

## TIME LIMIT SET ON CERTIFICATES

Local Cotton Committeemen  
To Be Elected For 1935;  
Meeting Dates Given

WILL RENT 35 PER CENT

By R. H. BRIGHT  
County Agent

All ginners or persons that will need cotton certificates must purchase them before February 9, 1935. The Washington Office has ordered all certificates returned on or before the above date. Any person who has not returned his certificate will be required to pay the tax which is 5.63 cents per lb. instead of the 4 cents the certificates will cost.

The administrative ruling in the cotton section requires the election of local cotton committeemen for the year 1935. The following is a schedule of the meetings that will be held in this county for the purpose of electing these committeemen:

- Arcola—Friday, Jan. 25, 10 a. m.
- Inez—Friday, Jan. 25, 11:30 a. m.
- Wise—Friday, Jan. 25, 2 p. m.
- Drewry—Friday, Jan. 25, 3:30 p. m.
- Hechts' Grove—Saturday, Jan. 26, 10 a. m.
- Pinnells' Store—Saturday, Jan. 26, 10 a. m.
- Warrenton Court House—Saturday, Jan. 26, 2:30 p. m.
- Churchill—Monday, Jan. 28, 10 a. m.
- Vaughan—Monday, Jan. 28, 11:30 a. m.
- H. L. Walls Store, Monday, Jan. 28, 3:30 p. m.
- S. D. Kings' Store—Monday, Jan. 28, 3:30 p. m.
- Norlina (Church)—Tuesday, Jan. 29, 10 a. m.

The maximum reduction that may be required under the 1935 cotton contract is 25 per cent of the base acres, but the Agricultural Adjustment Administration will rent as much as 35 per cent of the base acres if the producer wishes to rent this amount. The allotment under the Bankhead Act for 1935 is 10,500,000 bales. This is an increase of 500,000 bales which is the amount that will be required to take care of the small producers. This means that the allotments for 1935 will be about the same as they were in 1934. In view of the above facts I think it will be wise for the cotton producers to rent the 35 per cent of the base acres instead of the 25 per cent.

The tobacco allotments for 1935 have been mailed and the cotton allotments will be sent out in few days or weeks.

## Littleton Man Is Injured In Accident

Littleton, Jan. 23.—A. R. Delbridge, local merchant, was seriously injured in an automobile accident, which occurred when his car, driven by Bud Jones, colored driver, struck another car, ten miles out of Portsmouth on the Suffolk highway, as he was returning from a business trip to Norfolk.

The driver held the car on the road for about three hundred yards before losing control of it. It turned over in a ditch in which there was three feet of water. Mr. Delbridge was thrown on his face. He was pulled out of the water by Jones, who evidently saved his life. Jones escaped without injury as did the occupants of the other car.

Mr. Delbridge was taken to a Portsmouth hospital. The driver was taken to Portsmouth where he is held under a seven hundred and fifty dollar bond.

Evidently Mr. Delbridge was thrown against the windshield breaking the glass, which split open his chin, scraping the skin and flesh back towards his ears. His nose was broken between the eyes and at first it was thought his skull was fractured.

## Three Men Held On Robbery Charge

Littleton, Jan. 24.—Tom Shearin and Mack Moore, Jr., of Littleton and Willie Lewis of Vaughan, all colored, are being held in the city jail awaiting the next term of Superior Court of Halifax County.

They are charged with entering the Eugene Johnston Company on Monday night of last week and taking cigarettes, knives, pistol cartridges and a small amount of money. An unsuccessful attempt was made to open the vault.

The robbers were apprehended Tuesday morning with the aid of bloodhounds and were placed in jail upon failure to pay a bond of \$250.00 each.

## Project Approved To Spend \$20,000 To Fight Malaria

Projects calling for an expenditure of approximately \$20,000 have been approved for fighting malaria in Warren county, it was learned this week from C. M. White, district drainage engineer with the U. S. Department of Public Health Service. This money is to be spent in draining ditches and removing other malaria hazards, Mr. White said.

