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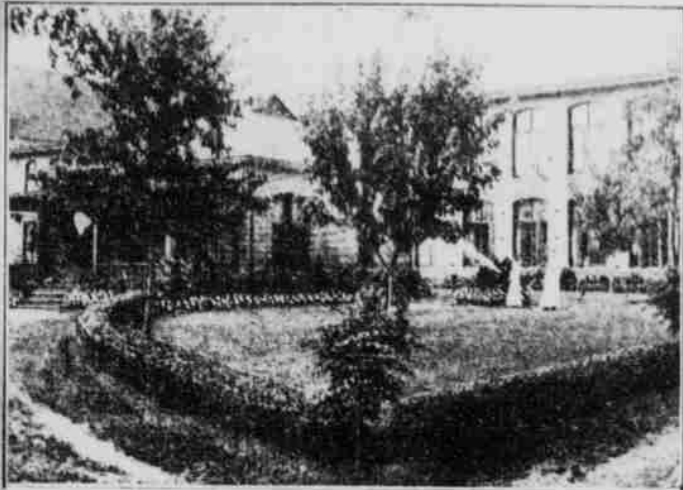
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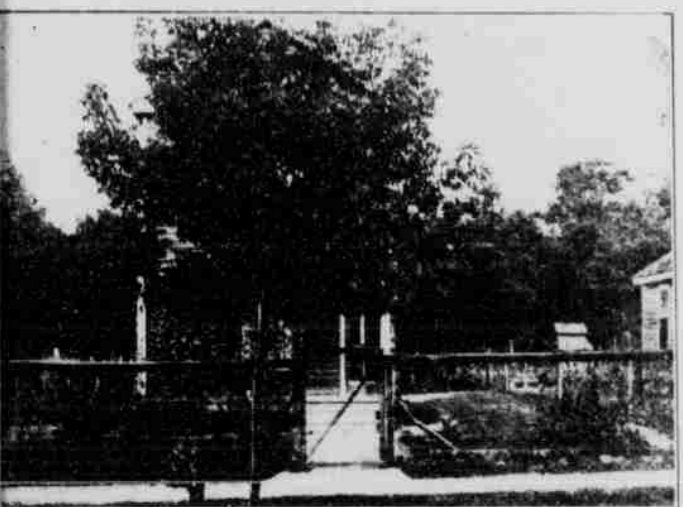
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SCENES OF ROANOKE RAPIDS

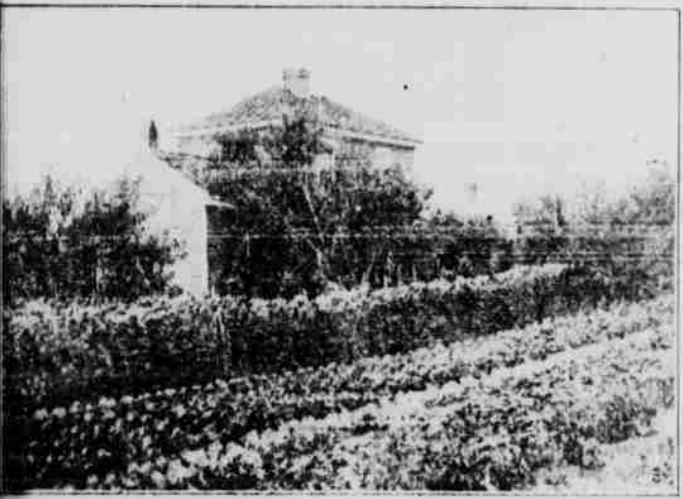
Imperfect Reproductions of some of the Flower Yard sand Gardens in the Roanoke Mills Village. These are the "Prize Winners" but there are numerous others almost as Attractive



View of Flower Garden at Side of Office Building of Roanoke Mills Company



Front Yard of Mrs. J. H. Hines, which Received First Prize in Roanoke Mills Yard and Garden Contest



Garden of Mrs. J. W. Hudson, which Received First Prize in Roanoke Mills Yard and Garden Contest

PERSONAL AND LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. Frank Taylor left Saturday for Ocean City, Md.
J. B. Dicken spent Saturday here on business.
Russell Harris, of Petersburg, is here visiting Julian Glover.
Miss Mary Anderson left last week to visit relatives in Wilson.
Miss Anna Hall, left Sunday for her home in Petersburg, Va.
The friends of Mrs. B. T. Hoffman will be glad to learn that she has returned home from the Roanoke Rapids Hospital after staying there about three months.

