Several 4-H club members had sheep projects. Kenneth Kopp of Galesville gained State and National recognition by placing fourth in the National Shropshire show at the Minnesota Fair.

**BEF CATTLE**

This year at the County Fair a notable increase in beef cattle was seen. Beef cattle for the feeder market are an excellent means of further diversifying incomes of Trempealeau County farmers.

There is a definite trend toward a grassland agriculture in Trempealeau County, therefore, I feel it should be a policy of the Agent to promote more and better beef cattle.

Plans are made to buy beef cattle for 4-H club projects.

**SWINE**

Swine provide an additional farm income. Further Agent activities on swine will center about management of sow and litter, balanced feed rations, and parasite control. Agent has noticed a definite need for educational work on hog pastures. Too frequently hogs are responsible for severe erosion as they are forced to pasture steep areas. A remedy for this situation would be a larger pasture area preferably on flat ground and have sufficient pasture area so that renovation to legumes and rotation of pastures could be controlled.

4-H club members exhibited 53 head of swine at the Wisconsin State Fair. Many prizes were brought to Trempealeau County.

**POULTRY**

Trempealeau County is one of the largest producing counties in the State.

This year poultry flocks have been increased 25 to 30 percent in an effort to satisfy the production demands of the Government.

Circular letters, office calls, and general farm meetings have been used to keep poultry raisers informed on feeding, disease control and management problems.

Continued extension work is planned on poultry, including meetings and demonstrations on management, feeding, culling, brooding, and disease control.