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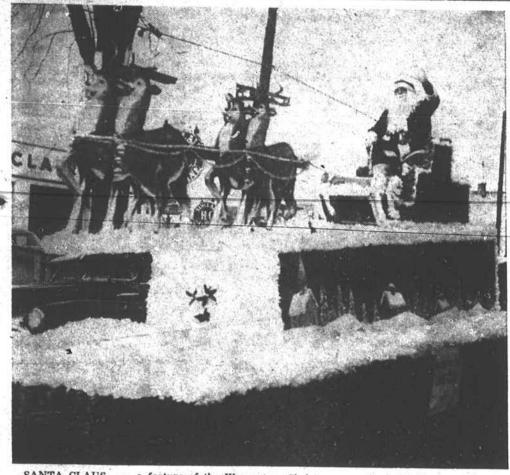
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WARRENTON, COUNTY OF WARREN, N. C.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1959

S South Shelby Street

NUMBER 50



SANTA CLAUS . . . a feature of the Warrenton Christmas parade held here on Thursday

## Thousands Greet St. Nick **During Christmas Parade**

most colorful and best parade callopede. here Thursday afternoon as building and beyond.

with beautiful girls, floats car- Rapids High School Band. rying out the nativity theme,

weather, new cars, trucks, tractors, four Mayor Miles, and with a float Warrenton staged its largest, bands and maporettes and a carrying Santa Claus in the

postoffice to the Dameron and many others. Bands in the the court house. parare were the John Graham

Forming at the John Graham

rear, the parade moved down here Thursday afternoon as In the parade were march- Main Street to the Colonial and Jacob T. Tanner of Northousands of persons, of all ing firemen, Cub Scouts and Stores corner, around the block lina, Mrs. Pauline and Herages lined the street from the Brownies, a kindergarten group, and re-entered Main Street at

Sponsored by the Warrenton High School Band, the John R. the Warrenton Merchants As- son, operators of the Mid-Way Merchants Association, the pa-Hawkins High School Band, sociation, said yesterday after-rade had some half a hundred the Rollins School Band of entries, ranging from floats Henderson and the Roanoke with the parade and believed it to have been the best ever to toy automobiles. It included High School at 2 o'clock, head-a show horse, ponies, old and ed by the official car carrying the best parade ever held here held in Warrenton. Numbers

#### **Jurors Drawn** For January **Court Term**

Jurors for the January criminal term of Superior Court, which opens on January 11, were drawn by the County Commissioners on Monday as

Mrs. C. A. Jones, John L. Lynch, 71. B. Blackwell, Boyd Fleming, Glenn St.Sing, R. C. Comer, Jr., A. A. Williams, W. Pinnell Robinson, Wilson Fleming, W. C. Fishel, Charlie L. Basket (col.), Mrs. James P. Beckwith, William J. Hawks, W. T. Burton, Henry L. James, Mrs. B. A. Thaxton, W. Leon Knight, William H. Faulkner, Mrs. Anna Fuller, Gene Hudgins, Jack Newsom, Harry M. Williams, Jr., Zeb V. Sutton (col.), Mrs. Melvin Shearin.

G. H. O'Neal, James Harold Robertson, F. E. Bobbitt, Miss Eula Allen, Mrs. R. L. Harmon. E. G. Hecht, Jr., J. H. Duke, Vance Robertson, C. B. King, Jim M. Stewart, Z. V. St.Sing, H. J. Haithcock, Eugene B. Richardson (col.), Mrs. R. C. Mitchell, Mrs. Margie O. Bur-rows, W. B. Bobbitt, Sr., Hubert L. Bobbitt, Vernon Myrick, Mark S. Harris, George W. Edwards, Emily Ballinger, John T. Allen, E. P. Fitts, G. W. King, Randolph Morris,

Dinner will not be served as usual, but instead the program will feature a colonial Christmas party, "Christmas in Eighteenth Century Williamsburg."

Members of the Woman's Club may invite guests to the meeting.

#### **Board Orders** An Increase In Registration Fees Here Tonight

Rising costs of office sup-

Costs of deed books and oth- device invented by in a discussion that renton. preceded their action.

