

Susan Nehring Wins State Speech Contest On Soil Conservation

Susan Nehring, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Art Nehring of Hubbard, won first place at the State Soil Conservation speech contest held at Cedar Rapids according to Mrs. Kenneth Meier, Hubbard, secretary of the Ladies Auxiliary of Soil Conservation districts.

MISS NEHRING'S speech was entitled "How Soil Conservation Affects My Future." Her speech centered on the quotation of Theodore Roosevelt "When the soil is gone, man is gone."

Miss Nehring placed first in the Hardin district contest earlier this year and advanced to the regional contest held in Nevada in August. There her speech was judged first place and was chosen to represent the region at the state contest. As first place winner in the state contest, she was presented a \$50 award.

THE CONTEST was held in connection with the 12th Annual Conference of Soil Conservation District Commissioners of Iowa. The conference was held Sept. 7, 8 and 9 at Hotel Roosevelt, Cedar Rapids.

Representing Hardin district commissioners at the conference were Chairman and Mrs. Dean Kelsey, Iowa Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Meier, Hubbard.