



**DISTRICT PRESIDENT.**—E. W. Morgan, principal of Aulander School, was elected president of the Northeastern District of the North Carolina Education Association at the annual meeting held in Greenville November 16.

### Farmers Find Difference In Dusted Peanuts

Winton.—Experiments on the farms of four Hertford county farmers in dusting peanuts to prevent leaf spot showed an average increase an acre over undusted peanuts of 634 pounds.

The four farmers are T. D. Chitty of Murfreesboro, J. R. Phelps of Aulander, L. C. Dilday and L. S. Jernigan of Ahoskie.

In the experiment yields were taken from an acre of dusted peanuts and an acre of undusted peanuts. The results on each of the four farms were as follows: T. D. Chitty, 2,348 pounds an acre from dusted peanuts, 1,503 pounds an acre from undusted, difference of 845 pounds; L. C. Dilday, 2,142 pounds from dusted, 1,491 pounds from undusted, difference of 651 pounds; L. S. Jernigan, 1,824 pounds from dusted, 1,399 pounds from undusted, difference of 425 pounds; J. R. Phelps, 1,562 pounds from dusted, 948 pounds from undusted, difference of 614 pounds.

The cost of dusting is about \$3 per acre which makes approximately \$60 an acre profit, according to J. W. Ballentine, county agent.

### Inexperienced? Then Don't Farm

Are you a discharged service man who is considering buying a farm? If you are, read the advice from Dr. John R. Hutcheson, president of Virginia Tech, who is also a farm owner and operator in Halifax county.

Dr. Hutcheson says if you are an experienced farmer and if you can pay cash for the farm, then you may be justified in taking up farming. But if you have never farmed before and if you cannot pay cash for the farm, then Dr. Hutcheson advises that you do not start farming now.

Land prices are very high at the present time; in fact, they have gone up fifty percent in the past four years. This is a good time to sell a farm, but not a good time to buy.

Even if you lived on a farm before the war, helping your father or some member of your family, don't plan to go back to the farm unless you are needed there.

Farming is a highly specialized field that requires lots of knowledge and skill. Some say it is one of the hardest professions that exists. Coupled with these drawbacks, competition is keen and land prices are high. Take the advice of Dr. Hutcheson and don't start farming unless you are sure you can make a go of it.

## ANNUAL STATEMENT of Condition of the Office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Gates County, North Carolina, as of November 30, 1945

**ASSETS**

Cash in banks and bonds, regular account, exhibit "A".....	\$5,965.98
Cash in banks, receiver's account, exhibit "E".....	1,225.13
<b>TOTAL CASH IN BANKS AND BONDS ON HAND.....</b>	<b>\$7,191.11</b>

**LIABILITIES**

Regular C.S.C. accounts, exhibit "B".....	\$5,965.98
C.S.C. receiver's accounts, exhibit "F".....	1,225.13
<b>TOTAL ALL LIABILITIES.....</b>	<b>\$7,191.11</b>

**Exhibit "A"**  
**BANK BALANCES IN REGULAR C.S.C. ACCOUNT  
ON NOVEMBER 30, 1945**

**BANK OF GATES, GATESVILLE, N. C.:**

Checking account.....	\$3,738.33
Juror account.....	93.40
Cash in safe.....	2.00
U. S. Defense Bond No. M2090720G—For John T. Bass.....	1,000.00
U. S. Defense Bond No. M2090316G—For Savage M. E. Church.....	1,000.00
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>\$5,833.73</b>

**BANK OF HOBBSVILLE, HOBBSVILLE, N. C.:**

Marion R. Stallings, savings account.....	\$ 132.25
<b>TOTAL CASH AND SECURITIES.....</b>	<b>\$5,965.98</b>

**Exhibit "B"**  
**SUMMARY OF LIABILITIES IN REGULAR ACCOUNT  
ON NOVEMBER 30, 1945.**

Trust funds, Exhibit "C".....	\$5,838.78
Undisbursed balances, civil cases, Exhibit "D".....	33.80
Balance in juror account.....	93.40
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES.....</b>	<b>\$5,965.98</b>

**Exhibit "C"**  
**TRUST FUNDS IN REGULAR ACCOUNT  
ON NOVEMBER 30, 1945**

Name	Explanation	Amount
Lansing Baker—Minor.....		\$ 34.75
Vernell Greene—Minor.....		23.44
Alice Fitzpatrick—Address unknown.....		13.58
Alice Combs—Address unknown.....		13.58
Robert Hayes—Minor.....		191.93
Dorothy White—Minor.....		72.56
Maggie Bell Williams—Minor.....		155.85
Jerry Jones Heirs—Minors.....		36.24
Wm. Pruden et als—Minors.....		72.76
Daisy Rascoe et als—Minors.....		13.58
Billy and Nancy Blanchard—Minors.....		152.35
Tommie Thompson—Minor.....		16.54
James R. Corbitt—Minor.....		87.32
Mrs. Sallie Doughtie—In trust.....		621.26
H. B. Brown Heir—Address unknown.....		31.99
John Thomas Bass—Minor.....		1,074.60
Henry Lassiter Estate—Balance.....		1.87
Savage M. E. Church—Saunders Tr. Fund.....		1,000.00
Fannie Mae Knight—Minor.....		90.00
Ruth Cornelius et als—Minors.....		57.81
Beulah King—N.C.M.....		83.47
J. T. Morgan Heirs—Minors.....		560.00
O. L. Austin Heirs—Minors.....		430.95
Frank Jones—Minor.....		13.89
Thurman Hayes—Minor.....		41.67
Robert T. Taylor—Trust.....		5.00
Marion R. Stallings—Minor.....		132.25
Chas. Jordan Heirs—Unclaimed.....		809.44
<b>TOTAL TRUST FUNDS.....</b>		<b>\$5,838.78</b>

