

## COUNTY MAY ADD TO SCHOOL WORK

### Recommend Three Agricultural Teachers For Warren

### CHANCE FOR AGENT

Indications are that Warren county will have three teachers of agricultural agriculture for the coming year, according to information received yesterday from the office of the county superintendent of public instruction.

K. Coggins, assistant supervisor of Agriculture Education, on Saturday recommended to T. E. Brown, State Director of the work, that a teacher be supplied for the Warren white school, the Warren colored school, and the Warren school. Mr. Allen said he saw no reason why Warren should not have these teachers and that about three-fourths of the expense of this work would be borne by the State and Federal governments.

There is at present a teacher of agriculture in Warren County Training School, a negro school located near Macon. A teacher of agriculture was employed at the Macon school a few years ago and was retained until the number of pupils in this school became too small for the State to continue its appropriation, and to consolidation of schools.

The announcement from the superintendent's office has added significance in view of the fact that Warren county will not be able to employ a county agent unless the Legislature increases its appropriation for this work, or unless the other county should decide to employ an agent. This information was carried in a recent letter from Dean I. O. Schaub to Tom Edson, prominent farmer near Warren Plains. Dean Schaub also indicated that several counties are now on the waiting list.

While there is said to be no contact between the work of the vocational teacher and the county agent, many of their tasks are along similar lines. In addition to work among the school children, the vocational teachers will also hold night classes for those farmers who care to attend.

## John Buddy Macon To Die In Electric Chair This Morning

John Buddy Macon, convicted of the murder of Deputy Sam Pinnell, will die in the electric chair this morning at 10:30 o'clock.

Governor Gardner indicated on Wednesday that he did not propose to interfere with the death sentence of Macon, whose appeal was dismissed by the Supreme Court three weeks ago. He is charged with killing two men, Special Officer Sam Pinnell early last Summer and another man in Franklin county in 1922.

The electrocution this morning will be the 100th since the installation of the electric chair in 1910.

## Play At Parish House Tomorrow

I wish you would remind the people of the play, "Visitors From Home," which will be given at the Parish house Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. One interested in church welfare commented yesterday.

This entertainment is given by the Junior Missionary Society of the Episcopal church, under the general supervision of Mrs. W. K. Williams, and will contrast the life and times of George Washington's with the present. Mrs. Hannah Brington will render old time favorites on the piano and Mrs. R. B. Boyd will play several popular numbers. Mrs. V. K. Davis will give a vocal.

## A. Carroll Grows Food And Feed

I am just using the last of my year's meal; I grow my own feed and food and here is \$2 for paper another year," R. A. Carroll, a good farmer of the Warren section said here Monday.

Mr. Carroll was accompanied to Warrenton by his son, R. M. Carroll. He said that he was making a good crop of corn, but was afraid that it would not be able to get enough of the plants as his were very small. He said that he anticipated trouble in getting what he needed in the way of fertilizer and seed. "I know a good man can generally get what he wants," he concluded.

## Nation Still Wet But North Carolina Vote Shows Dry Attitude

The nation is wet but North Carolina is medium dry if one can judge by the more than two million votes cast in 40 states in the Literary Digest poll, as published this week.

There are, according to the table, more people in this state who favor strict enforcement of the 18th amendment than there are favoring either modification or repeal. And yet there are more citizens who want some change made than there are favoring enforcement. Out of the 14,267 votes tabulated for North Carolina, 6,628 favored enforcement; 4,195 modification, and 3,444 asked for repeal.

The wets still have the lead in the 40 states and the district of Columbia tabulations, with modification holding second place, and enforcement bringing up the rear. There have been 2,000,240 votes tabulated. Out of this number, 848,751 favored repeal of the 18th Amendment; 598,252 wanted modification; and 553,337 were for strict enforcement.

According to the Digest Poll this week slightly less than half the people in North Carolina favored strict enforcement of the 18th Amendment; in the nation a little more than one-third of the citizens wanted strict enforcement.

"The most arid," it seems to the New York Sun, "can argue that, allied with those who would not tamper with more than the Volstead Law they command 59 per cent of the vote to date. The most sopping can argue that with those who are moderately opposed to Prohibition they can command 73 per cent."

## Highway Force At Work On Liberia Road

State highway construction forces are busy at work top-soiling highway route No. 58 from Liberia to the Nash county line preparatory to the building of a gravel and tar composition road.

A force under the direction of D. S. Scarborough is hauling tar and gravel from Warrenton to the road site. Mr. Scarborough said yesterday that it would take them several weeks to finish hauling the material. His force of men are camped on the old circus ground just beyond the depot. The top-soiling crew is located near Inez.

