

★ Cass County Extension Service Annual Report ★

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Schmadeke Won Chicago Trip

One of the three Eastern Nebraska residents to earn an award sponsored by the Burlington R. R. was Clarence Schmadeke, Cass County Extension Agent.

The award was an all expense paid trip to the National 4-H club Congress at Chicago November 27—December 2.

Schmadeke has been Extension Agent in Cass County since 1946. His energetic promotion of 4-H club work has helped to boost membership by about 70 per cent over the past 14 years. During his tenure as agent, Cass county has produced 18 scholarship winners, 18 4-H club congress winners, 39 state champions and other award winners.

The Burlington railroad, nation's largest livestock hauler and an important grain carrier, has been promoting the work of farm youth organizations for 33 years.

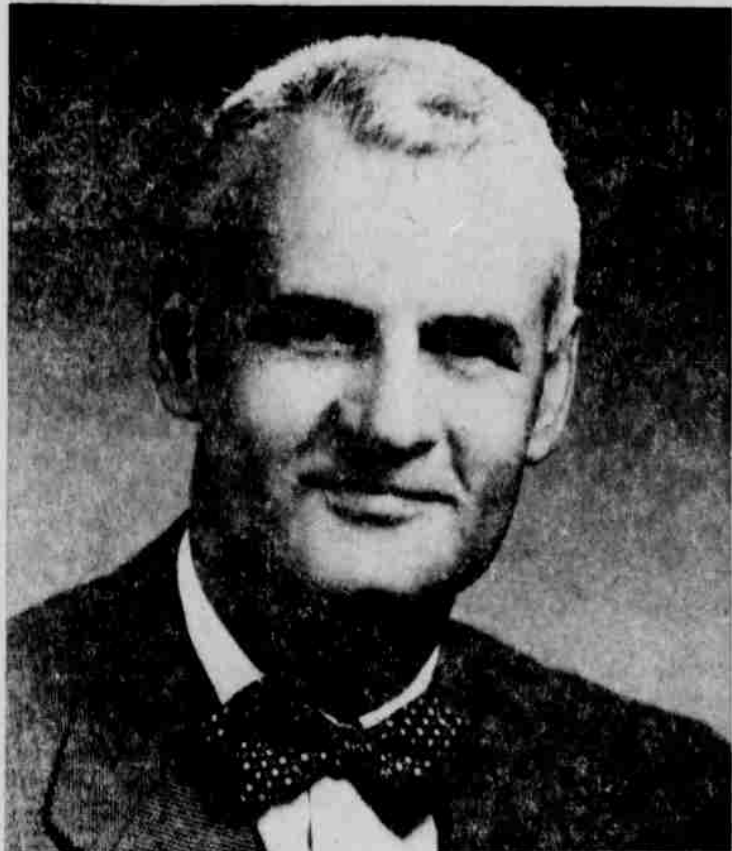
Extension Office Has New Look

The Cass County Extension office has a new look. In fact is in a new location, just across the street, east from where it has been for several years.

The new location is brighter, more spacious and much more comfortable.

There are no velvet rugs but the welcome mat is always out.

The move is made with the anticipation of the Extension Service to better conduct this business and be of greater service to people in Cass County.



Cass County Agent Clarence Schmadeke

Proclamation

Whereas: The Cass County Extension Service is a tax supported institution, located in Weeping Water, Nebraska.

Whereas: Your two Agents are employed to do Agricultural, Home Economics and 4-H club work.

Whereas: An Annual report, from December 1 to November 30 is the official fiscal report year.

Whereas: The Annual report must be made each year and filed with appropriate authorities.

Therefore: We submit this paper report for your pleasure and inspection, and call the fact to your attention that every Cass County citizen is eligible for Services from the Cass County Extension office.

CASS COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE

Elmer Soricck, Chairman
Mrs. Neal Snell, Secretary

"Report Compiled and prepared by Extension Staff."

Clarence Schmadeke and Martha West—Extension Agents
Judy Domingo—Office Assistant

4-H Leaders Receive Awards

Mrs. Lanning Receives Honor

Mrs. Orris Lanning, of Eagle was honored as Rural Homemaker of the Year from Cass County in Omaha. The Chamber of Commerce held its 14th Annual Recognition Day, May 5.

Mrs. Lanning is an active extension club member, and at the present time is secretary of the Extension Club Council.

