



A LOAD OF TOBACCO AWAITS CURING IN A WARREN COUNTY BARN STAFF PHOTO BY MARTY GRADY

## 1966 Tobacco Edition

# Warrenton Tobacco Market To Begin Sales On Thursday

## Meetings To Explain Vote For Committeemen Are Being Held

The first of a series of meetings to explain to farmers the procedure for completing ballots for voting in ASCS committee elections was scheduled to be held at the Warren County Courthouse last night.

Other meetings scheduled by the ASCS office for this purpose are: J. C. Watkins' store, Drewry, Friday, Sept. 2; Mrs. Page Perkinson's Store, Wise, Tuesday, Sept. 6; Capps' Station, Arcola, Wednesday, Sept. 7. All meetings will be held at 7:30 p. m.

This year's election will be held by mail. Ballots were mailed to all eligible farmers

on Aug. 30. Instructions for voting and returning the ballots were included with the ballots. Farmers with any questions about the voting procedure should contact the local ASCS office. Any person who feels that he is eligible to vote and did not receive a ballot may go by the county office and receive one.

T. E. Watson, office manager for the Warren County Stabilization and Conservation County Committee, said yesterday that all eligible Warren County farmers should vote in the ASC committee election. The importance of the work these committeemen

will perform makes it very important to elect the best qualified farmers.

Watson pointed out that the committee system of administration of farm programs has been in effect since 1933. During this period, farmer-elected committeemen have rendered a valuable service to their fellow farmers, he said. Through the good work and sound judgment of these committeemen, many of our farm problems have been solved.

The county committee will tabulate ballots on Sept. 14, beginning at 8 a. m. in the Warren County ASC office. The public is invited to witness the tabulation of the ballots.

## First Sale To Be Held At 9 A. M.

The Warren Tobacco Market will open its 1966 season on next Thursday morning, Sept. 8.

Although the crop is late due to adverse weather, the 1966 opening is on the same date set for last year's opening.

The first sale will be held at Currin's Warehouse at 9 o'clock.

Edgar Wood, sales supervisor, said yesterday that warehousemen are expecting a good opening. He said that although much tobacco is still in the fields, it appears that the Warrenton market may have a good season in spite of the drought that at one time threatened the crop.

Loose leaf tobacco will be sold on the Warrenton market for the first 12 days the warehouses are open.

Wood said that the market would again have strong buyer support with many former buyers expected to be back on the market. Companies represented will include American, Reynolds, Imperial, Leggett, Export, Taylor, Monk-Henderson, Sanford, and independents.

Bill Martin and Luke Lee will again be the auctioneers on the local market.

There will be no changes in the operation of the warehouses here, Wood said. Tarwater's Warehouse will be managed by E. G. Tarwater and Gayle Tarwater. Boyd's Warehouse will be managed by Waler P. Burwell. Center Warehouse, which has been enlarged, will be operated under the management of M. P. Carroll, Edward Moody and Edward Radford. Thompson's Warehouse will be managed by C. E. (Buck) Thompson and Dick Young. Currin's will be managed by D. G. Currin, Jr., C. W. Currin and D. E. Tillotson.

Thieves Enter Rose's Store Through Hole Cut In Roof Of Bldg.

The State Bureau of Investigation has been called in to assist town and county authorities in the search for the identity of thieves who robbed a Main Street store here sometime during Tuesday night.

Stolen from a safe in the business office of Rose's store just above the main floor of the two-story building was a sum estimated at between \$1400 and \$2000, Chief of Police R. D. Chewning said. He added that a check is being made to determine the exact amount.

Entry was through a hole cut into the roof of the building. The safe door was forced.

Chief Chewning said that the entry was discovered by Manager Nat Hilliard when he went to work on Wednesday morning.

Shallcross Visits In Warren County

John S. Shallcross of Smithfield, Republican candidate for the U. S. Senate seat now held by Senator B. Everett Jordan, the Democratic nominee, was in Warrenton Wednesday making contacts and promoting his campaign.

He was accompanied by Warrenton by his daughter, Janet Susan, and son, John S., Jr.

# Warren County Schools To Open Thursday With Half Day Session; Full Day Friday

Warren County schools will begin their 1966-67 session on next Thursday, Sept. 8, when students report for registration.

Approximately 6,000 students are expected to be enrolled in Warren County schools this year, Supt. J. Roger Peeler said yesterday.

The first day of school is expected to last for only half a day, with the first full day of school beginning on next Friday.

Any student who has not enrolled for the term is asked to see the principal of the school he or she expects to attend immediately.

