

### Penny Branch Club

In 1940 the Penny Branch Club decided they needed a club house. A meeting was called and the husbands were invited. The men were interested in the idea and came forward to give help and ideas. They said they would give timber and \$5.00 to start with, that was only four, which made \$20.00, and our Agent gave \$5.00. So with timber on the stump and \$25.00 in cash a start was made. Men were to cut the logs and a log cart was borrowed to haul them out of the woods. The lumber company hauled the logs to the saw mill, sawed them and brought the lumber back to the lot, which had been given by one of the members.

The Club made a crocheted bedspread and sold chanches on it making \$47.00. The County Agent made arrangements for the club to serve a supper to a county committee's meeting, which netted \$35.00. The members decided to put on a cake sale each Saturday in Warsaw in which much needed cash was raised. The weather got too hot for the cake sale and it was discontinued. The men were spending all their spare time working on the club house. The saw mill and all the merchants gave considerable discounts on the lumber sawed and materials bought.

In September the house was completed enough that the members gave a chicken salad supper and made \$25.00 for which doors and windows were bought.

The club has an auditorium 20 by 30 feet, kitchen about 14 by 18

feet, and a storage room 8 by 12 feet. It was swired during the summer by a son of one of the club members.

The public has been very nice to the Penny Branch Club and have donated much money which was a big help, and not only money but an inspiration to work harder.



MRS. ROBERT DAVIS  
President of Penny Branch Club.



MRS. DEWEY POTTS  
Secretary of Penny Branch Club.

Safety in the Rain — When investing in a new umbrella, consider the safety advantages of those covered with transparent plastic. When a transparent umbrella is lowered over the face to keep off driving rain, you can still see where you



MRS. MOLEY PHILLIPS, with her husband, Mrs. Phillips is Vice-President of Penny Branch Club.

### History Of Tin City Club

Do you remember the years 1941 - 45? We of the Tin City Home Demonstration Club remember them all to well. We remember the tragedies, sorrows and heartaches that were happening all around us. But we also remember some of the nice things that happened in those years. One of them we remember very well because in May, 1945, our Club was organized. We were especially happy to have a club in our community. Now we have what we had hoped for, an organization where all of our neighbors and friends could learn a better way of life and while learning could get to know each better.

Cooperation is one of the characteristics of our club. All our members put in their two cents worth when a major issue comes up. They all gladly contribute to the underprivileged and are always willing to help the sick and sorrowing.

Our husbands also appreciate what our club is doing and especially enjoy being invited to our parties we have.

Helpful information and useful suggestions have been given us by our agent, Miss Clontz. We take off our hats to her and her able assistant, Miss Lawson.

We sincerely wish for them the very best things life has to offer.

### History Of The Rose Hill Club

By Mrs. Chester Rouse  
And Mrs. A. B. Lanier

In the community east of Rose Hill, reaching from Charity Cross Roads to the town limits of Rose Hill, there is the thriving, growing Rose Hill Home Demonstration Club. On March 12, 1947, Miss Hilda Clontz, County Agent met with a small group of women and organized this club. There were 12 charter members, with Mrs. Frank Blanchard as the first president. Usually from the beginning, a new club slowly makes its way upward, increases its membership, shows interest and leadership. But this club has made progress by leaps and bounds. Today there are 18 members on the roll, all of them very active, energetic members and leaders. The homes and yards of these members speak for themselves. Some years ago the late Mrs. Estelle Smith made the remark here in Duplin County, that she could ride along the roads and tell the homes of Home Demonstration Club members. So it is with these Rose Hill Club members. Numbers of homes have been decidedly improved, kitchens remodeled and made more convenient, sinks and running water systems installed. At least eight of the homes have modern bath rooms, and others are planning installation. There are 7 home freezers, 7 washing machines, 4 electric sewing machines, several electric and gas stoves, vacuum cleaners, electric mixers, and other labor saving devices in these homes. All the homes have electric lights, and telephones are now being made available.

These time and labor saving conveniences have made possible the planning and enjoying of just such social gatherings as this club enjoyed this month, when with husbands and families, the members gathered at the home of the president, Mrs. G. W. Bradshaw, for the annual Shad Supper. There were 48 present, and some of the husbands were heard to remark they were hoping it would not be long before another such social was planned.