Messrs. W. D. Tibbery, R. M. James and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. House, motored to Scotland Neck Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Mark Chandler and little son, Wilson, are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Allbrook.

R. J. Maoney, of Scotland Neck, spent Thursday here.

Mr. Fred C. Toepelman, General Manager of the Home Telephone and Telegraph Co., was here for a few hours last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Lynch and little son, Graham, spent Sunday with Mr. Lynch's mother near Ebony, Va.

Mrs. Emma Smith left Saturday for Wilson, to visit friends and relatives.

Messrs. John Sale, Robert Barrett, A. R. Barnett and Taylor West spent Sunday at Ocean View.

Misses Dora and Lessie Lynch are spending this week in Emporia visiting relatives.

Miss Mary Crawley, of near Littleton, who has been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Hamlet, returned to her home last Sunday.

Mrs. M. McRae Faison, little daughter Hilda, and Mrs. Laura Faison are visiting relatives in Randleman, N. C.

Robert Whittemore spent the week end in Burlington, with his parents.

Mr. J. H. Mathins and little son, John left Sunday for Burlington, where they will spend a few days this week visiting friends and relatives.

Messrs. C. E. Mizelle and F. S. Smith returned last Friday from Hanover, Penn.

Miss Lucy Barrett, Margaret Hoskin, Cora Brantley and Mrs. A. R. Barnett spent Sunday at Ocean View.

Miss Clara Boyd left Monday night to visit friends in Charlotte and High Point this week.

Miss Mollie Alston who has been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Boyd, returned to her home in Charlotte Monday night.

S. C. Cook and P. A. Cook were called to Enfield Sunday on account of the death of their brother.

Mrs. J. T. Stainback and little little daughter, Jane, returned Wednesday morning from a visit to relatives in the western part of the State.

C. M. Dickens has begun the erection of seven cottages on Henry Street in Roanoke Rapids. Mr. Dickens intends to complete these houses as soon as possible and will rent them out on completion.

Louise and Cora ———, colored, were tried Monday morning in the recorder's court for disturbing the peace and quiet of the town. Recorder J. W. House fined Louise five and Cora ten dollars and costs.

C. M. Hassell, of Fredericksburg, Va., is here visiting his mother, Mrs. Hassell, and his sister, Mrs. H. F. Morton.

Miss Edith Taylor, of Seaboard, is here visiting Mrs. Frank Joyner.

ROANOKE RAPIDS PLAYS FAST BALL

Friday and Saturday Games here Last Week Show Great Strengthening of Home Team. A Little More Development of Team Work Needed

Probably the most striking feature of league ball here for the past week has been the simultaneous strengthening up of all teams. Roanoke Rapids team has been strengthened by the addition of three new players and both its defense and stick work have been greatly improved thereby. As soon as the new players have played long enough to develop team work, it is going to be a tough team to lick.

Friday's game was lost to Franklin on the home grounds on account of the absence of team work and the wonderful pounding the Franklin team did on the pellet. Saturday's game pitched by Scott with a much stronger line-up behind him turned into a complete defeat for the visitors who were unable to get farther than second base during the five innings played. The score stood at two to nothing for the locals when the ump called the game because Franklin was unduly delaying same. This was satisfactory to Franklin, because it was either lose that way or lose by continuing.

Roanoke Rapids took one and lost one to Emporia on Tuesday, Scott winning his game, 3 to 2, Pace losing his 1 to 0. Franklin took both Wednesday and Thursday's games, the first 3 to 1, the second 5 to 1.

To day's and Saturday's games on the home grounds are bound to be close. Emporia plays and is liking a good team into shape over there. Its going to be fast work on both sides.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS		
July 22, 1915		
	W	L
Franklin	11	7
Roanoke Rapids	8	9
Emporia	4	9

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY AND SATURDAY

Emporia at Roanoke Rapids

I'd love to love a dumb girl,
It surely would be grand;
She couldn't scream for father
Because I'd hold her hand!

L. Mills Kitchhn, of Scotland Neck, editor of the Scotland Neck Commonwealth, was here for a few hours Thursday.

Miss Anne Edgerton, of Louisville, is visiting Miss Virginia Hart.

