

North Carolina 4-H Congress - N. C. State University

HUNT CHALLENGES 4-H'ERS TO COMMUNITY SERVICE

North Carolina's Lt. Governor Jim Hunt challenged North Carolina 4-H members to go home and work to make their communities better places to live.

Speaking at the Wednesday morning assembly at State 4-H Congress, Hunt said individual effort wouldn't appear to do much good, but when these contributions were added up we would have a great State.

Hunt said we must work together to provide equal opportunites to all people in the State---education, health care, jobs with good incomes, and good living conditions.

"We need strong leadership and a government composed of competent and dedicated people that are honest and ethical to implement this program," he remarked.

Hunt was introduced to the Congress delegates by Dr. Nash N. Winstead, Provost and Vice-Chancellor of North Carolina State University. Hunt is an alumnus of NCSU.

AGENTS AND LEADERS HEAR REV. BERG

Special interest sessions were the highlight of the day Wednesday as Congress delegates and their leaders attended morning sessions.

4-H agents and volunteer leaders heard the Rev. Oddvar Berg's presentation on "What's Right with America."

Berg, who now resides in Russellville Ky., is a native of Norway. He spent 20 (continued on page 4) Sicon acae cs Z

OVER-ALL FASHION REVUE WINNER

Miss Lesli Jordan of Kinston has been selected to represent North Carolina at the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, Ill., this November where she will compete with other Fashion Revue winners from across the nation for national honors and scholarships. Her trip to the Congress will be sponsored by the Simplicity Pattern Company.

In keeping with the theme of the revue, Hawaiian leis were presented to runner-up Opal Henigham of Union County and to Miss Jordan by United Airlines Representatives Mr. and Mrs. King.

Thursday, July 24, 1975

"LEARN, LIVE, SERVE, THROUGH 4-H"

TALENT SHOW TO HIGHLIGHT FINAL EVENING

Talented 4-H'ers from across the State, screened in rigorous district contests, present their talent specialities to their fellow 4-H'ers and guests tonight.

Earlier in the Share-the-Fun in 4-H talent contests, blue ribbon winners were selected at the seven District Activity Days. At these presentations, some 225 talent numbers were presented involving 408 different 4-H members.

The talent presented tonight at the Scott Pavillion on the ground of the North Carolina State Fair represents some of the best talent viewed at the earlier district contests.

Time does not permit the presentation of all district blue ribbon winners, and tonight's show represents a selection based on both quality and variety.

Gwyn and Crystal Nelson of Scotland County will be tap dancing to a Bicentennial theme. Lenoir County's karate, judo, and ju-jitsu practitioners Robert and Debbie Sutton will give a demonstration of these oriental martial arts.

A young Orange County 4-H'er, Darrell Wilkerson will play "Cripple Creek" for the audience. And an even younger Cumberland County miss will demonstrate the art of the acrobatic dance.

Mark Johnson, Debbie Miller, Johnny Miller, and Mike Randall, all of Lincoln County, will make a musical presentation. Michael Metcalf from Madison County will perform on the piano.

Guilford County's "Lynnettes" will present a modern dance feature. The performers include: Lynn Gray, Donna Deberry, Donna Dalton, Monica Dalton, Mary Brown, Bonita Moore, Renett Deberry, Aleathea Deberry, Dauna Brown, Angela Boyd, Debera Warren, and Beverly Dalton.

Anson County's Barbara Nance will entertain with a vocal solo.

Magic will also be on the program. Mark Daniel from Davie County will present a magic act with the assistance of his helpers Steve and Mike Murphy. Picking and singing, always a popular feature of any talent show, highlights Lindsey Howard and Patricia Miller from Pasquotank County. And fancy baton twirling will highlight Onslow County's Bobbie Marshall.

Broadway music is the theme of a presentation by Daketia Vanderburg of Cabarrus County. Not only has she designed and made her own costumes she is also her county's outstanding girl 4-H'er.

Music and creative dancing are combined when the Haywood County group consisting of Patricia Bouknight, Tony Ingram, Otecia Cullin, and Regina Howard get together. Kim Elliott from Ashe County will present a variety act.

