

# THE TORCH

A department conducted for The Warren County Memorial Library  
By MABEL DAVIS  
The Librarian

### Closed For the Week

The library will not be open for service next week. Monday will be given to boxing the books ready for moving on Tuesday. Several days will be required to get them in their proper places on the shelves in the new building. When that is completed the floors will have to be finished and waxed before we can open the doors to the public. In the mean time we hope that the error made in filling our order for the iron guard rails for the steps will have been corrected and the concrete steps may be finished.

We think these things will require the entire week, and necessitate closing the doors to our friends during that time. We will open again on Monday afternoon, July 30th, at which time the public is cordially invited to a very informal opening of the new Warren County Memorial Library.

### Window Shades For the Library

Just how to provide shades for the six large windows in the library without incurring further debt was settled for us by a friend, who suggested that she would give one and she thought she knew others who would do the same. A good shade for windows as large as ours is expensive. They cost wholesale \$3.30 each. At this writing, Thursday, five windows have been provided for. Those giving shades are Mesdames C. A. Tucker, T. J. Holt, C. S. Perkins, E. S. Allen, and Miss Mabel Davis.

### Other Appreciated Gifts

We have received beautiful flowers this week from Misses Lucy Pridgen and Belle Dameron. Nellie Blanchard's "The Bird Book," which is considered high authority on the subject, came to us from Mr. M. C. Johnson, Norlina, and \$2.00 for our almost non-existent book fund was left at the desk by a lady who realized our need.

The library is also deeply indebted to Misses Mary Drake and Mamie Gardner. To Miss Drake for typing some letters for the finance committee, and to Miss Gardner for valuable assistance in preparing a mimeograph catalogue of the 5,500 books in the library. She gave weeks of service to the work, cutting nearly fifty stencils. The catalogue will be ready for use in the near future.

### A Timely Suggestion

It has been suggested that the public be given an opportunity to contribute something toward paying off the indebtedness on the building through a silver offering at the opening on July 30th. Some of our friends have already contributed generously. We believe there are others who will welcome an opportunity to contribute to the cause in this way. The library has never been in debt before. If we all pull together we shall not be very long in lifting the debt and getting ready to buy some of the new books you are anxious to read.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

by Charles E. Dunn

Elijah Hears God's Voice.  
Lesson for July 22nd. 1 Kings 19:9-21.  
Golden Text: 1 Samuel 3:9.

Our lesson tells of Elijah's recovery from despondency. First an angel commanded, "Arise, and eat." The worn out body of Elijah needed the refreshment of food. A square meal is a first rate means of banishing gloom. His appetite appeased, the prophet, like Moses, spent forty days and nights in solitary communion with God. Then the Lord asked a searching question, "What doest thou here, Elijah?" There was important work for the prophet to accomplish. A discouraged man usually needs not less work but more. The prodigal son, in his degradation, doubtless heard a query much like that hurled at Elijah. And he answered by going back to his old home, and getting to work. John Bright, famous English statesman, heard a similar inquiry as he mourned the loss of his beautiful young wife. It came to him in the appeal of Richard Cobden who urged him to give his life to the repeal of the unjust corn laws.

And now the divine voice spoke a third time. "Go forth," it said, "and stand upon the mount." How important it is to ascend to an elevation where one may see the broad horizons of God's providence! It was from a mountain that Moses looked into the Promised Land.

And when Elijah had ascended, an altogether extraordinary spectacle met his gaze. Magnificent displays of physical power greeted his astonished eyes. But God, much to the prophet's surprise, was not in the wind, or the earthquake, or the fire. He spoke, instead, in a still small voice. And so Elijah learned that the Lord can speak softly, as well as loudly, peacefully, as well as in the storm.

Do we hear the dulcet tones of the divine appeal? Do we allow the Lord to enter the citadel of our affections on a wave of stillness? Listen to a great verse spoken by the psalmist, "Thy gentleness hath made me great."

## Retrospective

### RETROSPECTIVE CORRECTED

In the last issue of The Warren Record, under the heading, "Retrospective," giving the news of ten years ago, appeared a paragraph relating that M. M. Drake and E. L. Green had been elected to police the town.

That statement was wrongly copied. It should have read M. M. Drake and Fate Weaver were appointed to succeed E. L. Green. Mr. Green had resigned a short time previously, due, he stated at that time, to a \$25 cut in salary and an increase in his duties.

The Warren Record five years ago said:  
The Warrenton Golf club defeated a team from Henderson on Wednesday by the score of 22-7.

T. B. Greech, former manager of the Pender store here, has accepted a position as salesman with Scoggin Motor Co.

The Warren County Board of Health, in line with the state board, has ruled that all children must be vaccinated against smallpox before entering school this fall.

Messrs. John Mitchell and William Polk are spending some time in New York.

Mesdames Roy Davis and Frank Allen have returned from a visit to Mr. Phil Allen at Kansas City, Missouri.

Miss Kathleen Holland of Dunn is visiting Miss Emily Hilliard.

