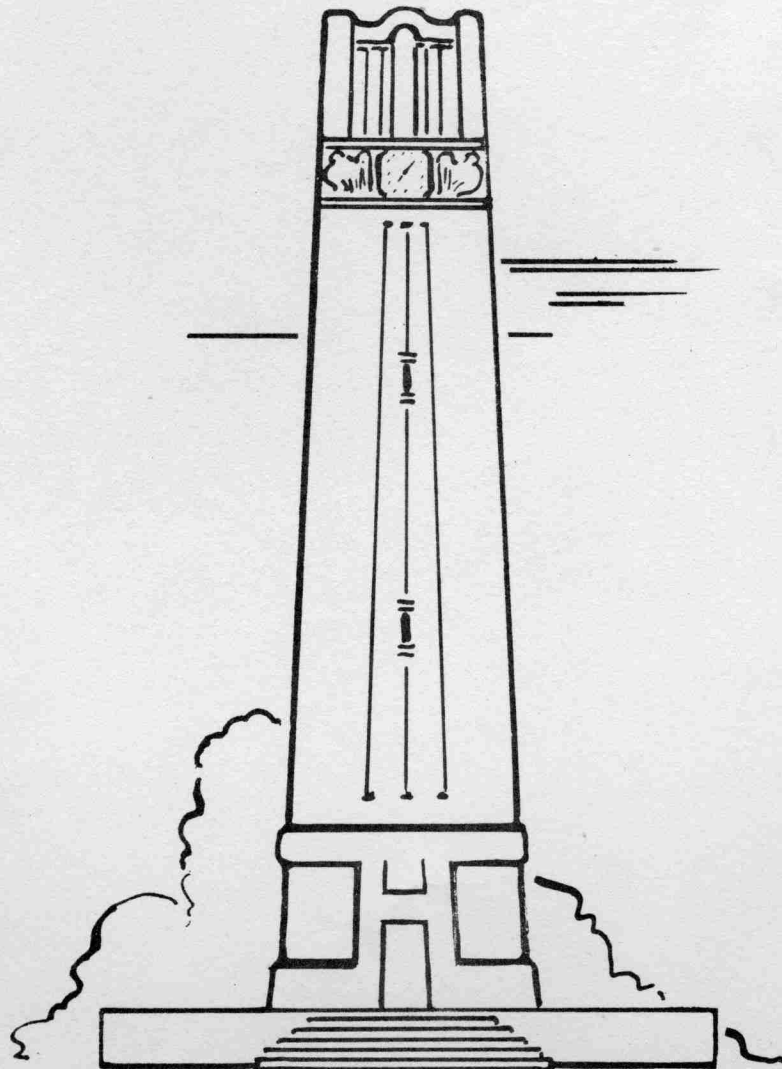


# CLOVER LEAVES

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## HAND IN HAND

Someone made the statement yesterday that State 4-H Club Week and rainy weather seem to go hand in hand. Of course, no one can control the weather; therefore, it is necessary to take what comes and make the best of it. Today's forecast states that more showers are on the way and will probably continue throughout the week. This is not intended to dampen the spirits of anyone, but merely to inform you that it would be well to carry your raincoat or umbrella with you unless you consider yourself an expert weather prophet.

So far the showers have only cooled the weather a bit and have not been too much of a handicap to the variety of activities taking place on the campus. It has been necessary to change the meeting places a time or two, but the program has continued to go on. So don't let the weather worry you.

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## WHO SAID IT RAINED?

Several referred to yesterday's showers as rain, actually they were only showers. Some got wet and some didn't. Some got soaked and some got sprinkled. Some got disturbed and some didn't. Some decided to stay in, but most everyone decided to go on the big tour and take part in the other features of the afternoon program.

Those attending the tour visited the State Capitol and many other interesting sights in Raleigh. For many of them, this was their first view of the Capitol and everyone seemed to welcome the chance to go inside and see where much of the state governmental activities are conducted.

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RABBITS WOULDN'T  
HAVE A CHANCE

One club member stated last night, after seeing the sharp-shooting demonstration by Wilber E. Cox of the Remington Arms Company, that "a rabbit wouldn't have a chance if he got up in front of that man."

No doubt others who saw the demonstration will agree, because Mr. Cox proved during his demonstration that there was more to shooting than catches the eye. Shooting a cabbage head may not be the cheapest nor easiest way to make slaw, but Mr. Cox did an excellent job of shredding cabbage last night with his gun. He also made some nice kindling out of wood blocks. No sir, a rabbit wouldn't have a chance if he got up in front of that man.

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DELEGATES ARE PLEASED  
WITH PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Many club delegates have already voiced their opinion on what a wonderful time they are having during their big week. Others are showing their satisfaction with broad smiles and happy faces.

State Club Leader L. R. Harrill and his assistants Mr. Jesse James, Miss Mary Sue Moser, Mr. Oscar Phillips and Miss Eleanor Barber, are to be congratulated for their untiring efforts in planning a well-rounded program of information and recreation for the club delegates. These leaders have been assisted by many other Extension workers who gave valuable help in getting everything in readiness for the week's program.

