the project on "Salads" the women wanted new ideas of serving fruit and vegetables in such a way as to preserve all of the vitamins and minerals possible.

III. HOME FURNISHING

a. Slip Covers I

b. Slip Covers II

Each year some phase of the Home Furnishing project is studied by the Wood County Homemakers. For the past three years a number of clubs have been interested in making slip covers for their furniture. Each year that group was in the minority. This year Homemakers realized that they must make every attempt to make their furniture last as long as possible, since furniture will be difficult to get. It received a majority vote at the meeting.

ORGANIZATION

In 1942-43 there were 43 homemakers clubs with a total membership of over 700. Several of the weaker clubs were discontinued and several new clubs were organized to take their places. These clubs are organized into five centers.

The fifth Homemakers' Center was established at Nekoosa this year to eliminate the large meeting at Wisconsin Rapids and to cut down travel for many of the leaders. There were 7 clubs in the new center. (Refer to map for location of centers & clubs)

Each Home Demonstration Club, or Homemakers Club as it is popularly called, is an independent democratic organization having a president, vice president, secretary and treasurer, and any other officers they feel necessary. Many of the clubs have their own constitution. The clubs meet regularly each month except in June, July, and August. Two leaders are elected by the club to attend each of the five leader training meetings held in their respective center. In some clubs these two leaders may be the