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## BOARD SHELVES PLAN TO EXTEND CITY LIMITS

### Jaycee Show Cast Complete; Miss Mary Oswald, Don Bland To Carry The Leading Roles

Production Features Local People In Impersonation Of Radio Stars

COSTUMES ADD COLORFUL NOTE

Audience Will Participate In Quiz Scene For Prizes

Casting is complete for "It's A Date", the local talent show being sponsored by the Wallace Junior Chamber of Commerce, to be presented at Wallace High School auditorium March 16 and 17 for the benefit of recreational projects the Jaycees are undertaking.

The cast includes about 100 people who impersonate famous radio personalities and mythical characters, including R. L. Alford in the role of Santa Claus and Mrs. Evelyn Knowles, who will portray his wife. Little Tommy Fields will appear as Santa Claus Jr.

Leads in the show will be taken by Miss Mary Oswald and Don Bland, who are cast as Ginger Jones and Jo-Jo Brown, a typical American boy and girl who are in love but just can't decide on the date for their wedding.

Judson Gregory will emcee the production in an impersonation of Eddie Cantor. In this scene, contestants choosing categories they will use in competing for prizes.

A Labor Day scene uses an all-male chorus, the men dressed as women who tell their woes as they buckle the duties and hardships of a typical housewife.

In this scene, Leon Shiver impersonates Fanny, the Farmer's Daughter; Noah Ginsberg dresses as Tillie the Tenth-Grade Teacher, and Doc Shields will be dressed as a bobby-soxer called Bessie the Baby Sitter. Jack Gregory will portray Winnie the Waitress from Wellsburg. Sidney Apple will be made up as the Million Dollar Baby, and Harry Kramer impersonates the ex-burlesque queen, Rosie the Queen of the Runway. These men do a special dance routine to the accompaniment of washboards, pot and kettle lids.

In an imitation of the Breakfast Club, well-known radio show, Mr. Hasty will impersonate the toastmaster, Don McNeill. The comedy character of the talkative Aunt Fanny will be taken by Mrs. Sarah Padd.

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### Jurors Are Drawn For April Court Sessions in Kenansville

The following persons have been drawn to serve as jurors in the general county court sessions during the month of April: Leonard Kennedy, W. A. Tyndall, G. B. Hanchey, H. R. Southland, Furney H. Houston, C. H. Boykin, Jr., Will Whaley, Lester M. Fussell, E. D. Kelly, Albert Whitfield, George Lanier, L. W. Teachey, Roy Brown, L. F. Jones, Raymond Brown, R. D. Ezzell, R. R. Mercer, Peter Wood, C. L. Sloan, K. B. Thigpen, Paul Heath, D. S. Jones, Granville Sheffield, J. Tate Harrell.

The persons named below have been drawn to serve as jurors on the session of Duplin Superior Court, criminal sessions, during the week of April 10:

J. W. Johnson, Percy Albro Maready, G. L. Whaley, Geo. T. Stanton, Jarvis Carter, J. D. Marshburn, Geo. C. Kennedy, Raymond Rogers, Willie Brock, Brantley Hawes, L. O. Scott, N. J. Grady, Ralph Lanier, Herder A. Cavenaugh, W. B. Knowles, J. J. Grady, C. L. Stroud, D. W. Swinson, A. R. Sholar, Ernest

### Tot Contest Begins With 16 Entries

The Tiny Tot Popularity Contest held in connection with the play, "It's a Date," sponsored by the Jaycees has begun with sixteen contestants and more coming in each day.

The photos of the children in the contest are on display in the Wallace Drug window. Children in the contest to date are: Mollie Lou Zibelin, Linda Williams, Janet Gurganus, Bobby James, Woodrow Fields, Janet Foley, Sammy Rivenbark, Jimmy King, Franklin Creech, Hannah Godwin, Paulette Cavenaugh, Donaldson King, Sammy Sampson and James Rivenbark.

The contestants are getting their own votes; each child has his own jar. The votes will be counted and posted each day on the window of the Wallace Drug Company.