Avery County's "Plumtree Plums," a popular square dancing group will also perform. Members include: Lisa Franklin, Libby Franklin, Teresa Moody, Sandra Hoilman, Annette Buchanan, Laura Wise, Susan Avery, Ann Avery, Phillip Barrier, Stokes Calloway, Chip Johnson, Dale Wiseman, Jeff Phillips, Randy Carpenter, Bill Wise, Jim Wise, and Judge Avery.

Others presenting talent numbers are: Wanda Locklear, Hoke County, Vocal solo; Edna Davis, Northampton County, original dance; and cowboys and cowgirls from Union County, Dasha Efrid, Tommy Haigler, Lynn Baker and Keitha Pierce, singing "Ride 'em Cowboy."

Master of Ceremonies for this evening's talent parade will be William E. Triplett, Associate Extension Agent, 4-H, from Iredell County.

The Talent Show Committee was chaired by Dick Peterson of Randolph County. Other committee members included: Fletcher Barber, Jones County; Mike Hand, Onslow; Pinkie Mann, Hyde; Katheryn B. Reese, Wilkes; Lathan Smith, Davidson; Emily Watson, Burke; and Willie Earl Wilson, Union.

Judges at the District conferences who selected tonight's talent included: Reese Edwards, NCSU; Clyde Chesney, A & T State University; Ms. Becky Burgess, Northwestern District; Dr. Melvin Goode, N. C. Dept. of Public Instruction;

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PENNSYLVANIA DELEGATE ROOMING WITH ROWAN COUNTY

An out-of-state delegate, Pat Wolff, from West Moreland County, Pennsylvania, is rooming with Anne Helms from Rowan County this year at Club Congress. Pat arrived at the Raleigh Airport at 7:47 P.M. on Monday. She is 19 years old and attends Penn State University. She has been a members of 4-H for ten years, working with both the Home Economics and Agriculture Projects. This year she is carrying two dairy projects, sewing, and a demonstration. Pat selected to visit N. C. because of her outstanding record book. Pat says she is very impressed with the N. C. 4-H Program at Club Congress and is having a great time!!!!!

> Mark Helms Rowan County

TALENT SHOW (continued from page 2)

Ms. Gaysheron Greene, Southeastern District; Ms. Eliza Y. Jenkins, Northeastern District; Ms. Ruth Jewell, N. C. Dept. of Public Instruction; Ms. Louise Maybin, Southwestern District; Mr. Robert Murphy, South Central District; and Ms. Ada Sharp; North Central District.

THOUGHTS AFTER. . . .

"After five years of hard work, Mike has really tried hard to reach his goalbecome state winner. Sure am happy for him!"

> Andy Dunlap Moore County

"Tonight I found out some way to get involved in the Health Program, never thought of being a candy striper before all this."

> Betty Lou Davis Martin County



FUTURE DESIGNER

Boy's sewing? That's sissy! Well Opal Henighan from Union County doesn't think so. He loves to sew! He finds sewing a useful hobby, something to do in spare time, and saves a lot of money. He even sews for the public.

In the picture above is Opal modeling his tux for the Fashion Revue. The tux is creme-colored polyester trimmed with beige satin, long set in sleeves, with in-set satin pleates, fully lined, and satin covered buttons. The slacks have a high waist band with satin trimmed down the side of the legs, and a western yoke which he designed for the back of the slacks. Underneath the tux he wears a beige satin V necklined vest. The vest features a back button belt. The entire suit is top stitched.

Opal's future plans are to continue his education at Winston-Salem for 4 years in Business Administration. For these 4 years, he's received a scholarship from R. J. Reynolds Tobacco, for \$1,400 each year! After he graduates there he plans to go to New York to attend a Fashion School.

Opal is very creative, talented and I'm sure he will be successful! We wish him the best of luck!

> Pam Smith Bladen County

CLOTHING CAMP RESULTS

The 4-H Fashion Revue for girls was held before State Congress at Betsy - Jeff Penn 4-H Center near Reidsville.

Lesli Jordan, Kinston, won first place, and Margie Sanderson, Four Oaks was runner-up.

Miss Jordan, age 16 and a 4-H member for seven years, constructed and modeled a lined red gabardine blazer, white pleated skirt and a red white and blue print blouse in sheer fabric with shaped yoke and topstitching detail.

