flock.
2. Judging will be to determine the most outstanding achievement in poultry productive-enterprise projects and shall include evaluation of the following:
 - a. Improved practices used
 - b. Results secured, including
 - (1) Percent of chicks raised
 - (2) Rate of growth of chicks
 - (3) Age pullets began to lay
 - (4) Egg production per hen
 - (5) Cost of producing eggs per dozen
 - c. Other factors, including:
 - (1) Scope (size) of project
 - (2) Responsibility of the boy in managing and conducting the enterprise
 - (3) Accompanying feed-crop projects
 - (4) Self-labor of the boy

- (5) Difficulties met
- (6) Boy ownership in the project
- (7) Total supervised farming program

L. & N. RAILROAD AWARDS IN SHEEP

To encourage better sheep production-and-marketing practices among Kentucky Future Farmers and to encourage more young men to get started and continue with sheep flocks, the Louisville and Nashville Railroad is providing \$300 in awards. These awards are to give recognition to Future Farmers living in counties served by either or both of the two railroad systems who have attained the most outstanding achievement with their supervised farming in sheep.

GENERAL PLAN

Awards will be made to the Future Farmer in each of eight districts in Kentucky who, in the opinion of the judges, has the most outstanding record of accomplishments with his supervised farming in sheep. State awards will be made to the two Future Farmers whose records are adjudged the most outstanding in the state.

AWARDS

The following awards will be made by the railroad, to be used toward the purchase of approved breeding stock:

In each of the 8 districts—

First\$10

In the state—

First 45

Second 25

RULES

1. The contest year shall begin and extend through the marketing of lambs and wool in 1947, for the district contests. For the State contest the 1948 lamb-and-wool-production season to July 1, 1948, shall be added to the 1947 record.
2. Judging will be to determine the most outstanding achievement with sheep productive-enterprise projects and shall include evaluation of the following by the use of the score card in Rule 8 of Farming Achievement Awards:
 - a. Improved practices used
 - b. Results secured, including
 - (1) Number of lambs produced per ewe
 - (2) Pounds of lamb produced per ewe
 - (3) Selling price of lambs per 100 pounds
 - (4) Percent of lambs marketed before July 1

- (5) Pounds of wool produced per ewe
 - (6) Selling price of wool per pound
 - (7) Value of lambs and wool produced per ewe
 - (8) Total labor earnings
 - (9) Labor earnings per ewe
- c. Other factors, including:
- (1) Scope (size) of project
 - (2) Responsibility of the boy in managing and conducting the enterprise
 - (3) Accompanying feed-crop projects
 - (4) Self-labor of the boy
 - (5) Difficulties met
 - (6) Boy ownership in the project
 - (7) Total supervised farming program

ROSS SEED COMPANY AWARDS IN CORN

To encourage better corn-production practices of Kentucky Future Farmers, the Ross Seed Company, Louisville, Kentucky, is providing \$135 in awards to Kentucky Future Farmers who have attained the most outstanding accomplishments with their supervised farming in corn projects.

Many Future Farmers should have corn projects to accompany livestock projects and should produce corn primarily for feed. Few Kentucky farms need to produce corn as a cash crop, but rather to market it through livestock. Corn should accompany all hog projects and feeder-steer projects, most beef cow-and-calf projects, dairy projects, and poultry projects.

GENERAL PLAN

The Ross Seed Company will make cash awards totaling \$135 to boys who have achieved the most outstanding success with their corn projects in their supervised farming programs.

RULES

1. The contest year shall be the 1947 corn crop year.
2. Judging will be to determine the most outstanding achievement with corn projects and shall include evaluation of the following by the use of the score card in Rule 8 of the Farming Achievement Awards.
 - a. Improved practices used
 - b. Results secured, including
 - (1) Total bushels produced
 - (2) Average bushels per acre
 - (3) Total labor earnings
 - (4) Labor earnings per acre

- c. Other factors, including
 - (1) Scope (size) of the project
 - (2) Responsibility of the boy in managing and conducting the project
 - (3) Self-labor
 - (4) Difficulties met
 - (5) Boy ownership in the project
 - (6) Purpose for which the corn was produced
 - (7) Total supervised farming program of the boy

KENTUCKY STONE COMPANY AWARDS IN HAY CROPS

To encourage more hay projects and the use of better hay-production practices among Kentucky Future Farmers, the Kentucky Stone Company, Louisville, Kentucky, is providing \$135 in awards to Future Farmers who have attained the most outstanding achievements with their supervised farming in hay crops.

All Future Farmers who have beef cattle, dairy, or sheep projects should have accompanying hay-crop projects. Good hay production is essential to efficient livestock production.

GENERAL PLAN

The Kentucky Stone Company will make cash awards totaling \$135 to boys who have achieved the most outstanding success with their hay crop projects.

RULES

1. The contest year shall cover the 1947 hay-production season for annual legumes; for other hays it shall cover the establishment of the meadow and the hay-production season of 1947.
2. Judging will be to determine the most outstanding achievement in hay productive-enterprise projects and shall include evaluation of the following by the use of the score card in Rule 8 of Farming Achievement Awards:
 - a. Improved practices used, including
 - (1) Seeding
 - (2) Fertilizing, liming, manuring
 - (3) Harvesting
 - (4) Storing
 - b. Results secured, including
 - (1) Total tons produced
 - (2) Average tons per acre
 - (3) Quality of hay produced
 - (4) Labor earnings—total, and per acre
 - c. Other factors, including
 - (1) Scope (size) of the project

- (2) Responsibility of the boy in managing and conducting the project
- (3) Self-labor of the boy
- (4) Difficulties met
- (5) Boy ownership in the project
- (6) Purpose for which the hay crop was produced
- (7) Total supervised farming program of the boy.

BROWN-WILLIAMSON AWARDS IN TOBACCO

To encourage better tobacco production-and-marketing practices among Kentucky Future Farmers, the Brown and Williamson Tobacco Corporation, Louisville, Kentucky, is providing \$135 in awards to Future Farmers who have attained the most outstanding achievements with their supervised farming in tobacco.

Tobacco is Kentucky's most important cash crop. More Kentucky Future Farmers have tobacco projects than any other farming enterprise. Being an efficient tobacco producer is essential to success in farming on many Kentucky farms. Future Farmers should strive to become good tobacco producers. Many Kentucky Future Farmers should produce more than 2,000 pounds of tobacco per acre.

GENERAL PLAN

The Brown and Williamson Tobacco Corporation will make cash awards totaling \$135 to boys who have achieved the most outstanding success with their tobacco projects.

RULES

1. The contest year shall cover the 1947 tobacco-production season through and including the selling of the crop.
2. Judging will be to determine the most outstanding achievement in tobacco productive-enterprise projects and shall include evaluation of the following by the use of the score card in Rule 8 of Farming Achievement Awards:
 - a. Improved practices used
 - b. Results secured, including
 - (1) Total pounds produced
 - (2) Average pounds per acre
 - (3) Average selling price per acre
 - (4) Labor earnings: total, and per acre
 - (5) Labor required per acre
 - c. Other factors, including
 - (1) Scope (size) of the project

- (2) Responsibility of the boy in managing and conducting the project
- (3) Self-labor of the boy
- (4) Difficulties met
- (5) Boy ownership in the project
- (6) Total supervised farming program of the boy

BELKNAP AWARDS IN FARM SHOP

To encourage better home farm shop work among Kentucky Future Farmers, the Belknap Hardware and Manufacturing Company, Louisville, Kentucky, is providing \$135 in awards to Future Farmers who have the most outstanding achievements with their supervised farming in farm shop.

