

NEW DEVELOPMENT IN CITY IS MODEL RESIDENTIAL AREA

Ten New Homes Being Built By J. Winfield Crew, Jr., Last Word In Modernity

The new J. Winfield Crew, Jr., development in Chaloner Park is rapidly shaping up into one of the most model FHA developments in the entire South. Ten new five room homes, which are being built along the north and south sides of Sunset Avenue, will be ready for occupancy about the first of October. The latest in interior and exterior plans makes the essence of convenience and comfort at a minimum cost.

Chaloner Park is the only restricted residential area in Halifax County. Stores, filling stations, and homes under the \$2500 range will be prohibited in the development. Each house must be constructed on a lot at least sixty feet wide, and the plans must be drawn by an architect approved by the FHA.

James M. Edwards, Raleigh architect, drew the plans for the ten buildings now under construction. Fred Forest and Company of Roanoke Rapids are the contractors for the construction. C. M. Pitt, of Roanoke Rapids, is doing the plumbing, and Harry Roberson, another local man, is installing the electric fixtures. E. C. Ethridge is the superintendent of construction.

The new homes will have five rooms, a heating compartment, and a bath. The interior of each home will have practically the same floor plan, but the outside of each will be different. When finished, the houses will be painted white. The roofs, which will be of fire-proof asphalt shingles, will be of various colors. Three will be gray-green, three will be blue-black, two will be agatone, one will be mosstone, and one terra-cotta red.

Into the construction thus far have gone 200,000 feet of framing and storm sheeting, 80,000 bricks, and 160 squares of shingles. The lumber is being furnished by the Northampton Lumber Co., Inc., at Gumberry. The houses will be weatherboarded with 8 inch siding with mitred corners.

The buildings are being constructed on lots 60 feet wide and 145 feet deep. All are 30 feet from Sunset Avenue which they face, eight on the north and two on the south.

The homes, which will be for sale, will be equipped with a heating plant at the option of the buyer. Present plans call for trees along the street throughout the park.

Present plans for the development of the entire residential park call for two horseshoe drives and playgrounds south of the developed area. A Japanese hedge, which

will amount to a strong fence, has been planted around the park. This hedge will grow to a height of about six feet and become impenetrable after a few years' growth.

Hawkins Chapel

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Dickens of Aurelian Springs spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Hawkins.

Frank Butts is now spending some time with his mother, Mrs. M. M. Butts.

Willis and Hubert Hawkins, Burnette Morgan, P. A. Hawkins were visitors in the home of Jessie King Friday night.

Esther Hawkins spent last week in Roanoke Rapids with her brother, Edward Hawkins.

Mrs. George Greene and daughter, Eunice, were visitors of Mrs. Betty Jenkins of R. R. Saturday p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hawkins, Hubert and Clyde Hawkins, Irene Pair, Warick Hockaday were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Jenkins and family Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Celenze of Camden, N. J., and Louise White of Portsmouth, Va., Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lucas spent Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Hawkins.

Willis Hawkins of Roanoke Rapids was a visitor of his sister, Mrs. Frances Green, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hawkins and son, Kilson, were visitors in the home of Mrs. Z. C. Hawkins Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morris and daughter, Lois Odell, of Halifax, Mrs. Z. C. Hawkins, Zeb and Clara Hawkins were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Hawkins Thursday night.

Esther Hawkins spent Sunday afternoon in Halifax.

Leonard Hawkins attended the farmers' meeting at Aurelian Springs High School Thursday night.

On Monday evening at 8 o'clock, Aug. 7, the silk quilt will be given away to the lucky number at Hawkins Chapel Church. Everyone who drew a number is urged to come. Come and bring another with you.

J. M. Ingram and J. H. Cranwell spent Sunday at Mt. Pleasant.

Weldon

Miss Josephine Brantley of Spring Hope, N. C., visited Miss Mabel Alston this week.

Miss Virginia Turner of Richmond, Va. spent the week-end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Brown and family are spending this week at Virginia Beach.

Mrs. W. B. Murrill and Miss Sarah Murrill of Raleigh spent the week-end in Weldon.

Ben Wyche of Charlotte is spending part of his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Wyche.

Miss Helen Rowell and house guest, Miss Mabel Bean of Thomasville, left Saturday for the New York World's Fair.

Miss Kathrine Hawks of Richmond, Va. returned home Sunday after spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hawks.

A number of people from Weldon attended the reception of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Applewhite in Halifax, N. C. Wednesday evening, celebrating their Silver anniversary.

Mrs. Legrande Johnson and son of Greensboro are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Vinson.

Mrs. W. D. Holoman and son are visiting Mrs. Holoman's mother in Saunton, Va. before joining Mr. Holoman in Raleigh to make their home.