Miss Sanderson, age 17 and 4-H member for eight years, made and modeled a polyester double knit melon colored dress and a matching print jacket. The fitted jacket was outlined with detailed topstitching. The blouse jacket featured wide lapels and was accented with a melon belt.

FELLOWS CHOSEN

Tuesday the Boys Fashion Revue held at State Congress and the winner was chosen from the 7 contestants.

Opal Henighan, Union, won first place and the runner-up was David M. Weavil, Forsyth.

The top winner is 17 and has been sewing for a short time. Opal Henighan made and modeled a cream colored shadow print tuxedo with satin lapels, satin vest, and cream colored slacks with a ruffled shirt with brown trim and a brown tie to complete the look. He designed the belt on the vest. changed the back vent of the jacket, which shows his creative abilities.

The runner-up, David M. Weavil, 16 year old 4-Her of Forsyth also looked quite sharp in his entry. He made and modeled a brown corduroy western jacket, double knit plaid slacks and a western style jacket.

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"Why does a 4-Her have TGIF written on his tennis shoes?

"So that he knows that his toes go in first.

BERG ADDRESSES LEADERS

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years in the Belgian Congo as a missionary and educator. He left the Congo when the political troubles began in 1960. He spent two year in Brussles, Belgium where he was a professor at the Royal College. His family emigrated to the United States in 1962 with the help of the Resettlement Service of the United Presbyterian Church of the United States. He became a citizen in 1968.

Berg has pastored churches in both Tennessee and Alabama. At present he travels extensively throughout the United States making his presentation at colleges, universities, high schools, business conventions, service clubs and churches.

TELL 'EM ALL ABOUT IT

Some North Carolina State student need to receive more knowledge about the counties in North Carolina and about 4-H.

Many North Carolina State students had never heard of 4-H, but knew much less about it than many of us expected.

Even though we were extremely busy and in a hurry to get to our numerous appointments, we as 4-H'ers had to take time out and explain that 4-H wasn't all for "Country folk".

> Patsey Moseley Northampton County

HE MADE DATES GOWN

Opal Henighan, Boys' Fashion Revue winner from Union has an interesting story to tell. He is one of the few boys who taught himself to sew. After sewing a year and a half, Opal stitched up his vest and pants in two afternoons after school. Our state winner is also talented in design. Opal wore his suit to his high school Junior-Senior Prom and made his date a matching dress. He wouldn't comment on how they looked but said he received plenty of complements.

> Jessica Huneycutt Chatham County

STATE WINNERS HONORED AT BANQUET

Tonight the North Carolina State 4-H Project and Demonstration winners will be honored with a reception and banquet in the ballroom of the University Student Center.

Presiding at the festive occasion will be Mary Landen of Anson County, State Achievement Winner. The invocation will be given by Willie L. Moore of Duplin County, State Public Speaking Winner. Dee McNamara of Forsyth County, State Leadership winner will give thanks to donor companies and individual sponsors for their financial and moral support of North Carolina's 4-H Program.

Dr. Carlton Blalock, associate director of the North Carolina Agricultural Extension Service, and Dr. Chester Black, State 4-H Leader, will introduce the individual winners.

Bill Belk of Rowan County will entertain the guests during the banquet and Steele Sasser of Wayne County will be playing the piano during the reception.

Tonight's principal speaker will be Reverend Oddvar Berg, who addressed agents and leaders this morning.

We extend our thanks to those people attending tonight and for the support to our 4-H program which they and their sponsors represent.

4-H CAMP COUNSELOR

Dorothy Freeman, 19, of Guilford County always wanted to be a camp counselor ever since she attended her first camp at the age of nine.

This year she got her chance as a Jr. counselor at Millstone 4-H Camp near Ellerbe, North Carolina.

Being a Key Award recepient, State Jr. Dairy Foods Alternate, 10th place winner in this year's Fashion Revue, and an Honor Club member are just a few of her achievements.

She plans to enter the North Carolina State University as a freshman this fall. Let's all wish her luck.

> Patsey Moseley Northampton County

INTERESTED IN ATTENDING N. C. S. U.

