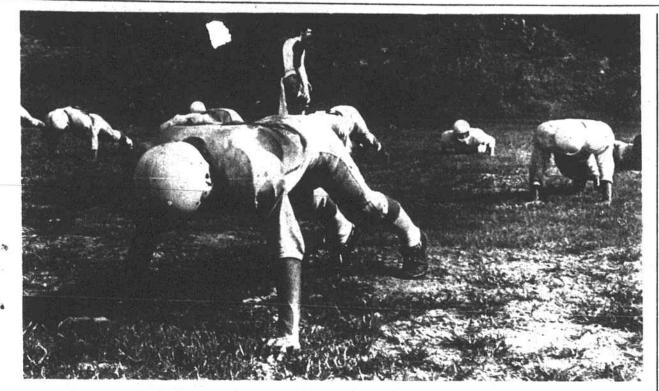
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FOOTBALL PRACTICE got underway Monday at John Graham High School. In the upper picture members of the squad are taking push-ups for conditioning. In the

lower picture, Elree Hilliard, Wayne Bartholomew and Allen Stoney (left to right) receive a bit of instruction from Coach Jimmie Webb, left.

Nine Youths Hurt In Two-Car Crash; Half Dozen Weekend Wrecks Reported

Nine youths, ranging in age from 4 to 18, were injured Saturday night in a two-car col-tation three miles was rolling in a base of Non-tation three miles was rolling in a base of Non-tation three miles was rolling in a base of Non-tation three miles was rolling in a base of Non-tation three miles was rolling in a base of Non-tation three miles was rolling in a base of Non-tation three miles was rolling in a base of Non-tation three miles was rolling in a base of Non-tation three miles was rolling in a base of Non-tation three miles was rolling in a base of Non-tation three miles was rolling in a base of Non-tation three miles was rolling in a base of Non-tation three miles was rolling in a base of Non-tation three miles was rolling in a base of Non-tation three miles was rolling in a base of Non-tation three miles may be a set of Non-

urday.

condition. "We are anticipating very satisfactory prices," was the comment of Fred S. Royster of Henderson, managing director of the Bright Belt Warehouse Association.

Quality of leaf now being harvested was desceibed as good, 25, also one day earlier than though the volume is downfrom last season. 1964, chiefly because of exces-No opening date has been set rains and the re- for the Old Belt of North Carsive duced acreage-poundage pro- olina and Virginia.

in Raleigh Tuesday night.

Thieves Break Into **Five Warren Stores**

Warren County officers yes- | Service Station at Norlina. Enterday afternoon were still trance was made by breaking a searching for clues to the iden- glass and unlocking a wir

School Compliance Plan Is Approved For Warren

compliance with the Civil Rights vited to meet in Raleigh with they were accepted with only Act for the desegregation of its representatives of the United minor modifications following schools has been approved by States Office of Education when a long session with Johnson, attend the Littleton school and the United States Office of Edu- they were told what changes cation.

By Federal Government

Announcement of the accept- ply with the act. Attending this made. ance of the plan was made meeting were Supt. Peeler, grade pupils, previously as-Wednesday by J. Roger Peeler, Board of Education member signed to Warren Schools under Halifax County compliance plan superintentent of schools, who Dr. Sam H. Massey, and Frank court order; permission of spent two days in Washington Banzet, attorney for the board. Warren students now attending last week consulting with Mor-decai Johnson, a representative meeting and reviewed with a ty to apply for new assign-and school committees abolishwith the United States Office of representative of the Office of ments; and permission of Negro Education.

ren County Board of Educa- of Education, were taken to

Middle Belt Markets

Representatives of the War- quently approved by the Board

plan for | tion a few weeks ago were in- | Washington by Peeler, where Under the approved plan, would have to be made to com- three major changes were

the Haliwa Indian school in Warren County under agree-These concern first ment with the Halifax County is approved.

