

BOOK REVIEW HEARD BY WOMEN; FINANCES FOR YEAR DISCUSSED

The Roanoke Rapids Woman's Club held its monthly meeting January 8th with a very good number in attendance considering the inclement weather. Following the Secretary's and Treasurer's reports a discussion of Club finances was held and ways and means of raising funds for meeting the demands of the budget were suggested. Mrs. Bahnsen Weathers, President, said that she felt that a Finance committee would be useful. No definite steps were taken because the matter was felt to be sufficiently important to be put before a larger number of the membership than was then present.

Mrs. W. A. Thorne was named chairman of a nominating committee with Mrs. R. P. Beckwith and Mrs. M. H. Vaughan to provide nominees for the offices of president, second vice-president and secretary.

Mrs. H. S. Loy announced that the Roanoke Rapids Library had received a gift subscription to a magazine from a local organization, the Association for Childhood Education.

Mrs. C. A. Wyche announced that all club members and the public at large were cordially invited to enjoy a lecture with very beautiful colored slides picturing the famous antebellum homes of the Gulf Coast on January 15th at three o'clock in the Clubhouse, said program to be sponsored by the Garden Department. This department will also present another noteworthy program on Feb. 19th when slides of the tulip gardens at the New York World's Fair will be shown. These pictures have been in such great demand that several months elapsed before they were available.

A Fine Arts Department meeting was announced for January 22nd at the home of Mrs. Robert Vaughan.

The program committee presented Mr. Stanley White, speaker of the afternoon who reviewed the novel "Escape" by Ethel Vance. Mr. White did this so effectively and was so thoroughly familiar with his material that his listeners felt the afternoon to be one of rare interest.

Tea was served by the hostesses of the afternoon at the conclusion of Mr. White's address.

Brasington Has Studio Nextdoor Former Location

The Brasington Studio this week announces their removal from the Imperial Theatre Bldg., where they have been located for the past two months, to the Smith building, next-door to their old location.

The move is being made in order to gain much-needed floor space, according to Carl Brasington, owner and manager of the studio. They will be open for business in their new location the latter part of this week.

Batista Talks



Forceful Fulgencio Batista, former head of the Cuban army is pictured in the midst of his first campaign speech in Havana, recently. He resigned from his army post to seek the presidency of Cuba.

The move will only slightly affect the location, so far as patrons are concerned, as they will continue to use the same stairway to reach the studio, the only difference being to turn to the right, instead of the left, at the head of the stairway.

Gone With Wind Here Feb. Maybe

Altho there is still no definite answer to the much-asked question: "When will Gone With The Wind be shown in Roanoke Rapids?" Lyle M. Wilson, booking manager for Roanoke Rapids Theatres, has high hopes of presenting the 'road-show' attraction here by perhaps the last week in February, he said today.

The local theatre is being literally deluged with the question from hundreds of movie-goers in this territory daily. Every mail brings more inquiries . . . the telephone rings scores of times daily . . . long-distance calls are not uncommon . . . always with the query: "When are you going to show G.W.T.W.?"

Mr. Wilson is off for Charlotte, "the movie-capitol of the Carolinas" this week-end, and hopes to secure a definite booking date while there. One thing is certain: "Gone With The Wind" will be shown in Roanoke Rapids months before it will be seen in many other cities in the state; the original "road-show" print will be presented here (the identical print used for the World Premier of the picture in Atlanta, which is now drawing 2.20 at the Astor on Broadway).

When the film is presented locally it is possible three shows daily will be held, in spite of its long length, and seats will be strictly

reserved for the evening performance. It is also highly probable the show will be booked for Roanoke Rapids for from five-days to a full-week.

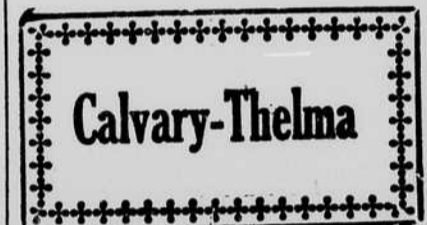
H.S. TEAMS PLAY 2; CONFERENCE FOE HERE FRI.