Teachers will report for work on Sept. 6. Sept. 6-7 are teachers orientation days.

Supt. Peeler said that parents who did not take pertinent information to the beginning days, are asked to bring the following information to their schools on registration day:

1. Child's birth certificate if the child was not born in Warren County. (In order to begin school the child must be six years of age on or before October 16).

2. Immunization Record—Child must have inoculations for whooping cough, diphtheria, tetanus, poliomyelitis, and smallpox. These are required by law. If you have a complete record, please bring it with you. If you do not have this record, please check with your doctor.

3. Record of Physical Examination—Each child should have a physical examination. Your doctor has the necessary forms for you to bring to school.

John Graham High School will open its 1966-67 school year with a new principal—Fred L. Bartholomew—and a faculty of 16. Faculty members and their subjects are as follows:

Robert Stephens, English; Miss Jo Ellen McLean, English; Mrs. Sue B. Plaster, English; Wayne Plaster, Physical Education (baseball); Miss Barbara Hudson, English; Mrs. Nancy Williams, Science; Arthur Smoot, Science and Math; Jon Burwell, Biology and U. S. History (basketball).

Also, Miss Martha J. Wilson, Social Studies; Mrs. Paisy Pierce, French; Jimmy Soufas, Commercial; Mrs. Mary Shields, Commercial; Miss Emily Person, Home Economics; Harold Stegall, Agriculture; Jimmie Webb, Math (football); Bernard Thompson, I. C. T.; Mrs. Elba Banzet, Library; Mrs. Rachel Fishel, Guidance.

The faculty and staff of the Norlina High School were announced yesterday by Principal Rex B. Gorden as follows:

Mrs. Shirley H. White, first grade; Miss Ann Carol Baker, second grade; Mrs. Margaret W. Hicks, second and third grade; Mrs. Maggie Lewis, third grade; Mrs. Annie W. Breedlove, fourth grade; Mrs. Mildred B. Hicks, fifth grade; Mrs. Edna S. Baughman, fifth and sixth grade; Mrs. Myrtle L. Ayscove, sixth grade; Mrs. William J. Shulenburger, seventh grade; Robert A. Daniel, eighth grade.

Robert S. Price, coach, physical education and social sciences; Mrs. Brenda Rae

Pridgen, English and social sciences; Mrs. Mildred C. Peeler, commercial; Mrs. Lucy W. McManus, math; C. L. Hege, agriculture; Miss Linda Frances Dore, home economics; Mrs. Bessie R. Hicks, English and French; Mrs. Margaret P. Williams, science; Miss Lucy E. Perkinson, librarian; Mrs. Katherine Gooch, secretary; Mrs. Frances Faulk, lunch room manager; James Hargrove, custodian; Mrs. Mildred Hinton, maid.

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# Young Boy Turned Over To Marshall

A 17-year-old boy, AWOL from the Marine Base at Lejeune, was turned over to a United States Marshall on last Friday after he had been arraigned in Warren County Recorder's Court on a charge of having no valid operator's or chauffeur's license.

Ronald Eugene Logan had been held by Warren authorities since he was arrested by Highway Trooper Wallace Brown on Aug. 20. It was found that the car being driven by Logan had been stolen the previous day from Massachusetts. The FBI entered the case when it was discovered that stolen property had been transported across state lines.

but the sentence was suspended for two years upon condition that the defendant not violate any criminal laws of the state for two years, remain of good behavior and pay a \$50 fine and court costs.

James Short, charged with theft, was bound over to Superior Court when the court found probable cause that the defendant was guilty of the felony of larceny. Appearance bond was set at \$350.00.

Robert J. Conner, charged with an assault on a female, was found not guilty.

Cecil Scott was sentenced to the roads for 90 days when he was found guilty of possession of non-taxpaid whiskey. The sentence was suspended for five years upon condition that the defendant not violate any criminal laws of the state for five years and pays a \$25 fine and court costs.

Scott was also charged with possession of illicit whiskey for the purpose of sale. The court ruled that he was not guilty.

Jackson Davis was ordered to pay court costs when he pled guilty to a charge of assault.

Roy Camerson, Jr., was charged with contributing to the delinquency of a minor. The state took a nol pros with leave.

Robert Lee Moseley was charged with larceny. The state took a nol pros with leave.

Alton Eugene Powell, charged with driving without valid operator's license or chauffeur's license, was found not guilty.

Luther Carter Starks was ordered to pay court costs when he pled guilty to driving with an expired operator's license.