Around 80 men are already at work on projects in Norlina, Ridge-way and Littleton, and it is expected that this number of helpers will be doubled when work begins in other parts of the county. The labor on these projects comes from the relief roll, Mr. White stated.

The district engineer said that he did not know how long the work would last in Warren county but expressed the opinion that should it last five or six years every malaria hazard in the county would be removed. "Malaria has been increasing in this state, but where this drainage work has been done we haven't had a single case," he said. Once the ditches are cut, property owners are required to keep them open.

Below is a list of the projects: Bullock Creek, between Drewry and Palmer Springs, \$1726.67. Hawthree township, below Cole's bridge and running three miles, \$3333.33. Fishing Creek, from Manson ten miles down stream, \$6533.33. Shocco Creek, two miles above Jerusalem church to point four miles below church, \$6533.33. Warrenton, to reshape and drain all ditches and swamps in or within close proximity of town, \$680. The projects also call for an expenditure of \$400 for a county supervisor.

## Over 100 Loans Sought Through Production Ass'n

By W. B. GOODING  
Secy-Treas. Henderson P. C. A.

Over a hundred applications for crop production loans, totaling more than \$30,000.00, have been made by Granville, Vance and Warren County farmers to date to the Henderson Production Credit Association for the year 1935.

Although most farmers made money last year and are now in much better shape financially, the payment of old debts has left many without adequate funds for their farming operations in 1935. It is the purpose and aims of the Henderson Production Credit Association to furnish such farmers the cheapest possible credit for the purchase of fertilizer and supplies, as well as other items actually needed in producing their crops.

Farmers are putting in their applications early this season so that they may be approved, but this does not mean that they will get their money immediately upon approval. When a farmer puts in his application he is required to state at what time and for what the money is to be used. This allows the Association to disburse the loans at the time they are actually needed.

Collections for the past year are practically 100 per cent complete, and it has been necessary to turn only one account, out of the seven hundred and eighty-one farmers served last year, over to the legal department for collection thus far.

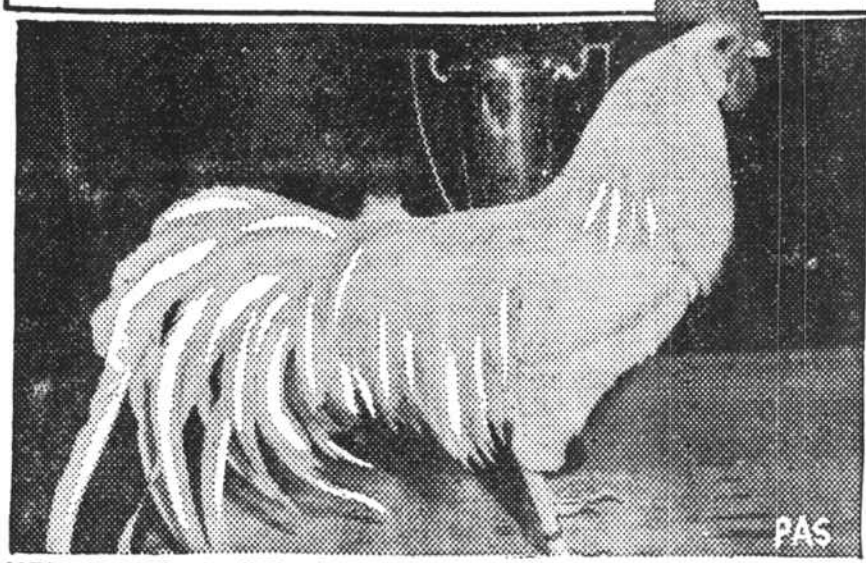
Offices are being maintained in Oxford, Henderson and Warrenton for the convenience of farmers in making application in each of the three counties served by the Association. The main office is located in Henderson, which is more nearly in the geographical center of the territory served, and where all of the accounting work and general supervision is carried on.