A. W. Burnette, of Rocky Mount, was here Thursday on business.

Mr. Whitaker, of Enfield, spent several hours here on Wednesday.

The Roanoke Rapids Bridge Company held a meeting of their stockholders and directors last Thursday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Norwood of Ante, Va., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. B. Moody.

W. J. Norwood spent several days this week in Scotland Neck.

Miss Mamie Soot, of Salisbury, is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Graham this week.

Mrs. Norris and little daughter, of Waverly, Va., are visiting Mrs. Norris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert West.

Miss Massey, of Northampton County, is visiting Mrs. J. R. Baird.

Dr. W. C. Williams was called to Scotland Neck last Wednesday night to embalm the body of Mr. E. T. Whitehead. He was accompanied by Mr. J. W. House.

WITH THE CHURCHES

Episcopal Church

Henry C. Smith Minister
Sunday School every Sunday morning at ten o'clock. W. S. Whitaker, Supt. Holy communion and a sermon the first Sunday of each month at 11:00 A. M. Morning prayer and sermon at 10:00 A. M. other Sundays. Evening prayer and sermon every Sunday at 8:00 P. M. Choir practise every Friday at 8:00 P. M.

Methodist Church
Rev. Wm. Towse, Pastor

Roanoke Rapids:
Sunday school Sunday morning at 9:45. W. V. Woodruff, Supt. Rosemary:
Morning, Sunday School at 10:00 o'clock. J. B. Boyd Supt.

First Christian Church
Raleigh L. Topping, Minister

Sunday School will be held at the Rosemary Opera House at 9:45 next Sunday morning. C. H. Speight is the Supt.

Services in Rosemary Opera House on Sunday morning at 11:00 A. M. and evening at 8:00 P. M. by the pastor. Morning

Presbyterian Church
Rev. H. F. Morton, Pastor

Sunday School at ten o'clock under the efficient leadership of Superintendent J. T. Chase.

There will be no services either morning or evening, the pastor filling his regular appointment at Enfield.

Baptist Church
Rev. C. H. Trueblood, Pastor

Sunday School every Sunday at 9:45 A. M. W. S. Hancock, Supt. Services at 11:00 A. M. and 8:00 P. M.

Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at eight o'clock. Choir practice every Friday night.

The ordinance of baptism will be administered by the pastor at the conclusion of the regular service next Sunday night. The public is invited.

Rosemary Baptist Church
Rev. B. E. O'Brien, Pastor

Sunday School every Sunday at 10 A. M. W. R. Williams Supt.

Services at 11:00 A. M. Subject: "Extent and Source of the Christian's Power." Evening service at 8:00 o'clock. Subject: "The Judgement Day."

Come and hear these subjects discussed, for God is pleased when we assemble ourselves together.

A number from this church will be baptized at the Roanoke Rapids church on Wednesday evening July 28th, at 8:00 o'clock. The public is invited to this service.

The Tuesday night prayer meetings which the pastor has been conducting at Patterson Mills village will be resumed at the home of Mr. Jones on Middle St., next Tuesday night at 8:00 o'clock.

Owing to the weather the union services at Patterson Mills village have been somewhat hampered. But great good has been accomplished, souls have been born into the kingdom, and all churches have been benefited. The spirit of unity has been manifested and we all feel greatly benefited there by.

New Superintendent Elected

At a meeting of the Board of School Trustees of the Roanoke Rapids Graded School District held on last Thursday night, Mr. A. M. Proctor, of Mount Olive, N. C., was elected Superintendent of the Roanoke Rapids Graded Schools, succeeding Mr. A. E. Akers, whose resignation was recently accepted.

Folly loves the martyrdom of fame.—Bryon.

CONTEST CLOSES IN TWO WEEKS MORE

Easy Chance For Some Baseball Player In This Community To Get Busy And Land First Prize. No Contestant Has Gotten Beyond Reach Of Any Other Contestant

TWELVE DAYS LEFT TO WORK

With only two weeks more remaining the Herald's Player's Contest may safely be said to be on its last legs. Who will win the two gold prizes is still an unknown quantity. None of the contestants have done anything like enough work to make them sure of landing a prize, for any of the contestants could start in to-morrow and win the first prize.

We hope no contestant will get too sure of having done enough for first place. Somebody may get longheaded and decide that that twenty-five dollars is walking away from them far too easily. We advise any contestant who really wants to land, to get a spurt on and wind-up in a whirlwind campaign.

