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Eastern Banks Show Favorable Statements

The banks of eastern North Carolina are beginning to reflect better business conditions than have existed for a number of years. This is especially true of the trucking sections, where the crops of peas, beans, strawberries, and potatoes have already been marketed.

Aurora is doubtless the center of the greatest potato section in the State, not in area but in volume per acre.

The statement of the Bank of Aurora shows that it evidently has more available cash in proportion to its liabilities than any bank in our own State as well as in many other States. At the call for statements by the corporation commission on June 30, this bank reported, in its resources, \$50,000 loans and discounts; and \$353,687.33 cash on hand and in banks. The capital stock of this bank is \$14,000; surplus, \$4,200; and undivided profits, \$8,400. The total of deposits is \$410,000.

The Bank of Bethel, another potato town, also reports a large amount of cash on hand. The same can be said of the Elizabeth City banks, which handle most of the banking business of the truckers of that section, as well as most of that from Tyrrell County, another potato-growing county.

This proves the wisdom of diversity. When a community produces crops enough to bring an income all along through the year, it has more advantages than the section that has to depend on one or two crops for all its income.

A cotton county can not get rich and independent; neither can a peanut nor a tobacco county call itself independent on its one product.

Tobacco Markets Should Open Earlier

Are the tobacco companies giving the tobacco farmers a fair deal in delaying the opening of the warehouses so long?

The farmers will complete curing this year at least three weeks before the opening, which means the farmer will have to wait with nothing to do; because if he grades his tobacco and lets it lie, it means much damaged tobacco unless the most favorable weather prevails.

The late opening will cause such a rush on the markets that it will mean a constant block, and the tobacco can not be properly warehoused.

If the warehouses could open two weeks earlier than the date now set, they will be able to absorb the rush, which is sure to occur unless the date is changed.

We find no farmer who does not want an earlier opening; the same applies to warehousemen; and, so far as we know, to the buyers. But none of them have a thing to say that counts in fixing the opening date or the prices. They wait to hear orders in detail from the combined executive cooperative trust office in New York. The farmers may complain about

the loss of two weeks' time on account of a late opening. They can say that the delay will force them to put all their tobacco on the market at the same time they have to pick cotton, gather corn, and dig potatoes, forcing too much work in too short a time.

Every farmer and every other man who has an interest in his welfare, should enter his protest against the arbitrary fixing of dates for opening tobacco markets. We know it will do very little good. Yet it may show the lords of the harvest that the toilers have some wishes in the matter.

Is Agricultural Department the Goat?

It is very gratifying to know that Commissioner Graham has reduced the expenditures in his department \$26,000 during the past year. If every branch of our State government has saved in like proportion, it will mean a very neat sum in the aggregate.

Yet we can hardly think that will be the case. No announcement of a great saving has yet been made in any other department, such as the legal, the legislative, the judicial, or the executive.

Economy is such a fine word that almost everybody loves to hear it, especially the farmers of the country. It may be, after all, that the economy comes from a reduction in the service rendered the farmer. They may be patching up his old clothes and cutting one meal a day, or reducing the

quality of service rendered him.

The published report does not show whether the saving is in departmental salaries, office expense, or whether it is an abridgment of service rendered. If it comes from withholding service that the farmer seriously needs, but in his clamor for economy can bear along without, then it is nothing to brag about.

But, on the other hand, if every person connected with the department has doubled his determination to give as much service for less money, then they will be approved and commended. All the figures will tell the tale.

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NOTICE OF RESALE OF REAL ESTATE

North Carolina, Martin County. In the superior court, before the clerk.
 Eliza Spruill and husband, Willie Spruill, Cordelia Reddick and husband, Mack Reddick, Carrie Brown and husband, Haywood Brown, C. B. Everett and Lelia Everett, by their next friend, J. S. Getsinger, vs. William Sheppard, Lewis Sheppard and Ida Rogers.

Pursuant to an order of resale made by R. J. Peel, clerk of the superior court of Martin County on the 10th day of June, 1927, the hereinafter described lands having been heretofore advertised and sold, and the bid having been raised as provided by law, the undersigned commissioners will on Saturday, the 30th day of July, 1927, at 12 o'clock noon, in front of the courthouse door of Martin County, in the town of Williamston, N. C., offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash the following described lands, to wit: Being known and designated as lot No. 3 allotted to James Sheppard in the land division of William Sheppard of record in land division book No. 1,

at page 288, beginning at a pine second corner of lot No. 2, thence S. 53 1-2 E 8 poles to a lightwood post; thence S. about 58 1-2 E. about 52 poles to the run of Great Branch; thence up the run of said branch to its fork; thence N. 13 12 E. 51 and 1-5 poles to a post in Ed Peel's line; thence N. about 45 3-4 W. to the third corner of lot No. 2; thence S. 13 1-4 W. 158 poles to the beginning, containing 50 acres, more or less, and which was deeded to Mary N. Sheppard by James Sheppard by

deed recorded in book YYY, at page 5E3, reference to which is hereby made for description.
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