

STATE SCHOOLS IN BETTER FIX THAN AVERAGE

Expect Two-Thirds To Be Able To Maintain Their Extended Term

Raleigh.—North Carolina's schools are in much better shape than the average of the states, and near the top in the nation, especially the six-months state-operated term, Dr. A. T. Allen, state superintendent of public instruction, states, adding that there may be some trouble in continuing the extended term, but even in these he estimates that more than two-thirds of the schools of the state will have their usual extended terms.

Dr. Allen had been sent a marked copy of an Arkansas paper containing a report of a survey, now about two weeks old, which showed that 735 of the more than 3,000 schools in Arkansas had closed, after operating an average of 3.9 months this year, as compared with 6.5 months last year. The closing involved 36,855 pupils out of the State's enrollment of 456,000. "More than one-third of the teachers are not being paid promptly," it was stated.

While some of the people of North Carolina are asking that the public schools be closed at the end of the six months and not try to operate during the extended term, Dr. Allen expresses the belief that more than one-third will be able to pay out by the time the extended terms close, more than another third will continue to operate with the tax money in sight and pay the teachers when it is collected later in the year, while less than a third will not attempt to continue after six months, due to the economic condition.

"When the people have an opportunity to speak, the usually show that

BARTER 13 COWS FOR SOYBEANS

Beaufort Farmers Swap Beans for Cows With Davidson Men

Beaufort County farmers have 13 high-grade dairy cows which they could not have paid for in cash, and Davidson County farmers have an adequate supply of soybean seed for planting this year because they were willing to take the seed for the cows.

The two groups of farmers are about 225 miles apart, yet through the initiative of Farm Agent P. M. Hendricks the exchange was made on a fair basis that was satisfactory to both groups. When Mr. Hendricks learned that a group of his cooperating farmers needed some soybean seed and had some surplus cows, he took up the matter with County Agent E. P. Welch, of Beaufort County. Mr. Welch ascertained that his farmers would like to have the cows in exchange for some of their surplus soybeans.

A. C. Kinney, dairy extension specialist, was called and asked to inspect the cows and select those which would be suitable for the Beaufort farmers. A price of \$56 each was agreed upon for the 13 animals selected, and the handling charges amounted to \$3 additional, or \$59 each. The Beaufort farmers set their price for soybean seed at \$1.60 for Laredo, and 60 cents for mammoth yellows. On this basis the exchange was made.

This gave the Davidson folks more soybean seed than they needed, so they gave other farmers an opportunity to get some for cash at a reduced price at the car door when the seed arrived in Lexington. The saving on the seed amounted to about \$125, and in addition those who could hardly afford to buy the seed outright at local market prices were furnished a supply. On the other hand, the Beaufort farmers have 13 cows which were badly needed.

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MANY PEOPLE TO PLANT GARDENS DURING MONTH

When Apple Trees in Full Bloom Is Signal for Gardeners

When the apple trees are in full bloom, many North Carolina gardeners use this as a signal to make their first plantings of tender vegetables in the open. Some take a chance on earlier plantings, but it is a fact that plantings of tender vegetables may be made in the first part of April in the central and eastern parts of the State, with the mountain and foothill country planting about three weeks later.

"Every gardener will find it worth while to make some trial plantings of sweet corn this season. This a good early April job," says E. B. Morrow, garden specialist at State College. "The second-early varieties do better in North Carolina than the earliest, small-eared varieties. We recommend trial plantings of Bantam Evergreen, Golden Sunrise, White Sun, and Goldenrod. Tomatoes should also be started this month. The seed may be planted in a protected bed or a window box and just as soon as the young seedlings are ready to handle, plant them 4 by 4 feet apart in an outdoor bed to give stock, well-rooted plants for the open field. In setting out the plants lift as much dirt as possible with them."

The final April job, says Mr. Morrow, is to be prepared to fight insects and plant diseases. Preparedness in this respect may save heavy losses.

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the voters of Martin County that any support accorded me in the coming primary election will be gratefully appreciated. In the past I have willingly and untiringly always worked in the interest of our county and its 23,400 people, and if nominated and elected I pledge my continued and earnest efforts in their behalf.

