

Warren Voters Go For Kennedy And Sanford By More Than 4 To 1

Warren County voters on Tuesday cast more than 3700 votes to aid in a Democratic victory which sent John F. Kennedy to the White House, Terry Sanford to the Governor's Mansion, and returned Senator Everett Jordan to the United States Senate.

The vote was the largest ever cast in Warren County and more than double the usual general election vote. Five years ago Warren County cast some 1300 votes in the General Election, compared with the more than 3700 cast on Tuesday.

The vote for Kennedy and for Sanford was more than four for one in spite of a religious issue that caused some voters to abstain from voting and some others to vote for the Republican Presidential and Gubernatorial Candidates.

Terry Sanford received a total of 3131 votes to 551 for Republican Robert Gavin. Kennedy dropped below this total when he polled 3002 voters to Nixon's 720, according to an unofficial count.

Both Nixon and Gavin found their greatest support in River Precinct, although like every other precinct in the county, it cast a majority for the Democratic candidates. In River the vote for Kennedy was 292



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to 141 for Nixon; and 309 for Sanford and 118 for Gavin.

Roanoke Precinct proved to be the banner Democratic precinct in the county. All 35 votes in that precinct went for the straight Democratic ticket.

Like people all over the nation, many Warren County citizens remained at their TV and radio sets to the small hours of the morning in the hope that the results would be determined, but it was nearly noon on Wednesday before

Nixon conceded defeat as he watched Kennedy's early morning majority of around 2 million drop to below the half million mark in one of the closest races in the history of the Nation.

However, Kennedy made a better showing in the Electoral College, and when Nixon conceded he had captured 25 states with 388 electoral votes, while Nixon had captured or was leading in 24 states with 185 votes. Needed to win: 269.

Tobacco Market To Close Here On November 18

The Warrenton Tobacco Market will end its 1960 marketing season at the end of sales on Friday, November 18. Edgar Wood, sales supervisor, said this week in announcing the closing that the Warrenton market had enjoyed one of the best seasons in the history of the market.

Wood said that the market has already sold more than ten million three hundred thousand pounds of tobacco this season and is expected to reach the eleven million mark by the end of the season. He said that while the market had exceeded this amount in poundage, this was before recent cuts in acreage. On a percentage basis it has been our best season, and the best on a basis of money received, he said.

Both farmers and warehousemen have been well pleased with sales this year, Wood said. He added that there has been little if any dissatisfaction with prices and that many farmers have expressed their pleasure over the prices paid for tobacco this year.

Mrs. Moore Heads District Club Women

LITTLETON — Mrs. Roger C. Moore of the Littleton Woman's Club was elected president of District 14, North Carolina Federation of Women's Clubs held in Oxford last week. Mrs. Moore succeeds Mrs. John M. Royster of Oxford.

Other officers named were Mrs. W. R. Drake of Macon, vice president; Mrs. R. M. Moore of Franklinton, treasurer and Mrs. R. G. Person, Jr. of Louisville, district junior director. These officers will assume their responsibilities at the annual meeting of the State Federation to be held in the spring.

Butner Junior Woman's Club with 43 charter members and Mrs. Stanley Rogers as president and Halifax Junior Woman's Club, with Mrs. Van Wilson as president, became the 24th and 25th clubs in the 14th district.

Hostess clubs for this meeting were the Oxford Woman's Club, the Intermediate Woman's Club of Oxford and the Oxford Junior Woman's Club.

Theme for the meeting was "United Nations Day" and each guest was presented a Dove of Peace lapel emblem.

Conference To Be Held Sunday At Inez Church

The Rev. Graham S. Eubank, Superintendent of the Methodist Church of the Raleigh District, will preside over the Quarterly Conference of the Bethlehem and Shady Grove Methodist Charge on Sunday, November 13, at 3 o'clock, at the Shady Grove Methodist Church in Inez.

The Rev. John E. Wood, pastor of the charge, said yesterday that any persons having matters of business or complaints pertaining to the Bethlehem and Shady Grove Methodist Charge should appear before the Quarterly Conference to make their business or complaints known.

The Quarterly Conference, Mr. Wood said, has general oversight over the Official Board, which is the administrative body of the Quarterly Conference in each local Methodist Church.

Club Needs Ivy, Evergreen Shrubs

The beautification of the grounds surrounding the Warrenton Rural Fire Department on South Main Street will depend on the generosity of local townspeople, a member of the Little Garden Club of Warrenton said this week.

The local Garden Club is attempting to beautify the ground, but is in need of ivy and evergreen shrubs to carry through the project, the spokeswoman said.

Persons having such shrubs and who are willing to donate them to the improvement of the Fire Department premises are asked to contact Mrs. Big-nall Jones of Warrenton before Monday.

Mrs. Wood To Give 3 Study Courses

A study course on "Alcohol and Christian Responsibility" will be given at the Cokesbury Methodist Church to-night (Friday) at 7:00 o'clock by Mrs. John E. Wood, wife of the pastor of the Shady Grove-Bethlehem Methodist Charge. Members of the Drewry Methodist Church will also attend the meeting at Cokesbury.