Route 58 is the highway connecting Warrenton and Rocky Mount. At present a composition road leads out of Warrenton to Liberia, a distance of five miles; from that place to the Nash county line, about 19 miles, is a sand-clay road; a tar and gravel road runs from the Nash county line to Nashville where it connects with a concrete highway leading into Rocky Mount. With the completion of the stretch from Liberia to the Nash county line some time this Summer the entire route will be hard-surfaced.

## Miss Florence LaCoste Found Dead In Bed

Miss Florence LaCoste, 71, was found dead in bed Sunday morning by her sister, Miss Georgie LaCoste. Miss LaCoste had not been in ill health but early Sunday morning complained of indigestion. When her sister went to arouse her for breakfast she was found to be dead.

Miss LaCoste was the niece of the late Dr. T. J. Taylor, for 40 years pastor of the Warrenton Baptist church. She is survived by her sister, Miss Georgie LaCoste.

Funeral services were conducted at Fairview cemetery here Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock by Rev. R. E. Brickhouse, pastor of the Warrenton Baptist church.

Pallbearers were H. N. Walters, W. R. White, H. A. Moseley, W. N. Boyd, J. E. Allen and J. E. Rooker, Jr.

## Junior Order To Meet At Norlina On Monday

Norlina Council, No. 137, Junior Order United American Mechanics will have a get-together meeting at Norlina school auditorium on next Monday night, April 7. Visitors will be present from the Henderson and Afton-Elberon councils. There will be several short addresses made and refreshments served. We desire that all members of Council No. 137 be present. Come on boys and let's have a good time.

## MONEY ESCAPING TAXATION



## Welfare Officer Gives Aid To Many During Past Month

Three white women, one white boy, one white baby and one colored woman were admitted to hospital during the past month through the efforts of Miss Lucy Leach, Welfare Officer for Warren, it was learned from her report for the month of March released this week.

Two white children were taken to an Orthopedic hospital clinic and three school children fitted with glasses. Two white girls were admitted into school where they are being trained as practical nurses. Four families of school children have been furnished with clothes and milk supplied to about 60 undernourished children with funds from the charity chest and from special collections made in drug stores and other public places of the county.

The welfare officer had papers served on two families for violating the school attendance law. She wrote 103 letters in the interest of her work and made three business trips out of the county.

Money deposited in the charity chest during the month amounts to \$63.50, according to the report. Ninety-five dollars and seventy-eight cents were spent from the charity chest in an effort to relieve suffering among the county's unfortunate. Money spent for hospital bills totaled \$16.70; for doctors' bills, \$25.50; for medicine, \$14.50. The remainder of the money was spent for provisions for destitute families.

The Baptist church at Warrenton contributed \$25 to the charity fund during the month and the Allen Bible Class of the Baptist church donated \$6.98; the Woman's Missionary society of the Inez Baptist church, \$5; the Red Cross at Wise, \$8.

"The rest of the money contributed," Miss Leach said yesterday, "was for specific purposes and contributions from individuals. Inasmuch as I have been requested not to publish names of several citizens making individual contributions, I am only publishing sums given charity chest by organizations."

### PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Sallie Watson left yesterday for Norfolk where she will spend several weeks.

Mrs. R. T. Watson and Mr. J. C. Burwell were visitors at Henderson yesterday.

Misses Anna and Louise Weaver and Mr. Fate Weaver were visitors at Rocky Mount yesterday.

Miss Mattie Wiggins Dameron returned to school Wednesday after spending Spring holidays here.

Miss Katherine Arrington spent the week end here.

## CITIZENS PLAN TO ORGANIZE COUNTY

### President W. E. Turner Appoints Workers For All Townships of Warren

Half a hundred men and several ladies gathered at the court house on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 to discuss matters of burdensome taxes on real estate and to plan for the Warren county taxpayers union. The meeting was called for Saturday following deliberation at a similar meeting on Monday in which five men were appointed to represent the union at the gathering of taxpayers at Raleigh on Monday and Tuesday.

The gathering was unanimous in its expression for lower taxes on real estate, but few definite plans for raising revenue were voiced, the majority of the citizens seemingly preferring to leave this matter up to the committees appointed by the Raleigh gathering. C. E. Jackson, Warrenton Supply man, told of how the high tax on money and bonds was resulting in the hiding of these sources or revenue and expressed the opinion that a low tax on such items would result in more money being raised. He pointed out that Virginia had passed such a law and that results had been very gratifying. He said that he owned land in both North Carolina and Virginia, and that his tax rate in the latter was so much less than his land there was not for sale, but that he would be glad to dispose of all his land in Warren. Mr. Jackson held that classification of property in Virginia was responsible to a great degree for the lower rate in the sister state.