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NEW MEMBERS CHOSEN  
FOR HONOR CLUB

Twenty-four outstanding club members were inducted into the 4-H Honor Club in the traditional ceremonies held Tuesday night.

The new members of the highest society in the State 4-H organization were chosen because of outstanding rural achievements and leadership, including both farm and home improvement projects.

The list of new members follows:

Francis Pressly, Iredell County; Frances Ann Lancaster, Edgecombe; Frank Johnson, Jr., Cumberland; Jane Alexander, Gaston; Dolly Ann Hedgecock, Guilford; Joyce Auten, Mecklenburg; Charles B. Culp, Mecklenburg; D. G. Harwood, Jr., Stanly; William Moore, Jr., Edgecombe; Helen Miller, Forsyth; Hazel Garris, Pitt; James Wright Jackson, Sampson.

Mary Alice Kerr, New Hanover; Mary Hayes Farmer, Cherokee; Lota Leigh Harrison, Camden; Paul Breedlove, Nash; Betty Moore, Iredell; Paul Wagoner, Guilford; Mary Sue Nichols, Wake; Bobby Lee Cockerham, Surry; Hilton Brooks, Union; Dorothy Mae Shields, Cherokee; Bill Rufty, Iredell; and Sara Alice Lewis, Rutherford.

This represents the largest group of initiates ever admitted to the organization at one time.

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DELEGATES ENJOY TALK BY  
DR. KENNETH McFARLAND

Dr. Kenneth McFarland, superintendent of schools in Topeka, Kansas, speaking at the general assembly in Riddick Stadium Tuesday night, told club delegates that "what we must teach our people again is something that once they knew; namely, that once men have been born free and equal with other men; once men have had equality before the law--after that equality means equality of opportunity."

"That is," he continued, "original Americanism. There is not a single word in our beloved constitution, nor a word in our immortal Declaration of Independence that guarantees any man results. These great instruments of government speak entirely in terms of opportunity.

"The job of organized government is to keep the road open and the ladder up. It is our job as individuals to take that road and climb the ladder up, and we do it on our own power."

Dr. McFarland was introduced by Frances Lancaster of Edgecombe County.

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MECKLENBURG COUNTY DELEGATES  
CONDUCT VESPER SERVICE

Tuesday night's vesper service was conducted by the Mecklenburg County delegation, headed by Freddie Simpson of the Hickory Grove Club. Joyce Auten of the Long Creek Club was the pianist for the service. Others appearing on the program were Carol Bradford, Ramah Club; Doris Davis, Cornelius Club; Louise Simpson, Oakhurst Club; and Martha Kate Cashion, Cornelius Club.

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ATTRACTIVE AT FIRST SIGHT

4-H boys and girls, I arrived in Raleigh Monday afternoon about 1:15 and was registering at the State College YMCA at 1:30.

There was a person that attracted my attention very much. He is from Wilmington, is tall, has dark complexion, and sandy hair. He is always dressed neatly in sport clothes, seems to have a wonderful personality and looks like he is about 18 years old.

Everytime I go into the YMCA or the cafeteria, he is always there. Now take a guess girls, because he is there, if you know what I mean.

Julia Stokes  
Pitt County

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SONG LEADERSHIP

Dr. Frederick S. Smith is a wonderful song leader. He can make music really enjoyable in more ways than one. We sang new songs and old songs in our group meeting Wednesday morning. Some of the new ones we learned were "A Place In The Sun", and "Dreaming". Other songs we sang were probably new to some and old to others but we all sang just the same.

Dr. Smith is leader of the choir for the health festival which I am sure will be

a very beautiful event. He wants a choir of approximately 40 club members. We have enjoyed singing with Dr. Smith these first three days and I know we will continue to enjoy his services.

Norma Ann Putman  
Gaston County

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#### NARROW ESCAPE

Have you ever been chased by an enemy? This is just what happened to us last night.

We were walking alone, and the first thing we knew we were being chased. We ran over hills, across a bridge and through the brush and finally we reached home just in time.

This is just what happened last night in recreation lead by Miss Harriet Ellicott.

Mildred Spurling  
Cleveland County

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#### EVENING PROGRAM

Our evening program Tuesday began with a sheep herding demonstration which was of great interest.

Following the sheep herding demonstration was an address by Dr. Kenneth McFarland, superintendent of schools in Topeka, Kan.

The next thing in store was the State 4-H Honor Club Program. Other features were recreation lead by Miss Harriett Ellicott and Vespers conducted by Mecklenburg County.

Mildred Spurling  
Cleveland County

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#### THE RALEIGH TOUR

The Raleigh tour went on yesterday in spite of "old man weather" who was threatening with showers. All of the 4-H members enjoyed the trip, I am sure.