One of the many special interest sessions attended by 4-H'ers on Thursday was entitled "The University". The Session was led by Jeff Mann, who is Assistant Dean of Student Development at N. C. S. U. He said that there are about 16,000 students attending State this fall, about 3,100 of which will be freshmen. He estimated that approximately 1,000 students will drop out during the first semester because of difficulty adjusting to life on the campus. This should leave enough room in the resident halls for those who desire to live on campus.

He also said that the average SAT score at State is 1100, and that all high school seniors who are interested in attending should apply as soon as possible.

Mr. Mann said that student life is based on desires of the individual, and if a student wishes to roam around and/or party until 4:00 a.m. on the night before final exams, he is free to do so. Besides living in residence halls, there are several fraternities maintained at the school, and the building of a sorority house is in the process. Mr. Mann impressed everyone with his talk, and it looks like N. C. S. U. will now have several more applicants to consider come November.

If you have any questions or would like some information about State, Mr. Mann said feel free to drop in his office, whenever possible.

> Mark Helms Rowan County

LET'S KEEP IT ALL TOGETHER

We N. C. 4-H'er are not living in the past of this state. One 4-H'er displayed Confederate flags Wednesday evening and many feel that something should be said.

We are supposed to be living in a land of equality for all which gives us freedom of speech. 4-H is supposed to get us "all" together and we sincerely hope the small gap caused by that action can be joined indefinitely.

> Patsey Moseley Northampton County

RALEIGH IS FANTASTIC FOR 4-H CLUB CONGRESS

A better place is not to be found for holding Club Congress! Friendly people, helpful leaders, and encouraging agents and specialists always make any place a better place!

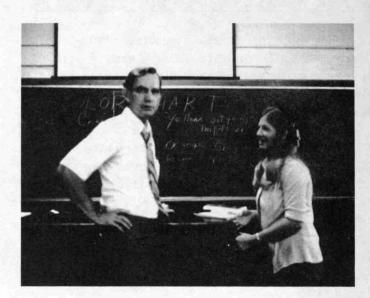
In addition to this, a variety of activities kept 4-H'ers too busy to have a bad time. Recreational facilities on the NCSU campus, and various activities off campus (movies, shopping centers, etc.) gave 4-H'ers plenty of things to do during their leisure time also.

Raleigh <u>is</u> a fantastic city in which to hold Club Congress, however with the enthusiam and spirit as displayed this week in Congress delegates, one can clearly see that location has nothing to do with having a good time!

> Karen Barber Catawba County

CUMULATIVE RECORD WORKSHOP

The Cumulative Record Workshop, one of the delegates' special interest sessions was very educational as well as inspirational. The workshop was conducted by H. Revell Jr., and by North Carolina 1975 National winners. Mr. Revell centered his part in the workshop around the requirements for a cumulative record. He also mentioned some tips on improving and individualizing one's own record book. Those attending the workshop were then divided into groups to rap with national project winners about record books. Those national winners assisting with the workshop were Carol Myers, national Achievement Winner from Forsyth County; Bruce Miner, Automotive, Forsyth County; Ruth Roman, Bread, Duplin County; Adrian Gaskins, Citizenship, Craven County; Lora Richards, Clothing, Wilson County; Shirley Goodnight, Dress Revue, Rowan County; Ann Sharp, Food-Nutrition, Wilson County; Grady Fenner Health, Tyrrell County; and Sharon Runion, Leadership, Mitchell Co.



Above is Leo Hawkins talking with Kim at a Thursday morning session, "Getting In Touch With People!"

Picture by Pam Smith, Bladen County

WILL WE HAVE A 4-H STATE CENTER?

Carol Myers, candidate for State President of Forsyth County has some good intentions.

If she should be elected, she plans to attempt to lay the groundwork for the construction of a State 4-H Center if there are enough interested parties.

Her reason for this planned attempt is especially, but not only to try, to receive feedback from other states whenever there is any type of interstate convention.

As she pointed out, the dormitories will not be available for the 4-H occupancy during the fall and spring semesters.

Usually, if any type of interstate activity is held during these times, Georgia houses the 4-H'er because they have the facility that we so desperately can use.

If Carol Myers receives your support she will do whatever she can to serve the 4-H'ers by trying to get the ball rolling in 4-H.

> Patsey Moseley Northampton County

Karen Barber Catawba County

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