## \$257,377 Warren's Share Of Bonus

If Congress voted for immediate cash payment of the soldiers' bonus in full, it would mean the distribution of \$257,377.83 in Warren county to veterans of the World War, according to a compilation made by the national headquarters of the American Legion in Indianapolis, and circulated in this state by state headquarters at Lexington. It would bring \$4,622,162.20 into North Carolina.

The distribution would put \$586,557.94 in Halifax county, \$300,670.71 in Vance and \$324,487.30 in Franklin. Limer Post, No. 25, of the American Legion, went on record some time ago in favor of paying the bonus, it was learned this week from W. F. Alston, commander.

## White Leghorn Best Bird in New York Show



NEW YORK... "King", yearling white leghorn cockerel (above), bred and exhibited by D. W. Young of Whitehouse, N. J., walked off with high honors, judged the best bird in the New York show.

## Health Officer Urges Reporting Of Contagious Diseases

By DR. G. H. MACON  
County Health Officer

For the benefit of the public I deem it my duty as Health Officer of Warren county to inform citizens in regard to matters pertaining to the public health laws of North Carolina.

The health laws of the state are strict and plainly state that the following diseases must be reported promptly by the head of the family to your family physician, school teacher or county health officer: measles, diphtheria, typhoid fever, scarlet fever, small-pox, chicken-pox, whooping-cough, German measles, meningitis, infantile paralysis, and septic sore throat.

I have recently received from the state department of health rather stringent rules of procedure for those who willfully and persistently violate the health laws of North Carolina. In the reportable diseases enumerated above I urge that you contact your family physician and he will advise you the proper method of procedure, for so many untimely and unnecessary deaths in later life are directly due to not giving proper consideration to these diseases.

## County Council Of P. T. A. Meets

At the regular monthly meeting of the Warren County Parent-Teacher Council, held in the auditorium of John Graham High School on Saturday afternoon, Mrs. W. B. Aycock, President of the State Congress of Parents and Teachers, and Mrs. N. L. Walker, District Chairwoman, were guest speakers. Mrs. Aycock spoke of the needs of the schools of North Carolina in order that the state budget of obligation and opportunity to the childhood of the State may be balanced. Mrs. Walker urged closer co-operation between the local units and the District, State and National organizations.

Following these addresses the County organization, with the largest attendance of the year, enthusiastically endorsed the State Parent-Teacher Platform for 1934-35, urging 25 per cent increase in teachers' salaries, and a minimum budget of \$22,000,000 for schools.

## THROUGH CAPITAL KEYHOLES

By BESS HINTON SILVER

THREATENING—If former Lieutenant Governor R. T. Fountain of Rocky Mount doesn't seek to snatch the toga now sported by Senator Josiah W. Bailey, Raleigh, next year a lot of people who help support pillars around the State Capitol will be very much surprised. Mr. Fountain's actions have been interpreted as those of a candidate for a year or more but in Raleigh recently he was asked directly if he intended to run for nomination to the Eastern Senate seat. "I am seriously considering it," Fountain replied and that is considered something in the nature of a direct reply from a man who never has been prone to tell other people what he intends to do.

WISE EGG—Lieutenant Governor A. H. Graham is reputed to know his way around in the world of politics and his Senate committee appointments seem to justify that estimate. Examination of senile appointments will reveal that every member of the Upper House has berths on several important committees and the new members seem particularly pleased. If Mr. Graham really intends to run for the Democratic nomination for Governor in 1936 it is a safe bet his

## Henry Burwell Dies At Townsville Home On Monday

Henry Martin Burwell, 62, prominent citizen of Townsville, died Monday afternoon at his home in that community after a lengthy illness with a severe heart attack.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock at Tabernacle church at Townsville, and the body was brought to the family burial plot in Warrenton for interment. Rev. J. A. Daily of Middleburg and Rev. O. I. Hinson of Warrenton, Methodist ministers, and Rev. Kennison of the Presbyterian church conducted the services.

