Warren County had only six days of rain during the month of July, according to Clinton Capps, Warren County weather observ-

The highest temperature during the month of July was reported to be 98 degrees Fahrenheit, as compared to 100 degrees in July of 1987. The lowest temperature reported last month was 47 degrees, as compared to a low of 52 degrees in July of last year.

In July, the total amount of rainfall in Warren County was reported to be 3.38 inches, as compared to 3.29 inches in July, 1987.

Suspect Arrested

A Vance County man has been arrested as a suspect in the recent disappearance of property from Cook's Chapel Baptist Church.

Melvin Bullock, Jr., 45, of Manson, was arrested Monday by Chief Deputy Bobby D. Bolton, assisted by Lt. J. M. Cordell of the Vance County Sheriff's Department. The suspect was released on an unsecured \$500 bond to await his court appearance on Aug. 17 on charges of breaking and entering and larceny.

Cook's Chapel Baptist Church was the site of unauthorized entry last month, when two gas heaters valued at \$450 and one lawnmower valued at \$200 were reported missing.

NEW ARRIVALS

Good Morining Vietnam

Satisfaction

Can't Hurry Love

Missing In Action Part III

Big Sale

Litton Microwaves RCA TVs

HAITHCOCK ELECTRONICS

138 S. Main St. Warrenton



Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Lee Gist

and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Hargrove, Sr. announce the engagement of their children, Aneta Louise and Thomas

Richard. The couple plans to be

married on Sept. 4 at Bethel A. M. E. Church in Westbury, N.Y. at

A Virginia man who completed

an 18-month sentence and was

released Monday from the N.C.

Department of Correction Unit

4270 here has been housed this

week in the Warren County Jail

awaiting an extradition hearing

today (Wednesday) in Warren

Ricky Taylor, 30, of Chesa-

peake, Va., had completed an

18-month sentence following con-

viction for assault on an officer.

escaping from jail and larceny.

an arson charge has remained

outstanding, Chief Deputy Bobby

D. Bolton said Tuesday, Taylor

has been held without bond in the

The arson charge was made

following the investigation of a

residential fire that occurred on

Jan. 11, 1987 in Chesapeake, Va.

Extensive damage was done to

the structure and unconfirmed

reports indicate that persons

were inside the residence at the

Warren County Jail.

Because a fugitive warrant for

County District Court.

End Of His Sentence

Brought No Freedom

August 5, 1922
Mrs. J. P. Pippen entertained the Wymanoke Study Club at a musical on Thursday afternoon. The customary roll call was answered with musical anecdotes.

Mrs. Tollie Harris spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Shearin.

Mr. R. L. Capps of Arcola was in town on business on Thursday.

Letter To The Editor

Put God First

To The Editor:

This is a poem that I feel I want to share. It has been an inspiration in my life and I hope it will bring light to others. Always put God first, and don't stop praying.

The church of today is standing In a very dangerous site;

The leaders are leading the people

So far from the light.

They led them to believe That they cannot help but sin;

They'll get with the members and sin Then tell them they're going in.

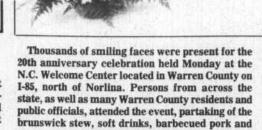
And when the old church is missing And where it's gone no one can

tell;
Just reflect back upon your

mind
The church and leaders are going to hell.

PAT MILAM Five Forks

Sodium nitrite is used to give cured ham its rosy pink color and to protect against spoilage and food poisoning bacteria.



cake available there. Shown cutting the cake are Mrs. Janet N. Fulton (right), manager of the N.C. Welcome Center at Kings Mountain, where a similar celebration is being held today (Wednesday), and Mrs. Lynne Sizemore, director of N.C. Welcome Centers. (Staff Photo by Linda Moseley)

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The North Carolina Welcome Center Program, which is supervised by the Department of Commerce's Division of Travel and Tourism, celebrated its 20th birthday Monday with a ceremony held at the facility opened first on I-85, in Warren County, north of Norlina. During the program, remarks concerning the history and value of the



facilities were made by N.C. Secretary of Commerce Claude Pope (left) and N.C. Secretary of Transportation James E. Harrington (right). Since 1968, more than 65 million travelers have used the services provided by the state's Welcome Centers, (Staff Photo by Linda Moseley)





FREEDOM FROM SMOKING



A Clinic Conducted By The American Lung Association In Cooperation With The Warren County Health Department.

WHEN: Monday, August 22, 1988 - 7:00-8:00

WHERE: Warren County Health Department

WHAT: A One Hour Orientation and Registration Meeting

WHOM: Anyone Interested In Kicking The

COST: \$100.00, Which Includes Seven
Weeks Instruction, Materials And Refreshments - Scholarships Available.

For More Information, Call Warren County Health Department, 257-1185. Ask For Katherine, Margaret Or Beth.



A touch of Hawaii was brought to Warren Hills Nursing Center last week during a luau celebrating summertime. Performing is Stacy Johnson, 7, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Guy Johnson, Jr. of Bracey, Va. Her mother is the activities director at the center. Watching Stacy's performance are, left to right, Thelma Thompson, Lola Davis and Laura Smith.

(Staff Photo by Howard Jones)

Joyriding Brings \$4,000 Cart Damages

Joyriding on the green at the Warrenton Golf Club, Inc. is believed to have resulted in about \$4,000 in damages to four of the club's golf carts last week.

Four golf carts were found wrecked last Friday morning after being removed from the open shed in which they were kept.

kept.
One of the carts had been taken off the club's property and abandoned in a wooded area nearby.

A fifth cart was found still safe in its shed, but club officials believe that it had also been taken for an unauthorized ride.

Although an official damage assessment has not been made, three of the golf carts, on which the chassis has been left twisted, the front ends bent and wheels knocked off, are believed to be a total loss.

Damage on two of the carts is confined to the fenders of the vehicles. The unofficial damage estimate for the carts has been estimated at \$4,000.

According to Owen Robertson, secretary/treasurer of the War-

renton Golf Club, Inc., there have been no accusations and no action, has been taken.

A similar incident occurred at the club about one month ago, Robertson said, when two of the carts had been removed and run together, resulting in \$600 in damages

Fire Tax Explained To Rotarians

The Churchill-Five Forks fire district property fire tax was the issue of a speech given by Walter Gardner at the recent meeting of the Warrenton Rotary Club.

Gardner gave a presentation on the upcoming vote to be held in the Churchill-Five Forks fire district concerning the property

fire tax. He also explained how this will effect the overall tax on the value of the property in the fire district.

Rotary members thanked Gardner for a very informative and interesting program. After routine business matters, the meeting was adjourned.