Suitable farm machinery and equipment in good repair and properly operated is essential. The farmer should be able to do much of his own repair and construction work and be able to effectively supervise the work he hires done on his farm. Farm buildings in Kentucky were valued at \$256,381,674, and farm implements and machinery at \$41,518,943 in 1940. The purpose of this contest is to encourage Future Farmers to become more proficient in maintaining, operating, and repairing farm buildings, equipment, and machinery on their home farms.

GENERAL PLAN

The Belknap Hardware and Manufacturing Company will make cash awards totaling \$135 to boys who have done the most outstanding supervised farming in farm shop.

RULES

1. The contest year shall be June 1, 1947, to March 1, 1948, for the district contests, and to June 1, 1948, for the state contest.
2. Judging will be to determine the most outstanding achievement in farm shop work done at home and shall include valuation of the following:
 - a. Improvement projects in shop work
 - (1) Scope (size) of the projects
 - (2) Improved practices used
 - (3) Quality of work done
 - (4) Responsibility of the boy in managing and conducting the projects
 - (5) Self-labor
 - b. Supplementary practice in shop work
 - (1) Kind and amount of shop work done
 - (2) Quality of work done
 - c. Total supervised farming program of the boy

STATE INITIATED PROJECTS

The Future Farmers Foundation, Inc., will provide for the Kentucky Association of F. F. A.—\$619.85 for state initiated projects in *Pasture Improvement* and *Home Improvement*. Awards will be made on both a district and state basis.

AWARDS

District		
First		\$25.00
State		
First		\$34.92
Second		25.00
Third		25.00

PASTURE IMPROVEMENT

PURPOSE

The purpose of these awards is to encourage Future Farmers to improve pastures on their home farms.

GENERAL PLAN

This contest will be conducted as a regular part of the district and state farming achievement contests, and will be conducted under the same general rules. Forms for this contest will be furnished from the Frankfort office.

HOME IMPROVEMENT

PURPOSE

The purpose of this contest is to encourage Future Farmers to improve their homes and surroundings.

GENERAL PLAN

This contest will be conducted as a regular part of the district and state farming achievement contests and will be conducted under the same general rules. Forms for this contest will be furnished from the Frankfort office.

R. E. A. FARM AND HOME ELECTRIFICATION AWARDS

GENERAL PLAN

The Kentucky Rural Electric Cooperative Association will make three cash awards at the time of the District F. F. A. Days to the Future Farmers, who, in the opinion of the judges, have the most outstanding record of accomplishments in their farm and home electrification projects—Forms will be supplied from the Frankfort office.

AWARDS

District

First	\$10.00
Second	6.00
Third	4.00

State

The Future Farmer Foundation, Inc., will award \$100 to the State winner of this contest. The winner will be eligible to enter the regional contest.

LIVESTOCK COOPERATIVE AWARDS

The Producers Livestock Marketing Association—Evansville, Louisville, and Cincinnati branches—are awarding \$150 to the three Future Farmers in Kentucky who have the most outstanding accomplishments and future plans in livestock farming.

PURPOSES

The purposes of these awards are to encourage:

1. Production of high-quality livestock
2. Use of sound practices in breeding, feeding, management, and marketing livestock
3. Sound planning for future operations with livestock
4. Cooperative endeavor
5. Establishment in farming

GENERAL PLAN

These awards will be made at the State Meeting of the Kentucky Association of F. F. A., to the three boys who, in the opinion of the judges, have the most outstanding records of accomplishments and the soundest plans for the future in livestock farming. The contest will be on both a district and state basis, with the first-place winner in each of the nine districts advancing to the state contest.

AWARDS

The following awards will be made by the Producers, to be used toward the purchase of a purebred animal or animals, to the three boys who rank highest in the state contest:

First	\$75
Second	50
Third	25

RULES

1. Participation is limited to Kentucky Future Farmers in good standing who are still in high school or who graduated from high school in the spring preceding the State F. F. A. Meeting.

2. To be eligible to compete for the awards, the Future Farmer must have one or more livestock projects as a part of his supervised farming program.
3. Each F. F. A. chapter may enter only one boy in the district contest. Winners of the district contests will automatically advance to the state contest.
4. The contest shall cover the period from the time the Future Farmer enrolled in vocational agriculture until the district F. F. A. Day or the State F. F. A. Meeting.
5. Judging shall be done by a committee of judges at the District F. F. A. Days, and in the State Contest by a committee of three, composed of one member representing the Kentucky Farm Bureau, one member representing the Producers, and one member representing agricultural education.
6. A written record and personal interview with the boy shall constitute the basis for judging. The written record shall be signed by the boy, one of his parents or his landlord, and his teacher of agriculture. The record shall be made up as follows:
 - a. **First sheet—Narrative story** of his work with livestock, explaining what was done and how it was done. This story shall not exceed one double-spaced typewritten page.
 - b. **Record of accomplishments and plans for the future**, completely and accurately filled out. (Forms available from the Division of Vocational Education, Frankfort.)
 - c. **Summary sheets** for all livestock projects completed since entering high school, completely and accurately filled out.
 - d. **Cover**—An attractive cover may be used, to bind the report. The front cover shall have the following title:

Livestock Cooperative Awards

Sponsored by

Producers Livestock Marketing Associations

Boy's name

Address

School

- e. **Pictures**—not more than five snapshots of significant aspect of the program may be used. Pictures should be pasted on the inside of the front cover, with appropriate legends.
7. All contestants shall be present for personal interview by the judges in district and state contests. The contestant shall have his supervised farming record book for the current year for inspection by the judges. The record book shall contain the complete records to date of the entire supervised farming program in operation.
8. The judges may interview any of the contestants necessary to make the placings, and shall interview the boy placed first in the district and the three boys placed first, second, and third in the state contest.

9. Judging will be to determine the most outstanding achievement in supervised farming with livestock and cooperative undertakings, and the soundest plans for the future in livestock farming. Judging shall include evaluation of the following:
 - a. Kind and scope of livestock enterprises
 - Present livestock
 - Livestock projects completed
 - b. Production practices used
 - c. Results secured
 - Completed projects
 - Production secured, including efficiency factors
 - Labor earnings
 - Projects in progress
 - d. Boy ownership
 - e. Responsibility of the boy managing and conducting the program
 - f. Difficulties met
 - g. Accompanying feed crop projects
 - h. Cooperative efforts engaged in such as buying, selling, and financing
 - i. Future plans with livestock
10. Boys who win the first-, second-, or third-place state awards shall become ineligible to compete again for the awards.

THE FARM UNDERWRITERS ASSOCIATION AWARD

The Farm Underwriters Association, 175 West Jackson Blvd., Chicago, Illinois, will award a scholarship of \$100 each to the two Kentucky Future Farmers who carry out the best farm fire-prevention programs on their home farms. The selection will be made at the time of the F. F. A. state meeting. These general provisions will be followed in selecting the winner of the contest:

1. The award will be made only to boys who will attend the State College of Agriculture, either for a regular course or a short course. During the war, if the winner does not plan to go to college, he may invest the prize money in farming.
2. A boy receiving some other scholarship will not be eligible for this scholarship.
3. The award will be made by the Farm Underwriters Association and not by any individual or company member of the association.
4. The winner of the award will be selected from among the boys who are to receive a State Farmer Degree at the state meeting in 1948.

