

COOPERATIVE EXTENSION WORK IN AGRICULTURE AND HOME ECONOMICS

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 EXTENSION SERVICE
 COUNTY AGENT WORK
 MONTHLY REPORT FOR COUNTY EXTENSION AGENTS

Report for month of December 195 1
 Name Hannah D? Dirden
 Title Negro County Home Dem. Agent
 County San Jacinto District Eastern

(Send one copy to Report Clerk, Extension Service, College Station, Texas and one copy to your District Agent before the 5th of each month.)

Location	Demonstration or activities worked on	Meetings held or attended		Kind	Attend.	Visits to—	
		Number Day	Night			Farm or Home	Dem.
1 Shepherd- Office	Ext.Org.Pl. Council (A)	1		Com.Finance	8		
2 Sunday							
3 Lake Pool	Housing & Equip.Int.(4-H)	1		M. Dem.	10	1	1
4 Lakestation	Food Prep. Agent (A)	1		M. Dem.	52		
5 St. Claire	Housing & Equip. Int.(A)	1		M. Dem.	14	1	1
6 Spring Ridge	Ext.Org. Pl. (4-H)	1		Com. Club	12	1	1
7 Urbana	Housing & Equip Ext. (A)					2	
8 Shepherd- Office	Housing Prep. Dem. (A)						
9 Sunday							
10 Sandfield	Food Prep. Agent (A)	1		Training	36		
11 Coldspring	Food Prep. Agent (4-H)					1	1
12 Oakhurst	Ext. Org. Pl. (4-H)	1		Com. Club	28		1
13 Camilla	Housing & Equip. Int. (A)					2	
14 Westfield	Ext. Org. Pl. (4-H)	1		Com. Club	16	1	1
15 Shepherd - Office	Plan for Com. Christmas Tree						
16 Sunday							
17 Evergreen	Housing & Equipment Int.(4-H)	1		M. Dem.	24		1
18 Spring Hill	Ext. Org. Pl. (4-H)	1		Com. Club	14	1	
19 Wolf Creek	Food Prep. Agent (A)					2	
20 Maynard	Food Prep. Agent (4-H)	1		Training	52		1
21 Rose Hill	Food Prep. Agent (A & 4-H)	1		Training	15	1	
22 Shepherd- Office	Club retorts (A & 4-H)						
23 Sunday							
24 Shepherd	Com. Christmas Tree (4-H)	1		Other	150		
25 Holiday							
26 "							
27 "							
28 "							
29 Shepherd- Office	Ext.Org.Pl. Mo. Report(A)						
30 Sunday							
31 Shepherd - Office	Ext.Org.Pl.Mo.Report(4-H)						
TOTALS		13		xxxxxx	430	12	8

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MONTHLY SUMMARY

Days in office.....	6	Days devoted to 4-H Club work.....	12	Miles traveled.....	462	
Days in field.....	16	Days devoted to adult work.....	10	Reported to Court in person.....	yes	
Days annual leave.....		Office calls - (estimate).....	16	Official days out of county.....		
Days sick leave.....		Telephone calls - (estimate).....		Letters {	12	
Leave without pay.....		News articles or stories.....			Individual.....	
Sundays.....	5	Bulletins distributed.....			Different circular.....	
Holidays.....	4	Radio talks.....		Total Copies Circular.....		

MEETINGS	Adult		4-H		Training or Committee	Adult		4-H	
	Number	Attendance	Number	Attendance		Number	Attendance	Number	Attendance
Method Demonstration	2	66	6	104		2	44	2	67
Result Demonstration					Other			1	150

DEMONSTRATION OR ACTIVITY	DAYS		DEMONSTRATION OR ACTIVITY	DAYS	
	In Office	In Field		In Office	In Field
Extension Organization and Planning.....	5		Marketing and Distribution		
County Agricultural Planning			Housing, Equipment, and Farmstead Improvement — (Interior)	1	5
Crop Production			Housing, Equipment, and Farmstead Improvement — (Exterior)		
Crop Production			Home Production of Family Food Supply.....		
Crop Production			Food Preservation and Storage		
Crop Production			Food Selection and Preparation		11
Livestock Production			Other Health and Safety Work.....		
Livestock Production			Home Management — Family Economics		
Livestock Production			Clothing and Textiles		
Poultry Production			Family Relationships — Child Development		
Conservation Natural Resources			Recreation and Community Life		
Conservation Natural Resources			Bees.....		
Farm Management			General-feeder Insects		
Farm Management			Wildlife Conservation		
Economics Problems			All other work		
Marketing and Distribution			TOTALS		6 16

ASSISTANCE RECEIVED THROUGH VISITS FROM STAFF MEMBERS AND OTHER PEOPLE OUTSIDE THE COUNTY

Date	Name and Title	Work Done

Agency Cooperation	P. M. A.	Voc. Ag. Home Eco.	S. C. S.	F. H. A.	R. E. A.	Soil Conservation Districts
Days Devoted						

NEXT MONTH'S PLANS:

Meet H. D. Clubs With Work Simplification Dem.

Meet 4- H Clubs with Garden Dem.

Visit Home Improvement Dem.

M. J. ...

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Dem. or Activity: Food Selection & Prep Name: Hannah D. Dirden Month: December 19 51
Negro County Home Dem. Agent Title: San Jacinto County: Eastern Dist:

Club reports this month shows that 155 farm families was reached through the food selection and preparation program and 150 families are using improved methods in meal planning and serving.

Reports this month also showed that a greater interest with 88 club women and 67 club girls are shown in selecting, planning and service.

Demonstrations given this month was making quick breads and roasting meat, Chicken and Turkeys, Poultry was discussed as the main dish for the Christmas dinner.

The high cost of food has helped them to buy food wisely, they are providing better and cleaner storage place for food and are serving meals that will meet the needs of each member of the family as outlined in the Texas Food Standard.

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Demonstration Meetings held this month on Housing and Equipment was to help farm families to reach their goals in home furnishing. In the kitchen floor space was given the first consideration, arrangement of all large pieces of equipment in the kitchen such as Refrigerators, Range and hot water heaters, some time was given to selecting and arranging all equipment used in the kitchen. Special attention was given to storage space in the kitchen this included selecting small kitchen equipment, care of utensils and storage space, 264 families made changes in the kitchen. Changes was made in 248 bed rooms, these changes included screening, papering, painting, repairing windows and doors, Women and Girls will work on home improvement through 1952, as one of their Major demonstrations, the work will be carried on through method and result demonstrations, with emphasis on Work Simplification.