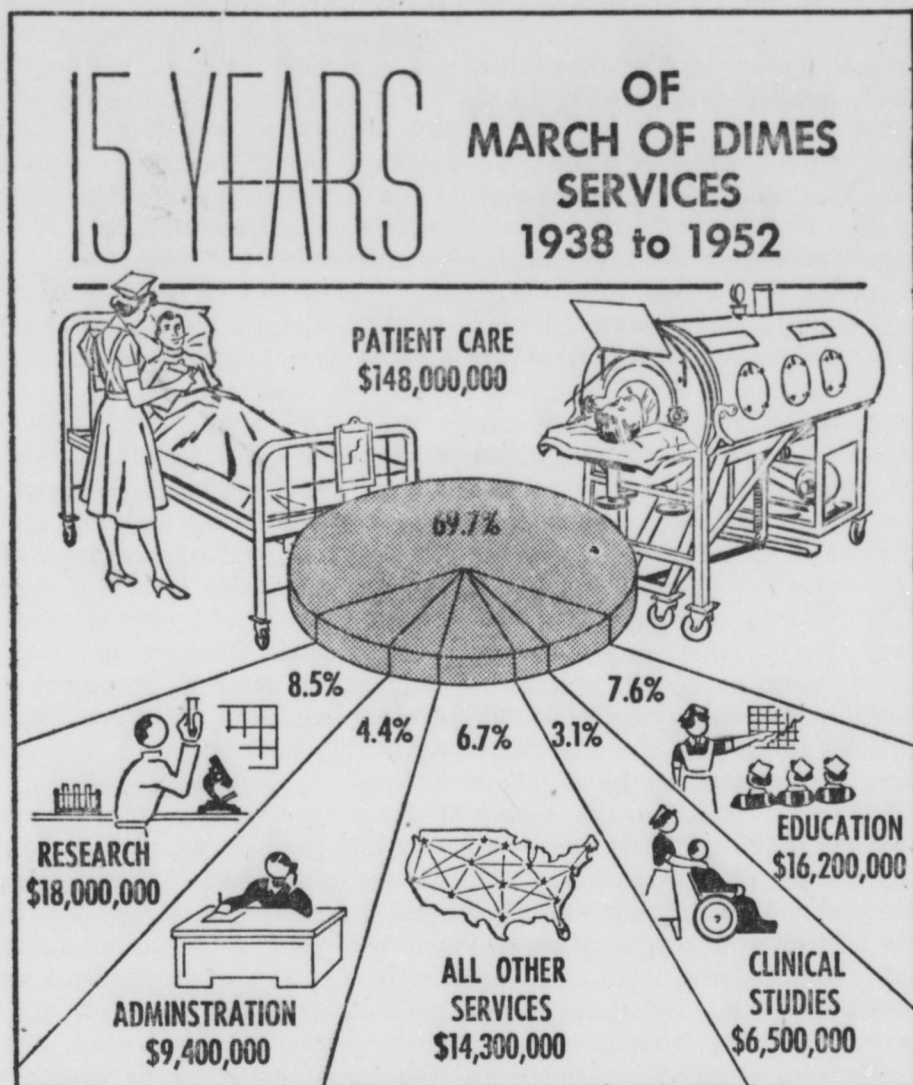


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Although more than two-thirds of March of Dimes funds goes for care of patients needing aid, the long-haul program of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis is the development of a polio preventive through research, professional education and clinical study. Last year it was shown that the blood fraction gamma globulin provided a degree of temporary protection against paralytic polio. However, a safe, effective polio vaccine for human beings is yet to be developed.

## Wake Dimes Drive Begins January 15; Zones Established

The business and residential districts of Zebulon will be divided into zones with a solicitor appointed to contact everyone in each zone for the coming March of Dimes drive in Zebulon, according to Ed Ellington, chairman. The drive in Wake County officially begins Thursday, January 15, and continues through January 31.

Chairman Ellington urged that everyone in the community give generously to the fight against infantile paralysis, because the need of funds is more urgent this year than ever.