The selection will be based on the following:

- a. Supervised farming program
- b. Earnings and savings
- c. Financial status
- d. Leadership and cooperative activities

- e. Scholarship
- f. Fire-prevention activities carried out

The following are examples of some of the many things Future Farmers may do in competing for this award:

1. Repair faulty flues
2. Store fuel oil properly
3. Cover roofs with non-inflammable materials
4. Remove bird nests that might start fires
5. Destroy nests made by rats and mice
6. Use fire screens before open fires
7. Check electric wiring and fuses
8. Erect "no smoking" signs on farm buildings
9. Guard against spontaneous combustion in hay and feeds
10. Provide proper equipment for firing tobacco or for other fires in or near farm buildings
11. Take an active part in the "fire prevention week" program

After the winner of the contest is selected, he will be asked to prepare a 500-word essay to be submitted to the Farm Underwriters Association.

CHAPTER MUSIC CONTEST

The Chapter Music Contest has been a part of the district F. F. A. and of the F. F. A. State Meeting for a number of years.

Many chapters have music groups that provide entertainment at local chapter meetings, and opportunity for boys to play together. These contests are designed to encourage the formation of such groups and to promote better chapter music.

Chapter Music Contests will be held at District Field Days in 1948. The district winner will represent the district at the State contest which will be held at the time of the State F. F. A. convention.

RULES

1. A chapter music group shall consist of at least three, but not more than ten musicians, and may be a band, orchestra, or a vocal group.
2. A group may use not more than 5 minutes in district contests. Encores will not be granted.
3. If an accompanist other than a member of the chapter is used, the group will furnish its own accompanist, but the work of such an accompanist will not be considered in the judging.

AWARDS

The districts will provide such awards as they see fit.

INDIVIDUAL MUSIC CONTESTS

These contests provide an opportunity for individual participation in such music activities as may be found in the typical F. F. A. chapter. These activities add much to the local chapter meeting. Individual music contests will be a part of the district F. F. A. Days in 1948.

DIVISIONS

The divisions of the individual music contests are:

Piano	Orchestral instruments
Vocal	Novelty instruments

Each division is regarded as a separate contest. In this contest an orchestral instrument is an instrument played by note, while a novelty instrument is one played by ear.

RULES

1. A contestant may enter one division only.
2. Each contestant shall be limited to 3 minutes.
3. Each contestant shall give to the chairman of his contest the title of the number or numbers he is to render. Encores shall not be granted.
4. Contestants in vocal and orchestral instrument divisions may have an accompanist. Contestants shall make provision for their own accompanist. The work of the accompanist shall not be considered in the judging.

AWARDS

The districts will provide such awards as they see fit.

CHAPTER SECRETARY'S BOOK CONTEST

This contest is included in the state activity program to encourage the use and accurate keeping of the Official Secretary's Book. Every chapter should have such a book. Every chapter secretary should study the outlined procedure for keeping the book, and make all entries neatly, legibly, and accurately.

The contest shall consist of the selection of the best-kept Official Chapter Secretary's Book. The book judged best in each district shall be entered in the final state contest.

The contest year shall cover the school year 1947-48.

(The school year is from July 1 to June 30.)

RULES

1. Only Official Chapter Secretary's Books may be entered in this contest.

2. The records shall be the product of the chapter secretary and shall show evidence of being the book kept from meeting to meeting during the year. No preference will be given to typewritten books.
3. The book shall include a record of the following:
 - a. State and chapter officers
 - b. Standing committees and committeemen
 - c. Chapter program of activities
 - d. Schedule for chapter meetings
 - e. Membership roll
 - f. Attendance record
 - g. Minutes of meetings
 - h. Local constitution
4. Judging shall be done on the basis of:
 - a. Neatness and legibility
 - b. Accuracy and form
 - c. Completeness

AWARDS

1. The Kentucky Association of F. F. A. will provide a suitable award for the winner of the state contest.
2. The districts will provide such awards as they see fit.

CHAPTER TREASURER'S BOOK CONTEST

The contest shall consist of the selection of the best-kept chapter of the Official F. F. A. Treasurer's Book. Every chapter should have such a book for its treasurer. Every chapter treasurer can make a definite contribution to his chapter by keeping the financial records of the chapter carefully and accurately.

This contest shall consist of the selection of the best-kept Official Chapter Treasurer's Book. The book judged best in each district shall become the entry of that district in the final state contest.

The contest year shall cover the school year 1947-48.
(The school year is from July 1 to June 30.)

RULES

1. Only Official F. F. A. Chapter Treasurer's Books may be entered in this contest.
2. The records shall be the product of the Chapter Treasurer and shall show evidence of being the records kept from meeting to meeting during the year. No preference will be given to typewritten books.
3. The book shall include records of the following:
 - a. Complete records called for in the Treasurer's Book
 - b. Statement of the chapter's net worth
 - c. Chapter budget
 - d. Member dues and assessment record
 - e. Chapter receipts
 - f. Chapter disbursements
 - g. Chapter investments

- h. Chapter loans
- i. Chapter financial summary
- 4. Judging shall be done on the basis of:
 - a. Neatness and legibility
 - b. Accuracy and form
 - c. Completeness

AWARDS

1. The Kentucky Association of F. F. A. will provide a suitable award for the winner of the state contest.
2. The districts will provide such awards as they see fit.

CHAPTER SCRAPBOOK CONTEST

A scrapbook provides a desirable way of keeping an illustrated history of chapter activities, and is useful as supporting evidence in district and national chapter contests.

While no specific arrangement of materials is required; it is suggested that chapters consider arranging much of the material to show evidence of accomplishments in the main divisions of the chapter program of activities such as leadership, supervised farming, and scholarship.

The contest shall consist of the selection of the best-kept chapter scrapbook. The contest shall be on both a district and state basis.

RULES

1. No specific size or design of book will be required for the 1947-48 contest. The official F. F. A. Scrapbook should be used. (Published by the French-Bray Printing Company.)
2. Materials making up the scrapbook may include:
 - a. Newspaper clippings
 - b. Snapshots
 - c. Printed programs
 - d. Important letters
 - e. Fair and show catalogs
 - f. Newsletter clippings
 - g. Other evidence of chapter accomplishment
3. Chapters should arrange their scrapbooks by divisions so as to agree with the divisions in their program of activities. Most chapters divide their program of activities into the major divisions listed in the F. F. A. Manual; namely, supervised farming, conduct of meetings, cooperation, community service, leadership, earnings and savings, scholarship, recreation, and information.
4. Judging shall be done on the basis of:
 - a. Neatness
 - b. Attractiveness
 - c. Arrangement of materials
 - d. Completeness (tells the story of chapter activities throughout the year)
 - e. Absence of irrelevant material

5. Material that does not apply to the local department of vocational agriculture, chapter or otherwise, shall be considered irrelevant. This does not exclude state material of interest to the chapter.
6. The contest year shall cover the school year 1947-48. (The school year is from July 1 to June 30.)

AWARDS

1. The Kentucky Association of F. F. A. will provide a suitable award for the winner of the state contest.
2. The districts will provide such awards as they see fit.

CHAPTER NEWSLETTER CONTEST

The chapter Newsletter Contest is included in the program of activities to encourage the publication and improvement of chapter newsletters.

The contest consists of the selections of the best newsletters published by a chapter in the district; and from these, the best chapter newsletter published in the state.

