

Halifax

Mrs. Bill Barbee of Charlotte is spending some time here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Applewhite.

Mrs. Jack Cassada and son, of Hartford, S. C., are the guests of Mrs. D. M. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Q. Owens and son, of Roanoke Rapids, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Cox.

Miss Polly Perry, of Norfolk, spent the week-end at home.

Mrs. A. L. Hux and daughter spent the week-end in Franklin, Va.

Miss Myrtle Read and Pryor Rodwell attended the air show and Gallopade ball in Rocky Mount on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Carr and daughter of Franklin, Va., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hux.

Miss Clem Read and W. D. Dickens were visitors in Wilson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vincent of Murfreesboro were visitors here Monday evening.

Misses Ann Hale and Edith A-vent left Tuesday for Philadelphia, Miss., where they will spend some time with Miss Hale's sister, Mrs. Donald McClure.

Jack Eason of Rocky Mount was a visitor here last week-end.

Louie Millikin of Fort Bragg spent the week-end at home.

Mrs. W. L. Johnson visited friends in Norfolk last week-end.

Miss Sarah Jennings of Tarboro spent the week-end at home.

Friends of Mrs. Annie Jennings will regret to learn that she is ill in Park View Hospital.

A. L. Hux, Milton Read and S. S. Norman were business visitors in Raleigh last Wednesday.

PARTY AT HALIFAX

Tuesday night, Miss Edna Campbell, Mrs. A. J. Jones and Mrs. Jack Cassada entertained at a dessert party in the home of their mother, Mrs. Campbell. The honor guests were Miss Elizabeth Applewhite and Mrs. John Picot, of Littleton, a recent bride. There were forty guests from Halifax, Tillery and Littleton. The dining room table was attractively arranged with a lace cloth, weigela, and pink candles. Small tables carried out the same arrangement. Place cards were hand painted rose buds. Pink, rose shaped cream, mints, bridal cakes, coffee and cheese wafers were served.

SPORTS ODDS N' ENDS

On May 19, Roanoke Rapids will see ushered in a new order: a softball league consisting of four teams in the American Softball association will open its schedule here.

We don't know but we guess that F. C. Williams, or another mill or city official will pitch out the first ball . . . just like the big leagues getting underway. All of us softball fans hope that the movement to organize softball in the city will be highly successful.

The win the Jax got at Elizabeth City last Friday afternoon (4-2) was the twenty-third straight victory for the local boys over the baseball teams of Elizabeth City. Since Coach Hoyle has been coaching here, the coast town has won only a single game from the Jax . . . which is sort of a record.

However, we are keeping our fingers crossed. The E. City team comes to Roanoke Rapids Friday for the final game of the year for the locals. That would be as good a time as any for the visitors to get that second win. The first win came in 1931.

From all accounts, the Elizabeth City team is no slouch this year. With Big Berry pitching and doing

some high powered hitting, the team could go to town on a few breaks. And woe unto the local team that becomes the victim after so many years.

Clarence Byrd has had his share in the victories. He has beaten the coast town boys twice each year since he has been pitching for the Jax. He let them down Friday with four hits.

I. J. Byrd, big brother of Clarence's, is now playing with New Bern in the Coastal plain. He has been hitting in the second position in the batting order. The Bears haven't shown so much thus far, but the season is young.

Every day we hear somebody talk about baseball talent in this city—talent that is going to waste. There are several boys who could be playing some good ball, if they had the opportunity. To name a few: Melton Boyd, a pitcher that might stay in the win column in the Coastal Plain League; Nick Brown, one of the best hitters ever turned out by the high school here; "Legs" Newsome, fair hitter and good first baseman; Booty Outland, excellent hitter that may someday be hot; and Edward Johnson, who is another natural at the plate.

These boys should be a gold mine to somebody who would take them in hand and give them a little experience of the right sort. Who is it going to be?

Joe Talley broke into the win column Sunday, winning his first of

the year. We hope there will be a string of like ones throughout the season.

Hawkins Chapel

Mary Greene spent the week-end in Red Oak with her friend, Elizabeth Griffin. She was present for Miss Griffin's wedding in her home Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pearce and children, James Howell and Blanche, spent the week-end near Louisburg with Mr. Pearce's parents.

Mrs. Edward Greene and daughter, Inez, spent Saturday night with Mrs. Forest Hawkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Greene and children, Melvin, Faye, Mrs. Alice T. Greene and daughter, Eunice, were visitors in Roanoke Rapids and Weldon Sunday afternoon.

Edward Greene from Roanoke Rapids spent Monday with his wife here.

Friends will be very sorry that Vann Hawkins is ill in Roanoke Rapids hospital. They wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Greene, and children, Mrs. Alice T. Greene and daughter, visited Mr. and Mrs. David Cullom and family of Aurelian Springs Sunday evening.

Frances Greene is spending this week in Henderson with her grandmother, Mrs. Nannie B.

Harper.

Friends will be glad that Little Margaret Anne Mitchell is improving after being ill at her home here several days with red measles.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cullom from Roanoke Rapids spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Porter from Littleton were the dinner guests of Mrs. Bertie Hawkins Sunday.

Mable Cullom from Aurelian Springs and Mrs. Edward Greene and daughter, Inez, spent Wednesday night with Mrs. Alice T. Greene and daughter, Eunice.

Mrs. Perkins Crawley and children from Aurelian Springs spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Hawkins.

Frances Greene spent Wednesday night with Margie Vincent.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Hawkins and daughter, Laynette, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Keeter Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. B. S. Hawkins and daughter, Agnes Irene, spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Johnnie Hale.

Mrs. John Denton spent Thursday night with Mrs. Edward Greene.

Mrs. Burnette Morgan and Mrs. Lonnie Greene were shoppers in Roanoke Rapids Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Hawkins and children visited Mrs. C. M. Hawkins and daughter, Ethel, Sunday afternoon.

Little Lynwood Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson is also on the sick list with measles this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Hawkins, Mrs. J. H. Hawkins, Mrs. Edward

Greene and daughter, Inez, motored to Warrenton Sunday afternoon.

HAWKINS CHAPEL CHURCH
Sunday School Sunday morning at eleven o'clock. The public is invited to attend and participate.

MRS. POPE HOSTESS

Mrs. R. M. Pope was hostess to the Wednesday Night Bridge Club last week. After the scores were added and prizes presented to Mrs. Calvin Kennemur for high and Miss Janie Lassiter for second high, the hostess served a sweet course with coffee.

Miss Helen Apple, Mrs. A. O. George, and Mrs. W. E. Murphrey were additional guests. Club members present were Mesdames A. L. Gilliam, Charles Fitts, T. M. Bullock, Calvin Kennemur, Bill Carter, Francis Starke, M. F. White, H. E. Gibson, and Miss Janie Lassiter.

Miss Mary B. Cannon of Raleigh spent the week-end in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor of Richmond, Va., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Taylor.

Kennon Wright of Richmond, Va., spent the week-end in the city with relatives.

Mrs. Mattie Witherspoon spent Monday in Staunton, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gryb and daughter, Carolyn, and son, Charles, Mrs. A. T. Griffin and son, Carson, and Miss Lottie Hedgepeth of Rocky Mount were Sunday guests of Mrs. Nettie Morris.

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