Commissioner A. J. Ellington cars and will and the Register of Deeds day) at 8 o'clock. should charge a fee of \$1.00 Moore, inventor for the first page and 80 cents changing machine, which will for additional sheets or frac- give change for bills of any detions thereof, plus the present nominations, said that the indexing fee for all instru-machine is now entering proments presented to them for duction and will soon be photographics or for typing the market. He sold this inin lieu of photographing, said vention several months ago. instruments to be clear enough to make good copies. The reoperation on a number of cars
cording fee of the following inat the present. Moore said lows: chattel mortages, 50c cach; crop liens, \$1.00 each; deeds of trust, \$1.75 each. through the electric eye cipal in which the lights from an approaching car dims one's (See DEVICE, page 14) deeds of trust, \$1.75 each.

In other business during the day, the commissioners ordered that Edward Conn of Fishing Creek Township be given a rebate of \$1,000 on tax value for 1959, due to an error in listing.

It was ordered that \$25 be sent to the Caswell Training in 1960. School as a Christmas offering.

Beer licenses were ordered issued to R. W. Gupton of Warrenton, Thomas B. Vaughan man Burnette of Ebony, Va., Herbert Frank Pernell of War-

The board accepted the resignation of Mrs. Sue Dossett ship. Skinner, assistant home agent, W. Skinner, assistant home agent, with regret. All bonds of the county of-

ficials were examined and ap- Township. proved. It was ordered that all coun- Township.

ty offices in the court house be closed from the end of business on December 23 Mrs. Lo ordered that January 1 be ob- Township. served as a holiday.

The board ordered that all Township. delinquent real estate taxes for Mrs. Richard 1958 be turned over to the Fork Township. county attorney for collection.

(See BOARD, page 14)

James C. Harris, president of the Inez Community Club, is

shown above showing check won by Inez club to fellow club

members-Mrs. E. R. Davis, center, and Mrs. Frederick

Community Club Meeting

Reams Speaker At Inez

## Electronic Device To Be Shown

It is possible not only to plies caused the board of coundim the lights on one's own ty commissioners at their meet-ing here Monday to raise reg-button, but to dim lights of apistration fees in the offices of proaching cars and the headthe Register of Deeds and the lights of cars pulling up from the rear through an electronic er registration books have more | Moore, formerly of South Hill than tripled, Register of Deeds Va., who is interested in man-Sam E. Allen, told the commis- ufacturing the devices at War-

Moore has had pilot models Following this discussion, of his invention pleaed on two give a public a n d Commissioner demonstration of its operation Richard Davis seconded a mo- on Front street back of the tion that the Clerk of Court court house here tonight (Fri-

Moore, inventor of a money-

struments of statutory or that these dimmers are worked standard form shall be as following through the electric eye printhat these dimmers are worked

#### Board Makes No Change In List Takers For 1960

The same list takers who served in 1959 will again serve

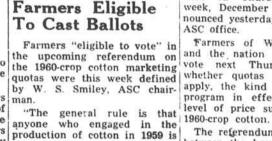
Reappointment of list takers man. for the twelve townships of the county was made by the board of county commissioners in session here Monday. They

Mrs. J. H. Northington, River man

Hicks, Jr., Smith Creek Township. Mrs. Annie Wilson, Nutbush

W. W. O'Neal, Sandy Creek B o y d M. Reams, Shocco

Wilson, Warrenton A. E. Mrs. Richard A. L. W. Kidd, Roanoke Town



Smiley Defines

eligible to vote in the ber 15 referendum," the chair-man explained. "This, of renton, Thomas and Hender son, operators of the Mid-Way Service Station, of Norlina.

Township.

Township.

Jasper W. Shearin, Sixpound sons—whether owner, operator, tenant, or sharecropper—who tenant, or sharecropper-who Gid W. King, Hawtree Town- had an interest in the 1959 cotton crop.

> "However, under provisions of law now in effect, the term 'eligible voters' also includes other persons whose right to vote on cotton quotas may not be so well under-stood," Smiley said.

fownship.

Mrs. Louise Gupton, Fishing who had a 1959 cotton allotthrough December 26 for the Creek Township.

Christmas holidays. It was also Mrs. Gilbert T. Reid, Judkins duced no cotton this year is also eligible to cast a ballot on 1960-crop quotas.

"Likewise, a farmer who placed his 1959 cotton allotnent in the Soil Bank is eligi-(See GROWERS, page 14)

## Held At Factory

area will be given an oppor-tunity to see Warrenton's newest and largest industry.

of the Bute Development Company, said that an open house

walld be held at the factory on the Norlina road on next Friday, December 18, from 7 until 9 o'clock.