RULES

1. Only one copy of a newsletter published by the chapter may be entered.
2. Newsletters must have been published after September 1, 1947.
3. Newsletters entered in this contest shall be **mimeographed** on regular 8½-inch by 11-inch standard mimeograph paper. (If other kinds of duplicators are used, the paper shall be standard for that kind of duplicator.)
4. Newsletters entered in district and state contests shall be one of a regular issue. Coloring with crayons, water colors, or other materials, other than for regular publication, shall not be permitted, and pictures, newspaper clippings, and other material may not be added.
5. The newsletter shall consist of not more than 12 pages of type-written matter, exclusive of the cover page.
6. Judging shall be on the basis of:
 - a. General appearance (including neatness)
 - a. Appropriateness of material included
 - c. Arrangement of material
 - d. Quality of writing
 - Forcefulness
 - Correctness of English (including construction, grammar, spelling)
 - Punctuation
 - Use of abbreviations

AWARDS

1. The Kentucky Association of F. F. A. will provide a suitable award for the winner of the state contest.
2. Each district will provide such awards as it sees fit.

DISTRICT F. F. A. DAYS

District Future Farmer Days were held in each of the nine districts last year, with very good attendance.

It is considered that the Field Day activities are a vital part of the F. F. A. program and have a definite bearing upon the effectiveness of the total program.

More than 90 per cent of the departments of vocational agriculture in Kentucky had entries in these district F. F. A. days in 1947. The failure of a department to have entries in its F. F. A. Day activities might be interpreted as an admission that the department is not training boys for leadership in its community. The district F. F. A. Day is the high point in the annual F. F. A. leadership-training program in the nine districts in Kentucky.

ORGANIZATION

1. District F. F. A. Days are to be held on or before May 15, 1948.
2. Winners of district events shall automatically enter the state contest held in connection with the State Meeting.
3. The district organization of the Agriculture Teachers Association, through its chairman or activities committee, shall decide the date and place for holding the district F. F. A. Day, and shall make such arrangements as are necessary for the proper conduct of the events.
4. Chapters shall be limited to one entry in each event.
5. Points on the farming achievement awards in beef cattle and sheep will not be counted except in cases where it may change the order of the top-ranking teams in the Field Day. If the top-ranking teams in the Field Day are eligible to have entries in these two contests, the points shall be counted.

The following point system will be employed to determine the winning chapter of the district F. F. A. Day:

Contest	1st Place	2nd Place	3rd Place	Entry
Chapter Meeting	18	12	6	4
Chapter Music	5	3	2	2
Pasture and Home Improvement.....	10	7	4	2
Speaking				
Farming Achievement				
Community Dairy Improvement				
Livestock Cooperative				
R. E. A.	6	4	2	1
Newsletter				
Secretary's Book				
Treasurer's Book	3	2	1	1
Individual Music				
Chapter Scrapbook	8	5	3	1
Farm Underwriters Award				

FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA FOUNDATION, INC.

The Future Farmers of America Foundation, Inc., was incorporated under the laws of the District of Columbia, on March 29, 1944.

PURPOSE

The major purpose of this foundation is to provide business, industry, farm and civic organizations, and individuals that wish to make financial contributions for the stimulation of worthy achievements by students of vocational agriculture, and members of the Future Farmers of America and New Farmers of America, with an opportunity to do so through a central agency.

Foundation money is allocated to each state on the basis of the paid up membership in the F. F. A. and the N. F. A. organizations.

FOUNDATION FUNDS FOR KENTUCKY

Kentucky has been allocated \$1,019.85 by the Future Farmers of America Foundation, Inc., for the coming year.

STATE INITIATED PROJECTS (\$619.85)

(1) Pasture Improvement	\$304.92
(2) Home Improvement	304.93
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	\$ 619.85

STATE WINNERS

Star State Farmer	\$100.00
Public Speaking	100.00
Farm Mechanics	100.00
Farm and Home Electrification	100.00
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	\$1,019.85

F. A. A. CONTEST

Kentucky Association of Future Farmers of America.
This contest is sponsored by the Courier-Journal, Louisville Times and Radio Station WHAS.

PURPOSE

To encourage Future Farmers in Kentucky to:

- (1) become progressively established in farming
- (2) use good farming methods and practices
- (3) become leading citizens.

RULES

1. The contest is open to all Future Farmers in Kentucky who are regularly enrolled in high school vocational agriculture, including members who graduated from high school in the spring of 1948.
2. Each chapter will select its winning entry prior to November 1, 1948. This entry must be mailed to Frankfort before midnight November 1. **No entries** sent in after the deadline will be considered.

AWARDS

District

A \$25 U. S. Savings Bond will be given the winner in each of the nine districts, except in the district from which the state winner is selected. The state winner will relinquish his district prize to the second place winner in his district.

State

A Lord Elgin, 21-jewel, 14k natural gold wrist watch will be given to the Future Farmer who has made the most outstanding achievements based on the purposes of this contest. The winner's expenses will be paid to Louisville for the Farm Awards Luncheon, at which he will receive his prize.

STATE F. F. A. SHEEP-SHEARING CONTEST

BOURBON STOCK YARDS

Louisville, Kentucky

This sheep-shearing contest has become one of our good state F. F. A. contests. Many Future Farmers who have sheep projects should be learning to shear sheep. This contest should provide an incentive for learning proficiency in shearing.

RULES

1. Entries in this contest are limited to Kentucky Future Farmers in good standing, representing their F. F. A. chapters.
2. An F. F. A. chapter may enter only one member in the contest.
3. All entries in the contest shall be made by the F. F. A. chapter adviser and shall be mailed to the Department of Agricultural Education, College of Education, University of Kentucky, by May 1, 1948.
4. The contest shall start promptly at 9:00 a. m., C. S. T. All contestants shall be at the place of the contest and ready to participate when the contest begins.
5. Each contestant shall, without assistance, shear two sheep and tie up the fleeces. The sheep to be sheared shall be selected by the contest officials and shall be numbered. Contestants shall draw for their order of shearing and the numbers of the sheep to be sheared.
6. All shearing in this contest shall be done with a standard Stewart's Electric Shearmaster. Each contestant shall make provisions for his

own Shearmaster, cutters, combs, oil can, and all other individual equipment used in the contest. (The Division of Vocational Education, Frankfort, has a number of Shearmasters which advisers may secure for use in this contest. Each adviser shall make his own arrangements in securing this equipment for his contestant.)

7. The timing of the shearing shall start at the timekeeper's signal, with the sheep in position to begin shearing, and shall end when the sheared sheep is put on its feet. The tying of the fleece shall not be included in the timing.
8. The judging of the contest shall be done by competent judges. Each contestant shall be scored on both of his two sheep. The highest total score will determine the winner.
9. The scorecard used in this contest will include the following points:

Items to Be Scored	Perfect Score
a. Shearing time	20
b. Manner of handling sheep	15
c. Absence of second cuts	15
d. Absence of cuts on sheep	15
e. Appearance of sheared sheep	10
f. Condition of sheared fleece	15
g. Tying of fleece	10
Total	100

10. The contest officials will have full authority to interpret these rules and to decide on any points not covered by these rules.

AWARDS

- A. The Sunbeam Corporation, Chicago, Illinois, will award a Stewart's Electric Shearmaster to the champion, who will also receive an official champion F. F. A. medal.
- B. The Kentucky Wool Growers Association will award \$100 in cash to the other contestants. Second-place winner will receive \$20; third-place winner \$15. The remaining \$65 will be divided equitably among the other contestants by the contest officials with recognition given to placings through tenth place. All contestants placing below tenth place shall receive the same cash award.
- C. The Bourbon Stock Yards Company will award ribbons to the contestants placing first to tenth.