Mrs. Wood will give the same study course at Shady Grove Methodist Church at Inez on Monday, November 14, at 2 o'clock, and that night at 7:30 o'clock she will give the course at Bethlehem Methodist Church at Arcola.

New Industry Is Reportedly Eyeing Warrenton; Would Employ 200, Bowers Says

There is a possibility that Warrenton may obtain another industry, Claude Bowers, chairman of the board of Bute Development Company, told members of the Board of County Commissioners and of the Board of Town Commissioners and a few other interested citizens here on Monday night at a meeting held at Hotel Warrenton.

Bowers said that the Bute

Development Company is negotiating with consultant engineers over the possible location of a factory here. He said that since the transaction was being handled by the engineers, who did not wish to reveal the identity of their client, he did not know what type of industry it is.

However, Bowers said that the Bute officials have been told that if the industry is

located here it would employ some 200 local men and women and would also bring about 15 new families into the community. He said that it is known that it is not a cutting or sewing industry.

Bowers said that this company, which is seeking a site in a small North Carolina town, does not require the community to put up any mon-

ey other than to provide water on the site. He said that the company would prefer sewage, but could use a septic tank if necessary, as little water would be used in the plant's operation. The purpose of the line, he said, would be to provide sufficient pressure to operate the sprinkler system of the proposed factory.

The company would bear all the cost of erecting the building and would pay a fair price for the land, but not an exorbitant price, Bowers said.

Bowers said that the company is seeking a 30-acre site upon which it would build a factory about three times as large as the Sportswear factory, which was built by the Bute Development Company. The problem of the Bute Development Company, he said, is to find a suitable location close enough to town so that the cost of running a water line to the site would not be prohibitive.

Three sites have already been offered to the Bute Development Company, Bowers said. These are the Creech property back of the Warrenton Livestock Market, the W. L. Long property on the Louisville road, and the old Folly Springs property, owned by A. J. Ellington, and lying back of his and the V. F. Ward home to the Prison Camp property, along which the Bute Company already owns ten acres of land. There is the possibility that other sites may be offered within the next few days, he said.

Harold Skillman, superintendent of the Warrenton Water Company, said that he estimated that the cost of the water line would range from around \$8,000 to \$13,000 depending upon the site chosen. A sewage connection on the Folly Springs site would offer little difficulty or cost as the sewer line passes on the west end of this property.

Pointing out the value of the Sportswear factory to the economy of the county, Bowers said that this year the county would receive some \$3,000 in taxes from this new industry and that the town of Warrenton would receive around \$1,000 from the sale of water. This means that the county and town will soon recoup the expenses incurred in running the water line to the Sportswear factory. He said that in addition two or three families have moved to the county as a result of the town and county investment, and that if they had not made it several families would probably have left the county.

Both town and county commissioners agreed that another factory is badly needed in the county and expressed the opinion that town and county would jointly bear the cost of running the water line to an acceptable site.

Bowers said that the inquiries about locating the factory here came as a direct result of Monroe Gardner's trip with Governor Hodges' industry hunting group to Chicago. Gardner's expenses were paid by the Bute Development Company, Bowers said.

The fact that Warrenton has a golf course and is located so close to the Kerr reservoir and to the future Gaston lake was a strong drawing card to Warrenton.

Bowers said that it is not at all certain that the factory would locate at Warrenton, but he felt that we should be ready to make an offer of a suitable site to them. He said that many industries in the north and midwest are coming to locate in North Carolina. Warrenton and Warren County can get a number of these industries if we are willing to work hard enough to attract them, he said.

Inez Community Is Selected 1960 Development Winner

Fish Placed In Warren County Creeks, Ponds

Three creeks and two ponds in Warren County have been stocked with Bluegills and Robins, in accordance with previous approved plans of the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission.

Alton Pridgen, Wildlife Protector for Warren County, said this week that 22,800 Robins and 26,500 Bluegills have been placed in the waters of Shocco Creek, Fishing Creek, Walkers Creek, Rider's Mill Pond and Duck Pond No. 401.

These fish were produced at the State Fish hatchery located near Fayetteville, and Pridgen directed the release of the fish.

The Wildlife Resources Commission this week also pointed out that the cooperative effort of all those interested in the State's fish and game resources will be required to bring about better fishing, the favorite outdoor recreation of so many Americans.

The Rev. M. E. Franke of Ridgeway is at Maria Parham Hospital in Henderson where he will undergo surgery.

The Inez Community Club was chosen Monday morning as the 1960 county winner in the Community Development Contest.

Announcement that the Inez community had won this award for the second straight year was made on Tuesday by Miss Ann Rackley, assistant Home Economics Agent for Warren County.

Other communities entering the contest were Drewry, Tar Kilm, and Arcola.

The contests are sponsored in seven counties by the Capital Area Development Association.

Officers in the Inez community organization are James C. Harris, chairman; Mrs. Frederick Williams, vice chairman; Mrs. Eugene Davis, secretary;

Mrs. Taylor Mustian, reporter, and Martin Fowler, photographer.