To encourage this we are making a

BONUS OFFER UNTIL CLOSE OF CONTEST

For every subscription or renewal turned into this office before the close of the contest, we will issue twice the regular schedule of votes. For instance ten new subscriptions will get two hundred thousand instead of one hundred thousand votes.

In addition to the vote offer, we will pay all contestants 25% on new subscriptions and 10% on renewals until the close of the contest. Any contestant will get paid for the work he does whether he lands a prize or not. If he does much work, he is almost sure to land either the \$25.00 or the \$15.00 in gold offered for prizes. Don't you think it too good an opportunity to let go by?

Baseball Players' Popularity Contest

Below is given the standing of contestants according to votes turned in up to Wednesday noon, July 21, 1915.

Clarence Grimmer	204,750
Clyde Mizelle	170,400
H. V. Welsh	166,500
N. A. Dodgins	36,150
J. E. Dobbins	11,500
A. G. Ausley	5,950

Ball Player's Popularity Contest

VOTING COUPON

50 VOTES 50

If mailed or handed in before July 31, 1915

NAME OF PLAYER _____

GIRLS PLAY GREAT GAME

The Camp Fire Girls Under the direction of Mrs. Moshier and Mrs. Morton, a group of girls have been organized into a camp.

The Camp Fire is to the girls what the Scout Trail is to the Boy Scouts and is the only organization of its kind. The individual camps are responsible to, and under the supervision of a National Board which is composed of a number of the most prominent, cultured and influential men and women of America.

The purpose of the Camp Fire Girls is to organize the daily life of girls and women. It aims to show that the common things of daily life are the chief means of beauty, romance and adventure. The Camp Fire is open to all girls and young women more than 12 years of age regardless of denomination.

The local Camp gave an ice cream festival last Saturday night. The nice sum of \$11.00 was realized clear of expense. They will order their charter this week and hope to have their ceremonial dresses very soon. They are already planning a hike and camp supper.

The guardians are as enthusiastic Camp Fire Girls as any of the others and hope to have a full number to sign the charter application at the next meeting.

All girls are invited to join. The Camp meets every Thursday night at eight o'clock in the Presbyterian church, until the girls can secure a Camp Hall.

Smoke Evil Curable. Extensive investigation of smoke prevention by the United States geological survey has led to the conclusion that it is mechanically possible, and that the best results have been attained by the use of mechanical stoppers.

When Things Are Darkest. When you get into a tight place and everything goes against you till it seems as if you couldn't hold on a minute longer, never give up then, for that's just the time and place that the tide will turn.—Harriet Beecher Stone.

KEEPING COOL

How to keep Cool in Summer

The gentle art of keeping cool is not despised these days. Here are just a few little hints which, while they won't make the thermometer register 65 or 70 instead of 95 or 100, will go a long, long way toward mitigating one's personal suffering.

First of all, keep the organs of elimination, especially the bowels, working easily and frequently. Do this by eating fruits and vegetables, leaving off meats and pastries, and by drinking lots of cool (not ice cold) water and buttermilk instead of coffee.

Dress right. Wear palm beach clothes if possible, and wear as little as the law of the land will allow. That's mighty little these days—equal rights for men. In the words of the wag, we are sorry for some of the ladies in summer, for a few of them don't have much left to take off.

Build that sleeping porch now that you have been thinking about so long. You'll enjoy it so much you will want to use it the year round. In the old-fashioned closed houses, our electric fan on low speed is a delight

these hot nights in the bed rooms.

Last of all don't worry, fret, or get cross and vexed. Keep sweet. Don't try to do as much physical work as at other times. Manage to do as much of your work in the shade as possible. Keep on very intimate terms with the bath tub and forget the weather. Don't talk about it. Give that subject a rest. The other fellow will thank you for it.

Notice

The following mail remains unclaimed in the Rosemary Post-office.

Mrs. Arthur Bray, Mrs. India Hicks, Harry Moore, Mrs. Maggie Presson, Miss Helen Perry, Nelson Richardson, Mrs. R. E. Toppins, Mrs. Linnie Williams.

Man's Lowest Estate. Whoever can give us the true psychology of hatred may make possible some escape from its malign and harmful influence. We commonly say that love is positive and hate is negative, but how quickly and easily at times the one turns into the other! While hate dominates us we are at our lowest estate.