In the death of Mr. Burwell the Townsville community lost one of its best beloved and most esteemed citizens. Although suffering for some weeks from a severe heart trouble, his death came as a distinct shock to his family and friends. On Sunday he appeared to be decidedly better, suffering no pain and in the best of spirits, and considered, temporarily at least out of danger. Death came at two o'clock in the afternoon after an attack lasting only three or four minutes.

Mr. Burwell, eldest son by a second marriage of William Henry Burwell and Lucy Cole, was born in Warren county in August, 1873.

Surviving are his widow, formerly Miss Sue Alston, and three children Mrs. Herman Davis, William Henry Burwell, and Miss Elizabeth Borwell, all of Townsville. He also leaves eleven brothers and sisters: M. P. Burwell, J. C. Burwell, Miss Lucy Burwell, Miss Edith Burwell, Mrs. Edmund White, Mrs. W. R. Baskerville, Mrs. W. N. Boyd, Mrs. R. B. Boyd, all of Warrenton, Mrs. James Horner of Oxford, Mrs. George Allen of New York, and Mrs. R. B. Powell of Henderson.

FUNDERBURK WOULD SADDLE STATE WITH COUNTY BONDS Raleigh, Jan. 24.—Representative Coble Funderburk of Union county yesterday introduced in the House the long-rumored bill to have the State take over the counties' road bonds—a proposal to add \$96,000,000 to the bonded indebtedness of the state, according to the estimate of Capus Waynick, chairman of the State Highway and Public Works Commission.

Mr. S. G. Daniel of Littleton was a visitor here yesterday.

## SEED LOAN BILL PASSES SENATE

Sum Asked Is Double That Provided Last Year; Costs Materials Are Higher

### KERR PLEAS FOR BILL

Senator Smith's bill to make available \$100,000,000 for 1935 crop loans has passed the Senate and is now pending in the House.

The appropriation is double what it was last year and permits the spending of \$1,000,000 for feed and livestock in drought and storm-stricken areas.

Chairman Smith of the Agriculture committee, author of the bill, said the increase in the appropriation was due to the higher cost of seed and fertilizer.

A strong plea was made in the House by Congressman John H. Kerr for the passage of the bill, according to the following which was taken from Monday's Congressional Record:

"Mr. Speaker, I indulge the hope that this Congress will unanimously pass this measure. I represent one of the great agricultural districts of this Nation, and I know how essential these loans have been to the people in my district and in my State. This is the only way we have been able to take care of the small farmer who for 5 years has had no other possible way of getting capital to continue his business and take care of his family. The merit of this loan and objection to same has been time and again discussed before this House, and the objection to the passage of this bill today is without merit; it is purely political in its nature and should have no place in the discussion of a measure so vital to the welfare of the American farmer.

"These loans have been most successful in North Carolina, and I am pleased to say to the Congress today that my State has paid back about 99 per cent of the loans that have been made there. Our farmers want them again. It makes them feel secure. They do not have to go and beg people or banks for money to make their crops to take care of their families. They feel they can go to the Government and on easy terms obtain money, and they have heretofore been fortunate enough to pay back these loans. These loans have stimulated the pride of the American farmer and done much to convince him of the honest endeavor of Congress to help him as he struggles to bring back prosperity to this country.

"I know of no privilege or no power extended to the farmer in this country that has aided him or helped him more than these crop loans and the other loans described in this bill.

"I hope the Congress will unambiguously extend this right to the poor small farmer, who is the real farmer that produces a large percent of the wealth of this Nation, in order that he may again get this loan and take care of his crop and of his industry."

## Accident Proves Fatal To Duke

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock from Sulphur Springs Baptist Church at Elberon for James H. Duke, who died Friday evening at Maria Parham Hospital, Henderson, as the result of injuries he sustained earlier in the week when the truck he was operating overturned, breaking his wrist and crushing his leg.

