

## Health Program Planned For Schools

### Wallace Airport Committee Report Made To Town Council On Possible Site For Airport

Suggested Site Approved By Federal Government And Included In Federal Airport Plan

**LOCATION NEAR TOWN LIMITS**  
Would Cost \$59,906 Of Which Government Pays \$27,968

The Wallace Airport Committee, appointed almost two years ago to study suitable locations for a municipal airport for the town which would meet federal specifications and for which the town could secure federal assistance, has filed its report with the Town Council, it was announced this week by Town Clerk W. N. Rose.

The committee, after searching for suitable sites and finding many of them not available, recommended to the town a place just across the county line in Pender County, eight-tenths of one mile from the city limits of Wallace, across Rockfish Creek southwest of town.

In considering a location the committee was asked to keep in mind the following requisites:

1. Accessibility to the center of population or to potential users of the airport.
2. That it should be reasonably clear of timber, well drained, and in good condition. That is, it should be good farm land.
3. The site should be large enough to provide for present needs with more land available for expansion in the future as needed.
4. A place which would provide sufficient landing strips to provide adequate wind coverage.
5. The cost of the suggested site was to be carefully considered, along with the part which the federal government would assume.

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### THE GRAB BAG

By GEORGE B. WEAVER

Carl Goerch related this anecdote on Dr. Robinson which occurred at the Harvest Day Festival down at Penderlea Church Thursday.

Carl, along with E. L. Dudley of Clinton, was auctioning off the cakes at the sale and he held up a particularly large white cake for an opening bid. "Five dollars," was the immediate answer from someone in the crowd.

Spying Dr. Robinson near the auction stand Carl began to eulogize him thus, "Citizens of Penderlea and the surrounding area, you are indeed fortunate to have in your community such a fine, upstanding man as Dr. John D. Robinson. I feel sure that there is not a man here who has the welfare of this community more at heart or has done more for it than Dr. Robinson. Er, did you say ten dollars, Doctor?" To which the good doctor nodded assent.

"Furthermore," Carl continued, "Dr. Robinson has been an outstanding man in this section for 30 years. When you have been sick of bad ills you called on him. He has been active both day and night in your behalf. I am sure that there is not a finer man to be found in all of Duplin or Pender Counties than Dr. Robinson who has a keen interest in the welfare of this section and has come to this meeting today. Did you say \$15, Doctor?" Still more befuddled, the Doctor nodded again.

Again Carl launched forth in eulogy of the good doctor and before he concluded Dr. Robinson had nodded assent to \$25 for the cake.

After the sale was over Dr. Robinson remarked, according to Mr. Goerch, "Carl, those were some high priced compliments."

### Scout House Is Being Erected

A Scout House is now being constructed on the American Legion's lot near Motor Inn, according to reports this week. The house is being constructed from a building secured at Penderlea and brought here for the purpose by Willard Hoffler.

The money to erect the house was furnished, at least in part, by the Wallace Lions Club from funds secured in their campaign this summer. It is hoped to have the house completed in the near future.

### Faires Elected Head Wilmington Presbytery Meet

Prominent Wallace Layman First Layman To Be Moderator Of Presbytery In Many Years

**ELECTED TUESDAY IN WILMINGTON**  
Presbytery Discusses Ways And Means Home Mission Work

E. W. Faires, prominent Presbyterian layman of Wallace, was elected moderator of the Wilmington Presbytery during its fall meeting in Pearsall Memorial church in East Wilmington on Tuesday, it was announced.

Faires, who is in charge of the dairy at the Coastal Plains Experiment and Test Farm and Willard, is an elder in the Wallace Presbyterian church and has been active in the Presbytery for several years.

In addition, he is a leader in Boy Scout work in Wallace and the Tuscarora Council and in the Wallace Lions Club.

Succeeding the Rev. J. V. Axtell, he is the first layman elect-

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### Wallace Bulldogs Do It Again; Tie Clinton 0-0 In Friday Game

Locals Outplay Visitors But Unable To Cash In On Scoring Opportunities

Although the Wallace Bulldogs outplayed Clinton and kept the ball in Clinton territory almost all afternoon, they were again unable to score and the game ended in a 0-0 tie, the second between the two teams this season.

With Wallace leading in first downs by 9-3 and keeping the ball near scoring territory much of the time, they still lacked the punch to score and their drives bogged down time and again inside the 20 yard line.