Under the plan all district ed. Advisory committees for Education. These plans, subse- pupils previously refused as- each school will likely be namsignment to other Negro ed by the Board of Eduschools, to ask for reassigncation

Under a court order first grade pupils had been assigned to the schools which they had attended as pre-school pupils. The United States Office of Education held that these pupils had not been given a first and second choice and ordered that new applications for assignment be given to all Negro pre-school children.

In addition, pupils in Halifax

County will be permitted to

For 1965-66 over 100 Negro pupils from former Negro schools chose other formerly Negro schools. These choices were denied and the children assigned to the school pre-viously attended. The reasons for denial were overcrowding with children living closer to the school involved, or the absence of school transportation facilities for these children to the school chosen.

To the extent that these choices were denied because of **Revival Being Held** overcrowding with children living closer to the school chosen, At Church Of God the assignment will be rescinded and these more distant child-The Warrenton Church of ren and their parents will be God, located on the Warren contacted by letter and offered a new choice. The Choice of Schools Form will be sent them

Plains Road, began revival services on Wednesday evening. Choir and special singing are eatured. The Rev. Samuel Z. Harris

REV. SAMUEL HARRIS

of Hickory is the evangelist. The pastor, the Rev. E. E. Sal-ter, invites the public to attend.

permits. They will, however, be advised of the formerly white and formerly Negro schools to which transportation Shearin Is Admitted will be provided them. The same procedures will be used To Duke Law School for all of these children.

Ronald Vance Shearin of War-

A few others (5) chose schools distant places, via: Washing

and used for this purpose. Full

publicity will be given as to

this right. New choice will be

granted to the extent space

Start Season Sept. 8 Tobacco markets of the Mid- | gram. dle Belt will start their 1965 The date fixed for the opening was in line with forecasts. auction season on Wednesday, The Middle Belt started its sal-September 8, a day earlier than es last year on Thursday, Seplast year. The time was set by the seven-member sales comtember 10. mittee of the Middle Belt Ware-The ten markets in the Middle Belt territory are: Aberhouse Association at a meeting deen, Carthage, Durham, Ellerbe, Fuquay-Varina, Henderson, Warehousemen reported the Louisburg, Oxford, Sanford and crop in the belt in excellent Warrenton.

The season is nearing its close in the Georgia-Florida Belt and is well advanced on South Carolina and Border North Carolina markets. The big Eastern North Carolina Belts gets under way on Wednesday, August

three miles west of Nor- crossed into the path of a car lina. A highway patrolman said driven by the Dillard girl's children, Cindy Dillard, 6, and Interstate 85 was the scene of places of business in the county the accident occurred when a mother, Mrs. Mary Newsome Brent Dillard, 4. 16-year-old who had received Dillard, 36, of Rt. 3, Warrenhis driver's licence only a week ton. before, turned into the path of The accident occurred just

an oncoming car.

In all 10 persons were hurt Road which spans Interstate 85. in the crash, one of six re- Brown said Shearin was atported in Warrn County during a tempting to make a left turn pileup which occurred as anweekend which saw 15 persons onto an access road leading other injured in automobile accidents. onto the interstate highway when

Three of the youngsters hurt his car was rammed broadside is the worst of the half-dozen by Mrs. Dillard's vehicle. wrecks were hospitalized in Also riding with Shearin serious condition. Their con- were Pam Wilson, 15 of Nordition and extent of injuries lina; Connie Caldwell, 14, and could not be learned here to- Sarah Wilson, 13, both of Hopeday. well, Va., and Tommy Satter-

They were Jimmy Rivers, 15, white of Warrenton. Brown said Rt. 1, Warrenton; Robert Louis they were treated for injuries Shearin, 16, Rt. 1, Hollister, but not hospitalized. and Carol Dillard, 11, of Rt. 3,

Warrenton.