The Warren Record ten years ago said:

An increase of ten cents on the \$100 worth of taxable property was levied by the Board of County Commissioners this week to apply on the 1924 tax rate. The additional levy is necessary to retire school bonds which were issued by the board to take care of a deficit resulting four years ago which the state tentatively promised to assume but which has been charged back to all counties proportionately.

Many Warren citizens are taking typhoid and diphtheria vaccine in the campaign which opened last Saturday.

Miss Roberta Porter of Greensboro is visiting Miss Elizabeth Johnson.

An unusual disease of cotton has come to the attention of North Carolina farmers within the past few days. This disease which is called cotton blight has appeared suddenly and is so destructive that

## FLOWERS

FOR ALL OCCASIONS

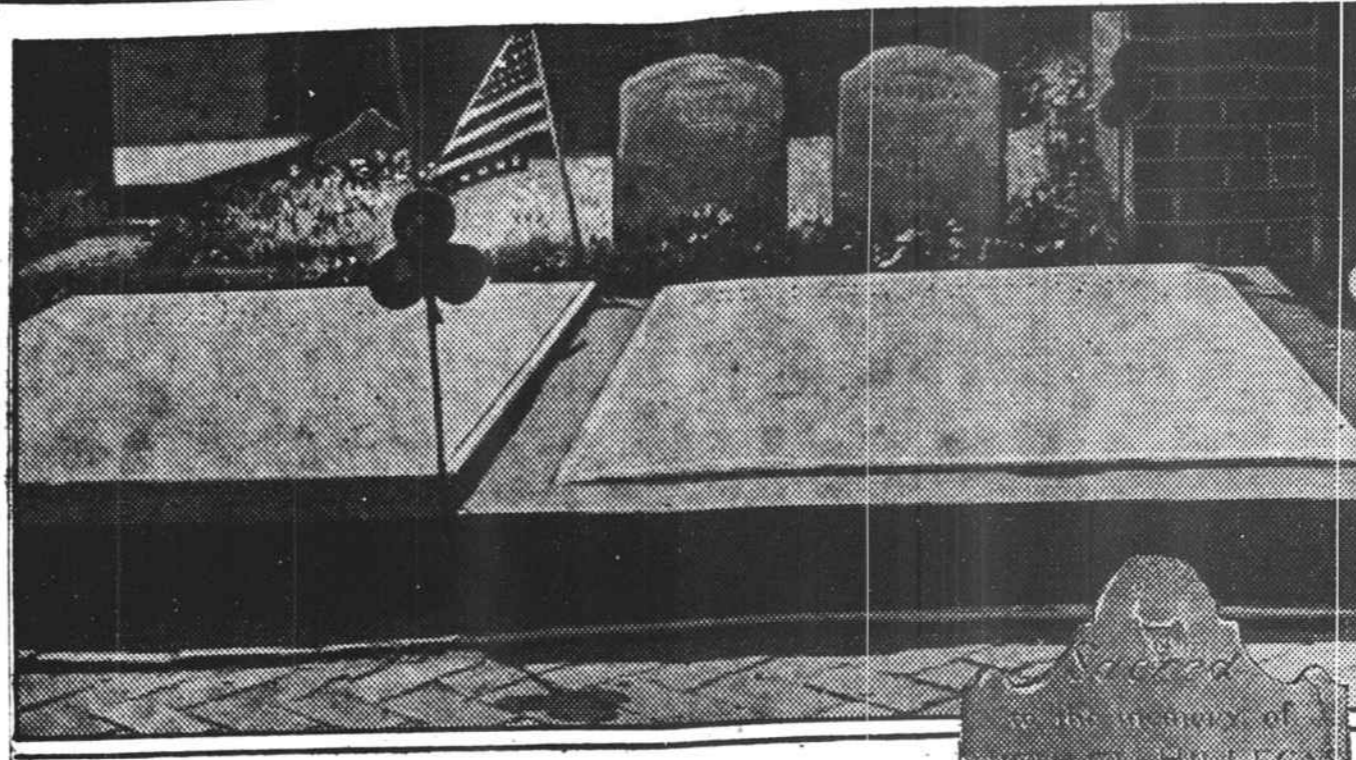
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WARRENTON FLOWER SHOP

By E. T. Odom, Prop.

## MONUMENTS IN OLD CHURCH CEMETERY RECALL EARLY HISTORY OF COUNTRY



Above, the graves of Benjamin Franklin and his wife. Right, after 130 years the inscription on this marble tablet to the first Treasurer of the United States is still legible.

CHRIST Church Burial Ground, historic cemetery in the heart of Philadelphia's wholesale and warehouse district, resting place of Benjamin Franklin and four others who signed the Declaration of Independence, is being restored.

Under the direction of the Rev. Louis C. Washburn, rector of Christ Church, and Harvey Mertz, sexton, graves lost for half a century are being located, marble monuments and vaults, some of them more than two hundred years old, are being replaced in their original positions, and the entire plot is being made into a place of beauty consonant with its historic associations.

