

THE EMERGENCY PROGRAM

Emergency work in North Carolina was carried out as part of the long time plan of work with accent placed on production, conservation, sanitation and reaching groups of farm people in need who had not been interested previously.

The Division of Extension and the State Office of Relief came together in planning a constructive program for the relief of farm people by endeavoring to help them help themselves.

It was a well worked out plan involving both the farm and home agents in production of the food supply and gave the office of Home Demonstration Work the general supervision of the state conservation program.

USE OF TRAINED LEADERS IN EMERGENCY

Farm women trained in home demonstration work for many years served as leaders in the E. R. A. and W. P. A. and were in many cases employed as paid community workers.

The office of Home Demonstration Work advised these organizations as to selection of home economics women and furnished bulletin and lesson sheet material.

It also conducted leaders' schools for emergency workers and enrolled women and girls from families concerned in home demonstration women's clubs and 4-H clubs.

Leaders Serving Resettlement Administration, W. P. A., N. Y. A., and  
Other Organizations

Home demonstration leaders have been a bulwark of strength to W. P. A., N. Y. A., and Resettlement Administrations.

1. They have made good supervisors of community projects.
2. They served as visiting homemakers, helping and advising in the homes of relief people.
3. Have taught gardening.
4. Have taught the conservation of food for winter use and have assured safe dependable canning methods in the relief conservation program.
5. Have served as foremen in sewing centers.