Defendants in speeding cases and verdicts of the court were as follows:

George Edwin Badgett, Jr., costs; Robert Hugh Fleming, costs; Leon Harrington, \$10 (See BOY, page 4)

# Criminal Session Of Court Opens Tuesday

The Criminal Term of Warren County Superior Court will convene on Tuesday morning with Judge William Copeland of Murfreesboro presiding.

The session, which begins on Tuesday due to the Labor Day holiday Monday, has a large number of cases on the docket, many continued from former terms, and few with outstanding interest. Cases are docketed through Tuesday.

Cases for the week have been docketed as follows:

Tuesday—Griggs vs. Griggs; Harvey Taylor Hawkins, drunk driving; Lewis J. Coley, murder in second degree; Francis F. Ingle, theft; Wade Lindburg Vaughan, drunk driving; Clifford H. Plummer, manslaughter and reckless driving; Eugene Perry, theft; Waverly E. Russell, Jr., possession of stolen property and breaking, entering and larceny; Robert Johnson, breaking, entering, larceny, and possession of stolen property.

Also docketed for trial Tuesday: William Levister, possession of stolen property,

and breaking, entering and larceny; Wallace Neal, breaking, entering, larceny; Willie Butler Davis, manufacturing intoxicating liquor, possession of non-taxpaid whiskey and possession of whiskey for purpose of sale; Claudie Jones, drunk driving; Richard Hargrove, possession of illegal whiskey, possession of illegal whiskey for purpose of sale, manufacturing non-taxpaid whiskey; Wilbur Williams, possession of illegal whiskey for purpose of sale, and manufacturing non-taxpaid whiskey; Charlie Bullock, possession of illegal whiskey, possession of illegal whiskey for purpose of sale, manufacturing non-taxpaid whiskey; Clifton A. Spain, Jr., theft; Joseph Townes, hit and run; Junius Brandt, false pretense; James Short, theft; Jerry Mason, assault.

Wednesday—Thurston Brown, fraud; Cicera Alston, drunk driving and driving after license had expired; Wallace Neal, manufacturing intoxicating liquor, possession of illegal whiskey, possession of illegal whiskey for purpose of sale, manufacturing non-taxpaid whiskey, possession of illegal whiskey, possession of illegal whiskey for purpose of sale, manufacturing non-taxpaid whiskey; Robert J. Conner, charged with non-support, was found not guilty.

Robert J. Conner pled guilty to charges of possession of non-taxpaid whiskey and being drunk and disorderly. He was sentenced to jail for 30 days,

## To Home Club

# Gov. Gardner Makes First Official Visit

Newly elected District Governor Monroe Gardner chose his home club to make his first official visit as head of District 31-G and was principal speaker at the regular meeting of the Warrenton Lions Club held at Warren Plaza Inn on Friday night.

Gardner spoke on "What is Lionism?" and chose three main objectives for his district this year. First, Work With The Blind. "This is our main project, and I hope your newly appointed White Cane Chairman will soon have the ball rolling in this club," he said. Second, Boy's Home at Lake Waccamaw. "You would be proud of what we are doing to help those young boys at our Lions Cottage to grow up in an environment that will give them a start in life to insure worthy citizens of our state and country. I hope that those of you who have never visited Boy's Home will make a point to see just what we have at Lake Waccamaw," Gardner said.

Care, Inc., was his third project. He told something of just what "four contribution is doing to help the unfortunate people of India and other poverty stricken countries, and what is little to us, means so much to these people, and I hope our district will go as far as possible with their contributions to this worthy cause," Gardner said.

Gardner also urged the club to promote from the local level participation in the Internationally sponsored Peace Essay Project which is offering a \$50.00 savings bond from local club and a \$500.00 scholarship from the district to the winners in this contest. Gardner also urged participation in the International project to collect old eye glasses.

Present for a Zone meeting, held following the regular meeting, were Ray Pruitt, district deputy governor, of Franklinton; Bill Benton, zone chairman of Littleton, and White Cane Chairman, P. P. McFarland, of Raleigh.

Prior to Gardner's talk, Lion Billy Lanier made a short talk on "Your Club and You".

Present for the meeting were Jon Burwell, guest of A. A. Wood, and Freddy Bartholomew, principal of John Graham School, a guest of Lion J. B. Thompson.

Of further interest to the club were remarks on the upcoming Warren County Fair, which opens on Sept. 19, by Fair president J. B. Thompson.

Lion President Pete Burrows presided, with Lion Gardner leading the singing. Grace was said by Lion Duke Jones. Lion Eddie Clayton was Lion X and the dollar went to Jon Burwell.

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