Founded in 1719, seventy years before Washington became President and a year after the death of William Penn, the little cemetery became the last resting place of some of the most prominent citizens of colonial days. There in one corner lie Franklin and his wife, Deborah, in a marble tomb, the construction of which Franklin himself supervised. There also are Benjamin Rush, Francis Hopkinson,

George Ross and Joseph Hewes, all signers of the Declaration of Independence; Peyton Randolph, president of the First Continental Congress; Michael Hillegas, first treasurer of the United States; William Tilghman, chief justice of Pennsylvania, and many another whose works had a lasting effect upon our country.

As the years went by the little houses that lined the streets of Penn's pioneer village gave way to business buildings and, as the city grew and business moved westward, these in turn became industrial buildings and warehouses. But the little burial ground, now surrounded by a tall brick wall, remained intact.

In the scores of years that have elapsed since most of the burials took place, many who were buried there were forgotten. Tombs and headstones, neglected, sank beneath the ground.

Guided by a record made in 1865, Mr. Mertz has uncovered more than a dozen markers that had been completely covered with earth and ivy

vines. Only the other day he found the headstone that had marked the grave of Joseph, son of Charles Willing, the first mayor of Philadelphia, who passed away in 1750.

Incidentally, Mr. Mertz would like to learn something of J. Gullen, one of the early stone carvers whose name is inscribed on several of the memorials in the cemetery. Mr. Mertz estimates that his work was done about 1812. Several monuments bear the characteristic marks of his chisel even though they do not bear his name.

it is causing considerable concern. Messrs. Graham Boyd and Gerald Allen departed on Wednesday for Virginia Beach for a short vacation.

The Warren Record fifteen years ago said:

The Warren County Welcome Home Celebration, dated for Friday of the present week, is moving on a schedule time toward mammoth completion. Chairman Polk and several committees are perfecting details. Major Will Graham is in charge of the parade and W. H. Burroughs will serve as chief marshal. He will be assisted by 20 men all mounted and with regalia.

Mr. L. Joblin has returned from a business trip north.

We are pleased to see Mr. John Jenkins, assistant to the Secretary of the Navy, in town. Mr. Jenkins has a warm spot in his heart for Warrenton where he spent his early years.

Tobacco growers of Halifax county report considerable damage from bud worms, though most of the growers are poisoning the pest and securing fair control.

"On time" is a first-class recommendation.

## MUCH INTEREST

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other men entered the store where words followed and Hampton Smith hit Raymond Pendergrass across his head with his bare fist. There was some evidence to show that Chester Smith had an open knife in his hand but none to show that he intended to or did use it. The attorney for Chester Smith asked for a non-suit which was granted. Solicitor Daniel accepted the plea of guilty of simple assault and Judge Taylor fined Hampton Smith \$5.00 and the costs of court.

The case against Allen and Samuel Jones was continued upon request of the attorney for the defendants.

Following her trial for fornication and adultery for which she was sentenced to six months in jail, prayer for judgment being continued upon her, Lula Patton was arrested upon a charge of cursing upon the streets of Warrenton and was tried before Magistrate Macey T. Pridgen, who gave the woman the choice of 29 days in jail or leaving the county by noon Tuesday. Officers have not seen her since that time, it is understood.

The wool pool arranged by County Agent W. B. Collins was participated in by 252 Alleghany sheep growers who sold 18,673 pounds.

## The HUNTERGRAM

A Newspaper Within A Newspaper

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WARRENTON DAIRY PURE CREAM 1-2 pt. 15c; pt. 30c; qt. 60c

"Is Jim's love for you platonic?"  
"I guess it must be. He doesn't come to see me any more."

"I think I've got more men friends than you have."  
"Yes, you're just two chumps ahead of me."

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We missed a number of our friends over the week end who were at the beaches.

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The old custom of cutting notches on gun stocks is being applied to automobile wheels now.

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Coach	495	25
Coupe	485	25
MASTER MODELS		
Sport Roadster	540	35
Coach	580	35
Town Sedan	615	30
Sedan	640	35
Coupe	560	35
Sport Coupe	600	35
Sedan Delivery	600	45
COMMERCIAL CARS		
Commercial Chassis	355	30
Utility Long Chassis	515	50
Dual Long Chassis	535	50
Utility Chassis and Cab	575	50
Dual Chassis and Cab	595	50
Utility Long Chassis and Cab	605	50
Dual Long Chassis and Cab	625	35
Commercial Panel	575	35
Special Commercial Panel	595	35
Utility Panel	750	50
Dual Cab and Stake Body	680	50
Dual Long Cab and Stake Body	740	50

Above are list prices of passenger cars at Flint, Mich. With bumpers, spare tire and tire lock, the list price of Standard Models is \$18 additional. Master Models, \$20 additional. List prices of commercial cars quoted are F. O. B. Flint, Mich. Special equipment extra. Prices subject to change without notice.

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