
Durham Farm Women Lead Way

Quietly and unassumingly, a woman is accomplishing worth while things in Durham and Durham county. That woman is Miss Rose Elwood Bryan, home demonstration agent.

Durham is desirous of a prosperous farming country hereabouts. Miss Bryan has worked so effectively among the farm women that the Durham record and Durham methods are being held up as shining examples for home demonstration workers everywhere. The city and county owe her and her associates a vote of thanks.

Never lacking enthusiasm, Miss Bryan is an indefatigable worker. Moreover, she is an intelligent leader. The community cannery at the county home, compact and fully screened, was erected at a cost of less than \$500. It paid for itself in a single year. Farm men and women are selling \$500 worth of produce on the curb market weekly. The demonstration room, splendidly equipped, is available to the farm women who can take the fruits and vegetables which remain unsold.

Those, of course, are the details. What is significant is that Miss Bryan is planting the live-at-home spirit firmly in the farmsteads of Durham county. She has rooted out the "hog and hominy" diet. She is making business women out of the farm women, just as the county farm agent is teaching modern methods to the men. She should have our whole hearted appreciation and support.