The Roanoke Rapids high school girls and boys basketball teams met the Scotland Neck teams at Scotland Neck last Friday night and the Littleton teams on the home court Tuesday night.

The boys won decisive victories in both games, getting a 30 to 10 margin over the Scotland Neck team and a 27 to 9 win over the Littleton boys. Brown and Neil starred in the Friday night game, ringing up 11 and 8 points respectively. Cooper and Warrick fired the big guns in the Tuesday night fray, Cooper racking up 10 points and Warrick hitting the basket for seven.

The girls divided their wins, losing to the Scotland Neck lassies 40 to 17 and winning from the Littleton girls 16 to 13. In the first game Hux led the scoring with 9 points and Burton played the outstanding defensive game at guard. In Tuesday's game Hux again led the scoring with Burton outstanding on the defense.

The strong Washington boys team will invade the Jackets' camp here Friday night for the first Northeastern Conference game of the season. Washington was one of the runners-up in the conference last year and has practically the same squad back this year.



Mrs. C. D. House, is visiting her son, Hugh House, of Halifax.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Ivey and daughter left Wednesday for their home in Texas.

Charles Taylor returned to Duke University Wednesday.

Misses Virginia and Ruby King of Roanoke Rapids spent Sunday at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Reid were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Reid of Warrenton Saturday.

Norman House of Craddock, Va. spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. C. D. House.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Newsom of Roanoke Rapids, Miss Bertha Walston and Clifton Riggan were visitors of Mrs. Mamie R. Glasgow Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Harper and daughter were in Roanoke Rapids Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Faucette and daughter spent Sunday in Fremont with Mrs. H. L. Stephenson.

Miss Ethel Bobbitt spent the holidays with Mrs. George Little.

Mrs. Paul Etheridge and Misses

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Virginia and Ruby King of Roanoke Rapids spent Saturday night and Sunday with their parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Rumley and Miss Nellie Myrick of Richmond, Va., were visitors in the community Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Raynor Pritchard of Elizabeth City spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Myrick.

Improves At Hospital

"Miss Fanny" Manning, who was carried by ambulance to the Roanoke Rapids Hospital last Tuesday, was believed slightly improved at the hospital today. It was feared at first that she suffered from pneumonia, but that was found not to be the case. It is thought that a severe attack of the "flu" is the extent of her illness.

R. L. Bulluck Of Enfield Is Buried

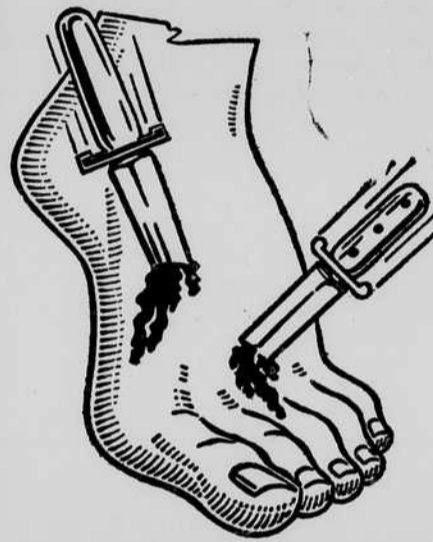
Funeral services for Mr. Raleigh Lee Bulluck were held on Saturday afternoon at two o'clock, conducted by Rev. Sam T. Habel, of the Baptist Church, with burial in Elmwood Cemetery in Enfield.

Mr. Bulluck, who was 70 years of age, died Friday from an illness of two weeks following a year of declining health.

He is survived by his wife, who was Mrs. Sallie Bumpass Armstrong, four step-children, and one son, of Tillery, by a former marriage.

Dr. Joe Turberville, Professor William Turberville, Hunter Ashe of Flornaton, Ala., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lee several days last week.

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