Sam Satterwhite of Manson, former representative in the General Assembly from Warren, differed with Mr. Jackson on this question. He admitted that much intangible property was escaping taxation. His remedy was laws with teeth to catch the tax evaders.

No action was taken upon either recommendation and the delegates were sent to Raleigh with no instruction other than to do what

## Jack Scott To Pitch At Durham April 12

On Saturday April 12, the New York Giants second team will play the Durham club in Durham. Jack Scott, upon request to Manager John McGraw, was permitted to come North with this team so that he could pitch there on the above mentioned date.

## MRS. DINSMORE DIES

Funeral services for Mrs. Eliza Phippen Dinsmore were held at Fairview cemetery on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock by the Rev. R. E. Brickhouse pastor of the Warrenton Baptist church. Mrs. Dinsmore died at the Henderson hospital on Saturday afternoon. Before her marriage she lived for a number of years at North Warrenton.

## Census Takers Are Busy Numbering Citizen of Warren

Into every village and city, rural community and possession of the United States Uncle Sam's Census Takers are moving in an effort to number the people and their possessions. The work began on Wednesday and will be completed in the cities within two weeks, and in the rural communities within 30 days, according to Hobart Brantley, United States Census Supervisor for the third district.

Thirteen Census Takers have been appointed for Warren county. They are David L. Robertson, Marmaduke; Harry M. Williams, Inez; Charles R. Cole, Wise; J. Edwin Stansbury, Littleton; Andrew C. Paschall, Manson; R. A. King, Littleton; Mrs. Dell J. Harris, Littleton; James L. Johnston, Littleton; Mae S. Dryden, Warrenton; John W. Adcock, Macon; Frank A. Weldor, Norlina; Wilbur B. Strickland, Warrenton; John R. Palmer, Warrenton.

### THE SEX QUESTION

In 1920 there were 104 men to every 100 women in the United States. Whether this ratio has risen or fallen will be one of the most important facts to be determined by the 1930 census, according to Dr. Joseph A. Hill, Acting Director of the Census, who has pointed out that the relative number of males to females is one of the most fundamental factors to be considered in any analysis of society.

The sex question has always had

### NO RECORDER'S COURT

There were no cases docketed in Recorder's court at Warrenton on Monday.

## Name Delegates To Attend Convention Of Cotton Growers

G. R. Frazier, R. D. Fleming, J. G. Wright and H. J. Ellis were appointed delegates to attend the sixth district convention of the North Carolina Cotton Growers Association at Louisburg on April 16, at a meeting of the Warren county association held at the Court House here yesterday afternoon.

At the Louisburg meeting a nominee will be selected as Director of the Sixth District. Each member will later vote on the director from his district and every member is entitled to one vote. The sixth district is composed of Warren, Wake, Franklin and Granville counties.

After the election of delegates and other business matters were disposed of, Hugh Johnson, field representative for Halifax and Warren counties, addressed the meeting, bringing a message of encouragement to those who have borne the torch of cooperative marketing until the Federal government, through the Federal farm board, gave due recognition to these efforts and in the handling of the 1929 cotton crop, made it possible for members of the cooperative associations to draw an advance of 16 cents per pound basis middling on their cotton while cotton was selling for as low as 14 cents on the market.

Comparing the early efforts of the cooperatives to Gideon's faithful band of three hundred men, the speaker showed that the recent legislation relating to cooperatives had been brought about by the efforts of the cooperatives and that any benefit now being enjoyed was due to these efforts.

Mr. Johnson said the members should elect able men as directors, such as had always guided the cotton association heretofore and that the fullest success could never be attained until every member should feel a deep interest in his own organization, willing to give thought and render service in every way possible to his fellow members.

### Senior Play To Be Presented Tonight

Warren county was one of the few counties in the State producing more cotton in the year 1929 than in the previous year.

Only the salty atmosphere of the sea will be lacking tonight at the Warrenton school auditorium when the Senior class will present its play, "All At Sea," according to announcement of several who have watched a rehearsal of this play.

Artistic posters calling attention to the play have been displayed in windows of several of Warrenton's stores, unique programs have been printed and much work spent on stage decorations. All these are by way of preliminaries, for the play is the main thing. Those in charge have selected a pretty play with chantes of the sea. In addition there many attractive musical numbers, are several added features, among them being a tap dance by John Hudgins and Norman Lovell, and a special number by Miss Loyce McCord. Mrs. R. B. Boyd Jr., will be in charge of music.