Because of this lack of scoring punch, Coach Thell Overman reported this week that Henry James had been shifted to the backfield from his end position in an effort to provide more scoring punch.

In Friday's game Earl Salmon stood out for his play at end and the other end will be handled by Thomas Townsend and Jimmy Powell. Coach Overman reported that he expected the line to be bolstered by the return of Mack Sykes, who has been out for the past two weeks with injuries.

The Wallace Bulldogs will play Elizabethtown Thursday (this) afternoon at the Bladen city, the game date being changed because many schools expected to send delegations to Raleigh for the State Fair on Friday.

At Olive will be played here

### Discuss Better Tar Heel Poultry



C. P. Maupin (left), N. C. State College extension poultry specialist, is shown at recent Carolinas Poultry Industries Exposition in Charlotte as he explains interesting features of an artist's conception of the ideal, meat-type chicken sought in the nationwide, three-year Chicken-of-Tomorrow competition. Maupin and P. H. Gooding (center), Clemson College poultryman, are contest chairmen in the two Carolinas. Charles G. Fox (right), of Raleigh, is 1946 Tar Heel contest winner and thus becomes a leading contender for the \$5,000 award offered to the poultryman breeding the meatiest chicken. Poultry products are now the second largest agricultural income producer in North Carolina, being topped only by tobacco.

### Wallace Scout Committee Asks Funds For Troop

Announcement Made Of Plans To Increase Scouting In Tuscarora Council

A concerted drive is now underway by the Wallace Scout Committee to raise funds for the Wallace Boy Scout Troop as part of the \$8,700 being raised in the Tuscarora Council composed of Wayne, Johnson, Sampson and Duplin counties.

The drive now on is for the regular annual fund gotten up locally for scouting in the local troop, and has no connection with the money which was re-

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### Notice

For the past two weeks it has been necessary to turn down advertisements for the ENTERPRISE because they were brought in too late. We regret not being able to take them but we must have a deadline or find ourselves getting the paper in the mail about Saturday. Please hand in all advertising not later than Wednesday noon if space is wanted for that week.

### Legion Planning Money Campaign For Athletics

Plans To Be Announced Soon On Drive To Raise Money For Stadium

The Wallace American Legion Post No. 156 is now making plans for raising the necessary money to finance the stadium project which they announced last week. Several plans are now under consideration, according to Legionnaire John Moore, chairman of the committee on the project, and it is expected that a drive will be announced in the near future.

The local Legion Post is expecting to sponsor a local team in the American Legion Junior Baseball competition next year as part of its athletic program. Also, the local Legion Post is back of the current high school athletic program in the Wallace High School. They are planning a dance on October 31 for the purpose of raising funds for re-pairing the high school gymnasium and getting it in readiness for the basketball season.

### New Store Opens Friday Morning

A new business will open its doors in Wallace on Friday morning at 8:30 when the Western Auto Associate Store, home owned and operated by Robert L. Butler, will officially open for business.

The store is located in the new theatre building being constructed on South Railroad Street by D. L. Wells and Jos. H. Bryant. Construction has been completed on the part to be occupied by the Western Auto Store but is still continuing on the theatre.

### Wallace Mart Reports Heavy Sales This Week

Price Average Said Best Of Season As Demand For Most Grades Increases On Local Market

CLEAR WEATHER BRINGS IN TOBACCO

Number Entire Sales Averaged Near \$60 This Week

With the return of good weather over the past week-end Wallace tobacco warehouses again found themselves flooded with tobacco and the heavy sales continued through the week with prices ranging the highest of the season, according to observers.

Several entire sales averaged near the \$60 mark during the week, with farmers expressing satisfaction with the returns.

Prices throughout the eastern belt were generally up from last week, with heavy sales on all markets. On the border belt, where most markets have either closed already or will close with this week's sales, prices also showed a gain.

Middle and old belt prices fluctuated irregularly, according to market reports. Much of the tobacco being offered this week on the Wallace market was of high quality, reports indicated. The sale during the past week of around a million pounds brought the season's total to around 10 million pounds.

### Draft Holiday Until January Is Announced

To Review All 4-F Classifications With View To Changing Classification

National Selective Service headquarters has issued orders declaring a two-month draft holiday during November and December. This was made possible, officials stated, by the large number of volunteers who have signed up for duty with the regular Army under the recruit-

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### President Orders All Controls Taken Off Meat Effective Tuesday

### Duplin Farmer Commits Suicide

Barney Leroy Stroud, farmer of Glisson Township, shot and killed himself at his home Sunday afternoon, according to the verdict of the Duplin County coroner, Sheriff Williamson stated this week.

