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Story of Presentation of Flags To Warren Company In Stiring Days of Sixties.

Last summer I received a letter Texas, informing me that a company Confederate flag on which was inscribed "Warren Guards-Victory or Death" which was captured in 1864 by Captain O. H. Howland, Company been turned over to the John B. Hood Camp of Confederate Veterans at Uustin, Texas.

The captors of the flag stated that December 1916 the company was not captured with the flag, but that it was taken from a captured Confederate army wagon. This information greatly interested me, as the "Warren Guards" was one of the two companies which marched away from Warrenton on Saturday morning, April 20th, 1861, to join the army of the South. I enquired of the older people, but could find only one who remembered the presentation of a flag, Mrs. Sallie Miles, who was a little girl in 1861, remembered that a flag had been presented to the "War. ren Guards" and that Miss Lalla Fitts, a most beautiful young lady, made the presentation address and the flag was received in behalf of the Company by Captain B. O. Wade of the "Warren Guards." It is not surprising that I could only find one person who remembered this incident; for there are very few persons living here who were here in 1861. I then communicated with the survivors of the Guards, but fifty-six years is a long time, and there are very few of the boys who marched away that April morning still living. Finally, I obtained from Judge Walter A. Montgomery, a member of the Guards, now of Raleigh, N. C., the following information with refrence to the presentation of the flags. There were two Warren county companies that left Warrenton on April 20th, 1861 to serve in the Confederate Army, namely, "The Rifles" and "The Warren Guards." A flag was presented to each of these companies. These were made by ladies of the town and county, and were of the type of the first Confederate Flag -"The Stars and Bars." The flag to "The Rifles" was presented in Emanuel Episcopal church by a Miss Plummer, and it was received in behalf of the company by Captain Thomas -L. Jones. "The Warren Rifles" had been in existence several years before the war as a Calvary company. It had been cerefully drilled by its commander, Captain Thomas L. Jones, a graduate of Albemarle Military Institute. Virginia. "The Rifles" as a calvary company had frequent drills and parades in Warrenton. It went into the army and served throughout the war as an Infantry company; first in the Second Regiment, which at the re-organization of the regiments became the Twelfth North Carolina Regiment. The above information with reference to the presentation of the flag to "Ine January 1917 Rifles" has first been obtained from the Captain of the company, Captain Thomas L. Jones, of Henderson.



Warrenton, N. C., December 1st, 1917 from Mr. Phil P. Price, of Alace, OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF WARREN COUNTY, N. C. FOR THE FISCAL YEAR END-ING NOVEMBER 30TH, A. D. 1917.

(TUESDAY)

To the Board of Commissioners of Warren County: GENTLEMEN: I have the honor, as Clerk to your by Captain O. H. Howland, Company K. Third Ohio Volunteers Calvary, had K. Third Ohio Volunteers Calvary, had fiscal year for expenses and showing for what expended and an exact copy of the list of all vouchers audited, to whom and the amount of same. GENERAL FUND

