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11 MEN AFTER CITY COMMISSION JOBS

Presbytery Spring Meet Is Held Here Last Tuesday

The First Presbyterian Church was the host to the Spring meeting of Granville Presbytery on Tuesday of this week.

Two Big Events Of Next Week

Outstanding events of next week which need your support are: the concert of the North Carolina Symphony and the opening date of the Roanoke Rapids Jays, professional baseball team.

2 Exhibition Games Billed For Saturday And Sunday

Two first-rate exhibition games involving the Roanoke Rapids Jays and two members of the Piedmont League are scheduled for Roanoke Rapids this week-end to provide Skipper Stu Martin an opportunity for a last-minute test of his brand-new Coastal Plain entry.

Case of Mistaken Identity

Some weeks ago before your present publisher took charge of a new printer from another part of this state was employed.

Senior Class to Present 'A Bargain is a Bargain'

The senior class of the William R. Davis school will present its Senior play, entitled "A Bargain is a Bargain," Tuesday night, at 8:00 o'clock in the school auditorium.

Rosemary Baptist to Hold Fourth Annual Youth Week

Plans for the fourth annual Youth Week at the Rosemary Baptist Church, to be held from April 27 through May 4, have been completed.

Wylie Warren

A delightful Wylie Warren in this community is Wylie Warren, a recent high school graduate, a fine athlete, good character, and a lover and student of sports.

Ann Nethercutt, Junior, and Ruth Putrell, Primary, Pianists: Ruby Blower, church pianist and organist; Martha Bowers, intermediate; George Pappendick, Jr., junior; and Adrienne Cooper, primary.

Thomas Clark will be E. T. U. director; Annie Erwin, associate director; John Bush, general secretary; George Pappendick, pianist; Louise Twiddy, junior leader, and Hazel Lee, intermediate leader.

READY RE-ELECTED SUPT. OF CITY SCHOOLS

School Board Session Held Tuesday Nite Is Busy One

The meeting of the City School Board, held Tuesday night in the superintendent's office, was a busy one and several important matters were disposed of before adjournment.

"Career Day" Is Revived By Kiwanis Club, High School

"Career Day," which for several years was an annual event at the Roanoke Rapids High School, but which was discontinued during the war, has been revived and today a full program was held at the school.

Akers Appointed Justice of Peace

A. E. Akers, city tax collector, has been appointed a justice of the peace for Roanoke Rapids township, it was learned this morning.

Neal Suit Against George "Friendly"

The suit filed against A. J. George by Fred Neal, mentioned in the "Court House News" column of The Herald last week is a "friendly one," said Mr. George.

Jax Nine Seeks Fourth Win, Play Washington Friday

Washington's High School Pam-Pack and Roanoke Rapids Yellow Jackets clash here in Simmons Park Friday afternoon in a class A Conference headliner.

Dates Announced Local Mill Clinics

It was announced today that vaccination against typhoid fever will be given at Rosemary clinic every Tuesday from 10 to 12 a. m., through May 20, and on Fridays from 2:30 until 4:30 p. m., through May 25.

John J. Buttage in Virginia Hospital

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Burglars Take Narcotics From Roanoke Pharmacy

A large supply of narcotics was stolen from the Roanoke Pharmacy located on the corner of Roanoke Avenue and Second street last Friday night by persons unknown to police.

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"Political Pot" Is "Steaming"; Kelly Jenkins, Now Mayor, Seeks Re-election to Office

The "political pot" in Roanoke Rapids is "steaming" and will probably come to a "boiling point" within the next few days, what with two candidates out for the office of mayor and 11 candidates seeking places on the Board of City Commissioners.

River Gives Up Body of Kelly Dixon

The body of a white man, identified as W. Kelly Dixon, 77, of Portsmouth, Va., was found last Saturday morning floating in the Roanoke River about a mile below Weldon near the mouth of Little River.

Mrs. Bennett Dies Greensboro Home

Mrs. T. M. Bennett, mother of "Dot" Bennett of this city, died suddenly at her home in Greensboro yesterday, it was learned this morning.

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