

## TWIN CITY HAPPENINGS

Misses Clara Hearne, Mary Wood Hall, Lee Arnold, Marjorie Caldwell, Jaunita Taylor, spent Saturday in Greenville attending a teacher's conference.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Ogletree and Mr. Wm. Ivey attended the Methodist Episcopal conference in Henderson Thursday.

Mrs. S. J. Bounds spent Thursday in Richmond.

Mrs. Wade Gardner and daughter of Wilson, N. C., visited her sister, Mrs. Claude Edgerton.

Mr. W. H. Lawson and Mr. Wm. Chafin spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Medlin.

Mesdames Howard Pruden, Julian Allsbrook, Frank Hawley spent Wednesday in Richmond.

Mr. John Patterson of Richmond was a visitor in town Thursday.

Mrs. Coffee, mother of Mrs. Frank Kemp and Mrs. Frank Williams, was a visitor in town last week.

Mrs. W. S. Dean had as her guest last week, her sister, Miss Madge Herring of Raleigh.

Mrs. Steve Lipscomb spent several days in Norfolk this week.

Miss Mary Virginia Jenkins spent the week-end with Miss Mamie Butts in Halifax.

Miss Susan Holliday was hostess to the A and C Bridge Club at her home on Hamilton Street Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Octavius Griffin was given a set of curtain tie backs as winner of high score. An interesting game was played at two tables. The club members and invited guests were Mesdames Clarence Grimmer, Octavius Griffin, J. M. Jackson, Frank Wilson, R. P. Beckwith, F. G. Jarman and Bahnon Weathers.

Mrs. W. H. Lawson spent several days here last week with Mrs. Wm. Medlin.

Mrs. G. A. Northington honored the teachers at Coletane Hall and a few outside guests with a bridge party Saturday afternoon. In the living room where five tables were placed for players fall flowers and leaves were used. An interesting game was played and the high score was won by Miss Ruth Dean who was presented two decks of cards. Those enjoying Mrs. Northington's hospitality were Misses Mary Cannon, Ruth Chapman, Emma Davis Aileen Cannon, Thelma Toler, Ruth Dean, Sara Cannon, Ada Edwards, Omara Daniel, Mary Hunter, Verna Eddins, Elizabeth Tait, Mary Blalock, Mesdames Scales, Clarence Grimmer, W. A. China, C. E. Loman, Mrs. Tucker and Miss Sara Gurley.

The High School Parent Teacher Association of the Roanoke Rapids High School met last week in the Home Economics Building with eighty-five members present. The meeting

was presided over by Mrs. J. E. Kirk, the president and interesting reports were given by the chairmen of the various committees. Superintendent C. W. Davis and Miss Clara Hearne, supervisor of elementary grades, gave talks on the matter of "Reports" which was followed by a general discussion of this important subject. This was entered into heartily by the parents and teachers. Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the program.

The Parent-Teacher Association of Central School held its monthly meeting November 12th at 3 o'clock in the auditorium. Mrs. T. W. M. Long presided. After the business had been dispensed with, Miss Clara Hearne made a talk on the new report cards. At the close of the meeting tea and wafers were served.

Earl Lyerly, who has been quite ill with diphtheria is much improved.

Mrs. W. H. Jones is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Grant, in Emporia.

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## YELLOW JACKETS TAKE THE LAST TILT

### SPORT BRIEFS

One big thing about the New Bern-Roanoke Rapids clash was the fact the stretcher twins, Captain Starks and halfback Sullivan were not carried from the field. These two boys have been knocked out and carried from the field seven out of ten games. That should be some kind of record.

Notre Dame showed her mettle last Saturday when they shoved over two touchdowns and two extra points to defeat Northwestern 14-0. It was Northwestern's first defeat.

### Littleton Highs Trounce Patterson

Patterson Mill played their first basketball game Monday night, and although they were defeated by Littleton High School 20-5, it was not such a bad game, at that. The Patterson Mill boys were playing their first game of basketball while the Littleton outfit has been in playing condition ever since school started. Clark as a running guard was the visitor's outstanding player. Clark is a former local boy and his passing and shooting was very good while on the defense he was very good. For the Patterson Mill outfit, all five of the starting boys played good basketball considering they have never played the game before. The work of Henry Love at Forward stood out while Williams played a nice game at center. The Patterson Mill team will meet Littleton here in a return game Monday night at 7:30.

### Yellow Jacket Jabber

The boys have a new name for Colonel Womble who holds down the left end assignment for the Jackets. Since he got his beak broken in the Elizabeth City game and now they call him "Snout." We have quite a few characters on the squad: "Soy Bean" Mills, "Snook" Matthews, "Country" Brown, "Scoop" Dickens, but as one poet puts it, "What's in a name?"

"Soy Bean," in other words, Fred Mills, who plays fullback got real mad down at Tarboro the other day and broke away for a sixty-five yard run for a touchdown. It was one of the longest sprints staged down here since Troy Goodman broke away through the Emporia High School line in 1927 for a 75 yard sprint for a touchdown. Fred must have had soy beans for lunch.

Is school spirit dead? That would be a good question to ask the Roanoke Rapids student body. We have always prided ourselves on the wonderful backing we have given our school teams, winning or losing. If they graded the students attending football games 80 per cent would fall down this year. It's too bad.

