

## RED CROSS CALLS FOR VOLUNTEERS

### Workers Needed To Fashion Garments For Distressed And Needy Citizens

## 10,000 YARDS OF CLOTH

A call goes forth from the local chapter of the American Red Cross for volunteer workers to meet in the Tarwater building next to the Carolina Power & Light Company at Warrenton on Tuesday and Thursdays of each week to assist in making garments for needy and distressed citizens of Warren county from cloth provided through the United States government through the National Red Cross.

Ten thousand yards of gingham, bleached domestic, outing, shirt-making and other cloth are arriving, according to Mrs. R. T. Watson, secretary of this work locally. There are, however, urgent need for workers to assist in making garments, and these ladies ask that those who can possibly do so join in this work.

Overalls, knickers for boys, underwear for men, women and children are expected to arrive shortly for distribution, it is reported.

## Sunday School Convention To Be Held October 30th

The Warren County Baptist Sunday School Convention will meet at the Sulphur Springs Baptist church on Sunday, Oct. 30, according to an announcement made this week.

The convention will get under way about 10:45 o'clock with morning services. Following a dinner served in picnic style, there will be an afternoon service.

J. Willie White, who has served in the capacity of secretary since the birth of the organization, said that he was expecting one of the best programs this time that the convention had experienced in years. He urged as many as possible to be on hand.

## Recent Game Recalls Fine Team of 1914

By JIM POLK

When Warrenton High School played Raleigh High School three weeks ago in Raleigh, it was the first time in eighteen years that football teams from these schools had met on the gridiron. The W. H. S. team of 1914 was a heavy and fast team and had a very successful year, the games being played on the field back of the boys' dormitory in the Graham house, having just been moved from the old field adjoining Fairview cemetery.

The Zeta-Phi annual of 1914 comments on the football team of that year. "Our football team this year was the strongest that Warrenton has had in five years. The success of the team was due primarily to the coaching of Mr. Cople Edwards, who by his untiring efforts, succeeded in whipping a bunch of comparatively green material into a strong, aggressive team. The Warrenton eleven this season, piloted by Captain Currie, defeated the University Freshmen, the Oxford High School, the A. & M. Sophs; the only two games lost were to the champion Raleigh High School team."

The line-up of this team follows: Liles, Wood (Edenton) RE; Ralph Currie (Candor) RT; Robt. Ashby (Mt. Airy) RG; Bryan Griswold (Durham) C; Willie Wagner (Tarboro) LG; Douglas Elliot (Dunn) LT; Leslie Johnson (Aberdeen) LE; William Bain (Greensboro) RB; Don Daniel (Weldon) RHB; Wooten Moseley, LHB; John Mitchell (Oxford) FB; Edgar Harris (Tarboro) C; Willie Hines (Ahos) RE; Will Hollingsworth (Mt. Airy) LE; David Cooper (Hender) FB.

For sixteen years football fans at Warrenton and vicinity had to journey 60 or 75 miles to see a football game. Now since 1930 when Jimmy Mayfield and Bob Bright built up a team at G. H. S., we have just as good football games here as may be seen anywhere. There are no games anywhere any more exciting or that offer the football enthusiast more real football, and it's right here at home. The boys go to Windsor today where the Berke boys are waiting for them all for a real battle. The next two games after today will be played here at home. Whether in 1902, 1912 or 1932 Warrenton always has a team that other teams want to play because a good game played nearby is always assured.

## Heads American Bankers



Francis H. Sisson, vice-president of the Guaranty Trust Co., New York, is the new president of the American Bankers Ass'n. He was elected at the Los Angeles meeting.

## Two Criminal And One Civil Cases Heard By Taylor

Two criminal cases and one civil action were brought before Judge W. W. Taylor in Recorder's court on Monday morning for disposal.

Willie Harris, white man, was found guilty of having in his possession a small amount of whiskey in a pint bottle and was fined \$2 and taxed with the costs in the action.

Judgment will be passed on B. D. Burton, white, next Monday. He was in court this week charged with giving a worthless check.

Ike Davis, negro, lost his suit against W. H. Dameron. After the evidence had been gone into at some length Judge Taylor granted Mr. Dameron a non-suit.