Also given emergency treatment after ambulances carried

beyond a bridge on the Oine

District Gov. Visits Warrenton Lions Club

Frank Kempt of Zebulon, Dis- 100 see again."

trict Governor of 31-G, was the Also attending the meeting principal speaker at a meeting with the District Governor were of the Warrenton Lions Club at Deputy District Z. K. Kelly and Warren Plaza Inn on last Fri- Lion Lyle Craven of the Henday night. He was making his derson Club; Ray Pruitt, sone official visit to the Warrenton chairman, of Franklinton. Club. Governor Kempt was intro-

Governor Kempt's remarks duced by Lion Monroe Gardner, dealth mostly with Eye Wills, chairman of the program comand the work of the blind in mittee, who also led the Lion Lions Clubs. He said that a in group singing. President W. majority of the members of the L. Turner presided and the grace was said by Lion Duke ulon Lions club had willed their eyes, and that "those of a restored sight due to eye transplant, could not help but be thrilled in the knowledge that their gift of willed eyes, has enabled someone without state you who may have witnessed Also present for the meeting was Marshall Eades of Texas, the guest of W. A. Miles. Dick Miles and Lion X and

Lion Mack Bullock won the dold someone without sight lar.

were Mr. Dillard and two other another injury producing acci-More than \$1,000 in damage dent. Hurt were two Brooklyn, was caused by the wreck, which N. Y., passengers. Dorothy

occurred at about 7 p. m. Sat-Cooper, 43, and Carrie Merritt, 57. Neither was hospitalized in

Earlier Saturday one motorthe two-car accident which ist was injured in a three-car caused \$500 in property damage.

driver attempted to Trooper Brown said the acchange a tire on a rural unpaved road 12 miles southeast cident occurred in the southbound lane of the highway when of Warrenton. Injured in this accident was a car driven by Simpson Wil-Claudy Southerland, 27, of Rt. liams, 28, of Brooklyn ran off 2, Warrenton. Trooper Brown, the right side of the road and who investigated each of the struck a drain cover before weekend smashups, said Southcoming back onto the highway. erland was injured as he sat Williams stopped his car and in his parked car aiming his moments later a car driven by

neadlights in order that the Oliver Cooper, 63, also of driver of a second car might Brooklyn, plowed into the rear of the stalled automobile. make the tire change. Brown reported that a third

A Sunday afternoon accident ar owned by Losvenia William involving two cars failed to Milon of Rt. 3, Louisburg, produce injuries and called prostruck Southerland's car, which perty damage estimated at \$325. in turn rammed the car under-Brown said the wreck took place going the tire change. The latwhen a car driven by Teaboy ter was being operated by Carl-Alston, 58, of Rt. 3, Warrenton Branch, 20, of Rt. 1, Louiston pulled in front of another burg. Damage to the three vevehicle on N. C. 43 seven miles hicles totalled \$250. outheast of Warrenton.

Later Saturday, at approxi-Brown said both vehicles mately 10:15 p. m., a car ownwere travelling toward Halifax ed by Harriotte B. Stegall of County when Alston pulled onto Norlina and driven by Jullan the right shoulder of the road Stegall, 42, went out of conafter giving a stop signal. As trol on Rural Paved Road 1001 the second car, driven by Wiltwo miles west of Warrenton. liam Herbert Taylor, 20, of injured were the driver and a pass, Alston made a left turn passenger, Claud Jones, 38, into Taylor's path. Alston was of Warrenton. Both men were charged with giving no signal taken to Warren General Hosand making an improper turn. pital for treatment of injuries.

Sunday began on a violent **NEW PROPRIETORS**

note as a car driven by Claude Ruffin Willey, Jr., 20, of Wel-don left the right side of U. The Norlina Esso Service Station is now under the pro-8, 401 three miles south of pristorship of Luna and Jerry Warrenton and struck a pasture Cawthorne. For many years fence on the farm of M, P. they were employed by Benton Burwell, Jr. Willey, who was Service Station, which was re-unhurt in the 2 a. m. crash, cently sold to Macon Wemyes.

Less than two hours later tity of thieves who robbed five in the rear of the station. on Monday night.