There are a good number of children in the homes of these club members, and particular interest is shown in the family life programs the club work provided. The family life leader attended the training school conducted by Mrs. Swain in Wallace and presented it to this very interested group.

The clothing leader in this club is known throughout this section for her sewing ability. Her specialty is baby and children's clothes. There are very few babies in this section who have not worn some of her hand made caps, dresses, jackets and even shoes, as she is kept busy making them for others as shower gifts, or just gifts. Under her leadership, the other members have made and remodeled numbers of garments, curtains, spreads, and other things. The club won first prize on the hand made exhibits at the Fall Achievement Day.

Last year, under the leadership of the president, Mrs. Bradshaw, several new members were added. Also last year the club boasted of a County Council President, a County Beautification Leader, a winner in Better Farming for Better Living Contest, and a member to attend Farm Home Week.

Why are we writing these achievements helping with the work and sharing in the family fun. This busy homemaker finds time to attend church, women's society of Christian Service meetings, weekly choir practice, P. T. A., and the Home Demonstration club meetings, and has an interest in everything that is for the good of her family, school, church, and community. She has served as recreation leader, family life leader, and health leader in her club. While serving as health leader she made a radio talk over a Kinston station. At present she is making an efficient secretary for her club.

The most noticeable traits her acquaintances find are her contagious smile, her good sense of humor and pleasant and attractive appearance.

After getting her husband's breakfast, while waiting for the rest of the family to arise she often composes bits of poetry.

Following is one of her poems and you will find others elsewhere in this issue.

### Home's Place In The Sun - An Editorial

By: Afton Bitton, staff writer  
Post-Register, Bonneville, Idaho

"But it takes a heap o' living to make a house a home." This famous old line has taken on a practical aspect for the National Home Demonstration Week.

And perhaps that old favorite of men, "the woman's place is in the home" will not be so irritating to the feminine gender, if the home's place in the world reaches a worthy height.

That is one of the reasons why the Extension Service's home demonstration program covers such a broad scope -- including even a United Nations project, to promote better understanding of other countries through a study of the UN and other subjects pertinent.

Mother is still the one who takes the lead in seeing that the home's operation is smooth. Therefore, it is very fitting that National Home Demonstration Week should end with her day. There are many tributes that are paid mothers for their loyalty, their sweetness, their unselfishness, their tenacity for

work, their forbearance, their understanding, and many others -- but all of them are the tapestry of a good home.

Mother is always the "chief cook" and sock mender. But her influence on the children and her part in training them right calls for education and intricate psychology. The welfare of the family also requires her to know something of sanitation and health. Running of the household to meet the budget requires some knowledge of economy and the handling of money. To help her children iron out their problems she must know something of the functions of schools, churches, and all groups with which they will come in contact. To make sure that the best laws are set up for her children's future she has to know something about politics, governments, and international affairs. Of course, father has a responsibility in these things, too.

Yes, the woman's place is in the home, but the home's scope has enlarged considerably from the old conception.



Mrs. Bill Blanchard turns attic room into an attractive bed room for daughter.

Mrs. Bill Blanchard turned an unfinished small room into an attractive room for her young daughter. The walls have fresh blue wall paper and the floors have been

finished. The room was too small for chests -- Mrs. Blanchard had drawers which fit into the wall built to store the young lady's clothes. The dressing table which can be seen in the picture is placed in window to save space that could not otherwise be used.

### Mother Of 7 Is Outstanding Club Woman

By: MRS. LEHMAN WILLIAMS

Among the most active women of the B. F. Grady Club is the member with the greatest number of children, Mrs. A. K. Dunn. The Dunn family have a year round garden and can an average of 400 qts. fruits and vegetables. A 20 cu. ft. home freezer has recently been purchased and they are enjoying frozen foods along with the fresh and canned. Three cows are kept to insure an adequate supply of milk and butter at all times. Fifty layers are kept all year and fryers are raised at intervals. A good supply of pork is cured and frozen. The Dunn's spend around \$400 a year for food. This is mostly for staples that cannot be grown on the farm.

Most of the garments worn by the family are made by Mrs. Dunn. This family started out renting land but have purchased a 55-acre farm near the one they rent and now operate them jointly, growing 7 acres of tobacco. They hope to build a new home on their own farm in the not too distant future. When not busy with his farming Mr. Dunn does carpenter work. The home life of this family is wholesome with all the chil-

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