Not only will new cases of polio which occur in 1953 require help from the March of Dimes, but here will be 58,000 old cases still needing March of Dimes financial help.

New cases reported amounted to 3,303 in 1950; 23,395 in 1951; and new record of 55,000 in 1952, the worst polio year on record.

Because of the tremendous number of victims in 1952, the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis entered 1953 with unapid bills of \$7,000,000, Chairman Ellington said. This marks the fifth successive year that the polio fighting organization has wound up in the red.

Fifty per cent of all money contributed to the March of Dimes is used by the Wake County chapter to help pay the costs of treating local patients or, in emergencies, polio patients elsewhere.

## Negroes Are Urged To Grow Livestock

People are eating more meat and livestock products now than they were some 35 or 40 years ago, yet many Negro farmers in North Carolina have been slow to change their farming plans to conform to this demand, according to H. A. Johnson, Cumberland County farm agent for the Extension Service.

Johnson says that 10 Negro farmers interviewed in Cumberland County in 1950 used their land as follows: improved pasture, 1 per cent; idle land, 20 per cent; corn, 26 per cent; tobacco, 4 per cent; cotton, 25 per cent; small grain, 5 per cent; hay and other crops, 19 per cent.

The biggest weakness in this land use, in view of the increased demand for livestock products, is the small grain and the high percentage of idle land.

"How well your farm will produce in 1973 is going to be determined by how well your resources are used now," Johnson declares.

## Zebulon Is Declared Sanctuary for Birds

An ordinance declaring Zebulon a bird sanctuary was passed by the Board of Commissioners at the regular January meeting held last week. The ordinance protects all but predatory birds.

Town manager W. B. Hopkins and Mayor Worth Hinton were named to represent Zebulon in matters pertaining to the Federal Low Rent Housing Authority.

Attending the meeting were Mayor Hinton; Commissioners R. Vance Brown, J. Raleigh Alford, Howard Beck, and Philip Massey; town manager W. B. Hopkins and Town Attorney A. R. House.

## Vic Vet says

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## School Leader Calls For \$5,500,000 Wake Bond Issue

The need for the proposed \$5,500,000 bond issue for the schools of Wake County was explained by Fred Smith, assistant superintendent of Wake County Schools, at the Friday night meeting of the Zebulon Rotary Club. The former principal of Wakelon School went into detail telling of the problems facing the schools today which necessitate the bond issue.

The speaker was introduced by Eldred Rountree, program chairman.

Chief points made by Mr. Smith in citing the need for the bond issue included the desperate lack of classroom space in the schools. Schools do not have sufficient room to care for the pupils attending now, he said, and enrollment will increase in the future. The population of the county is increasing more rapidly than anticipated, and it is placing a severe burden on the schools.

The bonds will not increase taxes for schools, he said, because the property valuation in Wake County has increased until tax revenues for schools are sufficient to pay both principal and interest on the bonds. The property valuation of Wake County will soon exceed \$200,000,000.

In 1948, the school leader said, Wake County received \$2,125,000 in bond money for schools. At that time it was estimated that it would require \$4,000,000 to bring the schools up to adequate standards.

Today the need for school improvements is greater than ever, and the proposed bond issue is one method of filling the need.

During the business session Barrie Davis was elected vice president of the Rotary Club to fill the unexpired term of Carlton Mitchell, who has been recalled to active duty as a chaplain by the Navy.

## Zebulon's Postal Revenue Increases

An all time record was established for the Zebulon Postoffice in 1952 when the total receipts for the year amounted to \$19,987.63, a gain over 1951 of \$2,604.61, or approximately 15 per cent, according to Postmaster M. J. Sexton.

Money orders issued by the Zebulon Postoffice during 1952 amounted to 17,589 for \$222,791.13.

## MEN IN SERVICE

### All Over the Globe

Army Pvt. Delton R. Glover, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Glover, Route 2, Middlesex, recently arrived in Germany and has been assigned to the Army's Garmisch District.