Mrs. W. L. Alston, Misses Mabel Alston and Josephine Brantley left Tuesday morning for a trip on the Skyland Drive and Luray, Va.

Richard Reaves Is Visitor Here

Richard W. Reaves was a visitor this week in the home of his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reaves, of this city.

Richard, a Roanoke Rapids product, enjoyed seeing old friends and renewing acquaintances while in the city. He is now stationed at Marseilles, Ill., where he is employed as a chemical engineer with the Certain-Teed Products Corporation, and it is reported, is making a splendid record on his job. Richard has been with the company for two years now. He left Tuesday morning, returning via York, Pa., where he was formerly stationed with the same company.

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Four Boat Races Will Be Held At Tuscarora Beach

Four big boat races will be held at Tuscarora Beach this Sunday, July 30th, with the first race starting at 2:30 p.m., according to announcement made the first of the week by R. G. Battersby, manager of the popular Chowan River resort.

Several of the leading racing enthusiasts from Eastern Carolina have announced their intention of entering the competition, according to Battersby, and a large crowd is expected for the thrilling meet Sunday afternoon.

Arrangements have been made for announcing the progress of the races over a public address system and, in case of rain, the races will be deferred one week and will be held on Sunday, August 6th.

Tuscarora Beach is apparently enjoying a good season this year, with more and more bathers frequenting it daily.

GREEN RETURNS TO MANTEO FROM IOWA

Manteo, N. C., July 24.—Paul Green, whose brilliant drama, "The Lost Colony" is in its third big season at the Waterside Theatre here, returned today after delivering five lectures at the Creative Arts Festival at the University of Iowa, Iowa City, last week.

The noted North Carolina dramatist lectured on such subjects as "The American Theatre and the Movies," "The Theatre of Imagination," and "The Place of the Outdoor Theatre Movement in America." In this lecture he discussed "The Lost Colony" as an example of the outdoor theatre movement in the United States.

Bridge Party

Mrs. S. W. Dickens was hostess to a number of friends at a bridge party on Friday. In the progressions Mrs. Spier Whitaker made high score and received a crystal ivy bowl. Mrs. Dickens presented reminders of the party to Mrs. Charles Loughlin, of Charlestown, S. C., Miss Carrie Myrick, of Littleton, Miss Eva Pope and Mrs. Ruth Turner, of Erie, Penn., and Miss Lois Brodus of Richmond, Va.

An ice course was served to the following guests: Mrs. D. Mac Johnson, Mrs. W. F. Dickens, Mrs. A. C. Nichols, Jr., Mrs. Hugh Sherrod, Mrs. Jeff Whitehead, Mrs. R. F. Shaw, Mrs. Lee Whitehead, Mrs. Hunter Pope, Mrs. Joe Pope, Miss Winnie Boseman, Mrs. R. L. Wood, Miss Susan Whitaker, Miss Annie Mae Sherrod, Miss Nellie Bryan Newton, Mrs. P. W. Joyner, Mrs. Eugene Wood, Miss Grace Person, Mrs. Waverly White, Mrs. Elsie Arrowood, Mrs. R. H. Edwards, Mrs. A. S. Harrison, Mrs. R. E. Shervette, Jr., and to Mrs. Evelina Fleming, Mrs. Hubert Whitaker, Mrs. A. W. Ardleton, Mrs. Lawrence Whitaker, Mrs. Charles Hodgkin, Miss Elizabeth Beavans, Miss Virginia Branch, and Mrs. C. N. Kimball, who came in at the refreshment hour.

Theater Party

Miss Ruby Williams entertained Saturday afternoon honoring her nieces, little Miss Jane Lawson of South Boston, Va., and little Miss Ann Cherry of Rocky Mount. Miss Marjorie Keene accompanied the following to the picture: Jane Lawson, Ann Cherry, Betty Wynne Ingram, Margaret Anne Ingram, Doris Sue Wilson, Camilla Spikes, Norma Rose Spikes, Peggy Ann Kidd and Ruth Ann Fisher. After they returned home ice cream and cake was served by Miss Williams.

Marion Taylor of Morganton is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Taylor.



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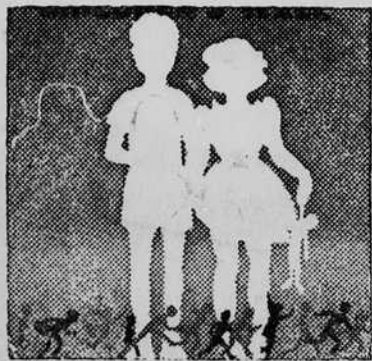
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