

COASTLAND IS FORTUNATELY REPRESENTED IN CONGRESS BY AN ABLE AND LOYAL MAN

Huge Credit for Achievement and Progress of This Section Due Hon. Lindsay C. Warren, Representative in Congress for the First North Carolina District

Our Representative



The outstanding man in the public life of this Southern Albemarle section of North Carolina is Hon. Lindsay C. Warren, Representative in Congress, than which no man has worked harder or accomplished more than he. Mr. Warren, back in 1924, got elected to Congress. As a young man he had distinguished himself early in the field of politics, had been Representative and State Senator and had quickly gained a place in the party councils. Having a natural love for this section and having spent a great many vacation seasons at our seashore, he soon recognized the need of the people of this section and accepted the challenge that their isolation held out to him.

Since then he has been instrumental in obtaining legislation of value to this section and has obtained for this section many gigantic improvements. It was greatly through the efforts of Mr. Warren that he brought to the Columbia-Creswell section of Tyrrell and Washington counties, one of the largest resettlement projects in the nation. Here a real undertaking is being carried out in order to enable many farmers to return to the land, and land has been accepted for purchase amounting to \$300,000, which is to be reconveyed to worthy settlers who wish to continue farming and live close to the soil. Mr. Warren has been very active in securing improvements to the Scuppernon River, an important waterway running through Tyrrell county, and on which the town of Columbia is located.

Hyde County Improvements
One of the largest improvements obtained for Hyde county was a bridge, costing \$90,000, connecting Tyrrell and Hyde counties near Fairfield, across the inland waterway. After many attempts Mr. Warren was successful in passing through Congress a bill to authorize this bridge, which is an important link between the counties of Tyrrell and Hyde. He has also obtained a large Biological survey camp in Hyde County and two great migratory bird refuges have been established, not the least of these being the beautiful and famous Mattamuskeet Lake, where one today may see numerous swans bedecking its placid waters.

Among the other things of great value obtained for Hyde County was his successful effort in obtaining funds for construction of a bridge across the inland waterway over Wilkinson Creek. Mr. Warren also labored actively in obtaining the paving of the highway from Swan Quarter to Engelhard, and in furtherance of this great project which will eventually connect with Manteo, Mr. Warren has been active in behalf of the road from Stumpy Point to Manns Harbor now more than half constructed. Of further interest, was another road project which, through Commissioner Frank G. Kugler, was obtained by Mr. Warren, namely the road along the beach of Dare County which has played a wonderful part in the county's development.

Waterways Improvements
Several years ago he got through the improvement of Shallowbag Bay in Manteo harbor, and he obtained a recently completed improvement of Rollinson Channel at Hatteras at a cost of \$27,000. Not the least of his value to Dare County has been his constant advertising of the country and his bringing here from time to time some of the men most prominent and distinguished in the affairs of the nation. Of interest to sportsmen was his fight in Congress to secure passage of a bill to restore locks in Albemarle and Chesapeake Canals at a cost of a half a million dollars, and which it is believed, by holding back the salt water of Hampton Roads, has saved fishing and hunting to a large extent in Currituck Sound, and will aid in the restoration of the grasses on which ducks feed.

Mr. Warren has been called "The Guardian Angel of the Coast Guard" because of his zeal in looking after the interests of the men of this service, and as a result of his long labors in their behalf and his knowledge of the men and their situation, he was made Chairman of a Sub-Committee handling legislation affecting the Coast Guard, Lighthouse and Coast and Geodetic Survey. In many instances he has brought to the attention of the department men deserving promotion, and now he is working to increase the subsistence allowance of enlisted men to \$1.00 a day. His efforts appear to have a reasonable chance of success by July 1.

In life with his constant endeavor on behalf of the Coast Guard stations, as well as improvements to many others that have been remodeled and brought

HON. LINDSAY C. WARREN, Representative in Congress for the First District of North Carolina is not only a powerful political figure in North Carolina, but an able representative in the halls of Congress. Something of his work in behalf of the district during the past ten years is told elsewhere in this paper but it doesn't represent the half of his labors. There are thousands of personal things he has given attention to. He is a man of great loyalty to his friends, his state and his administration. His advice is valued high in the councils of the Democratic party, and his friendship is prized by thousands throughout his district. He visits much in the coast section and has brought many distinguished visitors to the seashore here, among them last year being Hon. John N. Garner, Vice President of the United States.

Fathered The Wright Memorial
It was the work of Mr. Warren that caused the Federal Government to become interested in the great damage done by winds and tides in the erosion of the beaches, and from that effort have come to Dare County more than 1,000 men employed in building sand fences and other work to halt the ravages of Nature. When he first went to Congress, few people had known comparatively speaking, that there was such a thing as a Coast Guard. Now the country knows much about it and reliance is placed upon Mr. Warren's judgment in matters affecting the men of the service.

Last, but not least, so great projects which may be called the crowning achievements of Mr. Warren's career from a standpoint of tourist interest and National appeal, are the Wright Aviation Memorial at Kill Devil Hill and the restoration of Old Fort Raleigh on Roanoke Island. Destiny placed this man into the territory now known as Dare County but these things are too big to belong to a single county and are really shrines of the state and nation. Their location in the

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 W. S. Sykes, chairman, Columbia, Route 2
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Judge Recorder's Court W. C. Alexander, Columbia
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coastland of the Southern Albemarle country will prove of inestimable value through the advantage in attracting people to and through this region. For the Wright Memorial, where man first flew represents a cost of a half a million dollars spent by the Federal Government in doing honor to the dauntless achievement of Wilbur and Orville Wright.