4-D. W. Pegram, Const. Nov. 7th Election ... \$ 2.00 J. T. Delbridge, Reg, Nov 7th Election 18.71 W. W. Rainey, Reg at Pri and Judge Elec 8.99 W. E. Turner, Reg. November 7th Election A. R. Delbridge, Judge Nov 7th Election.. 19.41 2.00 W. W. Kimball, Judge November 7th Elec 2.00 J. F. P. Harton, Reg at Nov. 7th Election. . 14.12 O. F. Clark, Reg. Nov 7th Election...... W. N. Carter, Prisoner to Jail..... 19.50 2.50 L. H. Binson, Judge November 7th Election 3.00 H. L. Wall, Judge Nov. 7th Election..... S. W. Pwell, Judge Nov. 7th Election..... 4.50 2.00 Town of Warrenton, 590 It concrete curb and Gutter at 50c foot..... 295.00 J. W. King, Reg. November 7th Election. J. J. Baird, Judge Nov. 7th Election. J. C. Powell, Reg. Nov. 7th Election Bond. R. E. Aycock, Reg. Nov. 7th Election.... 22.19 2.00 18.03 J. H. Fleming, Reg. Nov. 7th Election 17.83 C. Perkinson, Judge Nov 7th Election. C 2 00 M. Pittman, Judge Nov 7th Election and etc 4.00 4.00 J. H. Cole, Judge Nov. 7th Election and etc F. F. Limer, Judge Nov. 7 Election and etc L. M. Johnston, Cotton Grading Expense. . 45.92 W. E. Davis, Judge Nov 7th Election 3.00 Edward Blalock, Reg. Nov 7th Election 12.51 4.00 A. S. Webb, services to Board Election Com 2.00 W. T. Robertson, Judge of Nov. 7 Election 3.00 H. W. Thompson, prisoner to jail Warren Pharmacy, Drugs County Home .. 18.82 L. M. Johnston, Clerk Hire, Cotton Grading 50.00 W. K. Barham, Judge of Nov. 7th Election 3 00 N. A. Nicholson and others, Judge of November 7th Election. A. E. Paschall, Judge of Nov. 7th Election. 27.70 14.15 Warrenton E. L. Co., Lights for Nov '16.. 5.53 2.40 War. W. W. Department, Water for 10-16. S. D. White, Judge Nov. 7th Election 3.35 W. H. Pridgen & Co., Co. Home Phone Bill. 12.60 Fate Weaver, Judge Nov. 7th Election.... S. G. Daniel, Salary ,Sept, Oct, and Nov. '16 Home Tel. and Tel. Co., Phone CSC office... 2.00 50.00 8.10 C. E. Rodwell, Rd. Bond Election, Hawtree 15.12 C. G. Moore, 1 day as Co Commissioner... W. J. Bishop, Bd of Election, services.... 5.80 4 00 237.25 W. T. Powell, Expense Co. Home and etc. . 6.25 The Headlight, Printing for Sheriff 3.00 J. F. Cullom, Prisoner to Jail..... F. B. Newell, Farm Demonstration work ... 33.33 J. S. Green, County Court House Janitor ... 5.00 27.00 J. S. Green, County Jailer 13.51 J. R. Rodwell, Services to county G. H. Macon, services as County H Officer 25.00 14.15 Hunter Drug Co., Drugs fr County Home... J. O. Hardy, Reg. Nov. 7th Election 23.09 3.00 J. W. Adcock, Judge Nov. 7th Election Fate Weaver, work in the Sheriff's office.. J. B. Pritchard, Judge of Nov. 7th Election N. D. Morton, MD., services to County.... 4.00 3.00 62.00 W. M. White, Judge Nov 7th Election 3.00 R. E. Davis, services and cash to County... 12.00 J. M. Burroughs, services and cash to county. W. G. Bobbitt, Judge Nov. 7th Election. J. V. Shearin, Reg. November 7th Election R. A. King, Reg. Nov. 7th Election..... 24.00 4.00 19.74 37.63 J. A. Dowtin, two Tax Books and etc.... 434.85 J. A. Dowtin, 2 Tax Books and etc R Taxes 198.42 188.14 J. A. Dowtin, Reports, Co. and Coms. A. R. J. N. Earls, Use of House for Election.... 1.50 J. E. Paschall, Judge of Nov 7th Election 4.00 W. C. Burroughs, Judge of N. 7th Elec. etc John F. Burton, Judge of Nov. 7th Election 5.00 3.35 R. A. Hawkins, services Chm etc B. of E. 37.00 W. B. Boyd and Co, 21856 lbs Coal at \$9.25 101.07 10.04) James Limer 2,309.24 Total ROAD FUND December 1916 -S. J. Pritchard, Se., E. and work, Tms etc \$ 18 .27 GENERAL FUND 1--Edwards & B. Ptg Co., 2 fee books Sheriff \$ 8.10 J. T. Clarke, Hire for Auto to R. Mount. . 8.00 Warrenton E. L. Co., lights for Dec '16. . 5.08 Warrenton W. W Dept, Water for Dec '16. 2.53 P. M. Stallings, services as chm and com ... 52.60 Edwards & Br'hton Ptg Co., Record Books G. E. Stegall, Judge Nov 7th Election.... 49.50 3.00 G. W. Hay, services to Rocky Mount.... C. W. Perkinson, Judge of Election.... R. E. Davis, Sheriff's salary for Dec. 16 etc D. L. Robertson, Judge of Election..... 4.40 2.00 173.89 8.00 Clyde E. Rodwell, salary for Dec. '16 125.00 J. S. Green, services and expense at Jail.. J. S. Green, services at Court House and etc 42.80