Prizes for the winners have been donated by Globe Jewelers and Wallace Jewelers. The contest closes Friday, March 17, and the winners will be announced on stage the night of the play.

### Spring Football Drills To End This Friday

Spring football practice went into its third week for the Wallace High School Bulldogs this week.

Daily workouts are being held with emphasis on fundamentals, the drill being planned to teach

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### Chinquapin Betas Rehearsing For A Talent Show

The Beta Club at Chinquapin High School will present a talent show Wednesday, March 15, at the high school auditorium, featuring a variety of talents from the school and community.

Skits, music, singing, string music, recitations and a fashion show are among the entertainments planned. The club promises fun for people of all ages in the event, which begins at 7:30. Admission charges will be 25c and 35c. The public is cordially invited to attend.

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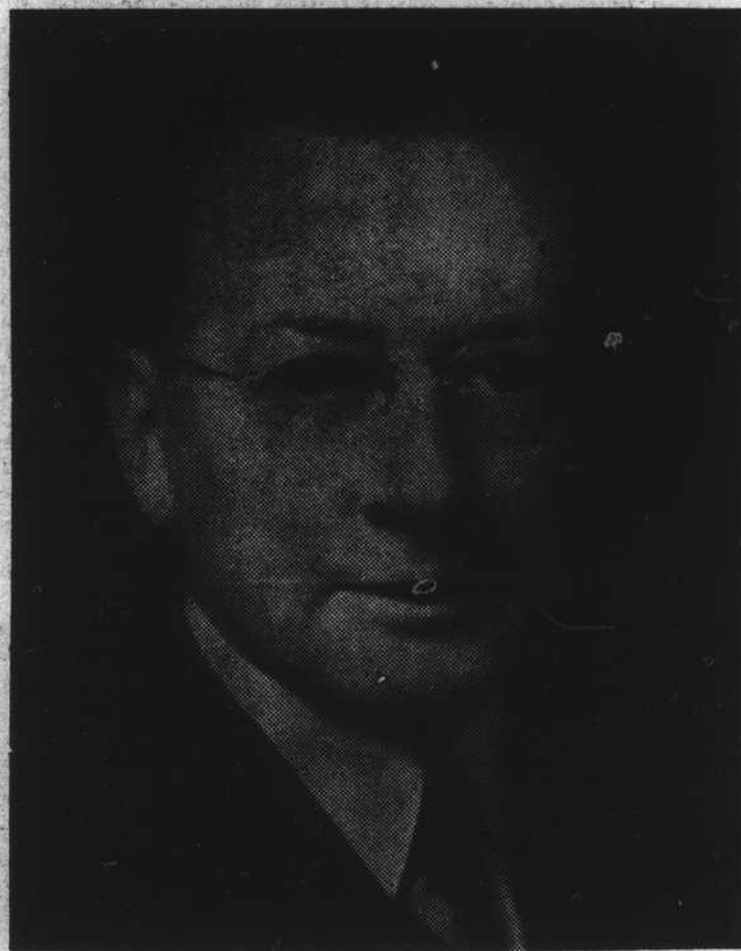
Heath, Harry M. Teachey, W. R. Westbrook, Hubert Simpson, F. M. Lambert, Odell Wood, McKinley Lloyd, S. J. Waller, L. C. Usher, T. G. Herring, H. H. Hall, John Justice, Carl Whitfield, Harry G. Harper, James A. Brown, F. T. Heath, T. S. Brock, Johnnie Benson, W. N. Bostic, W. W. Sholar, Erastus Dall, Joel Kennedy, Joseph Baker, Loney R. Lanier, Herbert T. Kornegay, J. C. Harrell, Allen Stord, William Pickett, J. A. Swinson, Fred King, S. E. Cavenaugh, H. E. Penny, Harvey R. Harper, C. C. Ivey and L. G. Dall.

Persons listed below are to serve as jurors during the civil term of Superior Court beginning April 17:

Aldine Whitfield, E. J. Bland, Perry Hall, Johnnie W. Stallings, James Brock, Norman Tillman, J. B. Thomas, T. W. Moore, John D. Home, John Bradley, Herman W. Huggins, Dobson Dall, W. C. Worsley, Roscoe Potter, E. C. Mathews, J. B. Bachelor, James E. Whitfield, Thurman

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### Presbytery Speaker



Dr. John R. Cunningham, president of Davidson College, will address the annual meeting of the Men of the Church of the Wilmington Presbytery next Tuesday evening.