Immediately following the accident Mr. Duke was carried to the hospital where the broken bone in his wrist was set and his leg and ankle treated. Complications set in and his leg was amputation on Thursday morning. He was 40 years old at the time of his death on Friday evening.

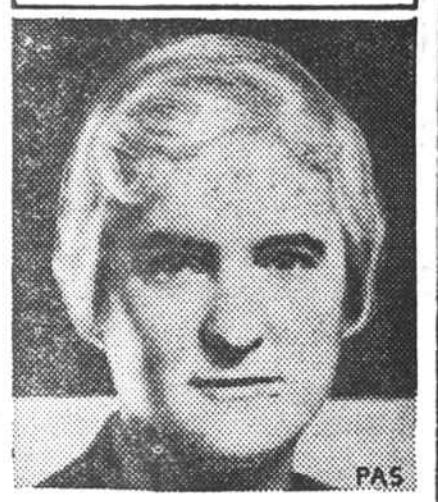
The services were in charge of Rev. R. R. Jackson and Irby Jackson of Middleburg and the Rev. Charles Gillespie of Oxford. He was a World War veteran and well liked throughout the community. His casket was draped with the National Flag.

Mr. Duke is survived by his wife, who was Miss Mary Blackley of Henderson, and three children, Julia, 10, Genevieve, 5, and Hal, 2; his mother, Mrs. Murphy Duke; five sisters, Mrs. Foster Jones and Mrs. Ed Short of Elberon, Mrs. Will Haskins of Stem, Mrs. Fannie Hester and Mrs. W. A. Miles of Warrenton.

Miss Josephine Carty of the Roanoke Rapids school faculty spent the week end here with her sister, Mrs. William Duke Jones.

Capt. Carlos Lowrance of the C. C. C. camp at Hollister was a visitor in Warrenton this week.

## Peace Work Leader



WASHINGTON... Miss Josephine Schain (above), Administrative Chairman of the National Committee on the Cause and Cure of War, is one of the leaders in the 10th Anniversary Conference in session here, Jan. 22-25. Eleven national women's organizations are represented.

## Tobacco Market To End Season Of 1934-35 Today

Following sales today the Warrenton tobacco market will close for the season.

Sales have been light here since the market opened after the Christmas holidays, and it is the consensus of opinion among tobacco-consumers and farmers that practically all of the crop has been disposed of.

## State Ideal For Poultry Production

North Carolina is well adapted for poultry production on a large scale, says Roy S. Dearstyne, head of the poultry department at N. C. State College.

The climate is conducive to poultry and the soils produce economically the basic feed such as corn, wheat, oats, and barley. The fisheries on the coast supply an abundance of fish meal and menhaden oil. The well developed milling industry is another advantage, he says.

Another important factor is the nearness to markets, he points out. The State itself is a large consumer of poultry products and the large metropolitan markets are within an overnight haul.

But the industry will not thrive, he adds, unless poultrymen follow the methods of scientific and progressive poultry raising.

One of the most important factors is that of breeding, he says. Among the important characteristics transmitted from parent to offspring are egg size, persistency of production, early feathering, and early maturity.

Good breeding is not an accident, but the result of careful studies of the flock, trap-nesting, record keeping, pedigreeing, and careful management.

There is a shortage of superior hatching eggs, Dearstyne says, and small flock owners have an opportunity to market all the eggs they can produce from high grade birds. If the flock is inferior, Dearstyne recommends that all eggs be sold for food purposes and chicks from superior eggs be used in starting next year's flock.

If he does this, the poultryman can then enter the superior egg market and command the higher price paid for high grade hatching eggs.

## Burroughs To Head Local Red Cross

Stephen Burroughs was elected county chairman of the Warren county chapter of the American Red Cross at a meeting held in the office of Boyd's Warehouse last Friday evening. Mr. Burroughs succeeds W. N. Boyd, who has served for four years.