## Speech Embarassing To Pussyfoot Johnson

Attacks he made on President Hoover in a speech proved embarrassing to William E. (Pussyfoot) Johnson when he returned home and found his wife entertaining Republican women at a picnic, according to a clipping handed in this week by E. A. Skillman, who said, "Most of us are taking our politics rather seriously this year. The enclosed clipping brings out a lighter vein in the campaign."

"McDonough, N. Y., Aug. 25.—William E. (Pussyfoot) Johnson went to the front today to prevent his statements of yesterday spoiling a lawn party arranged by Mrs. Johnson for the Republican women of Chenango County on the Johnson lawn Saturday.

"As far as the internationally dry leader is concerned, Mrs. Johnson comes first in all things. So when the repercussions of Mr. Johnson's statement yesterday about Mr. Hoover began to make themselves felt around the Johnson domicile, Mr. Johnson made the following statement:

"On my return from Washington I found that my wife had invited the good Republican women of the county to a county-wide picnic on our lawn for next Saturday from 11 to 4.

"Because of my recent article about the National Prohibition ticket, this caused some misunderstandings and embarrassment.

"Complaint has been eloquently made because I have stated that the President has talked like a weasel with his tail cut off. I was wrong in that. I am the weasel. I wish to state that my wife's invitation holds good on my part also and that the good ladies will receive a welcome from me as well as from my better half. I hope the ladies will come out in full force and spend the afternoon with us.

"Bring your husbands, sons, brothers and fathers along with you. It will do them good and perhaps make a Christian of me."

## Stop Skating Down Town, Says Drake

Mothers of Warrenton are this week requested by Chief M. M. Drake to keep their children from skating on Main street and on the sidewalks in the heart of town.

Chief Drake said that he did not wish to deny any one any pleasure but skating in town endangered lives and was a violation of the Town Ordinance. He recommended side streets for this sport.

## ATTENDS BOARD MEETING

Dr. Charles H. Peete, a member of the North Carolina Board of Nurse Examiners, was in Raleigh Tuesday and Wednesday of this week at a meeting of the examining board.

## STATE WILL AID PROVIDING JOBS

### Funds For Labor Dependent Upon Materials Being Provided Locally

## SCHOOLS MAY BENEFIT

The State of North Carolina has provided, through the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, funds for work on school grounds and buildings, provided materials, equipment and a supervisor is provided for locally and that the nature of the job is approved by the state authorities after inspection. This information is carried in a letter from J. Edward Allen, Superintendent of Schools, to principals and school committeemen of the county.

The work for which the state provides funds for labor comes under two heads. Mr. Allen said: painting school buildings and preparations that go with this, and the improvement and beautification of school grounds, or addition to school buildings.

"It occurs to this office that some of our school may be able to benefit by this fund," Mr. Allen writes. "A serious trouble is that the county school system has no money to pay for materials and equipment. If schools in your district care to avail themselves of this fund and to provide relief for those out of work in doing so, and you can see some place from which money can be had to help us meet the state and Federal requirements, I hope you will give the matter prompt attention. For instance there are numbers of schools which need exterior painting. We must provide the paint, but we have little or nothing to buy it with. Perhaps the county might set aside a certain flat sum per school which it could use to buy paint, this being about half the cost of the materials, let us say, for the lack of more definite authority. In the event that grading or excavation is necessary around the school this could be done, provided the equipment and the pay of the foreman can be had locally.

"I suggest that you think of this and consult with us promptly if you see any work of this nature in your district."

Enclosing a copy of this letter, Mr. Allen wrote to members of the board of county commissioners stating that he "hoped ways and means may be found whereby we may be able to help deserving men who want work, and at the same time get some needed work done at certain schools.

"Some ten days ago a minister of the gospel living just across the county line in another county, who is also a successful farmer, remarked to me that a colored tenant on his lands had showed up refusing to work, and he remarked, "I hear it on all sides that persons are saying that they cannot afford to do any work, for if they do, the Government will stop giving them flour and will not give them any cotton cloth when they get ready to start giving this out." Since that statement was made to me, I have heard similar statements made by persons from several widely separated sections.

"I have the utmost of tenderness of heart toward him or her who is the victim of misfortune, and believe they deserve our aid. But there is another side to this. To pauperize people, to make them feel that a premium is put on idleness, to break down their moral stamina, is a disintegrating process which is worse than temporary impoverishment. Such a course will go far toward breaking down the moral texture of people for generations to come. And I believe the government will not allow us to require any person to work for the flour.