### Dr. Hall And Mr. Emurian Will Be Guests Of Bible Class

#### To Speak Here



Dr. B. Frank Hall will speak to the Young Men's Bible Class of the Wallace Baptist church this week, when the class celebrates the successful close of a membership contest.

### Duplin-Sampson Club Meets With Mrs. B. V. Byrd

The Duplin-Sampson Home Demonstration Club met on Thursday, Feb. 23, at the home of Mrs. B. V. Byrd, with Mrs. D. O. Byrd as joint hostess.

The club opened by singing "Maryland, My Maryland", and the members repeated the club collect in unison. Mrs. T. D. Herring, president, conducted the business session.

Miss Hilda Clontz, home demonstration agent, gave a helpful demonstration on pictures for the home, including the proper methods of hanging pictures, kind of pictures suitable for each room, grouping of pictures and general arrangements of pictures for making the home more attractive and livable.

Mrs. J. H. Williams gave an interesting article on family life, and Miss Joyce Lanier gave notes on foods and nutrition, with ways of making successful pie crust. Mrs. D. S. Mathews contributed notes on poultry.

During the social hour, the hostesses served a sweet course consisting of fruit jello, whipped cream, cookies and coffee to the 23 members and two visitors present. The March meeting will be held March 23 at 2:30 with Mrs. Theron Evans.

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### Elected



Robert S. Troy, above, Rose Hill banker, was elected secretary-treasurer of group 3, North Carolina Bankers, in Goldsboro recently. Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Troy, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Saunders and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brady attended the meeting. About 375 were present at the meet.

### 300 Delegates And Pastors Attend Meet

More than 300 delegates and pastors attended the General Conference of Freewill Baptist Churches Thursday and Friday, at the Northeast Freewill Baptist church between Wallace and Chinquapin.

More than 125 churches were represented in the conference, which began with the introductory sermon at 10 a. m. Thursday and ended Friday evening. The Rev. Morrison Brown, Garland, acted as moderator.

The Rev. A. C. Wheeler, pastor of the First Freewill Baptist church of Wilmington, delivered the introductory sermon which opened the sessions. Delegates were served a picnic lunch each day.

At business sessions, the main topics for discussions were the church mission program, further support for the Freewill Baptist orphanage at Dunn, Sunday school literature, the Freewill Messenger, official organ of the church, and a proposal that the church unite with the Evangelical Baptists.

### Monogram Club To Have Athletic Banquet At School

The Monogram Club of Wallace High School will give an athletic banquet Wednesday night at 7 p. m. in the school cafeteria. Honored guests will be members of the 1949-50 football and basketball squads and their parents. School officials and their wives are also invited.

Highlights of the program will be the official presentation of the conference football trophy by Pat Harmon of Warsaw, retiring president of the conference. Members of the football and basketball squads will receive the awards. The Rev. W. B. Hood will be the main speaker of the evening.

### Ticket Sales For Jaycees Show Start Today

Ticket sales for the show "It's A Date" were officially started this morning when Louis Shields called on Mayor Hoffer and sold him the first ticket to the show.

Mayor Hoffer said, "I am pleased to endorse this worthwhile entertainment. I must have officially made a date and I'll save the dates of March 16 and 17 to see this production."

He commended the Jaycees on the benefit performance, for the proceeds from the show will go to the recreational fund of the Jaycees.

### Town Board Tables Proposal To Extend The Town Limits As Protest Petitions Received

### Superior Court Civil Session Opens Today

The March sessions of Duplin Superior Court opened in Kenansville today for the hearing of civil cases. A criminal court session will be held next week.

Superior Court Judge John J. Burney is conducting the court. The calendar of cases listed for trial by the clerk of the court sets forth 106 cases with 14 additional cases scheduled for judgment on the motion docket.