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Heil and Dodson Win Chicago Trip Awards

Herbert Heil Jr. and Sharon Dodson, are winners of 4-H Awards sponsored by the Murray State Bank. They received an all expense paid trip to Chicago the latter part of November.

One the highlights of the trip each year is to witness the selection of the Grand Champion Steer of the International Livestock Show.

Herb is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Heil of Louisville. He has completed 10 years of 4-H and is now attending the University of Nebraska.

Sharon is the daughter of Mrs. Merritt Dodson of Nehawka. She has completed 9 years of 4-H and is now employed in Lincoln.

150 Attend Extension Banquet

A total of 150 persons attended the Cass County Extension Banquet Jan. 28 at the Agriculture Auditorium in Weeping Water. County 4-H Council chairman, Ralph Wehrlein, presented awards to the 4-H leaders for their achievements during the past year, working with boys and girls of Cass County.

Mrs. A. J. Leadbrand of Greenwood and Mrs. Arnold Detmer of Weeping Water were honored for 15 years of 4-H club leadership. Mrs. Eugene Domingo of Weeping Water and Floyd Althouse of Eagle were presented 10 year awards. The following people were honored for 5 years service: Mrs. Clarence Engelkemler and R. A. Noel of Murray; Mrs. Forrest Engelkemler of Louisville; Donald Fredenburg and Howard Pool of Elmwood; Harold Gregg of Plattsmouth; Mrs. Delbert Hunston of Ashland; Everett Jose and Mrs. Vincent Rehmeier of Weeping Water; Mrs. Boyne Parson of Cedar Creek and Martin Streich of Murdock.

Two year awards were presented to: Mrs. Roy Engelkemler, Elton Erickson, Everett Erickson, Mrs. Milford Hansen, Ernest Hild, Henry Hobscheidt, Mrs. Clyde Jipp, Mrs. Orval Kahler, Mrs. Stanley Lepert, Eugene McGill, Mrs. Glenn Miller, Harold Rice, Mrs. Robert Schneider, Mrs. Charles Spangler, Fred Stickney, Mrs. Glen Terryberry, Franklin Wehrlein, Bert Worthan, Mrs. Arthur Toman and Mrs. Robert Wall.

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Kraegers Hosts for Judging



Seventy 4-H livestock club members participated in a livestock practice judging day. The workshop was held at the Glen Kraeger farm. Classes of hogs, sheep and cattle were judged; the animals belonging to the Kraegers, Leonard Harvey and Joe Lechman.

Herbert Kraeger and Donald Harvey, former 4-H members, and Harold Gregg, a club leader assisted County Agent Schmadeke with the judging workout.

One unexpected activity at the farm that day of July 28 was the disturbance of, what was up to that time, a peaceful nest of wasps. One angry wasp set down and showed his or her wrath on Bill Saxton.

Mrs. Kraeger topped off the successful day with cool refreshments and cookies. The Kraegers were gracious hosts indeed.

Extension Clubs Observe Week

The Annual Spring Tea was the highlight of the National Home Demonstration Week in Cass County. The Extension Council sponsored the tea, held at Weeping Water, May 3. Two hundred-twenty-five members and guests attended the event.

Mrs. Peggy Walton, Home Economist for the Nebraska Wheat Commission, showed slides and told of her trip to Lansanne, Switzerland as a delegate to the International Trade Fair.

Mrs. Lucille Dyer, Public Welfare Director of Cass County, gave a short presentation on Civil Defense in Cass County.

The Southeast group of Extension clubs were in charge of refreshments. Mrs. Richard Johnson, Nehawka and Mrs.

Dennison Price, Murray co-chairmen of the Spring Tea committee.

Clothing Workshop

Mrs. Martha West, County Extension Agent, conducted a beginning clothing workshop for 10 members of the Plattsmouth Woman's Club in October and November, 1960.

A series of 5 meetings were held. Each meeting covered construction problems encountered in making simple garments.

Each of the ladies constructed a dress for practical experience in sewing.

A Classified Ad in The Journal cost as little as 50 cents.

Cass County Host To Sarpy County Poultry Members

Cass County 4-H poultry clubs were hosts for 4-H members from Sarpy county on July 27. Members from both counties participated in judging poultry.

The workout was held in the judging arena of the County Fair barn. Clarence Norris provided the birds to be judged. John Skinner, Extension Poultryman conducted the judging classes.

Cass County 4-H'ers were too gracious as hosts as the Sarpy county team out pointed the Cass County 4-H team in the State Contest, held later in the summer.

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