"The principle of employing people to do work on school grounds as a measure of relief to them at the expense of the public funds is sound. I like it. It does not impair anybody's moral qualities, and it benefits the public too. Your support is requested."

## MRS. ARRINGTON RETURNS TO WARRENTON FOR FALL

Mrs. Peter Arrington arrived at her home here Wednesday from New York. She is expected to spend the Autumn at Warrenton and return to Washington and New York the first of the year.

During the early Summer Mrs. Arrington was on the North Shore of Massachusetts and later went to California in time for the Olympiad. After that she made an extended trip along the Pacific Coast from Mexico to Vancouver, and returned East by way of the Canadian Rockies and Lake Louise. She was met at Washington and accompanied home by her daughter, Miss Katherine Arrington, who arrived here last Thursday.

## Littleton Man To Be Tried On Liquor Charge Monday

John C. Hudson, operator of a service station on the edge of Littleton, will be tried in Recorder's court Monday morning on a charge of possessing whiskey.

He was arrested by Special Prohibition Enforcement Officer Edward Davis and Deputies Cary Wilson and C. J. Fleming on Saturday afternoon when a raid was made on his place of business and home. Mr. Hudson's brother-in-law, Jewell Gray, who was sitting under the service station with several gallons of booze in his car when the officers approached, succeeded in eluding the law by abandoning his automobile and fleeing through the woods.

While the chase was in order, John Vincent, a negro, was seen coming out of Mr. Hudson's house with whiskey and was taken into custody by Officer Fleming.

According to evidence brought out during a hearing conducted before Magistrate J. C. Hardy, Gray was at the service station in a Pontiac automobile when Officer Davis Wilson and Fleming came up. He drove off in his car and was followed by Davis and Wilson while Fleming remained at the service station.

The chase for Davis and Wilson ended when Gray abandoned his vehicle and fled. The car, which investigation revealed contained seven half-gallon jars of whiskey, was taken into custody.

As the two officers pursued, Fleming held his stand and kept an eye open, and saw Vincent come out of Mr. Hudson's house with a charred keg which contained booze.

When Davis and Wilson returned they with Fleming arrested Vincent and then went into the Hudson home where Mr. Hudson was found and arrested him.

Gray, it was said, is under a two-year suspended sentence in Halifax county and is wanted in Vance county on a charge of reckless driving. He has not yet been found by the officers.

## Final Chapter In Brown Will Case

The final chapter in the Brown Will Case was written on Wednesday when the State Supreme Court returned a verdict of no error. The will stands as made by the late Byron Brown, wealthiest negro in Warren county.

Byron Brown died on January 1, 1930, leaving a will in which the bulk of his estate was left to his son, Grover C. Brown. Claiming that their father was not mentally capable of making a will at the time when he bequeathed his property, other members of the family sought to break the will.

The case first came into Warren county superior court at the May 1931 term. The jury deliberated for 24 hours in trying to reach a verdict but the members were unable to agree and a mistrial was ordered. At each succeeding term of court the case was docketed but continued at the request of attorneys until the May 1932 court, presided over by Judge Walter Small, when a verdict in favor of the defense was returned. Notice of appeal was given and the judgment of the Superior court handed down on Wednesday.

## PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. Hugh Battle and daughter, Miss Maude, and son, Hugh Jr., of Rocky Mount were guests here Sunday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Battle who had been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jones for a few days.

Mrs. H. P. Reid and Misses Helen and Emily Reid were visitors in Rocky Mount this week. Miss Helen Reid remained.

## TEN DOLLARS GIVEN TO DEMOCRATIC FUND

Following our announcement in last week's Warren Record that we would forward checks to the Democratic National Headquarters, yesterday we received a check for \$10 for this purpose.

The donor handed over the check upon condition that his name be withheld from publication. "You know," he said, "that I am a Republican and it may prove embarrassing to let my friends know that I am contributing to aid in the election of a Democratic President this year."

The Warren Record has forwarded the check to Democratic Headquarters and will be glad to forward the donations of other citizens.