LOUISVILLE FAT CATTLE SHOW AND SALE

The Louisville Fat Cattle Show and Sale has been held annually at the Bourbon Stockyards for the past 25 years. The Kentucky General Assembly appropriates \$5,000 in cash awards for the show. This prize money is allocated to the F. F. A. and 4-H Club division on a per-head-entry basis.

Finished baby beeves and yearlings have comprised the bulk of entries in the show. The Kentucky F. F. A. beef cattle program places emphasis upon getting boys started with a beef-breeding program. Some Future Farmers buy feeder steer calves to finish for the Fat Cattle Show, but boys who have the feed and facilities are encouraged to start with two or more choice high-grade heifers or cows from which to produce their feeder calves. In some cases, boys



Randolph Cotton, Versailles Chapter, and 1946 Champion F. F. A. Steer.

may buy heifers with which to start their breeding herds and, at the same time, buy some feeder steers for their beginning beef-cattle projects so they may have some income from beef cattle while their heifers are coming into production. Boys who have the necessary facilities are encouraged to increase their number of beef-breeding females until they have five to ten high-grade cows from which to produce their feeder calves. A few boys are encouraged to start with registered beef animals so that there will be enough registered bulls available throughout the state to improve the quality of beef cattle.

In 1943 the Future Farmer Division of the Fat Cattle Show and Sale was placed on a graded basis. This was the first year that all of the prize money had not been placed on a carload-entry basis

or on the best five cattle from a chapter. Under the new plan, the judges grade all cattle entered in the show, placing them in four grades. The prize money is then distributed according to the grades of the animals. This plan has worked well and, since it seems to meet general approval of F. F. A. exhibitors and their teachers, it will continue in operation in the F. F. A. Division of the show.

When adult farmers take their fat cattle to any market, they are graded by representatives of marketing firms and the buyers, and are sold according to the grade and quality of the animals. It, therefore, seems practical for Future Farmers to market their show cattle on much the same basis as they will market their beef animals when they become adult farmers. Placing the show on a graded basis has the additional advantage of rewarding Future Farmers according to the quality of the finished product which they bring to the market. The plan also has the advantage of permitting an F. F. A. chapter to enter any number of calves its members may have in the show. Some revision in the allocation of prize money, or in the operation of the show may be made from time to time, but it is expected that a large percentage of the premium money in the F. F. A. Division will be awarded on a grade basis in future shows.

FAT LAMB SHOW-SALES

Three state-supervised F. F. A. Fat Lamb Show-Sales are held annually in June at Evansville, Indiana, and at Lexington and Louisville. These show-sales are set up on a market-grade basis and are handled so as to encourage better production and marketing practices. Lambs entered in the show-sales are separated into choice, good, medium, and common grades, and are sold by grades. Awards are made on a per-head-grade basis, with twice the amount given for choice lambs as for good lambs, and no awards in the two lower grades.

The Tri-State Lamb Show-Sale is held at the Union Stockyards in Evansville, Indiana, and is sponsored by the Stockyards Company and the Evansville Chamber of Commerce. Awards are provided for lambs grading choice and good. Boys entering five or more lambs are permitted to enter one lamb in the champion ring. A special award is provided the Future Farmer having done the most outstanding work with his sheep project.

The Bluegrass Lamb Show-Sale is held at the Clay-Gentry Stockyards and sponsored by the Clay-Gentry Organization. Awards are provided for lambs grading choice and good. Each boy entering

five or more lambs may show one choice lamb in the championship ring.

The Louisville Lamb Show-Sale is held at the Bourbon Stockyards. The Bourbon Stockyards Company and the Commission Companies at the yards provide awards for lambs grading choice and good. In addition, the Bourbon Stockyards Company gives grand awards to the three boys who have done the best job with their sheep projects.

GENERAL RULES

1. Entries are limited to Future Farmers in good standing who have sheep as part of their supervised farming program in vocational agriculture.
2. All lambs entered must have been raised by the F. F. A. member as a part of his sheep project, and must have been produced from ewes in which the member has had ownership since January, 1945.
3. To be eligible to participate in the show-sale, a boy must enter three or more lambs.
4. Upon arrival at the yards, lambs will be separated into the following grades:

Choice—"Blue"	}	Chalk markings, if markings are used
Good—"Red"		
Medium—"Yellow"		
Common—"Green"		

5. All lambs will be graded on the basis of "Fat Market Lambs."
6. Lambs that will not grade "medium" or better should be left at home.
7. All lambs should weigh 75 pounds or more, and should be fat.
8. All lambs should be docked, and all ram lambs **must** be castrated.
9. All lambs of a grade or grade-weight division will be sold as a lot.
10. All lambs entered will be sold in the sale that follows the show.

HONORARY KENTUCKY FARMERS

The honorary degree of Kentucky Farmer has been conferred on the following persons, who have rendered outstanding services to the Association.

Name	Year Elected	Occupation	Address
H. W. Peters	1936	Superintendent of Public Instruction	Frankfort
A. B. Chandler	1937	Governor of State of Kentucky	Frankfort
E. L. German	1937	President, Bourbon Stock Yards	Louisville
D. D. Stewart	1937	President, Sears, Roebuck & Co.	Louisville
L. J. Horlacher	1937	Assistant Dean in Resident Teaching, College of Agriculture, University of Kentucky	Lexington
Virgil Steed	1937	Fayette County Farmer	Lexington
J. P. Truitt	1937	Teacher of Agriculture	Hardinsburg
Fordyce Ely	1938	Head of Dairy Department, University of Kentucky	Lexington
A. B. Sawyer	1938	President, Dairy Products Association of Kentucky	Louisville

R. H. Woods	1938	Director, Vocational Education	Frankfort
Watson Armstrong	1938	Instructor, Agricultural Education, University of Kentucky	Lexington
Ben E. Niles	1939	President, Kentucky Farm Bureau Federation	Henderson
H. W. Derway	1939	General Manager, Ewing-Von Allmen Company	Louisville
Frank Wright	1939	Secretary, Dairy Products Association of Kentucky	Louisville
Carsie Hammonds	1939	Head, Agricultural Education Depart- ment, University of Kentucky	Lexington
W. R. Tabb	1939	Instructor, Agricultural Education, University of Kentucky	Lexington
C. E. Field	1940	President, Field Packing Company	Owensboro
John W. Brooker	1940	Superintendent of Public Instruction	Frankfort
Horace Cleveland	1940	Henry County Farmer	Franklinton
Ben Kilgore	1940	Executive Secretary, Kentucky Farm Bureau Federation	Louisville
John Hoagland	1940	Promotion Manager, Courier-Journal and Louisville Times	Louisville
E. P. Hilton	1940	Supervisor of Agricultural Education	Frankfort
H. H. Neel	1941	President, Ewing-Von Allmen Dairy Company, and President of Dairy Products Association of Kentucky	Louisville
Joe C. Towery	1941	Teacher of Agriculture	Owensboro
Carl Stinson	1941	Teacher of Agriculture	Manchester
John Merrifield	1942	Agricultural Coordinator, WHAS	Louisville
Fred Trammell	1942	Teacher of Agriculture	Bagdad
Earl Robbins	1942	Teacher of Agriculture	Lexington
R. Q. Smith	1942	Secretary-Treasurer of the Cincinnati Livestock Producers Association	Cincinnati
Jim W. Mitchell	1942	Secretary-Treasurer of the Evansville Livestock Producers Association	Evansville
S. S. Wilson	1942	Teacher of Agriculture	Pleasureville
Herbert Smith	1942	Teacher of Agriculture	Hardinsburg
M. M. Botto	1943	Teacher of Agriculture	Munfordville
W. C. Montgomery	1943	Teacher of Agriculture	Stamping Ground
Ivan Jett	1943	Agricultural Adviser, Kentucky Chain Stores Council	Georgetown
J. Dan Baldwin	1943	Marketing Specialist, State Dept. of Agriculture	Frankfort
W. T. Forsee	1943	State President, Ky. Ass'n Breeders of Purebred Livestock	Owenton
Clifton Rhodes	1943	Vice-President, Belknap and Company	Louisville
William S. Taylor	1944	Dean, College of Education, University of Kentucky	Lexington
J. O. Matlick	1944	Editor, The Kentucky Farmers Home Journal	Louisville
John Brown	1944	President, Louisville Bank for Cooperatives	Louisville
J. B. De Jarnatt	1944	Vice-President, The Great A & P Tea Company	Louisville
J. B. Williams	1944	Assistant Supervisor of Agricultural Education	Frankfort
Honorable John Fred Williams	1945	State Superintendent of Public Instruction	
G. H. England	1945	Teacher of Agriculture	
Lowell Taylor	1945	Evansville Producers Commission Association	
Paul Pace	1945	Farmers Bank, Hardinsburg	
Hobart Hines	1945	Superintendent, Breckinridge County Schools	
J. E. Stanford	1945	Executive Secretary, Kentucky Farm Bureau Federation	
Wendell Howard	1946	Kentucky Farm Bureau Federa- tion	
A. L. Stallings	1946	Louisville Bank of Cooperatives	
H. O. Coffey	1946	Progressive Farmer	
Lee Harris	1947	College of Education, University of Ky.	

