

A P R O C L A M A T I O N

(4-H Week)

WHEREAS, there are 45,000 rural boys and girls enrolled in 4-H Club work in the State of South Carolina, and

WHEREAS, the 4-H organization has for its purpose the demonstration of improved methods of agriculture, home-making, and instillation of the principles of worthy citizenship in the lives of our young people 10 to 20 years old, and

WHEREAS, in the changing world of agricultural values and practices, 4-H Club members will constitute a most important group which can show the way to improved methods and practices,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, J. Strom Thurmond, Governor of South Carolina, do proclaim the week of March 5-13, 1949, as 4-H CLUB WEEK in South Carolina, for the purpose of paying tribute to our youth who are enrolled in this important patriotic organization and to encourage the continued growth and influence of the 4-H Clubs.

Given under my hand and seal
this 2nd day of March
in the Year of Our Lord,
Nineteen Hundred and Forty-
nine.

J. Strom Thurmond, Governor