**Exhibit "D"**  
**UNDISBURSED BALANCES IN CIVIL CASES  
ON NOVEMBER 30, 1945**

V.E.P. Co. vs. Elsie and Robert Jones.....	\$ 1.00
Milton Hobbs vs. Marvin Drewet et als.....	5.00
Mamie Holland vs. James M. Holland.....	5.50
Parker & Jenkins vs. Stallings.....	8.00
E. F. Turner vs. J. T. Tarkenton.....	5.50
Mary F. Weatherington vs. Caleb Corfield.....	4.50
State vs. Robt. H. Daughtery et als.....	2.00
Eva Watson vs. Geneva Boon et als.....	2.30
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>\$ 33.80</b>

**Exhibit "E"**  
**BANK BALANCES IN RECEIVER'S ACCOUNT  
ON NOVEMBER 30, 1945**

**FARMERS BANK OF SUNBURY, SUNBURY, N. C.:**

Clerk Superior Court account.....	\$732.33
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$ 732.33</b>

**BANK OF HOBBSVILLE, HOBBSVILLE, N. C.:**

Hazel M. Bunch, minor, savings account.....	\$246.41
Roger E. Bunch, minor, savings account.....	246.39
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>492.80</b>
<b>TOTAL ON DEPOSIT IN BANKS.....</b>	<b>\$1,225.13</b>

**Exhibit "F"**  
**SUMMARY OF LIABILITIES IN RECEIVER'S ACCOUNT  
ON NOVEMBER 30, 1945**

Trust funds—Exhibit "G".....	\$1,117.78
Undisbursed balance in criminal cases—Exhibit "H".....	11.78
Undisbursed balance in civil cases—Exhibit "I".....	32.67
Gates County—Balance fees, etc.....	55.00
Miscellaneous accounts.....	7.90
<b>TOTAL ALL LIABILITIES.....</b>	<b>\$1,225.13</b>

**Exhibit "G"**  
**TRUST FUNDS IN RECEIVER'S ACCOUNT  
ON NOVEMBER 30, 1945**

Name	Explanation	Amount
Minnie Eure—Minor.....		\$ 48.72
Hezekiah Haslett—Minor.....		55.58
Sonnie S. Jones—Minor.....		49.40
Winborne Children—Minors.....		78.77
Iris E. Montoney—Minor.....		5.30
Margaret Thompson—Minor.....		4.84
Jordan Heirs—Minors.....		21.00
Hollowell Heirs—Minors.....		15.33
Cecil Blanchard Heirs—Unclaimed.....		39.76
Inez Felton—N. C. M.....		138.61
Hazel M. Bunch—Minor.....		246.39
Rufus Duck—Minor.....		82.17
William Duck—Minor.....		82.17
Florence Hobbs—Minor.....		3.33
Roger E. Bunch—Minor.....		246.41
<b>TOTAL.....</b>		<b>\$1,117.78</b>

**Exhibit "H"**  
**UNDISBURSED BALANCES IN CRIMINAL CASES  
ON NOVEMBER 30, 1945**

State vs. Lloyd Knight.....	\$ 1.40
State vs. I. P. Knight et als.....	4.52
State vs. Angelo Hunter.....	3.72
State vs. Raleigh Felton.....	2.14
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>\$ 11.78</b>

**Exhibit "I"**  
**UNDISBURSED BALANCES IN CIVIL CASES  
On November 30, 1945**

Morris vs. Savage.....	\$ 9.07
Alphin & Jones vs. Parker.....	23.60
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>\$ 32.67</b>

**NORTH CAROLINA, GATES COUNTY.**  
I, L. C. Hand, Clerk of the Superior Court of Gates County, North Carolina, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the financial condition of my office as of November 30, 1945, to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
This the 3rd day of December, 1945.  
L. C. HAND, Clerk Superior Court.  
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the 3rd day of December, 1945.  
SARAH M. WILLIAMS, Notary Public.  
My commission expires August 8, 1946.  
Examined, audited and approved, this the 3rd day of December, 1945.  
Signed—

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
OF GATES COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA.**  
C. H. CARTER, Chairman  
A. H. RUSSELL, Member  
W. L. ASKEW, Member  
J. E. GREGORY, Member  
R. L. BROWN, Member.  
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**AUCTION SALE**  
**Wednesday, December 12**  
AT 11:00 A. M.  
**At Place Known As Fowler Farm**  
ONE AND A HALF MILES NORTH OF GATES,  
HALF A MILE FROM HIGHWAY.  
2 HORSES; 4 BROOD SOWS; 17 SHOATS; CORN; HAY;  
CART AND WHEELS; AND OTHER FARM IMPLEMENTS.  
**MRS. NELL CROSS**

**Delightful Entertainment**  
**Sunshine Sue**  
**AND HER RANGERS**  
**IN PERSON**  
— At —  
**SUNBURY SCHOOL**  
**Friday, December 7**  
**At 7:30 P. M.**  
**Sponsored by Sunbury 4-H Club for**  
**Benefit of School Projects**