He has been awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge, the UN Service Ribbo and the Korean Service Ribbon with five campaign stars.

Glover, assigned as a typist in the 7779th Medical Detachment, entered the Army in September 1950.

Participating in the largest training exercise held by the Pacific Fleet since World War II, aboard the light cruiser USS Manchester, is Rudolph V. Averitt, chief teleman, USN, husband of the former Miss Cherrie V. Pearce of Route 2, Zebulon.

The vessel is a unit of the 26-ship task force, composed of cruisers, destroyers, destroyer escorts, submarines and service support ships. They are shooting at surface and air targets; repelling simulated enemy submarine and air

attacks; exercising at replenishing and refueling underway; and executing intricate battle maneuvers.

The ships left from West Coast ports yesterday. The twoweek operation will be broken by a visit to San Francisco, Calif., Jan. 10 and 11.

Rear Admiral Herbert G. Hopwood, USN, is in command of the exercise.

Pvt. Walter E. Hales, whose wife, Barbara, lives in Spring Hope, recently arrived in Korea and is serving with the 3rd Infantry Division.

During the winter of 1951, his unit cracked the Communists' line in the battle of "Bloody Angle," one of the bitterest engagements of that year.

Private Hales entered the Army in December 1951 and was stationed at Camp Polk, La., before his present assignment.

In civilian life he was employed as an inspector by the Pet Dairy of Greensboro.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hales, lives in Middlesex.

## Watch Out for Liquor—It Causes More Than Hangover Headache

The liquor can cause more than the morning after blues was clearly illustrated today by a report from the Department of Motor Vehicles which showed over half of all drivers license revocations and suspensions in 1952 resulted from mixing liquor and gasoline.

In all 20,632 Tar Heel motorists lost their legal driving privileges in 1952 with 9,697 convicted of drunk driving charges. Another

486 licenses were suspended following convictions of transporting liquor.

Other major violations, and subsequent loss of licenses, included in the year end report were: 934 for speeding over 75 mph; 725 for two offenses of speeding over 55 mph; 720 for driving after license revoked; 624 for reckless driving; 245 for driving after license suspended; and 233 for larceny of automobile.

Last year 1,602 motorists failed to maintain proof of financial responsibility and consequently lost their driving privileges, which is included in the total.

Total revocations for the year came to 14,225 and suspensions to 6,407.

## Church of God

Everyone is invited to the revival at the Church of God. Services begin each evening at 7:30. The evangelist is the Rev. James Wilson.

## Funeral Services Are Held Sunday For Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Brown

Mrs. Marzilla Morgan Williams, 91, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Hattie Strickland of Middlesex, Route 2, Saturday morning following several years of declining health. Funeral services were held at 2:30 p. m. Sunday from the Rocky Cross Baptist Church with the Rev. Nevell Stancil officiating.

The body lay in state at the Church for one hour prior to the services. Burial was in the family cemetery.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Strickland and Cora Williams of Spring Hope, Route 3; one brother, N. M. Morgan of Spring Hope; 15 grandchildren; and 16 great grandchildren.

Funeral services for Mrs. An-

nie Harris Brown, who died at Mary Elizabeth Hospital Friday following an illness of several weeks, were held at the Wakefield Baptist Church Sunday at 2:30 p. M., with the Rev. Theo. B. Davis of Zebulon and Dr. J. A. Ellis of Raleigh in charge. Burial was in the Wakefield cemetery.

Mrs. Brown was the wife of the late P. L. Harris of Wakefield until his death in 1915. She later married J. M. Brown of Star, who died in 1942. Since then, Mrs. Brown had resided in Louisburg and Raleigh. She was a member of Tabernacle Baptist Church in Raleigh.

Surviving are three sisters, Mrs. M. A. Bethune of Fayetteville, Mrs. E. F. Parnell of Saint Pauls, and Mrs. J. Frank Love of Charlotte; and one brother, L. M. Melvin of Florida.