The communities were judged on the basis of increased income, home improvements, youth activities, community projects, participants in church, school, and other organizational activities, goals, and community organizations.

Judges for the contests were Pett B. Boyd, Mrs. Boyd Davis, and Grady Moseley, all of Warrenton.

The county community clubs are sponsored by the Warren County Agricultural Workers Council as a part of the Capital Area Development Program. Miss Rackley, a member of the council, said this week that the council would like to express their appreciation to the judges.

Only Routine Business Transacted By Board

The Warren County Board of Commissioners had a full day on Monday but with little action taken except on routine matters.

Much of the morning session was taken up with delegations, principally concerned with the improvement of county roads. Most of these were told to attend the district highway meeting at Louisville on November 18 where their problems could be presented directly to highway officials. This meeting is to be held in the Louisville court house from 10 a. m. to 12 noon.

General Claude T. Bowers, chairman of the board of Bute Development Company, and John G. Mitchell, president of Citizens Bank, appeared before the board to ask the commissioners to attend a joint meeting with the Board of Town Commissioners at Hotel Warrenton Monday night to discuss prospects for obtaining another industry at Warrenton, and the possibility of the county and town paying for the cost of a water line to a factory site.

During the discussion it was brought out that the Carolina Sportswear Factory would pay some \$3,000 in taxes this year, and at this rate would soon repay the county for money invested in the water line to its site.

Howard F. Jones, III, was appointed a member of the Warren County Planning Board, succeeding Howell Steed, who was unable to serve because of business reasons. Beer licenses were ordered issued to Ernest Walker, Jr., Norlina, and Ben Williams, Rt. 2, Warrenton, upon receipt of State permits.

It was ordered that E. C. Robertson be given a rebate in taxes on \$300 valuation for 1959 and 1960 in Fishing Creek Township on account of excessive valuation.

The State Highway Commission was requested to add to the county road system a road

in Shocco Township running from Shocco Creek southerly to the Parktown-Lickskill road, a distance of about one mile.

A. P. Rodwell, Jr., tax collector, reported tax collections during the month of October in the amount of \$84,440.67.



CHARLES M. WHITE, III

White Heads Girl Scouts Drive In Warren County

Charles M. White, III, Warrenton attorney, has been named chairman of the Warren County Girl Scout Fund Drive. It was announced this week by Mrs. Louis Carr of Durham, president of the Bright Leaf Council.

The drive began on November 8 and will continue through November 19.

Volunteer workers under the leadership of Mr. White will seek to raise \$1,612.00, which is Warren County's share of the overall Girl Scout Council budget of \$32,671.00.

White, in accepting the chairmanship said:

"I have accepted the chairmanship of this campaign because Girl Scouting benefits both the girls and the community. Through Girl Scout work hard enough to attract them, he said.

North Warrenton Church Seeks To Raise Its Budget

The North Warrenton Baptist Church adopted an annual budget of \$8,085.00 on Sunday, October 30.

The Rev. Lee Roy Campbell, pastor of the church, said yesterday that in order to subscribe this budget the church is conducting a special Stewardship Emphasis during the month of November. The church has set a weekly offering goal of \$158.00 and has set individual Sunday School class goals, which divide the church goal among the classes.

The church is also attempting to get each member to set his own personal goal for his weekly offerings to the church, Mr. Campbell said. Each member is asked to sign a personal goal commitment which reads as follows: "In grateful recognition of the blessings of God in my life and the spiritual benefits received from the North Warrenton Baptist Church, I commit myself to set my personal goal for giving to the support of my church and the work of God's Kingdom. It is understood that this commitment may be revised or cancelled should circumstances make it necessary."

Mr. Campbell said the pledge is signed completely on a voluntary basis; no member is asked to give a specified amount or a specified percentage of his income. Each member sets his own goal, according to his circumstances, motivated only by his loving gratitude to God.

Several of the church leaders, Mr. Campbell said, have responded to the appeal by

setting their own personal goal and by making the following statements:

James A. McCowan, church treasurer and deacon, said: "I'm supporting this special stewardship emphasis and committing myself to give to my church, because I think it's the right thing to do. I always count it a privilege and a pleasure to give to the Lord, because He has done so much for me."

C. B. Miller, deacon, said: "I believe in giving to the church because I feel that the church will go forward if the people count the blessings of God and give out of gratitude to Him. You can't outgive the Lord."

H. C. Fleming, trustee and deacon, said: "I feel that everything belongs to God. It's not the question of how much I will give to God, but how much of God's money I will keep."

Claude Wells, trustee, said: "I believe in giving to support the church, because I too feel that all things belong to God. God gave me the strength and the ability to earn the money I have."

Lenard Rudd, Sunday School Superintendent, said: "I believe in giving to the church because it is one of the many ways I can show my appreciation for what the Lord has done for me."

Services at Ridgeway Episcopal services will be held at the Church of the Good Shepherd in Ridgeway on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.