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## **Home** Demonstration **Club Week Observed**

All over the nation special emphasis is being given April 30 through May 6 to Home Demonstration clubs.

It is to the home demonstration clubs of Wilkes county that this issue of The Journal-Patriot is dedicated. There are 18 clubs in Wilkes county with a total membership of 550 women. The clubs contain the home makers - the very best citizenship in the county. This newspaper tells in very brief and illustrated form some of the numerous accomplishments of the 18 clubs, to whom we extend congratulations during this Home Demonstration Week.

To give some facts on a state level, we reproduce here the following comment by Verna Stanton, assistant state home demonstration agent:

"The Home — Basis Of A Better World" is the theme for National Home Demonstration Week in North Carolina, April 30th - May 6th. During this special week attention will be focused on what 63 .-242 Home Demonstration Club women are doing in improving their own homes and keeping their families well. At the same time, Home Demonstration club members are broadening their horizons and developing a better understanding of national and international affairs in every state, Hawaii, Alaska ad Puerto Rico. In the 2050 communities in North Carolina where Home Demonstration clubs are orgaized, women will celebrate the week with county-wide meetings, tours to improved homes, demonstrations, exhibits, radio broadcasts and newspaper articles. There will be community "Home Demonstration Days" to recognize the 32,264

leaders for their contribution to the development of better homes and community life. Other activities will point up achievements as rural women hold open house across the State.

From a small beginning in 1911 the Home Demonstration Program in North Carolina has grown to an organization in all of the 100 counties, with a membership of 63,242. This broad program features good home management, nutrition, food production and preservation, home furnishings, and color arrangements, family relations, clothing for the family, citizenship, music appreciation, good reading, community activities, and many other interests of rural families.

Better informed, healthier and happier rural people are important assets to our democracy. Rural people will continue to work toward these vital objectives as they improve homes and community life, which from the basis of a better world.

## **Concerts And** The Community

In 1930 both artists and concert managers were foretelling the twilight of the concert era. Not even the big-name artists were able to compete with the local movie house and the radio in the average Ameri-can town. Only the large cities were able been used in finishing the inter-to secure an absolute divorce to support a concert season, and even there for. it took a national celebrity to fill a concert hall. Younger artists, just as competent to entertain but without a nationally known name, did not stand a chance.

But out of this gloomy picture there was born a new idea, one that not only has helped to keep the concert stage alive, but following recent rains. one which has brought a Carnegie Hall to towns which had never before considered the possibility of a concert season. This was the Organized Audience movement as set forth in the Community Concert Series plan.

The success of the organized audience movement rests upon the unselfish efforts of volunteer committees and campaign workers who make possible permanent concert series in their home cities by perpetuating non-profit membership audiences. As a result of the interest and efforts of these local volunteer workers, great music through great concerts is being enjoyed in almost everytown and city in the United States and Canada ranging in populatio from a few thousands to the millions.

The first Community Concert Association here was organized in 1948, and, since

As a result of a Special Interest meeting given by Miss Rose Elwood Bryan, Extension Specialist from Ra-leigh, Mrs. Wiley Brooks (center) president of the Fairplanes Club, is showing to Mrs. Ben Colvard (left) and Mrs. Claude Deal (right), a hooked rug which she has made. Many women in the county have made and are continuing to make hooked rugs. (Photo By Lane's Studio).

Home Club Members Make Hooked Rug

community house. The party was Charles A. Keyes, Jr., will take a huge success and approximately notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the \$75.00 was netted. Proceeds from

The next project the club has scheduled is building cabinets in. the kitchen.

Mr. A. G. Bumgarner, farmer of the Millers Creek community, on a visit here Wednesday said prospects were good for crops

NOTICE ACTION FOR DIVORCE IN THE SUPERIOR COURT North Carolina, Wilkes County: Mary Frances Keyes

Charles A. Keyes, Jr. The above named defendant,

from the defendant upon the ground that plaintiff and defendant have lived separate and apart for more than two years next preceding the bringing of this action; and the defendant will this further take notice that he is required to appear at the Office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Wilkes County, in the Court-house in Wilkesboro, North Carolina, within twenty days after the 25th day of May, 1950, and an-

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then, has been able to enjoy first class artists in local performances. This week volunteer workers will invited you, the citizens of Wilkes, to join their Community Concert Association. By becoming a member of the association you will be doing much not only to provide the town with local entertainment but also to advance the general appreciation of good music well performed. The possibilities offered through the Wilkes Community Concert Association are limited only by the response of the local public.

**Home Freezer Food Storage Demonstrated** 



This picture shows a group of Moravian Falls Home Demonstration club members. Left to right are: Mrs. J. C. Critcher, Sr., Mrs. L. G. Critcher, Mrs. J. G. Bentley and Mrs. Loyd Phillips. Mrs. L. G. Critcher is showing members of the Moravian Falls Home Demonstration club food she has stored in her home freezer. She has frozen chickens, beef, fruits, vegetables and butter. She wraps left-over foods in foil and places in her freezer. When unexpected guests drop in she warms this food while still in the foil and it is as good as a freshly cooked meal. Bread is especially good. Ice cream, baked cakes, pies, etc., keep indefinitely. (Photo by Lane's Studio.)



The Moravian Falls Home Dem-stration club was one of the first ganized in Wilkes county. It was mainly through its efforts Through the years it has been ac- that the Moravian Falls commun-secure funds for

ity house was built.

Mrs. Perry Lowe is president of the club. Before moving to Moravian Falls she was active in home demontration work in Alexander county. Mrs. C. F. Bretholl is vice-president. She has been president of the club eight of the welve years of its existence and has been vice-president for two other terms. She helped with the organization of the original home demonstration work in the county and was one of a committee who appeared before the county. commissioners to secure funds for the work in Wilkes. Mrs. W. C. Scroggs is secretary and treasur-er of the club and has held this office several different times.

There is a splendid spirit of co-operation in the club. Mrs. J. G. Bentley and Mrs. Loyd Phillips sponsored a party this spring to painting the

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