Among those taking part in the play are Bessie Capps, Caroline Ward, Edith Terrell, William Dameron, Hartwell Scarborough, John Scarborough, Hal Connell, John Welch and Edward Duke.

The sailor chorus is composed of Curtis Floyd, Annie Sue Howell, Janet Limer, Mary Clark, Mabel Benson, Elizabeth Boyd, Julia Limer, Martha King, Hal Connell, Pettis Rodwell, John Hudgins, Edward Price Grant, John Drake, Raymond Bowen.

Sailor Sweethearts are Rebecca Davis, Pattie Frazier, Mary Wagner, Ethel Throckmorton, Nellie Gray Martin, Helen Reid, Margaret Davis. Dancers are Mary Wagner, Elizabeth Boyd, Loyce McCord, Edith Terrell, Caroline Ward, Norman Lovell and John Hudgins.

## Bowling Alley To Be Opened Tonight

The Health Center Bowling Alley will be opened tonight on Main street under the management of W. R. Baskerville. Three alleys for five pens have been placed in the building formerly occupied by Powell's Cafe and all is in readiness for the opening tonight when special prizes will be offered to the lady and to the gentleman who make the highest total score for the evening.

## SCHOOLS TO HOLD RALLY APRIL 11

### Plans Being Perfected For County Commencement On Next Friday

### BEGINS AT 10 O'CLOCK

School children, their teachers, their parents and many other citizens will journey to Warrenton on next Friday morning, April 11, to attend county commencement. Final plans are being perfected and every indication is for a most successful gathering, according to information from the office of County Superintendent J. Edward Allen.

The day's event at Warrenton will begin promptly at 10 o'clock in the morning when two programs will be held simultaneously. One of these will be held at the school auditorium and will take the form of stunts put on by the 13 white schools of the county, each school being allotted 8 minutes to use according to their own judgment as to the best form of entertainment. The other program will be held at the court house and will be in the form of a debate on the Chain Store system. The affirmative side of this question, "Resolved: that the chain-store system is detrimental to the best interests of the Warren county public," will be upheld by Littleton, Warrenton, Vaughan Afton-Elberon. The negative side will be debated by Norlina, Wise, Drewry and Macon.

Judges for the debate will be J. P. Phippen, Julius Banzet and the Rev. J. M. Midyette of Norlina.

During the morning hours there will be an exhibit of live-at-home posters and other materials in the cafeteria room of the school and prizes in accordance with the State program will be awarded. Six prizes are offered for the best essays and the best posters. These prizes have been offered by Whites' Building Supplies, Scoggin Motor Co., the late Hon. B. B. Williams, Allen, Son & Co., Kiwanis club of Warrenton (Continued on page 8)

## Miss Julia Dameron Only Lady In State On Election Board

RALEIGH, April 2.—"It looks as though the State Board of Elections have offered the Democratic women of the State another affront by entirely ignoring them," Mrs. Charlotte Story Perkinson, assistant State manager for Senator Simmons in the Senatorial race, said in a statement issued yesterday.

"In my old county of Warren, however, I note an exception in that Miss Julia Dameron has been re-appointed and with women like her on the county boards all over the State, no one need fear for an honest count.

"It looks as though it were about time that the men realized that the women would have to be given representation and not continue to forget they exist except when it comes time to vote. Women do not know how to be anything but honest in politics. Therefore the best interests of all concerned would be well served by the appointment of women on election boards, both county and State. I do not know how Miss Dameron stands on the Senatorial contest but she should feel quite honored, since she is the only woman in the State appointed."

## Davis Says He Is Running For Office

"You did not treat me right last week," former Sheriff R. E. Davis said this week as he met the editor in the postoffice. You did not put my name in the list of those running for Sheriff. I am a candidate, you know."

Mr. Davis was assured that the matter was an oversight. It was inadvertently omitted in The Warren Record last week. The error was discovered shortly after going to press and was corrected in the story that appeared in The Warren-Halifax Times of Littleton, a Press Publishing Company paper.

Politics continues to be a lively topic of conversation in Warren, but the biggest rush of candidates seems to be over for the present, although it is quite possible that several other candidates will appear before the election ten weeks off. No new candidates have announced this week and Recorder T. O. Rodwell is the only candidate to publish his notice of candidacy for the first time this week. He is seeking the office of State Senator and thus far no opposition has developed to his candidacy.