T. C. GRIFFIN.

FOR RECORDER Subject to the Democratic primary to be held June 4, 1932, I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination as judge of the Martin County Recorder's Court. My experience in the court during the past several years thoroughly acquaints me with its functions, and if nominated and elected, I pledge my best efforts to discharge the business coming before me. Any support accorded my candidacy will be appreciated.

H. O. PEEL.

FOR COMMISSIONER At the request of my friends, I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of county commissioner, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held in June.

H. C. GREEN.

ANNOUNCEMENT I hereby announce myself a candidate for the recorder's court judgeship of Martin County, subject to the Democratic primary to be held June 4, 1932. During the past 16 years I have gained much information relative to court procedure through my work as justice of the peace. Support of my candidacy for judge of the recorder's court in Martin County by her citizens will be much appreciated, and if I am elected I pledge myself to run the court in fairness to all and to the very best of my ability.

C. B. RIDDICK.

NOTICE OF SALE Under and by virtue of the authority contained in that certain deed of trust executed to the undersigned trustee by R. R. Thompson on the 18th day of May, 1922, and of record in the public registry of Martin County in Book UUU, at page 603, said deed of trust being given to secure notes of even date and tenor therewith, and the stipulations therein contained not having been complied with, and at the request of the parties interested, the undersigned trustee will, on Friday, the 29th day of April, 1932, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the courthouse door, in the town of Williamston, North Carolina, offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described property:

My 1-3 interest, 196 acres land I inherited from my father and mother, known as Louis Thompson land, adjoining Joe Early and Norman and Gray.

Dated this 28th day of March, 1932.

F. L. GLADSTONE, Trustee.

Wheeler Martin, Attorney.

NOTICE OF SALE Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by E. T. Bateman and wife, Katherine Bateman, to the undersigned trustee, and dated the 27th day of November, 1931, and of record in the public registry of Martin County in Book C-3, at page 492, and at the request of the holder of the note of indebtedness thereby secured, default having been made in the payment thereof, I will, on the 9th day of May, 1932, at 12 o'clock noon, at the courthouse door in Martin County, offer for sale at public auction, for cash, the property described in said deed of trust, as follows, to wit:

All of their right, title and interest in and to: A tract of land in Jamesville Township, bounded on the north by the Jamesville-Plymouth River Road, on the east by the Dairy Road, on the south by the lands of E. H. Gaylord, and on the west by Rows Creek, containing fifty-one acres, more or less.

This the 8th day of April, 1932.

W. H. COBURN, Trustee.

RESALE OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY Under and by virtue of the authority conferred upon us in a deed of trust executed by L. A. Clark and wife, Essie Woolard Clark, on the 10th day of February, 1925, and recorded in book T-2, page 487, we will, on Saturday, the 30th day of April, 1932, 12 o'clock noon, at the courthouse door in Martin County, Williamston, N. C., sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the following land, to wit:

First Tract: All that certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Cross Roads Township, Martin County, and State of N. C., bounded on the N. by the right of way of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad, on the E. by the lands of Whit Moore, on the S. by the N. C. State Highway No. 90, and on the W. by the lands of Tom Allen and Alonzo Allen, containing 3.05 acres, more or less, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning on the State Highway No. 90 at an iron stob, corner of this land and land of Whit Moore, thence N. 9 W. 547 ft., thence south 81 W. 296 ft., thence due S. 230 ft., thence due E. 150 feet, thence S. 9 1/2 W. 22 ft., thence N. 81 E. 186 ft., to the beginning as shown by map of same made by T. Jones Taylor, engineer, on the 26th day of January, 1925.

