MINUTES OF ANNUAL MEETING OF ALABAMA ASSOCIATION OF FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA

Montgomery, Alabama June 8-10, 1976

Registration for the forty-seventh Annual Convention of the Alabama Association, Future Farmers of America, took place in the lobby of Garrett Coliseum Tuesday morning, June 8, 1976 with approximately 368 registering.

The regular program for the Convention began at 1:00 p. m. with delegate orientation, opening ceremony and seating of delegates. Greetings from Mr. Faulkner, Mr. Dilworth and Alabama's own Elton Bouldin, National FFA Vice president.

(See attached program for outline)

BUSINESS SESSION

Tuesday, June 8, 1976 - 2:00 p. m.

There were two amendments to the Constitution. In order for Alabama's Constitution to be in harmony with the National Constitution these two amendments were voted on. The secretary read the amendments to the delegate body. Jimmy Veazey, Isabella FFA Chapter, moved to accept the first amendment as read by Secretary Franklin Dawson. Scott Rice, Stanhope Elmore FFA chapter, seconded. Motion carried. Secretary Dawson presented the second amendment. Nim Russell, Hurtsboro FFA chapter, moved to accept the amendment as read. William Redmayne, George M. Rogers FFA Chapter, seconded. Motion carried. Alabama's Constitution now stands in harmony with the National Constitution.

The State Program of Activities was carefully reviewed and inspected by the State Program of Activities Committee. It was found to be in good order. Gary Mitchell moved the report be adopted as read. Eric Baker, Reeltown FFA Chapter, seconded. Motion carried.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The nominating committee report was read by Gary Mitchell,
State FFA Vice-President He moved to adopt the report. Alan
Neighbors, Alexander City Junior High FFA Chapter, seconded. Motion
carried unanimously. The following were elected as State Officers
for the coming year, 1976-77. The first time in Alabama FFA history
a girl was elected to State FFA Office status. She will serve as 2nd
Vice-President for the 1976-77 school year.

President - Mike Bradford - Scottsboro

Vice-President - Marvis Futral - Eclectic

Vice-President - Pamela Tate - Semmes

Vice-President acting as Secretary - David Hicks, Russellville

Vice-President acting as Treasurer - Jimmy Veazey- Isabella

Vice-President acting as Reporter - Talton Anderson - Cottonwood

Vice-President acting as Sentinel - Chirs Green - J. B. Pennington

HONORARY STATE FARMERS

Candidates for this degree were read by Franklin Dawson, secretary. Franklin moved to accept the report as read.. Russell Britt, Stanhope Elmore B FFA chapter seconded. Motion carried. STATE FARMER DEGREES

The names of 801 candidates for the State Farmer Degree,
approved by the State Executive Committee, were read. Michael
Shewbart, Red Bay FFA chapter, moved the report be accepted as read.
Bill Evans, Sidney Lanier FFA chapter, seconded. Motion carried.

ATTENDANCE

STATE FFA CONVENTION GARRETT COLISEUM MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA

JUNE 8 -- 10, 1976

Number registered (advisors and members)	36
Total number of chapters in Alabama	68
Total number of chapters represented	58
Total number of chapters not represented	10 8
Chapters represented by boys without advisors	0
Chapters represented by advisors without boys	1
CHAPTERS WITH BOYS AND NO ADVISOR CHAPTERS WITH ADVI AND NO BOYS	

Ashford Annex

CHAPTERS NOT REPRESENTED

Orrville
Clay County AVC
Colbert Heights
Marion B Skill Center
Thompson B

Gadsden State Junior College Guntersville Ragland Valley Head Sumter County Training