C. H. Peete, salary to Feby 1st '17. Record Ptg. Co., printing for Co..... P. M. Stallings, Services Chm. & Com... R. F. Munn, Burial Ex. of Ex. Con. Sol... W. T. Alston, Arrest of V. Hicks... Frank Ryder, arrest of Sam Kearney... J. A. Dowtin, Salary & Ex. work... J. R. Rodwell, services to Co... Home Tel. & Tel. Co., phone etc... C. C. Hunter, Services as Com... C. C. Hunter, Cash "Shade trees etc... Home Tel. & Tel. Co., phone etc..... C. C. Hunter, Services as Com..... C. C. Hunter, Cash "Shade trees etc.... Clyde E. Rodwell, Salary Jan. '17.... Fisher & Pierce, Ex. guarding prisioners etc John W. Allen, services on Sanitary Bd. W. C. Ellington, salary D. S. 2 months. H. F. Jones, Services on Sanitary Board. G. P. Moore, Judge of Election..... Frances Dement, Court Stenographer... John S. Green, Court House Janitor and etc John S. Green, expense at Jail.... W. T. Powell, expense at Jail... John S. Green, expense at Jail... W. T. Powell, expense of Insane... J. A. Dowtin, R. D. extra work and pd to Co The Headlight, printing for Sheriff... T. V. Allen, furniture for Auditor's office. R. L. Bell, services to Grand Jury... F. B. Newell, Farm Demonstration work. W. B. Bayd & Co., 2780 lbs Coal... Jones-Stone Ptg. Co., Ptg for Co., Reg. O Warrenton E. L. Co, Lights and etc... Warrenton W. W. Dept., water Jany '17. H. P. Mayfield, Const November Election Edwards & Broughtn Ptg Co., Ptg. Reg. O T. J. Holt, Sanitary Board... R. E. Davis, Salary Jan. '17 and etc... Wrs. R. J. Jones, Feeding Jurors... J. R. Rodwell, salary and etc... W. H. Roberts, paid Pension... Total\$ 1,608.35 **ROAD FUND**

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WARRENTON, N. C., FRIDAY, JANUARY 4TH, 1918

February 1917 5-S. J. Pritchard, Sec'ty, work, team and etc.\$ March 1917 GENERAL FUND

A SEMI-WEEKLY NEWSPAPER DEVOTED TO THE INTERESTS OF WARRENTON AND WARREN COUNTY Sc. A COPY 19.15 57.82 INTERESTING TO **OUT AFTER THE** 57.82 52.00 15.00 8,33 REGISTRANTS **FOOD HOG-MAN** 6.50 216.78 5.20 4.15 8.00 Registrants Do Not Have To Ap- County Defense Council Has Re-11.60 125.00 pear When Classication Card ceived Following From State 10.45 12.00 Comes; Other Facts. Food Administration. 100.00 12.00 2.00 The Local Board has been busy Raleigh, Dec .- As a result of re-38.60 6.65 mailing out Questionnaires in the one- ports that have reached it from two 50.50 twentieth allottments prescribed. Thir counties in the State the Food Ad-215.64 15.70 teen hundred and fifty nine had been ministration has instructed all Coun-53.10 mailed out by today. ty Food Administrators to investigate 3.00 The efforts of the Local Board are and report promptly any evidences of 27.60 hampered to a great extent on account hoarding of foodstuffs. Reports that 6.00 40.00 of the inaccuracy of over forty per- have been investigated so far were 49.38 cent of the Questionnaires returned. found to have originated as the result The Board, however, is progressing of the practice of some farmers in the 2.00 3.90 with its work and classification is un- two counties mentioned of purchasing 6.28 der way. most of their food supplies in large 2.90 In this connection the Local Board quantities after marketing their crops. 2.00 authorizes the following: "When a Even this practice, where it has been 49.19 4.00 Registrant receives notification of the the custom for years, cannot be tol. 171.27 19.50 Class in which he has been placed, it erated under present conditions. 145.16 is not necessary for him to report to Consumers of food commodities as 5.00 his Local Board." well as dealers are subject to the pro-There has been some misunderstand. visions of the Food Control Law, secing about this and a number of people tion 6 of which provides that any nec-46.00 have gone to the trouble to come here essary shall be doomed to be hoarded