Frank Cooley	1947	Farm Coordinator-Radio Station WHAS
Charles Taylor	1947	Agriculture Department, Western
C. O. Neel	1947	Teacher of Agriculture
Ray Gustafeson	1947	Louisville Producers

DISTRICT CHAPTER CONTEST

The District Chapter Contest is designed to encourage participation in desirable Future Farmer activities and to stimulate well-rounded local chapter programs of activities. The most outstanding chapter in each of the nine districts in 1947 was:

District	Chapter
Purchase	Murray Training
Western Kentucky	Hanson
Green River	Daviess County
South Central	South Warren
North Central	Bagdad
Northern	Fleming County High
Bluegrass	Owingsville
Cumberland	Eubank
Eastern	Rowan County High

GENERAL PLAN

A chapter automatically enters the district chapter contest, in the district to which it belongs, upon submission of its annual report to the Kentucky Association. The annual report form is designed so as to make only one report necessary.

The report form is arranged so as to conform to the "Committee Organization for Directing the Activity Program," and provides opportunity to submit evidence of accomplishment in worthwhile Future Farmer activities.

If the committee organization plan for directing the F. F. A. activities program in a chapter is to function smoothly, it is important that the committees be carefully selected and that the committee members and all members of the chapter have a part in developing the activity program.

PUTTING THE COMMITTEE PLAN INTO OPERATION

Any association or group that is to function and that is to carry out activities and accomplish goals set must have an organization, a program, and a plan whereby the work may be carried out. Certain persons or groups of persons must have definite responsibilities. "What is everybody's business is nobody's business." Hence, the suggested program of activities in the local F. F. A. chapter.

The regular F. F. A. chapter officers should be elected by June 30 and installed at the August chapter meeting or at the first meeting after the opening of school. These officers constitute the executive committee. Special committees are usually needed to carry out a well-rounded program of activities. They may be composed of three or more members, depending on the size of the chapter. *Every member of the chapter should be on some committee. A member should not be on more than one committee unless necessary.*

Chapter officers should be selected by means of a nominating committee or by the chapter as a whole. In either case emphasis should be put on selecting officers qualified to do the job. Soon after the officers are installed, the executive committee should meet and select the following committee chairmen from the chapter roll. Supervised Farming, Cooperation, Community Service, Leadership, Earnings and Savings, Scholarship, Conduct of Meetings, Recreation and Information. In case other committees are needed in carrying out the program of activities, chairmen for those committees should be selected too. Before definitely assigning these potential committee chairmen, they should be consulted in order to see if they will, if selected assume the responsibility of chairman. Additional members of the committees should not be selected until school starts. Each committee should have at least one older member on its roster. Finally the committee organization should be approved by the chapter as a whole before work for the year is started.

After committee selections have been made and approved, meetings should be held to consider the activities and responsibilities of each committee and the ways and means of accomplishing the goals set by each committee.

A suggested program of work is listed on the pages that follow. These activities are suggestive only. Each chapter should work out its own goals, and the ways and means of accomplishing them. After being approved by the chapter, they should be transferred to the secretary's book. A copy should be posted on the bulletin board and a copy mailed to the Division of Vocational Education, Frankfort. Each member should be familiar with his chapter's program of activities.

(Sample)

PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES

..... Chapter
Address Submitted by Secretary

Activity	Goals	Ways and Means
I. SUPERVISED FARMING		
1. Productive Ent. projects	1. All members own or control all productive enterprise projects.	a. Chapter and members in financing projects. b. Use money earned from projects to broaden scope of programs.
2. Work hours	2. Average _____ work hours per member.	a. Each member set up and carry out a well balanced farming program.
3. Projects	3. Average _____ projects per member.	a. Members carry as many projects as possible. b. Programs include cash crop, livestock and feed projects if possible.
4. Improved practices	4. Each member carry out a minimum of _____ improved practices.	a. Select improved practices in the class room. b. Plan carefully and carry out each improved practice
5. Production Standards	5. Set up production standards early in the year for farm practice.	a. Supervised farming committee, set up standards early in the year. Get final approval by chapter before adopting standards.
6. Supervised farming Award	6. Select member with outstanding farm practice program and give him an award.	a. Members select best program. b. Ask _____ to furnish award. c. Present award at father and son banquet.
7. State Fair	7. Members participate in fair.	a. Send poultry exhibit with adviser helping boys prepare exhibit.
8. Judging team	8. Send a judging team to the Kentucky State Fair.	a. Train team during summer.
9. Farming Achievement Contests	9. Enter _____ farming achievement contest at District F. F. A. Day	a. Select entries when projects are summarized. Secure forms, fill in neatly and accurately.

Committee

II. COOPERATION

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| 1. Livestock | 1. Secure livestock for chapter members. | a. Use F.A.A. Cooperative, Inc., for purchasing beef cattle, sheep and dairy cattle whenever possible.
b. Buy other livestock needed by members cooperatively, when possible. |
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PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES—Continued

Activity	Goals	Ways and Means
2. Feed	2. Purchase feed co-operatively for members and families.	a. Pool orders and buy in large quantities, thus getting better prices.
3. Farm Seeds	3. Purchase farm seed for chapter cooperatively.	a. Purchase hybrid seed corn through F. A. A. Cooperative. b. Buy garden seed cooperatively.
4. Baby Chicks	4. Purchase baby chicks cooperatively for members and neighbors.	a. Pool orders and buy at lower prices.
5. Readjustment	5. 100% member participation.	a. Assist when possible with all governmental agencies in readjustment effort. b. Cooperate with other organizations in the community.
6. Purebred Livestock Breeders Organization	6. Chapter join State and county organization.	a. Pay dues from chapter treasury. b. Attend meetings.
7. Farm Bureau	7. Chapter join Farm Bureau. Committee ----- -----	a. Pay dues from treasury.

