STATE FAIR FASHION REVUE

RETURN THIS REGISTRATION TO THE EXTENSION OFFICE BY LAST FRIDAY IN JUNE

(Type or print commentaries using guidelines on this form)

AGE (As of Oct. 1st)__________ NAME____
(Beginning of 4-H Year)

$____________ Complete Cost of Garment(s)

$____________ How much do you think it would cost to purchase a similar garment?

How to Write Your Commentary

Remember, you are writing about yourself. Use your name. Write light and lively descriptions. Be informative. Use active words such as "stepping out," "ready for," "looking snappy," etc. Tell more than the audience can readily see. You do not need to describe in detail the things that are obvious such as "this skirt and jacket." Use fashion adjectives, popular fashion words and catchy phrases. Follow a logical sequence such as top of garment to bottom, outside layers to inside, front to back. Describe how you have accented your outfit with accessories. Highlight any original ideas used in techniques, trims, and accessories. Tell things of special interest about you, the model, such as hobbies, 4-H projects, etc. Tell about where the garment will be worn, versatility, ease of care, money saved or fabric type. Look on the back of the pattern envelope for ideas for construction detail descriptions.

Questions You Should be Prepared to Answer

Where do you plan to wear the outfit?
How does your garment fit into your wardrobe plan?
What was the cost?
How much do you think you would pay to purchase it?
What additional costs were involved in accessorizing?
How many hours did it take to construct the garment?
What do you like most about the garment (outfit)?
Describe what you do to take care of this garment?
How long do you think you will wear this garment?
What new construction methods did you learn?
What was the most difficult problem you had?
What did you have the most fun at?
Would you do anything different next time?