

April 28, 1950

Residents Have Community Fair

The residents of Doak Springs Community turned out in large numbers to show the spirit of the community not only by their presence, but in number of exhibits shown at the second annual Community Fair and Exposition held April 24. The exhibition was sponsored by the Doak Springs Progressive Club, R. S. Govan, chairman.

Trophies were awarded to the high point scorers. Mrs. Ollie Washington, high point lady, compiled 205 points; Elijah Crittendon, high point man, compiled 42 points. Prizes were also given to the high point family. Trophies were awarded by Miss M. H. Kuykendall and R. S. Govan, homemaking and agriculture advisors at Doak Springs.

The Doak Springs Progressive Club is an organization working with the homemaking and vocational agriculture departments and the principal of the school to make the Doak Springs Community education conscious. Its purpose is to promote the civic and social welfare of the community. The club was organized in 1948, and held its first show in that year. The organization has as its motto "Group progress through individual participation." This motto was offered by Principal W. D. Dunn.

Carlie Redus, vocational agriculture advisor from Schulenburg, James Jackson, advisor from La Grange, Eugene Matthews, advisor from Elgin, and Mr. Dillard, advisor from Manor, served as judges.