Stroud, about 50 years of age, had been away from home for a day or so, reports stated, and returned Sunday morning. While his family were at a neighbor's home nearby on Sunday afternoon he seated himself in a chair and arranged to pull the trigger of his rifle sending the bullet through his head, the bullet entering near his right ear and coming out near his left temple.

According to Sheriff Williamson this was the third time he

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### Warsaw Negro Is Killed On Monday

McKinley Williams, Warsaw Negro, was shot and killed Monday by a gun allegedly in the hands of Matt Vann, another Warsaw colored man, Sheriff Williamson reported this week.

Williams was shot in the back and the deputies who investigated the shooting reported that Vann fled the scene of the crime and had not yet been apprehended.

### Wallace Junior Woman's Club Sponsors Health Program In Wallace Schools During Year

### Dance Slated For Halloween

A Halloween Masquerade Ball will be given Thursday night, October 31, in the Wallace High School gymnasium sponsored by the Wallace Post No. 156 of the American Legion for the purpose of obtaining funds for repairing the gymnasium for the basketball season.

The dance will be held from nine until . . . and a prize will be given for the most original costume, it was announced by John Moore, vice-commander of the local Legion Post this week.

Music for the occasion will be furnished by Guy Bullard's Orchestra.

### State Welfare Head To Speak Thursday Night

Dr. Ellen Winston Of Raleigh Will Address Meeting Of Junior Woman's Club

INTERESTED CITIZENS INVITED TO MEET

Meeting Will Be Held At Community Building At 8 P. M.

Dr. Ellen Winston of Raleigh, Commissioner of Public Welfare of the State of North Carolina, will speak to the Wallace Junior Woman's Club Thursday night, October 24, at 8:00 o'clock in the Community Building, it was announced this week by Mrs. Steve Mallard, president of the club.

The meeting will be open to the public and the club has invited all interested citizens of Wallace and vicinity to attend the meeting and hear Dr. Win-

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Plan Physical Examination Of Every Student In Both Colored And White Schools Of City

HEALTH DEPARTMENT GIVES COOPERATION

To Hold Supper Thursday Night To Raise Funds

The Wallace Junior Woman's Club has announced an ambitious program of health work in the Wallace schools for this school year, according to Mrs. Steve Mallard, club president.

According to plans mapped by the club every school child in both the white and colored schools of Wallace will be given a physical examination during this school year to determine any defects in eyes, ears, teeth, or tonsils. The children will also be given a blood test. Weight and height of the children will also be compared with standards to determine those who are under weight.

The club has already purchased a set of scales to be used in the schools for making the check on child health. The Duplin County Health Department has promised its aid in the enterprise, Mrs. Mallard stated, as have local physicians and dentists.

The club is planning to hold a turkey supper on Thursday night (tonight) to raise money to help finance this health program.

The program will consume much of the remainder of the school year as there are more than 700 white school children and the entire enrollment of the local colored schools.

### Lions Club In Business Meet

The Wallace Lions Club conducted a business session at its meeting Monday night in the Community Building. Announcements were made to the club concerning the Boy Scout house which is under construction and the forthcoming drive for Scout funds.

A. S. Knowles of Raeford was a guest of the club at this meeting.

The club directors voted to begin their meetings during the winter months at 6:30 rather than 7:00 o'clock as has been the custom during the summer.

### Expect Arrival New School Buses

The Duplin County School system was expecting the arrival of four new buses, the first of the post-war replacements which it is slated to receive, this week, according to County Superintendent O. P. Johnson.

Drivers were sent from the county to drive them from Lima, Ohio, and the new vehicles were expected to arrive sometime Wednesday.

Johnson stated that the new type buses will have seats arranged like commercial buses with an aisle down the center and two seats on each side, facing the front of the bus. He added that it should be necessary to increase the number of buses in the Duplin fleet when the new type became predominant because the new buses seat only about three-fourths as many pupils as the old type.

### ATLANTA AND RETURN IN DAY'S ROUTINE

Earlie C. Sanderson and Bert Hayes were visitors in Atlanta for a few hours Tuesday, leaving Wallace and returning the same day.

Sounds funny? That's just what they did. Taking off in Sanderson's new plane they made Atlanta in about three hours and spent several hours in the Georgia metropolis before taking off for Wallace in the afternoon.

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