The capitol is a beautiful building. From the Capitol we visited the State Museum which is another very interesting place. You will find most everything in the museum. Coming back home we got a glimpse of Peace College and St. Marys.

Betty Gwyn Watson  
Craven County

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### SLEEPING BEAUTY

How would you like to sleep on a dining room table all night, not to your own knowledge, and be called a "sleeping beauty"? This really happened to one of our former 4-H members at a 4-H Club Camp.

While the clubbers had gone to recreation, this girl, my sister, remained in her room because she had a slight headache. As the girls were coming back to their rooms, they decided they would love to play a prank on someone. Their first idea was to play it on some one who had not gone to recreation.

When they arrived at their rooms they saw my sister sound asleep so they thought - she's the one. While still sleeping soundly, my sister was picked up by the girls, mattress and all. They drug her through the hall while she still slept soundly during their laughing and joking about her not waking. The girls finally arrived in the dining hall and while they were picking my sister up to put her on the dining table they nearly dropped her, but still no sound. After a long struggle they finally got her - mattress and all on the table.

As all the girls came from recreation they would stop, look and laugh, but still no sound. The girls tacked a note on the table which read: "SLEEPING BEAUTY, DO NOT DISTURB."

When my sister awoke next morning, she could not figure out how she happened to be on the dining table. As she was trying to get off the table one of the counselors came by and asked why she was sleeping on the table. The counselor knew it was just a prank that some of the club members had played.

After all the club members had found out about the prank, my sister was known as "Sleeping Beauty" by all the campers for the remainder of the week.

Marion Gravitt  
Stokes County

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DELEGATES HEAR  
DR. I. G. GREER

"The greatest art in the world is learning how to live and live well," declared Dr. I. G. Greer, executive vice-president of the Business Foundation of North Carolina, in an address to club delegates Wednesday morning.

Speaking at the regular morning general assembly, Dr. Greer told the 4-H Club members that "it is tragic to learn how to make a living and in doing so fail to learn how to live. You must link your ideals with the practical things of life, and in doing that you must learn to use what you have."

Normal people, the speaker said, do not fail because they do not have. Rather, they fail because they do not use what they have.

Following his address, Dr. Greer was requested by the presiding officer, Vice-

President Margaret Putnam of Gaston County, to sing some of the ballad and folk songs for which he is well known. He complied by rendering "Old Smoky" and "Single Gal", both of which made a big hit with his audience.

Dr. Greer was introduced by William Moore of Edgecombe County. Prior to the address, Janice Yogel of Perquimans County led the pledge of allegiance to the flag, and Grayson Bradley of Henderson County led the 4-H Club pledge. A vocal number was given by Bill Wright of Cleveland, who was accompanied at the piano by his sister, Patsy. Group singing was led by Dr. Frederick Stanley Smith, director of music at Christ Church in Raleigh.

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#### CONGRATULATIONS TO OFFICERS

Present officers of the State 4-H Council have been doing an outstanding job in presiding over the various meetings so far this week and in carrying out their other duties. So before they retire from their present posts and hand the reigns to the new officers who will be elected tomorrow, the CLOVER LEAVES staff would like to congratulate them on a job WELL DONE. The present officers are: D. G. Harwood, Jr., Stanly County, president; Margaret Putnam, Gaston, vice-president; William Moore, Edgecombe, secretary-treasurer; and Frances Lancaster, Edgecombe, historian.

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#### ELECTION TIME DRAWING NEAR

The nominations for new officers of the State Council have already been made and the heat is on. Posters are going up all over the campus, and club members are being approached to cast their votes for this one and that one. There has been a group of outstanding and well qualified members nominated for the respective offices they are seeking, so regardless of the choice of the delegates, they can rest assured that they will have an efficient group of officers for the coming year.

Nominations for officers made at Wednesday Morning's general assembly were: PRESIDENT: Rosa Carolyn Crouse, Davidson County; Hazel Garris, Pitt; Betty Moore, Iredell; and Dolly Ann Hegecock, Guilford; VICE-PRESIDENT: James Wright Jackson; Sampson; Frank Johnson, Jr., Cumberland; Grayson Bradley, Henderson; and Horace Layden, Perquimans. SECRETARY-TREASURER: Bobby Williams, Wilson; Paul Wagoner, Guilford; and Hugh Lytton, Catawba. HISTORIAN: Joyce Auten, Mecklenburg, Dorothy Shields, Cherokee; Eyleyn Waugh, Surry; and Barbara Ann Cooke, Northampton.

ELECTION TIME IS THURSDAY AFTERNOON FROM 12 NOON UNTIL 7 P. M. SO BE SURE TO CAST YOUR VOTE.

#### OUTSTANDING FEATURES PLANNED FOR WEDNESDAY EVENING

Two outstanding features are scheduled for Wednesday evening's program. One of them will be the Health Festival during which time the health King and Queen will be crowned. Johnston County's delegation will be in charge of this event. The other attraction will be an address by Mr. Mark Love. Mr. Love will speak on "The Romance of Uncle Sam."

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