Bowers said that a special invitation was being mailed to purchasers of A and B bonds, but that the general public is invited to attend, inspect the machinery and building and eniov a social hour. Refresh-

The factory is now employing nearly 300 persons. It is expected that the 300 mark will be reached by January 1.

#### Robinson Wins Scout Honor

A former Warrenton boy was presented the highest service award given by the Boy Scouts of America this week in ceremonies conducted at Roanoke Rapids.

Walter Robinson, son of Mr.

On Quotas Tuesday Polling places for the cotton tee chairman, said yesterday. and peanut referendums to be He explained that held on Thursday of next would have a choice of two week, December 15, were an-programs and cited the results nounced yesterday by the local of a favorable and an unfavor-ASC office. able vote.

Farmers of Warren County and the nation will by their gram will be in operation for vote next Thursday decide next year's crop, the chairman quotas were this week defined whether quotas penalties will explains, if at least two-thirds apply, the kind of allotment of the votes cast in the refer-program in effect, and the endum are in favor of the prolevel of price support for the gram. In that case, farm

Shown above is the Warren County ASC Committee in their monthly conference. In ad-

dition to regular monthly business, they are discussing the Cotton and Peanut Referendums

to be held next Tuesday, December 15, and their cooperation with the peanut and cotton as-

sessment referendums. The are, left to right: W. E. Mulchi, Jr., vice chairman; W. M. Flem-

ing, regular member; W. S. Smiley, chairman; Thomas E. Watson, office manager; Van H.

Growers To Vote

Johnson, district fieldman: Frank W. Reams, ex-officio member.

The referendum will be held tunity to elect a choice bebetween the hours of 8 a. m. tween (A) complying with their and 6 p. m. Polling places will "regular" farm allotments— be as follows: with price support available at

Fishing Creek Community- not less than 75 per cent of parity for the 1960 crop of up-Pittman's Store. land cotton, or (B) complying with an increased farm allot-Fork - W. K. Thompson's Store, Inez. ment 40 per cent larger than

Hawtree-R. P. Perkinson's the "regular" farm allotment-Store, Wise. Judkins-Clark's Service Sta-cent of parity lower than un-

Watkins' alties will apply to any cotton Nutbush Store.

River-Salmon's Store. Roanoke-Jones' Store. Sandy Creek - Aycock's Store, Elberon.

Shocco-Junior Order Hall. Sixpound — Stegall's Store, only the "regular" allotments would be available, and the Macon.

Warrenton-Agricul-

tural Building.

Smith Creek-Mayor's Office, price support level to eligible growers would drop to 50 per cent of parity.

The marketing quota pro-

operators will have an oppor-

with price support available at

with support at a level 15 per

der the first choice; quota pen-

produced in excess of the

If more than one-third of the

votes are against quotas, there

would be no quota penalties,

chosen allotment.

All farmers who were engag-The cotton referendum is of ed in the production of cotton Open House To Be vital concern to every grower, in 1959 will be eligible to vote Walter S. Smiley, ASC committing the referendum.

### Interesting citizens of the Two Offices Broken Into t and largest industry. Claude T. Bowers, president Here On Wednesday Night

enjoy a social hour. Refreshments will be served.

The offices of Dr. Wallace White and Dr. Sam Massey on Graham Street were broken (See OFFICES, page 14) The offices of Dr. Wallace

Warrenton police are contin- into, police think, between 6

check made payable to Dr. White.

#### Some Warrenton Stores To Observe 9 P. M. Christmas Closing Hour

Woman's Club To
Meet December 17
The Warrenton Woman's Club on December 18
The Warrenton Woman's Club on December



#### Mrs. Skinner Resigns As Assistant Home Agent

Mrs. Sue Dossett Skinner, assistant home agent in Warren County for the past eight years has resigned, effective on February 29.

Mrs. Skinner gave notice of her resignation to the board of county commissioners here on Monday afternoon, stating that she was resigning to be come a full time homemaker.

She will commine to make her home in the county. She is the wife of William Skinner, III, large stock farmer of Littleton.

In giving notice of her resignation, Mrs. Skinner oxpressed during her stay here.

# Scott Gardner, president of