Mrs. C. R. Rodwell was appointed vice president, a position formerly held by Mrs. J. E. Rooker Sr., and Miss Mamie Williams was named as secretary. J. Edward Allen remains with the organization as treasurer.

The retiring officers will serve, it was agreed, until the new officers accept their places.

In tendering their resignations, Mr. Boyd and Mrs. Rooker asked this newspaper to express to the people of Warren county their appreciation for the co-operation which has been given the Red Cross during their tenure of office.

Due to the death of the roll call chairman, E. Gerald Allen, a financial report has not been made, the treasurer stated.

Mr. F. T. Read was a business visitor in Norfolk yesterday.

## LEGION TO HOLD BONUS RALLY

A. O. Dickens of Wilson And H. E. White of Henderson To Speak

### JANUARY 29TH IS DATE

All former service men, members of the Legion Auxiliary and other interested citizens are asked by W. F. Alston, Commander of Limer Post, to meet in the court house on Tuesday night, January 29, at 7:30 o'clock for a "Bonus Night" meeting of the American Legion.

A. O. Dickens of Wilson and H. E. White of Henderson will deliver speeches here, Mr. Alston said, and through the means of a radio those in the court house will be able to hear the address of Hubert E. Oliver, state commander. Mr. Oliver is to speak in regard to the progress being made by the Legion with reference to the Legions legislative program in general and upon the immediate payment of the adjusted service certificates in particular. Commander Oliver's address will start promptly at 7:45 o'clock from station WPTF, Raleigh and last fifteen minutes.

Simultaneously with the meeting here, meetings are to be held in every community where a Legion Post is located, Mr. Alston said. It was estimated that there would be around 150 meetings on this occasion.

In announcing plans for the meeting, the Legion News, official publication of the American Legion, states:

"The purpose of 151 Mass Meetings being held in North Carolina simultaneously at 7:30 P. M., on January 29, is for the Legion in North Carolina to better determine just what the former service men who have not yet affiliated themselves with the Legion want done with reference to the matter of the legislation endorsed by the Legion for the immediate payment of the Adjusted Service Certificates. The Legion wants to know just how strong the sentiment of the veterans "on the outside" of the Legion is in favor of such legislation. Every local Post and the State organization of the Legion seeks the active cooperation of all veterans in this matter, and the Legion wants to know if these eligible veterans who are not in the Legion are really in favor of the Legion's legislative program, and if so what they intend to do about it to help speed up the passage of this legislation."

## Balanced Diet Is Health Insurance

Planning the family food supply according to the nutrition needs of the human body is the best kind of health insurance, says Miss Mary E. Thomas, nutritionist at State College.

There are six essential food groups which must be included in the diet to build strong bodies and keep them in good health, she says. The six groups are:

- Milk; lean meats, eggs, and fish; butter and other fats; vegetables and fruits, grain products, sugar and other sweets.

It may not be convenient to prepare the diet so that all these groups are included in the meals for each day, she said, but the diet should be so balanced that the necessary amounts of each food will be prepared each week.

To guide the housewife in preparing her meals, the college extension service has prepared a food chart showing the needs of the family. These charts and other suggestions regarding a healthful diet may be obtained from the home demonstration agents in the different counties.

Early in the year is the time to start planning the food budget, Miss Thomas said, so that the gardening program will be adequate to the needs of the family and the necessary amount of poultry products, meat, milk and other things can be raised.

Any farm family, she added, can raise at home the foods needed to keep a human body in good health.

## WOULD PUT SALES TAX ON MEAT, MILK, FLOUR

Raleigh, Jan. 24.—The Legislature's most powerful committee, the joint Committee on Finance, yesterday voted to extend the sales tax to staple food such as meat, milk, meal and flour.

It voted down the proposal to raise the maximum tax levied on a single sale to more than \$10.

Mr. Wort Heathcock of Churchill was a visitor at Warrenton this week.