The thieves were looking for cash and passed up opportunities to take cigarettes and other items of merchandise, except in one instance where

two wrist watches were taken the shop at the Warren County from a service station Prison Camp, but here they only Sheriff Clarence Davis said obtained a small amount of loose

esterday that all the robberies change. followed a definite pattern. The break-in of the Miller Evans' Store at Manson was Recreation Place on the Henentered by breaking a bar on derson Road netted the thieves a window. Loss was around \$50 only a small amount of change, in cash. believed to have been less than

The thieves took \$10 or \$12 \$1.00. Entry was through the in cash from the John Dore rest room.



driving case, ty to an assault. Prayer for charges of reckless driving and judgment was continued until speeding cases were among the December 31, 1965, upon paynine cases heard by Judge Julius ment of costs

Banzet in Warren County Re-Jonnie Les Cheaves, who pled corder's Court last Friday guilty to a charge of giving a oad check, was ordered to pay John Thomas Southerland, \$25.00, the amount of the check charged with non-support, was to Thompson Bros., and to pay

court costs. Ressie Lee Woodard pled William Atkins Jones was orguilty to a charge of drunk dered to pay a \$25.00 fine and driving and was ordered to pay court costs when he pled guila \$100 fine and court costs ty to a charge of reckless Britt Berry Caulder pled guildriving.

Gerald Wilson White pled uilty to a charge of speeding ad was ordered to pay court

Mr. James Polk, who has been ecuperating at Duke Hospital, Durham, following major surgery, has returned to his h here where he is reported to be James Pettis King pled guilmaking a good recovery.

renton has been admitted with ton, D. C., and New York scholarship grant to the first City, probably due to misunder-Macon Wemyss's Service year class of the Duke Uni-Station, formerly Benton's, at standing of requirements or an versity Law School, Durham. intention to indicate that they would be moving. They have E. B. Latty, Dean of the Law School, explained that Shearin been reassigned to the school was chosen as a member of previously attended.

the entering class of 110 stu-First grade pupils were as signed to the school at which dents from a nationwide group they pre-registered without of approximately 1,000 applicompleting a form indicating cants. their choice of school. The pro-Shearin lives with his par-

ents, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Shearin at Warrenton.

Boosters To Hold Kick-Off Supper

The Warrenton Boosters Club will hold its annual preseason ticket sale kick-off supper at the Warrenton Country Club on August 25 at 7 p. m. C. P. Gaston, president, announced yesterday.

He said that all Boosters Club members and other interested supporters of the John Graham Athletic Association are urged to attend this annual meeting.

Attends Conference

Calvin C. White, supervisor of Warren County schools and president of the Warren Cou mit of the NCEA, atta NCEA-NEA Leadership Conerence at Mars Hill College August 11-14. This confe was for the presidents and sec-retary-treasurers of the 178 cal units in North Carolina Workshops, panel discussions and sominars were held and outstanding speakers were heard. White said the purpose of the conference was to ald the local units in planning and iminning and im

ties in NCEA-NEA prega

cedure above will be used for these pupils. Some 70 Warren County Negro students have been attending the McIver Negro school at Littleton in Halifax County. They will be given a choice of reassignment to the McIver school or to any school of their choice in Warren Coun-

ty. Their choice will be granted to the extent space permits. Bus transportation will be provided by the school board to those who choose et the

nearest formerly white or the nearest formerly Negro school to the child's residence, if other non-racial requirements (such as distance) are met. However, if the choice is made for a more distant school, there is

no guarantee of school bus transportation. Choice of School Forms have

been mailed by the Warren County school superintendent to all school children's parent or guardian. Their parents or guardians will have from August 19 to Sept. 1 to fill out and return the forms. The form is provided for "you to pick a school for your child to go to next year. It does not matter where he want last year, and it does not matter whether the school you pick has been a white or a Negro school." Peeler stated that Choice Of Pe of Forms may be o or from any a

ty to a speeding charge and was fined \$15 and ordered to pay court costs.

morning.

found not guilty.

Rufus Ivory, Jr., charged with an assault on a female, was found not guilty. Robert Mayho Jones was or-

dered to pay court costs when he pled guilty to a charge of reckless driving.

Norlina was entered through the rest room. Loss was two wrist watches and a small amount of change. The thieves also broke into