## That New York Political Situation



Political eyes of the nation are on New York state where Republicans and Democrats are in a knock-down, drag-out fight which started months ago and came to white heat in the Roosevelt-Al Smith-Jimmy Walker, investigations, split, etc., situations. Here are photos of the heavyweight candidates in the state fight; Left, Col. Wm. J. (Wild Bill) Donovan, G.O.P. candidate for Governor; Upper circle, Lewis H. Pount, G.O.P. candidate for mayor of New York City; Lower circle, Judge John P. O'Brien, Tammy compromise candidate over Walker for mayor on Democratic ticket; Right, Lieut. Gov. Herbert H. Lehman, Democratic candidate to succeed Gov. Roosevelt.

## Display of Bed Covering At Parish House Wins Praise

Regardless of what kind of covering the family may be sleeping under during the present depression, Warrenton is well prepared for any "tony" company that may visit here. This was well demonstrated on Wednesday when dozens of fancy bed spreads were displayed at the Warrenton Parish House under the direction of the United Daughters of the Confederacy. Many citizens visited the exhibition and have been loud in their praise of the display.

Dozens upon dozens of fancy coverings were on display. Patchwork quilts, knitted and crocheted spreads, blankets, friendship quilts, log cabin quilts and others unknown to the masculine eye of the newspaper reporter attracted the attention of the visitors.

Many of the spreads displayed were made from cotton grown, picked and spun on plantations of this section in the days before the Civil War. Dated of origination were from 1778 until 1932. Special interest was focussed on the friendship quilt displayed by Mrs. Hannah Arrington, 93-year old Warrenton woman, made in her young womanhood from squares donated by her friends.

A silver offering made by the visitors will be used for chapter purposes.

## MISS GRAHAM EXPRESSES APPRECIATION FOR HELP

The handiwork displayed at the Parish House Wednesday revealed the wealth of treasures, old and new, in the homes of our people. Miss Amma Graham says in thanking the people who cooperated with the Daughters of the Confederacy in the undertaking. Her appreciation is voiced in the following:

"The display of quilts, cotton, worsted, silk, made before and since the War between the States; of afghans, knit and crocheted, of many different patterns and colors, most attractive and beautiful; of counterpanes, woven then embroidered, knit, and crocheted, one made as early as 1778 and others yet unfinished, shows the wealth of treasures old and new in the homes of our people.

"There were many that deserve special mention but time and space forbid.

"We wish to thank all who cooperated with the Daughters in this undertaking to replenish their empty treasury and we were pleased at the number of visitors from county as well as town and even out of State. We hope it was a pleasant day for all.

"Our thanks to Mr. Wagner and his people for the use of the Parish House."

## Brings Samples Of Second Crop Peaches

Samples of a second crop of peaches were exhibited at the office of The Warren Record this week by E. D. Halthcock of Rt. 1, Macon. The peaches are not much larger than hickory nuts but in color and taste are similar to their ancestors. Mr. Halthcock said that he had a good growth of peaches on his tree during the regular season and that there were a large number of the smaller peaches there now.

## SEIZE PARROTS AFTER WRECK

### Driver of Show Truck Flees Following An Accident In Which Four Were Hurt

## CAR AND TRUCK HELD

Four negroes were carried to a Henderson hospital as the result of a wreck which occurred between Wise and the Virginia line on Saturday night when a concession truck returning from the State Fair crashed into a wagon.

One of the negroes, it was stated, received a fractured skull but the others escaped with minor injuries. All are expected to recover. Ben and William Giggets are the only names of those on the wagon that could be learned here.

Following the accident the truck driver abandoned his vehicle and fled. The truck, which carried a parrot, about ten canaries, several love birds and other show paraphernalia, is being held here.

An automobile belonging to the head of the concession outfit is also in the custody of Sheriff W. J. Pinnell. The car was seized by Sheriff Pinnell Monday when Frank Pope, owner of the show, drove into Warrenton to investigate the accident.

Mr. Pope was allowed to take his birds and his wife's trunk, but the truck and car are held in lieu of a cash bond. The negroes, represented by Gholson & Gholson of Henderson, are suing for \$2000 damages.

The cause of the accident is unknown. Witnesses say that the wagon carried a light and was on the right side of the road. The driver fled, it was reported, when he got out of his truck to investigate the accident and heard the negroes groaning and declaring that they were dying.