upon receipt of this card. If for any when held, contracted or arranged for, reason any registrant wants to make by any person in excess of his reason-2.95 an appeal for a different classification ably requirements for a reasonable 2.00 then it is necessary to appear before time. The penalty for violation of 2.76 the Board. In any other event, it is this provision is a fine of \$5000 or two years imprisonment, or both, and in

State Food Administrator Henry A.

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Continuing with the information received from Judge Montgomery. The "Warren Guards" was organized as an Infantry company, became a part of the Second Regiment which after the re-organization was known as the Twelfth, and with this gallant regiment the Guards served until he close

Warrenton W. wks. Co, water, Feb., '17...
Warrenton E. L. Co., lights for Feb., '17...
T. O. Rodwell, Salary for February 1917...
Warren Pharmacy, Drugs for Couny Home
G. H. Maton, Salary to January 8-17....
J. M. Burroughs, Salary as Commissioner...
Hunter Drug Co., Drugs for County Home
C. C. Hunte, Services as Co. commisioner
Clyde E. Fodwell, Salary February 1917...
Burroughs Adding Machine, machine tape
W. A. Miles Hdwe Co., work in Co. House
State Hospital. Ex Insane "Bettie Davis" State Hospital, Ex Insane "Bettie Davis" J. R. Rodwell, ex. of ex-Lunatic and etc.. W. C. Ellington, salary for Feby '17 J. A. Dowtin, services to County and amount paid to County..... J. A. Dowtin, Salary and cash advanced... John Green, services as Janitor and etc.. John Green, services as jailer..... C. H. Peete, salary for Feby 1917..... W. T. Powell, expense and etc County Home J. J. Myrick, County Com. expense..... Sol Fleming, Const at Primary Election ... Sol Fleming, prisoner to Jail Bank of Warren, premium on \$30,000 bonds R. E. Davis, Salary and etc Feby. 1917.... P. R. Perkinson, County Commissioner.... W. H. Roberts, paid pension W. C. Ellington, ex. pauper to Louisburg.\$ 1,376.90 Total **ROAD FUND** March 1917 5-S. J. Pritchar, Sec'ty, work, teams and etc. .\$ April 1917 **GENERAL FUND** 2-P. M. Stallings, 1 Day Sanitation Board. . \$ F. Cullom, services as constable..... C. S. Tate, services as witness..... W. T. Powell, services and etc County Home Home Tel and Tel Co., Phone Mch 1917. The Headlight, orinting for Sheriff W. C. Ellington, salary March 1917..... F. B. Newell, Farm Demonstration Work... J. R. Rodwell, Salary March 1917..... J. R. Rodwell, Serivces to County..... J. A. Dowtin, Services to county..... J. A. Dowtin, Salary March 1917..... R. E. Davis, Salary March 1917..... R. E. Davis, Services to County..... R. E. Davis, Services to County......
C. H. Peete, Salary March 1917.....
W. A. Miles Company, paid for hardware...
T. O. Rodwell, Salary for March 1917....
C. E. Rodwell, Salary for March 1917....
Warrenton W. W. Dept, water for Mch 1917
Warrenton E. L. Co., Lights for March 1917
Edwards & B. Ptg Co., Chat M. B. No 45
State Hospital, Insane A. Stallings.....
J. S. Green, Jasitor and etc....... J. S. Green, Jailer..... J. A. Dowtin, service to county, paid to Co. C. C. Hunter, one day as Commissioner... Mrs. C. A. Collins, Burial of Ex. Con. soldier M. P. Perry, member of Sanitation Board. T. J. Holt, Member of Sanitation Board ... S. C. Coley, paid as Pensioner..... W. H. Roberts, paid as Pensioner..... 1,185.01 Total April 1917 **ROAD FUND** 2-S. J. Pritchard, Sec'ty, ex. work, teams etc.\$ GENERAL FUND May 1917 7-Burroughs Adding Mch Co., pd for Contract.\$ Allen & Fleming Co., mdse, Co. H. and Jail H. F. Jones, Services as Mem Sanitation Bd P. M. Stallings, pd as Chm and Com. S. B...