III. COMMUNITY SERVICE

1. Community Cannery	1. Assist in operating the cannery.	a. Members assist in keeping the cannery in operation. b. Use cannery to conserve food.
2. Home Improvement	2. Sponsor a home improvement program.	a. Ask civic organizations to put up prizes.
3. Culling poultry	3. Cull all members' laying flocks.	a. Members learn to cull, then cull own flocks and those of their neighbors.
4. Pest Extermination	4. 100% member participation.	a. Chapter sponsor contest and secure prizes. Hold contest in the spring.
5. Safety Program	5. Devote one meeting to safety.	a. Plan program. Show movie on safety. Use firechief as guest speaker.
6. Wildlife Conservation	6. 100% member participation in wildlife program.	a. Organize fish and game club. b. Work with Division of Game and Fish.
	Committee ----- -----	

IV. LEADERSHIP

1. Kentucky Farmers	1. Train _____ members for Ky. Farmer degree.	a. Develop farm practice programs. b. Maintain scholastic standings and develop leadership abilities.
2. State Convention	2. Select, instruct and send 2 delegates to the State Convention.	a. Chapter pay delegates' expenses from treasury.
3. Parliamentary Procedure	3. 100% of members receive training in parliamentary procedure.	a. Train members in classroom and meeting. b. Train a chapter meeting team.

PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES—Continued

Activity	Goals	Ways and Means
4. Chapter officers training	4. Have efficient, well-trained officers.	a. Train locally and send them to the district officer's training school.
5. Public and Impromptu Speaking	5. Select members to represent the chapter in district F.F.A. Day.	a. Hold local contests. Award cash prizes to winners. Pay prizes from chapter treasury.
6. Outstanding member	6. Select outstanding member.	a. Chapter furnish suitable award. Present award at father and son banquet.
	Committee	
V. EARNINGS & SAVINGS		
1. Dues	1. Pay state and national dues by January 1, 1947.	a. Collect all dues during the first week of school. Mail to State Secretary at once.
2. Chapter Budget	2. Set up chapter budget early in the school year.	a. Use previous year's budget as a guide. Get chapter approval.
3. Finances	3. Raise _____ for chapter treasury.	a. Chapter sponsor pie supper and Halloween carnival to raise funds.
4. Treasurer's Book	4. Use official treasurer's book.	a. Buy book and have treasurer keep book neatly and accurately.
5. Contest	5. Enter treasurer's book in F.F.A. Day contest.	a. Have the book posted to date of contest and keep in ink.
	Committee	
VI. CONDUCT OF MEETING		
1. Meetings	1. Hold monthly meeting with special meetings when necessary.	a. Plan meetings well in advance. Post proposed business and program on bulletin board before the meeting.
2. Attendance	2. Average _____ attendance at meetings.	a. Make meetings interesting. Serve refreshments at all regular meetings.
3. Honorary Members	3. Elect one or more honorary members yearly.	a. Select men particularly interested in chapter. Confer degree at annual father and son banquet.
4. Initiation	4. Hold Green Hand initiation in October; Chapter Farmer in February.	a. Use official ceremony in both initiations. Present pins.
5. Speakers	5. Use outside speakers at three regular meetings.	a. Secure speakers from local clubs or organizations or from staff.
6. Ritual and Paraphernalia	6. Use rituals and paraphernalia at all meetings.	a. Officers learn parts early in year. Sentinel set up paraphernalia.
7. Secretary's Book	7. Use official secretary's book and enter in district contest.	a. Secure book for incoming secretary. Buy from chapter treasury. Keep neatly and accurately in ink.

PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES—Continued

Activity	Goals	Ways and Means
8. Chapel Program	8. Give at least 1 chapel program yearly. Committee	a. Members work up and give the chapel program.
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VII. SCHOLARSHIP		
1. Grades	1. Encourage members make good grades.	a. Older members assist new ones. Give scholarship awards. Post honor roll.
2. Chapter Library	2. Improve and expand chapter library. Committee	a. Buy five new books. Subscribe for 8 good magazines. Encourage members to use library.
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VIII. RECREATION		
1. Banquet	1. Hold father and son banquet in March with 90% of members and dads present.	a. Chapter plan program, meal and secure speaker. Ask Future Homemakers to serve banquet.
2. Parties	2. Hold 2 parties during the year.	a. Members plan party. Serve refreshments. Invite guests.
3. Basket Ball	3. Organize F.F.A. team. Play other chapters.	a. Play preliminary games to varsity games. Chapter furnishes transportation.
4. Band and Chorus	4. Chapter sponsor band or chorus. Enter district contest. Committee	a. Ask music teacher to supervise practice. Practice regularly.
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IX. INFORMATION (GENERAL)		
1. Newsletter	1. Publish one newsletter during the year. Enter district contest.	a. Elect staff and make it responsible. Mimeograph newsletter. Mail copies to other chapters.
2. Scrapbook	2. Reporter keep official scrapbook. Enter in district contest.	a. All members assist in collecting materials and making the book.
3. Local News	3. Reporter get chapter news in local papers weekly.	a. Reporter write stories and let adviser edit them. Get to know the editors.
4. Radio Program	4. Appear on radio program during the year.	a. Work with the State F.F.A. publicity department in preparing the program.
5. Pictures	5. Make project pictures during the year.	a. Chapter buy kodak. Adviser of members make pictures. Pay expenses from chapter treasury.
6. Window Display	6. Prepare one window display.	a. Members work up display. Use downtown window.
7. Bulletin Board	7. Display clippings and pictures on bulletin board. Committee	a. Information committee responsible. Post neatly and label appropriately. Change regularly.
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KENTUCKY FUTURE FARMERS COOPERATIVE, INC.

The Kentucky Future Farmers Cooperative, Inc., was organized in the spring of 1943 and completed its first business year April 30, 1944.

During its first year 70 member chapters did a total business of \$127,380.25 through the cooperative. This business included the purchase of 1,618 steer and heifer beef calves, 2,723 head of cross bred yearling ewes and 142 head of dairy calves.

During the past year 186 member chapters did a total business of \$192,502.24 through the cooperative. Purchased in this years business were 1,589 head of beef cattle, 534 head of dairy cattle, 1,550 head of western ewes, 1,669 bushels of hybrid corn and chapter supplies such as fire extinguishers, D. D. T. Cattle spray, and phenothiazine.

THE WATSON ARMSTRONG TROPHY

A trophy will be awarded, at the time of the F. F. A. state meeting, to the local chapter of Future Farmers of America that has made the most outstanding record during the year, and whose record of accomplishments during the year shows the greatest improvement over the record of the previous year. The trophy shall become the property of the winning chapter for one year, when it shall be returned to the state Association to be awarded to another chapter. Each year the name of the winning chapter will be engraved on the trophy. The trophy shall become the permanent property of the first chapter to win it the third time.

This contest shall be conducted according to the following general provisions:

1. The annual report of the local chapter to the State Association of F. F. A. shall constitute that chapter's entry in this contest. No additional reports or information will be required.
2. To be eligible, a chapter also must have submitted its annual chapter report the previous year, since a comparison of the two reports is necessary to select the winning chapter.
3. A chapter in a newly established department of vocational agriculture will not be eligible to compete for this trophy the first year of its existence.
4. The winning chapter will be selected by a committee of judges named by the executive committee of the State Association of the Future Farmers of America.

Past winners of the trophy are:

- 1942—Murray Training Chapter
- 1943—Versailles Chapter
- 1944—Fleming County High Chapter

- 1945—Greensburg Chapter
- 1946—Owingsville Chapter
- 1947—Rowan County Chapter

NATIONAL CHAPTER CONTEST

The National Chapter Contest is designed to create increased member interest, stimulate cooperative interests and to crystallize chapter programs of activities into more worthwhile undertakings.