SECOND TRACT: All that tract or parcel of land lying and being in Cross Roads Township, Martin County, and State of N. C., bounded on the N. by the J. B. Burroughs farm and the lands of C. T. Peel, on the E. by Beaver Dam Creek and lands of W. T. Cullipher, on the S. by the right of way of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad, and on the W. by the Geo. Roberson farm, containing 170.65 acres more or less, and more particularly described as follows, to wit: Beginning where Beaver Dam Creek crosses the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad right of way, the corner of this land, the land of W. T. Cullipher, and the first tract above described, thence S. 86 1/4 W. 3775 ft., thence N. 35 W. 678 ft., thence N. 57 1-2 E. 1050 ft., thence due E. 201 ft. to a branch, thence N. 22 E. 276 ft., thence N. 85 E. 459 ft., thence S. 70 1-2 E. 285 ft. to Beaver Dam Creek, thence along the various courses of Beaver Dam Creek to the beginning, as shown by a map of same made by J. L. Foye, C. E., on the 28th day of December, 1917, which said map is of record in the public registry of Martin County in Land Division Book No. 1 at page 416.

This sale is made by reason of the failure of L. A. Clark and wife, Essie Woolard Clark, to pay off and discharge the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust.

A deposit of 10 per cent will be required from the purchaser at the sale. The above land was sold on Saturday, the 19th day of March, 1932, at which sale the North Carolina Joint Stock

Land Bank of Durham became the last and highest bidder at the price of \$2,000.00; within 10 days from said date the above bid was raised by a deposit of 5 per cent of the price by V. G. Taylor, with the clerk of the court, whereupon the said land was ordered resold.

This the 9th day of April, 1932, W. G. BRAMHAM AND T. L. BLAND, RECEIVERS FOR FIRST NATIONAL COMPANY OF DURHAM, INC., TRUSTEES FORMERLY FIRST NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY, DURHAM, N. C.

NOTICE OF SALE Under and by virtue of the authority contained in that certain deed of trust executed to the undersigned trustee by Joseph E. Williams and Lenore T. Williams on the 14th day of March, 1928, and of record in the public registry of Martin County, in Book J-1, at page 588, said deed of trust being given to secure certain notes of even date and tenor therewith, and the stipulations therein contained not having been complied with, and at the request of the parties interested, the undersigned trustee will, on Friday, the 29th day of April, 1932, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the courthouse door in the town of Williamston, North Carolina, offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described property:

Beginning at County road at Riley Williams' corner, thence up said road to Humphrey Williams' corner, thence along said H. Williams' line to Romano Ridge, thence down said river to Riley Williams' corner, thence up said Riley Williams' line to county road to the beginning, containing 25 acres, more or less, and being part of Joe Williams' land, bought from F. L. Gladstone.

Dated this 28th day of March, 1932.

F. L. HAILLIP, Trustee.

Wheeler Martin, Attorney.

SALE OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY Under and by virtue of the authority conferred upon us in a deed of trust executed by E. A. Roberson and wife, Lucy I. Roberson on the 8th day of April, 1925, and recorded in Book X-2, Page 41, we will on Saturday the 30th day of April, 1932, at 12 o'clock noon, at the courthouse door in Martin County, Williamston, N. C., sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder the following land to-wit:

Adjoining the lands of Chester Taylor on the N., the lands of Winnie Roberson on the W., the lands of Sim Fulford on the S., and the lands of Gurganus and Roberson and J. H. D. Peel on the E., and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the New Road with the Williamston and Bear Grass road, corner of Chester Taylor and Winnie Roberson; thence with the Williamston and Bear Grass road S. 14 degrees E. 60 poles and S. 35 degrees W. 88 poles, thence with the line of Winnie Roberson N. 50 1-2 degrees W. 40 poles; S. 42 degrees W. 78 poles; S. 38 degrees 41 poles and S. 81 degrees E. 55 poles; thence with a branch S. 44 degrees E. 90 poles to an oak; thence N. 63 1-2 degrees E. 36 1-2 poles to Turkey Swamp; thence with said swamp N. 2 1-2 degrees E. 62 poles; N. 39 degrees E. 50 poles and N. 25 degrees E. 64 poles to a cypress in said swamp; thence with the line of J. H. D. Peel, N. 9 degrees W. 117 poles to the New Road; thence with said road S. 85 de-

grees W. 97 poles to the beginning, containing 190 acres, more or less, and being the same land conveyed to Lucy I. Roberson by E. A. Roberson by deed dated January 8th, 1920, and recorded in Martin County public registry in book E-2, page 130.