The following is of interest to the addition, the commodity hoarded is 50.00 general public, as it shows how the subject to confiscation. 5.65 men are classified: Large Purchases Inexcusable.

5.85 Class I-Single man without depen-16.00 dent relatives; married man, with or Page points out that there is abso-11.60 4.00 without children, or father of mother- lutely no excuse for purchasing food-125.00 less children, who has habitally failed stuffs, because (1) prices have been

useless to appear.

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(FRIDAY)

1.00 14.60 dependent on wife for support; mar- vance than they are to decline, and (2) 2.80 ried man, with or without children, or the Food Administration's first con-75.00 father of motherless children; man not cern is to supply our own people with

16.09 income independent of his labor. 212.43

13.99 dustrial laborer; Registrant by or in ply necessary for home consumption. respect of whom no deferred classifica-214.85 11.60 who fails to submit Questionnaire and out as follows: 2.00

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5.80 or father of motherless children, where such wife or children or such mother-

less children are not mainly dependent 31.50 upon his labor for support for the rea-

4.00 certain sources of adequate support ing women and children in Europe, of 4.30 ings from the labor of the wife), avail 193.10 2.70 able, and that the removal of the cent people from actual and certain 7.00 registrant will not deprive such depen- starvation. 75.00 dents of support; married man, with-40.00 150.00 4.00 5.23 cupation, is not mainly dependent upon has an inclination toward hoarding 208.31 his labor for support, for the reason as selfish and unpatriotic to an extent 166.66 19.03 25.09 class of work which she is physically Mr. Page does not believe there will 3.55 able to perform and in which she is be any hoarding in North Carolina, 50.00 employed, or in which there is an im- but if there are those who are selfish 25.00 2.40 2.80 tions that will enable her to support attempt it they will be dealt with 21.50 herself decently and without suffering promptly and vigorously. 15.15 or hardship; Necessary skilled farm 5.75 laborer in necessary agricultural en-12.50 terprise; Necessary skilled industrial 4.00 laborer in necessary industrial enter-15.00 prise.

4.00 Class III-Man with dependent chil-4.00 dren (not his own), but toward whom 5.00 he stands in relation of parent; Man with dependent aged or infirm parents: Man with dependent helpless bro thers or sisters; County or municipal Miss Clemmie Shell and Tasker 89.19 officer; Highly trained fireman or policeman, at least 3 years in service of

5.00 municipality; Necessary customhouse 4.00 clerk; Necessary employee of United 54.49 64.0) States in transmission of the mails; 27.13 Necessary artificer or workman in U.

to support his family; married man stabilized and are no more apt to adusefully engaged, family supported by foodstuffs and it will not permit the exportation of such an amount of any 6.40 Unskilled farm laborer; unskilled 1.1- commodity as will endanger the sup-The great injury that would be work-

tion is claimed or made; Registrant ed by this practice is clearly pointed

(1) It would add to the burden of fication is claimed or made; All regis- the railroads, which are already

(2) It would tend to advance prices Class II-Married man with children and thereby work an injustice to all consumers of foodstuffs.

(3) It would deprive our own soldiers, the soldiers of our Allies, the civilian population of our Allies and son that there are other reasonably to the hundreds of thousands of stary (excluding earnings or possible earn- foodstuffs which are needed not only to help win the war but to save inno-

In the face of these facts Food Adout children, whose wife, although the ministrator Page does not hesitate to registrant is engaged in a useful oc vigorously denounce any person who that the wife is skilled in some special that is approaching the traitorous. mediate opening for her under condi- and unpatriotic and foolish enough to



O'Merry Marry New Years Day In Petersburg.

