

## Northeastern District Association of Agricultural Extension Secretaries 1987 Fall Meeting

October 27, 1987

The Northeastern District Association of Agricultural Extension Secretaries met for their fall meeting at O'Connors Restaurant in Ahoskie, (Hertford County was the host), 10:00 a.m. The meeting was called to order by President, Katherine Gillam.

Bob Pleasants, Hertford County Extension Director, welcomed everyone to the meeting. A devotion was given by Donna Downing. The reading of the minutes was omitted since everyone received a copy by mail. Roll call was taken with 21 members present.

The treasurer's report was given by Catherine Winslow showing a balance of \$1,380.79. (Treasurer's report attached).

Jane Taylor, Hertford County Home Economics Ext. Agent, introduced our speaker, Debra Harris. Debra is the Hertford-Gates Counties Public Health Nursing Supervisor. She spoke to us on "The Healthy You."

Under committee reports Hilda Mitchell, Chairman of Goals and Aims - re-read report she had given at our Spring meeting. A copy is attached to the minutes of our Spring meeting.

Tammy Smith, Chairman of Public Relations - encouraged secretaries to submit articles concerning our meetings to their local newspaper.

### **OLD BUSINESS**

Betty Cox, 1988 State President, reported on our State meeting in Raleigh. Sixteen secretaries attended from our district.

Gates County received the 4-H Scholarship.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

Hilda Mitchell made a motion that we change our fiscal year to correspond with state. Motion passed.

Louise Newsome, Chairman of the Nominating Committee submitted the following slate of officers for '87-88:

- President - Katherine Gillam
- 1st Vice President - Arnette Parker
- 2nd Vice President - Kathleen Pollock
- Secretary - Wanda Williams
- Treasurer - Catherine Winslow
- Advisor - Betty Cox

It was moved and seconded that we accept this slate of officers. Motion passed. Louise, Peggy, and Marie then led our installation ceremony, which consisted of flags for officers and members to hold high as we strive to make our association stronger. We were then led by our President, Katherine, in a flag parade.

Dr. Hobgood joined us for our meeting and lunch. After he spoke to us briefly, door prizes were given.

The host for the spring meeting will be Martin County.

Katherine Gillam, President  
Wanda Williams, Secretary