An official announcement of the rules of the National contest may be obtained from the Division of Vocational Education, Frankfort.

Score Card

	Program of Work Submitted by January 31, 1945	Report on Accomplishments Submitted by September 2, 1945
I. Supervised Farming	50	150
II. Cooperation	40	120
III. Community Service	40	120
IV. Leadership	30	90
V. Earnings and Savings	30	90
VI. Conduct of Meetings	20	60
VII. Scholarship	20	60
VIII. Recreation	20	60
Total Perfect Score	250	750

Awards

Awards will be made at the National Convention as follows:

To Gold Emblem Chapters—An official national plaque with a gold emblem in miniature and a certificate of merit.

To Silver Emblem Chapters—An official national plaque with a silver emblem in miniature and a certificate of merit.

To Bronze Emblem Chapters—An official national plaque with a bronze emblem in miniature and a certificate of merit.

To Honorable Mention Chapters—A certificate of merit.

Kentucky Chapters have given an excellent account of themselves in the National Chapter Contests in the past. Gold Emblem winners from Kentucky follow:

- 1942—Stamping Ground
- 1943—Stamping Ground
Bagdad
- 1944—No entries
- 1945—Lafayette—Bryan Station
- 1946—Lafayette—Bryan Station
Versailles
- 1947—Owingsville—Versailles

HOW APPLY FOR THE KENTUCKY FARMER DEGREE

Forms for filing application for the Kentucky Farmer Degree may be obtained from the Division of Vocational Education, Frankfort, Kentucky. Applications should be sent to the above office by March 15, 1948.

Every Future Farmer who can meet qualifications for the Kentucky Farmer Degree is entitled to become an applicant for the degree. If the fifteen following questions can be answered in the affirmative about a Future Farmer, he should become a candidate for the degree.

1. If he were to receive the Kentucky Farmer Degree, would he be a credit to his chapter?
2. Has he held the degree of Future Farmer at least one year immediately preceding the coming state F. F. A. meeting?
3. Has he been an active member of the F. F. A. for two years?
4. Has he completed two years of class work in vocational agriculture?
5. Does he now have an outstanding program of supervised farming?
6. Is he familiar with the provisions of the constitution of the State Association and the National Organization?
7. Is he familiar with parliamentary procedure?
8. Can he lead a group discussion for 40 minutes?
9. Can he pass a reasonable farming test?
10. Has he earned \$250 from farming?
11. Has he saved and invested in farming, or otherwise productively invested, \$250?
12. Has he demonstrated leadership ability in chapter, student, or community activities?
13. Does he stand above the lowest 25 per cent of his high-school class in grades made?
14. Has he participated in an outstanding way in activities for community and agriculture betterment?
15. Will his records in the department substantiate his qualifications?

HOW TO APPLY FOR THE AMERICAN FARMER DEGREE

Applications for the American Farmer Degree are due in the National Office by June 1, 1948. Boys holding the Kentucky Farmer Degree who have been out of high school one year and not more than three years are eligible to make application for the degree.

Forms for making applications may be secured from the Division of Vocational Education, Frankfort, Kentucky. Advisers and

candidates should begin work on the application by March 1, 1948. Applications should be mailed to the above office on or before April 1, 1948. After applications are sent to the National Office, they cannot be returned for corrections.

Qualifications for the American Farmer Degree are outlined in Article V, Section E, of the National Constitution.

From the list of applications submitted to the National Office, the Kentucky Association in state meeting may make nominations for the degree. A state may nominate one candidate for each thousand affiliated members.

AMERICAN FARMERS

The following young men have merited the recognition of the American Farmer degree:

1932

Charles Mathis, Jr.—Athens Chapter
Joseph Heady—Daviness County Chapter

1933

George H. Rudy—Daviness County Chapter

1934

John A. Riesz—Daviness County Chapter

1935

Lloyd Burris—Stamping Ground Chapter
Harlan Veal—Bryan Station Chapter

1936

James Franklin LeBold—Daviness County Chapter
Julian Pierce—Stamping Ground Chapter

1937

James McConathy III—Picadome Chapter

1938

John Robert Bottorf—Liberty Chapter
Robert Davis—Bryan Station Chapter
Elmer Smith—Bryan Station Chapter
Samuel R. Sauer, Jr.—Daviness County Chapter

1939

J. W. Croft—Marion Chapter
Charles Stephens Hayden—Daviness County Chapter
E. R. Kelly, Jr.—Lewisburg Chapter (Mason Co.)
Billie Renaker—Connersville Chapter
E. B. Wilson, Jr.—Daviness County Chapter

1940

James Bratton—Ewing Chapter
Albert T. Crosby—Lewisburg Chapter (Mason Co.)
Roy H. Hunt—Meade County Chapter
Robert Hutton—Stamping Ground Chapter
Lewis Kelly—Lafayette Chapter
James E. Murray—Deming Chapter

1941

Winifred Guess—Heath Chapter
William Dale Johnson—Stamping Ground Chapter
William Leach—Great Crossing Chapter
Seth T. Posey, Jr.—Corydon Chapter
S. D. Weakley, Jr.—Bagdad Chapter
Charles H. White, Jr.—Clay County Chapter

1942

Joe W. Beck—Alexandria Chapter
George Busey—Bagdad Chapter
William Bush—Clark County Chapter
William LeGrand—Daviness County Chapter
Robert Ballingal—Deming Chapter
John Burrier—Lafayette Chapter
Charles Eastin—Lafayette Chapter
David Cleveland—Pleasureville Chapter

1943

Glen Nelson Alexander—Estill County Chapter
Warren Clay Hibbs—Bardstown Chapter
Vernon Montgomery—Camp Dick Robinson Chapter
James Welch—Versailles Chapter

1944

Robert Cleveland—Pleasureville Chapter
Robert Smith—Hodgenville Chapter
Henry Robertson—Minerva Chapter
John Barnett—Bagdad Chapter
Presley Sauer—Daviness County High Chapter

1945

Walter Coleman—Lafayette Chapter
Leonard Geohegan—Bardstown Chapter
Roy Rice—Minerva Chapter
Robert Tyler—Adairsville Chapter

1946

Paul Smart—Versailles Chapter
Randall Miller—Meade County Chapter
Guy S. Howard—Calhoun Chapter
Harry Emmick—Lewisport Chapter
Joe Glen Edelden—Flaherty Chapter
G. W. Bryant—Jeffersontown Chapter

1947

Richard E. Justis—Caneyville Chapter
William L. Sipes—Meade County Chapter
Royce C. McCormick—Daviness County Chapter
George Henry Stephens—Owingsville Chapter
Thomas Bruce Shields—Owingsville Chapter
Samuel Eugene Hudson—Calhoun Chapter
Charles Kenton Hester—Deming Chapter
Joe D. Whittington—Bloomfield Chapter

In addition, the honorary American Farmer Degree has been conferred upon six Kentuckians:

Ivan Jett, Teacher of Agriculture, Stamping Ground, Kentucky.
R. H. Woods, Director of Vocational Education, Frankfort, Kentucky.
W. C. Mantgomery, Teacher of Agriculture, Stamping Ground
Kentucky.
Fred Trammell, Teacher of Agriculture, Bagdad, Kentucky.
J. P. Truitt—Teacher of Agriculture, Lexington, Kentucky.
C. O. Neel—Teacher of Agriculture, Versailles, Kentucky.
Wm. Judge—Teacher of Agriculture, Owingsville, Kentucky

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