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of the war. The flag to the "Warren Guards" was presented in the auditorium of Warrention Collegiate Institute by Miss Lalla Fitts and it was received by Captain B. O. Wade in behalf of the company. I have not yet been able to ascertain the inscription on the flag. It was carried by the Com- pany to Norfolk, where the Company with the Second Regiment was en- camped during the first year of the war. After the "Warren Guards" was stade a company of the Second Noru Carolina Volunteers—Twelfth North Carolina State Troops, the company flag was never used, except on special occasions peculiarly related to the company. The Twelfth Regiment remained	M. T. Duke, Reg. Dond for December '16 J. R. Rodwell, salary for December '16 Clyde E. Rodwell, office supplies The News Reporter, 3 wks pub. sal'y notice W. T. Powell, expense county Home and etc C. C. Hunter, services as county com Barnes Ptg and S. Co., sup for Aud. office Burwell Drug Co., drugs for County Home Norlina Headlight, Pub. An Statement etc F. B. Newell, Farm Dem. Work J. R. Rodwell, supplies for office and etc L. M. Johnston, ex for grading cotton Edwards & Br'ton Ptg Co., R. Bks Aud O. Home Tel & Tel. Co., phone for Dec. '16 G. H. Macon, services as Health officer J. A. Dowtin, Salary and cash advanced Total	the second se	J. J. Myrick, paid services as Co. Com W. T. Powell, paid services at County Home and Expense and etc John W. Allen, paid member of San. Board T. O. Rodwell, paid salary for April 1917 W. A. Miles Hdwe Co., paid for hardware J. A. Dowtin, services on Sanitation Board C. H. Peete, paid salary C. H. Peete, pd ex. to meeting of H. O. A. War. W. W. Dept, paid for water Apr 1917 Warrenton E. L. Co.,pd for lights for 5-1917 C. E. Rodwell, paid for salary Apr 1917 Burwell Drug Co., paid for drugs Co. Home S. G. Daniel, pd, Legal services Roa. bonds S. G. Daniel, pd, Legal services Haw. bonds J. A. Dowtin, paid salary and cash advanced Hunter Drug Co., paid Drugs Co. Home J. S. Green, paid as Janitor Court House J. S. Green, paid as Jaller Record Printing Co., for printing for County Record Printing Co., pd for printing for Co. Dix Hill St. Hos., pd for In. W. W. Vaughan J. R. Rodwell, pd. accts for office Edwards & B. P. Co.,pd, D. 5. Book no. 99	$\begin{array}{r} \textbf{258.23} \\ \textbf{4.00} \\ \textbf{50.00} \\ \textbf{3.60} \\ \textbf{4.00} \\ \textbf{25.00} \\ \textbf{26.30} \\ \textbf{2.40} \\ \textbf{2.91} \\ \textbf{125.00} \\ \textbf{14.15} \\ \textbf{75.00} \\ \textbf{100.00} \\ \textbf{213.97} \\ \textbf{6.50} \\ \textbf{5.00} \\ \textbf{3.00} \\ \textbf{10.45} \\ \textbf{2.00} \\ \textbf{11.75} \end{array}$	ployee in service of United States; Necessary assistant, associate, or hired manager of necessary agricultural en- terprise; Necessary highly specialized technical or mechanical expert of nec- essary industrial enterprise; Neces sary assistant or associate manager of necessary industrial enterprise. Class IV—Man whose wife or chil- dren are mainly dependent on his labor for support; Mariner actually employ- ed in sea service of citizen or merchant in the United States; Necessary sole managing, controlling, or directing head of necessary agricultural enter- prise: Necessary sole managing, con- trolling, or directing head of necessary industrial enterprise.	The bride is the attractive daughte: of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shell, of Chesterfield. While the groom is a well known young man of Warren county. The wedding march was beautifuny rendered by Miss Ruth Matthews, of Petersburg, Va., while Miss Rosa Shell, sister of the bride, and Mr. George Perkinson, of Camp Lee, accompanie.
Continued on Page Two	February 1917 GENERAL FUND 5-P. M. Stallings, extra services, selling Hawtree Bonds	25.00	Continued on Page Three.	\sim	Continued on Page Three	many years of happiness.

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