The truck was enroute to Richmond from the North Carolina State Fair at Raleigh, it was said.

A number of local citizens went to the show-room of the Boyd-Boyce Garage to view the birds.

## Republican Senator Out For Roosevelt

MADISON, Wis., Oct. 19.—Senator Robert M. LaFollette Jr., progressive Republican, issued a statement today advocating the election of the Democratic presidential nominee, Franklin D. Roosevelt. It was evident, Senator LaFollette said, that Hoover would block progressive measures in Congress while Roosevelt "indicates a willingness to cooperate with progressives on legislative actions to meet the extraordinary (economic) crisis.

"I shall, therefore, vote for Governor Roosevelt because I believe he offers the only immediate hope for the relief of 10,000,000 unemployed men, women and children, and 6,000,000 farmers, who with their families, are threatened with the loss of their entire stake in our economic order," the senator said. "If he is elected I shall feel free to oppose any of his policies which are not in accord with my own convictions."

Camden, N. J., Oct. 18.—The Camden Morning Post and The Camden Evening Courier today declared for the election of Franklin D. Roosevelt for President. It is the first time in their 60 years' existence they have supported a Democratic Presidential candidate, it was announced.

## Roosevelt To Speak At Raleigh Tuesday

Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt, Democratic nominee for the Presidency of the United States, is scheduled to appear at Raleigh on next Tuesday morning where he will make a brief address.

He will travel through the state from Charlotte, via Hamlet through Raleigh and Norlina, and thence to Richmond.

Whether or not Mr. Roosevelt will make a platform appearance at Norlina or Henderson is not known, but is considered doubtful.

## N. C. DEATH RATE IS AMONG LOWEST

Washington, Oct. 20.—North Carolina's death rate of 10.3 per 1,000 of estimated population in 1931 was lower than the national average of 11.1 and was among the low states of the union, the Census Bureau reported today.

The bureau listed 11 states in which the death rate "may be considered remarkable," because it has been reduced to 10 or fewer per 1,000 population. North Carolina ranked just above these.

## Roosevelt Leads By Half Million, Digest Poll Shows

With all the States swinging in line for the first time in the Literary Digest Poll this week, Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt has a lead of slightly more than 500,000 votes. Roosevelt has polled today 1,473,446 votes; President Hoover, 937,387.

Forty-one out of the 48 states taking part in the straw vote are in the Roosevelt column, giving the New York governor 474 electoral votes compared with 57 for President Hoover.

The vote of North Carolina, tabulated for the first time this week, gives Governor Roosevelt 24,102, and President Hoover 8,498.

## Warren Physicians Attend Meeting

Warren county physicians joined with doctors from Vance and Franklin counties in a discussion of matters pertaining to their profession at a meeting held in the Croatan club at Henderson on Monday night.

In addition to doctors from Henderson, Oxford, Louisburg and Warrenton, the meeting was attended by Dr. John B. Wright of Raleigh, president of the North Carolina Medical Society, and Dr. J. M. Parrott of Raleigh, secretary of the State Board of Health and State health officer.

Practice as a part of welfare, school and indigent work, and in connection with the operation of the State workmen's compensation law was discussed. There was a sentiment that, while the doctors are ready and willing to do their part in the present crisis, they must at the same time make a living, and that some public funds should be made available, by State, national, county and city units to provide for charity work. Particular emphasis was laid, it was understood, upon work among unemployed and destitute families during the coming winter.

Dr. G. H. Macon, Dr. W. D. Rodgers and Dr. H. H. Foster of Norlina attended from Warren county.

## Boyce Displays Ford In Drug Co. Lobby

Jim Boyce of Boyce Drug Co., local Rexall store, added another to his list of displays that have from time to time attracted the attention of the public. This is a brand new one.

He is displaying a Sport Model V-8 Ford in the lobby of his store. The purpose of the display is to attract attention to other features on display and to give "Brother Bill" a hand. Bill Boyce is manager of the Boyce-Boyd Motor Co., local Ford dealer.

## Reynolds To Deliver Speech At Henderson

Robert R. Reynolds, Democratic nominee for the United States Senate, will speak at Henderson tonight. His address is scheduled to begin at 8 o'clock in the Riggan Theatre. The public is invited to attend.