### Conway Crowns Pirates

The independent ton outfit going by the blood thirsty name of Pirates lost to the Conway High School lasses here last Thursday night 36-1. The locals led the visitors at the half-way mark but loose guarding in the last half proved their undoing. It was a case of letting one Conway forward walk around all by herself and shoot goals from all angles, to creep up on the Pirates and finally forge ahead to win. Miss Gurley, who holds down the center position and is Captain and coach of the independent outfit was very well guarded by one of the Conway Misses and as a result did not score her usually large number of points. In all fairness to the locals it can be said that the Conway guards did not hold them so well, for if all the goals that were missed by Emma Speight and Helen Turner had gone thru the hoop instead of circling around and dropping out they would have defeated the visitors by a good margin. It was just an off night for the two former High School stars. "Runt" Turner probably had an edge on the other two forwards on account of her nifty floorwork. The outstanding work on both teams was the guarding of the two Shearin girls and Erma Edmondson, it was effective and at times brilliant. Edmondson went out at the half and from then on it was all Conway. The Pirates will return the game at Conway on Tuesday after Thanksgiving. Aulan-der will probably come here next week.

And that brings up the question: we have been wondering, after seeing the Pirate-Conway game what is the matter with trying Mattie Lee Taylor at one of the guards or forward? We happened to see this young lady play in High School and if she is not good enough for a regular position, we will vouch for her as a darn good substitute. Oh! There we go again making remarks about something we have nothing to do with—S'cuse us.

Dennis Johnson who used to roll up touchdowns for the local Highs is out of football for probably the rest of the season with an injured back. Johnson is regular fullback for John Anderson's Guilford College Quakers and has been playing a whale of a game this season. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Johnson of Rosemary.

## PASS PAVES WIN WAY

### New Bern Puts Up Hard Battle — Mills and Brinson Star

With the entire team playing good football, the Roanoke Rapids High School Yellow Jackets closed their Northeastern Conference schedule here last Friday defeating New Bern 7-6. It was one of the best games of the season with the Jackets emerging the victors by the margin of one lone point after touchdown.

"Soy Bean" Mills, local fullback, tore up the New Bern line to help put the ball in scoring position, but the real credit for getting to the visitors goal line goes to Jimmy Womble and James McNeil. It was a beautiful fifteen yard pass Womble to McNeil that put the ball on New Bern's eight yard line. McNeil made a wonderful catch, leaping high in the air to catch Womble's perfect peg. Mills pulling the freight behind fast interference roared across for the touchdown, and a minute later crashed across for the extra point.

New Bern scored with a minute and a half to go in the first half when Brinson, visiting fullback, hurled a long pass to his halfback who laid out. The latter grabbed the oval and set out toward the Jacket goal line with Clyde Mills in hot pursuit. Mills would have never made it. Suddenly a streak in a yellow jersey passed Mills and rapidly overhauled the New Bern back. It was Jimmy Womble and he saved the day for he pulled down the visiting back on Roanoke Rapids ten yard line with a flying tackle.

New Bern lined up and tried the same trick with another halfback laying out the same way. It worked and New Bern scored, but Brinson failed to make the extra point. From then on it was a nip and tuck battle with both teams pulling off spectacular plays time and time again. For the visitors Brinson and Daughtry stood out with their offensive and defensive work. "Soy Bean" Mills, local fullback, Jimmie Womble and Sullivan stood out in the Jacket backfield, while Cullom, McNeil, Shell and Brown were the outstanding line performers. It closed the Jackets season and tied them for second place in the Conference with New Bern, both teams losing two games and winning six.

### ROSEMARY SCOUTS TIE WITH LITTLETON RESERVES

The Rosemary Boy Scouts played the Littleton Reserves to a 10-10 tie here last Monday night in the night-cap affair to the Patterson Mill-Littleton High School affair. Captain Dickens shooting the tying field goal a second before the final whistle blew. For Littleton Smith stood out. The Scouts presented two good forwards in Everette and Dickens but lax guarding cost them the game. Three of Littleton's field goals were shot in the first half. Dickens was high scorer of the contest with two field goals and two foul tosses.

### BOBCATS TIE JUNIOR JAX

The bobcats tied the Junior Jackets last Saturday at Rosemary 6-6 in a hard fought contest. The tie game left both teams tied in their three game series, the Bobcats winning one 6-0, the Jackets winning one 7-0 and the tie game Saturday 6-6. Allsbrook and Edwards stood out for the Bobcats while for the Jackets Mattox, Everette and Simms were outstanding. The Jackets scored their touchdown on a trick outside play with Mattox carrying the ball, while the Bobcats scored on a long trick pass Baggot to Edwards.

### FOOTBALL STAGES EXIT

Thanksgiving Day will mark the exit of most of the football teams of this season. The Notre-Dame Army, Notre-Dame S. Calif. and two or three other games is all that remains of the present season. Basketball will make its bow in a few weeks.

There is one man on the Roanoke Rapids team that should be given quite a lot of credit, and that is Jimmy Shell, the center. This boy, handicapped by lack of weight would have been the last man to have been picked as a starting center at the first of the year, but that did not stop Jimmy. He has worked hard and fought hard, and he is all-conference material for next year. Our hat is off to Jimmy.

Miss Minnie Johnson spent the week-end with friends in Richmond.



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