The term of court has been set to run two weeks.

The calendar has been set up as follows:

MONDAY, MARCH 13  
H. E. Williams, vs Delilah Miller; Rose Brown vs Mae Hines; M. & D. Grocery vs Luther Stanley; R. D. Clifton vs Railway Express Co.; Glennie Bradshaw vs David Bryant; James E. Whitehead vs Ethel Mae Whitehead; Duplin Grocery Co. vs T. H. Carter et al; R. W. Fountain vs McKinley Boone; Alexander Dumas vs Joe Wilson et al.

Clara I. Wells, administratrix, vs. Sam A. Wells et al; C. Williams vs Belle Williams et al; Marjorie C. Boney vs Isiah Huffman et al; A. L. Cavenaugh vs Bessie Penny et al; B. F. Cooper vs J. F. Best et al; Eli Mobley vs Rowland

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### Services Held For Mrs. A. M. Bradshaw At Charity Church

Mrs. Annie M. Bradshaw, 77, widow of the late J. B. Bradshaw of the Charity Community died Friday night at her home after a lingering illness.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon from the Charity Methodist church by Rev. W. B. Cotton, pastor, assisted by Rev. Vanch Rich. Burial was in Little Creek Cemetery.

She is survived by four sons, Leslie, Dewey, William and Hugh Bradshaw, all of the home community; two daughters, Mrs. Wayne Turner of Kinston and Virginia Bradshaw of the home; eighteen grandchildren and one great-grandchild; two sisters, Mrs. Geneva Farris and Mrs. Elbert King of Folkston; one brother, Hugh Farris of Wallace.

### Rev. Garvin Leaves Chinquapin And Bethel Charges For Texas

The pastoral relationships of Rev. James F. Garvin and the Chinquapin and Bethel Presbyterian churches were dissolved by the Wilmington Presbytery in a called meeting at the Wallace Presbyterian church on Friday afternoon, and he was granted a letter of transfer to the Presbytery of Mid-Texas.

Mr. Garvin will become the pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Mineral Wells, Texas. The Reverend Mr. Garvin is the present moderator of Wilmington Presbytery, having been elected at the last stated meeting, and he asked the last moderator present, Rev. Ben F. Brown, to preside.

Mr. Garvin spoke to the Presbytery about his pleasant associations and work in his present field and of his call to the work in Texas. Elder J. F. Futrel of the Chinquapin Church and Elder A. R. Wood of the Bethel Church represented their respective congregations and stated that with sincere regret the churches were joining with Mr. Garvin in asking the Presbytery to dissolve the

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### Two Petitions Presented At Thursday Night Meeting Of Town Board

MELVIN CORDING PRESIDES AT MEET

ACL Granted Permission To Increase Speed Of Trains

The hopes of many local citizens for a "Greater Wallace" through an extension of town limits were defeated Thursday when a delegation appeared before the town board protesting the extension.

The group protesting the proposed action of the board included Jos. Bryant, W. L. Hussey, W. C. Worsley, Robert M. Carr, Frank Jessup, J. K. Blanchard, Joe Wood and R. Foley, and were represented by their attorney, David Henderson.

Two petitions, signed by a number of citizens in the affected areas, were presented and in view of the attitude taken by the group, the board voted to table the extension proposal.

The town board had made a survey of the area to be annexed and had set boundaries calculated to bring a population increase within the corporate limits of the town prior to the April census, as an increase in population count would add considerably to the prestige of the town in its efforts to attract industry and gain state aid in the "farm to market" street program. State aid for streets is based on the population and on miles of state road within the corporate limits.

Much of the proposed annex is now on city water and sewer lines, and an extension would have made available other benefits of town service such as garbage collection, street service, street lighting and police protection. Sanitary service would have been made available from the general fund whereas now, if it can be secured, the individual must pay the entire cost.

The matter of fire protection for property outside the limits was not discussed, as all board members are in favor of continuing the present system of responding to all calls as a courtesy to rural residents. Wilmington is abandoning the practice of going beyond city limits and several other towns have indicated that they may follow suit. Such a plan here would probably result in higher insurance

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