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Employee's Hobby Pays Off 12 To 1



Pearly Morris on the right in the above picture is rapidly becoming an established Apiarist, or beekeeper in the language which we understand.

Morris who is employed in the Caromount weaveshed states that his original investment was one bee hive. He now can boast of an apiary consisting of twelve hives. By next year each hive will yield approximately 35 pounds of golden honey. Morris puts this honey in quart jars which will average about 3 1-2 pounds per jar.

Watching the bees work among

the flowers, darting back to the hives, manufacturing natures most delectable sweet become a very interesting pastime, according to Pearly.

After working with bees for a while Pearly states that it is possible to "take the honey" from the hives without too many casualties, however a few bee stings are not too uncommon.

Loomis Mercer also from the weaveshed is not convinced that he is sitting in a very healthy spot and is happy to get his honey from the grocery store.

Church School Receives Altar Cover Material

The following letter of appreciation was received by Manager Suesmuth from the First Methodist Church, July 12.

In behalf of the Intermediate Departments of the First Methodist Church School, I wish to express our deep appreciation to you for the material given us to be used in making an altar cover

for the altar table in the assembly room of our department. We feel that it will not only add to the general appearance of the room, but that it will also tend to increase the spirit of reverence on the part of the members of the department for many years.

Very sincerely your,
Mrs. E. Wahab Edwards.

Walker Teaches Class

Vacation Bible Class started at the North Rocky Mount Baptist Church on June 14th and continued through June 24. Cleveland Walker, a member of the Shipping Department, was a teacher of one of the classes. On the first day the classes were organized, Bible drills were held, songs were sung, and Cleveland assisted all the classes in recreation. There were 178 present to participate in the activities. During the week the Intermediate Department and the Junior Boys were taught handicraft work. The last three days the classes practiced on Commencement Exercises. After that they

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Vacation Period Ends

All the folks in both the Caromount and Wilson plants enjoyed their annual one week's vacation during the week of July 5th, and from the reports which have been forthcoming, it was most enjoyably spent by everyone concerned. There were a few cases of excessive sunburn, more popularly known as "blisters", but by and large no serious casualties were suffered and everyone reported back to work on Monday, July 12, ready for action, and it appears as though there will be plenty of it for the rest of the year.

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Miss Stancil Wins



Miss Jeanette Stancil, daughter of Mrs. Deanie Stancil of the Warring Department, was a winner in an essay contest on banking sponsored by the Planters National Bank & Trust Co. Jeanette's essay entitled "The Value of Banking in the Growth and Development of a Good Community." was chosen the best of her Junior Business Class also.

For having won in this contest, Jeanette received a prize of five dollars during the Award's Day Program at the Rocky Mount High School. In the letter from the Planters National Bank & Trust Co. enclosing the prize, C. W. Parker, Public Relations Manager, stated, "We wish to congratulate you on this fine work and trust that it will be an incentive for still better work in the future."

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Softball League Suffers From Vacation Lull

The Caromount entry in the City Softball League seems to be having trouble snapping out of a vacation lull and as a result has dropped to fourth place in the league standing.

As of July 18 the Caromount team had won 3 and lost 4 games. It is expected that the players will settle down during the second half and boost their standing.

The line up is as follows: Dick Brown, catcher; Frank Shelton, pitcher; Al Incoe, pitcher; Herman Roberson, pitcher; Jake Jones, first baseman; Clyde Evans, second baseman; Ed Creekmore, short stop; Bernice Incoe, third baseman; Walt Thompson, Charles Johnson, Vernon Wood, Tom Brown, Sam Cockrell and Willard Cooper, outfielders.

The Caromount Departmental League is also having its share of trouble. It seems a sure sign of rain when the Dyfins are scheduled to play. On July 19 the team standings are as follows: Atoms, Blues, Braves, Dyfins.

Not too much interest has been shown in the departmental teams. What we need are better crowds and more participation.

A partial schedule follows: July 29—Dyfins vs Atoms; August 3—Atoms vs Braves; August 4—Blues vs Dyfins; August 5—Atoms vs Blues; August 10—Dyfins vs Atoms; August 11—Atoms vs Blues; August 12—Braves vs Dyfins; August 16—Dyfins vs Atoms; August 17—Blues vs Braves; August 19—Dyfins vs Atoms. See the Bulletin boards for complete schedules.