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Two Welfare Bodies Consider Full-Time Health Program

The meeting of the Polk County Unit of the American Women's Hospitals at the Parish House Tuesday afternoon discussed its future work in relation to the activities of the full time health service which is being established under the State Board of Health. Dr. H. C. Whims, the newly appointed District Health Officer, was present by invitation. While the details of adjusting the activities of the American Women's Hospitals to the new program have not been fully determined, it is clear that an even greater piece of work can be accomplished by this valuable organization. Dr. John Z. Preston will be retained as Director and will continue his pre-natal and post-natal service. Miss Irene Clark, who will be transferred to the new District Health Department as public health nurse, will be detailed by Dr. Whims to continue assisting Dr. Preston in his clinics and other free maternity service.

Further plans for the American Women's Hospitals in assisting expectant mothers and mothers of newly born children, women of this section who are unable to pay for proper medical care, will be announced as soon as they are sufficiently developed. The need of the continued assistance of the women's societies of Tryon in providing layettes and other supplies is as great as ever and their hearty cooperation in the expanded health program of the county is

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Seth Vining To Get Eagle Award Friday

At the Piedmont Boy Scout Council Court of Honor at Lake Lanier on Friday evening at 8:15 Seth Vining, Jr., of Tryon Troop No. 1 will receive the Eagle Rank badge for having met 21 major requirements in Scouting, including first aid, life saving, camping, and other accomplishments that make boys more useful citizens. Seth joined the Tryon troop on his 12th birthday in August, 1936. He went to the National Boy Scout Jamboree at Washington, D. C., last year and attended the Piedmont Boy Scout camp last summer and this season. He has been a member of the Tryon Boys' club for the past four seasons and a group leader for the past two years. He has been active in school athletics going out for football, basketball, baseball and tennis.

During the past ten years only about ten boys have reached the Eagle rank in Tryon. They include Edgar Hendry, Charles Stackhouse, Jim Little, Edward Sayre, Robert Little, Nelson Jackson, 3rd, Anson Merrick, Bill Ward, Priestly Conyers, 3rd. Scoutmaster W. A. Schilleter states that interest in Scouting is the highest it has ever been in Tryon and that a number of boys have reached the Life Rank and have only a few more requirements to meet before they become Eagles. They include Lock McGeachy, Frank McFarland, Bill Derby, David Cromer, Harold Taylor, William Elfrink. A number of boys have passed the Star Rank

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