As Old Fort Raleigh, in fulfillment of a dream of a small though tireless group of local people over a period of many years, has at last, and largely through the efforts of this able Congressman, been recognized an destination as it might have been 350 years ago. As a result of this restoration on the Nation will be invited this summer to visit Fort Raleigh and live over the matchless story of the Lost Colony.

Mr. Warren is one of our kind of people. He can meet the humblest or the great men of the country, or wear frayed trousers in the fields of the humblest farmer. There are none but who feel at ease in his presence find a receptive air and sympathetic understanding of our problems, and as has so often been said, the people of the Coastland counties, particularly, call him the ablest Congressman to ever represent the First District of North Carolina. Never has he been opposed in the Primaries of his party, and he has in every instance been elected by the most astounding majorities.

His district was greatly alarmed last summer when a rumor came out that he was being considered for the post of Comptroller General of the United States, and a wave of protest—in person, by letter and telegram—rolled in to M. Warren, urging him not to accept if it should be offered him. His response in the face of the earnest of the people's love and affection could only mean that he must promise them to remain in their service. However proud of the honor suggested and how grateful in knowing that he had won for himself so high a place in the esteem of the administration it would have been considered an irreparable loss to his district had he accepted.

OFFICERS recently found \$42,000 in cash tucked away in bureau drawers, tin cans and under bundles or rags in the three-room shack in Spokane, Wash., in which Mrs. Anna Miller, a girl recluse, was slowly dying from cold and hunger.

PROPOSALS of marriage, requests for photographs, outlines of cures and notes of sympathy continue to pour in at Oak Park, Ill., near Chicago, where pretty Patricia Maguire has lain for over five years in a strange coma or "sleeping disease" which has baffled medical science.

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Vanished Glories Brood Over Ancient Places

Four Washington County Plantations Well Worth Visiting

Four interesting old plantations about which some of the grandeur of older times still lingers are located over in Washington county seven miles south of the town of Creswell. They have intriguing names—"Mansonia," "Somerset," and "Bonorra" and worth a trip out to Lake Phelps, once known as Lake Selwyn, to see. Each contains a thousand or more acres of land which were under cultivation many years before the War Between the States and three of the old mansions or manor houses are still standing today, their sturdy, hand-hewn timbers cut from nearby forests almost as sound as they were three quarters of a century ago.

Overlooking the beautiful waters of the lake "Somerset" the stately Colonial mansion of Josiah Collins, a planter and county gentleman of note many years ago, was once the seat of a magnificent country estate and is today one of the showplaces of all Washington County.

Approaching "Somerset" one sees the immense old barn four stories high, built on a partial brick foundation, its beams and timbers of solid hand-hewn oak fitted together with wooden pegs, and as sound and as solid today as it was long before the county of Washington was formed.

Josiah Collins, a wealthy and influential citizen in his day, had 25,000 acres in his estate more than 1,000 of which were cleared by slave labor and under cultivation. His large and comfortable house was built of hand-hewn timbers, cut from the woodlands on his estate, erected on a foundation of small but substantial brick brought from England in the holds of sailing vessels. In the house are huge fireplaces with hearthstones and mantles of gray-blue marble, light, airy high-ceilinged rooms, windows that reach from floor to ceiling and graceful stairways leading from the spacious hallway to the second story. Outside wide upper and lower porches command an excellent view of the countryside for miles around.

"Somerset Plantation," like the others nearby, was practically self-supporting in the old days. Rice, cotton, corn, potatoes, flax, catfish, hogs and cows were produced on its acres with great abundance. Slaves tilled the fertile soil and the forests that enclosed the wide fields abounded in a variety of native game.

The master of the great house lived his days in a leisure such as never again will be known in this section, wanting for little that could not be had from his broad acres or killed with his flint-lock musket that hung in the great hallway. The waters of the nearby lake teemed with small fishes of sporting nature and here the owners of the plantation whiled away many an hour after the way of Isaac Walton.

THIS COLUMBIA STORE KEEPS ABREAST-TIMES

One of the largest and most modern department stores in the entire Southern Albemarle and one which would do credit to a town twice the size of Columbia, is White's Department Store, an up-to-the-minute store in the latest styles for all the family. White's Department Store is a credit to Columbia's Main Street, as efficient and smart little clothing establishment as one can find anywhere.

A BRIDEGROOM for the first time at the age of 90 years is A. J. Abbott, a Civil War veteran living at Willow Springs, Missouri, who recently took as his bride Miss Agnes Galley, aged 60.

A PROPOSED \$3,000,000 state fund, from which newly-wed couples could borrow up to \$1,500 with which to begin housekeeping would be created if a bill introduced by Representative Gus Kacsh were to pass the Ohio State Legislature.

WITHOUT a fire chief, police judge, alderman and justice of the peace for three days recently was Savannah, N. Y., because M. J. Colvin, the village butcher, was home in bed with a bad cold. Colvin holds all four positions.



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