This sale is made by reason of the failure of E. A. Roberson and wife, Lucy I. Roberson to pay off and discharge the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust.

A deposit of 10 per cent will be required from the purchaser at the sale. This the 22nd day of March, 1932. W. G. BRAMHAM AND T. L. BLAND, RECEIVERS FOR FIRST NATIONAL COMPANY OF DURHAM, INC., TRUSTEES FORMERLY FIRST NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY, DURHAM, N. C.

NOTICE OF SALE Under and by virtue of the authority contained in that certain deed of trust executed to the undersigned trustee by J. G. Godard on the 7th day of February, 1916, and of record in the public registry of Martin County, in book M-1, at page 151, said deed of trust being given to secure certain notes of even date and tenor therewith, and the stipulations therein contained not having been complied with, and at the request of the parties interested, the undersigned trustee will on Friday, the 29th day of April, 1932, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the courthouse door in the town of Williamston, North Carolina, offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described property:

Beginning at a sweet gum in Noah Slade's line on the Wild Cat Road; thence along said road to a stake nearly in front of Mrs. Burroughs' residence; thence northwardly along Genette Cowing's line to a swamp dogwood in Black Branch; thence along said branch and Noah Slade's line to the beginning, containing 183 acres, more or less. Situate in Williamston Township, County aforesaid, adjoining the lands of W. H. Rogers, Mrs. W. A. Burroughs, and others. It being the same land conveyed to said J. G. Godard by W. M. York, Walter York, and Nolie York, by deeds dated the 10th November, and 1st December, 1910, of record in the public registry of Martin County in book YYY, pages 410 and 421, to which reference may be had.

Dated this the 28th day of March, 1932.

H. W. STUBBS, Trustee.

Wheeler Martin, Attorney.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE North Carolina, Martin County. Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Samuel Pate, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present same to the undersigned or his attorney within 12 months from the date hereof or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 19th day of March, 1932.

A. W. HARDISON, Administrator.

mar. 22-6w. Elbert S. Peel, Attorney.

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WANTS

SOY BEANS FOR SALE: SEE John Peel at J. G. Staton's office, Williamston, N. C. a15 3t

FOR SALE: BRINED CUCUMBERS, ready for making pickles. Also soy beans and black peas. I also have a nice full-blooded Jersey male yearling for sale, entitled to registration. V. G. Taylor. a19 4t

CANDIDATE'S CARDS

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER Subject to the will of the people in the Democratic Primary of June 4, 1932, I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination of commissioner of Martin County, assuring the citizens if I am nominated and elected, my best efforts in dispatching the business of the county on the most economic and sound basis humanly possible. VAN G. TAYLOR.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS: I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Register of Deeds of Martin County, subject to the Democratic primary to be held June 4, 1932. If nominated and elected, I promise to render the service required and effect any saving in the office that I can. I believe the taxpayers are justified in wanting the cost for service in this and other offices of the county reduced.

The salary, being fixed by the legislature, will require another act to change it, which I will request at the next session. Until it is changed, and while the taxpayers' income is so greatly reduced and the income from the farms, of which our county is largely composed, is so low, and while poverty and unemployment exist to the extent that it does now, I will donate one-third of the salary to the poor and unfortunate people of the county. L. J. HARDISON.

FOR CORONER I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination as coroner of Martin County, subject to the Democratic primary June 4, 1932. Any support accorded me will be greatly appreciated. S. ROME BIGGS.

FOR COMMISSIONER I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination of commissioner of Martin County, subject to the Democratic primary to be held June 4, next. Any and all support given my candidacy will be greatly welcomed, and I assure the voters that if I am nominated and elected, it will be my aim to continue to render the county and its people the very best service of which I am capable of rendering. J. E. POPE.

FOR SOLICITOR Democratic voters of Martin County: I hereby declare myself a candidate for the nomination as solicitor of the recorder's court of Martin County, subject to the primary next June 4. If I am nominated and appointed, I assure the people of Martin County that my every effort will be put forth in upholding the laws of our county and State. HUBERT COBURN.

FOR COMMISSIONER I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination as county commissioner of Martin, subject to the Democratic primary June 4. I assure

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