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PERSONAL AND LOCAL ITEMS

R. M. James spent Sunday night near Greenville.

J. L. Green spent a few days in Norfolk last week.

Miss Fannie Greenburg spent Sunday at Ocean View, Va.

J. D. Ray of Scotland Neck, was in town Tuesday.

Miss Annie Lykes, of Columbia, S. C., is visiting Mrs. C. A. Webb.

Miss Lorina Burgess, of Greensboro, is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Baine.

Mrs. M. McRae Faison returned to day from a visit to relatives at Randleman.

Mrs. J. W. Smoot and Misses Susie Humphreys and Cammie Vaughan are at Ocean View this week.

Miss Fortune has returned from a visit to her home in Richmond, Va.

Miss Annie Medlin is going to Rocky Mount Tuesday to spend a few days.

W. E. Britt returned last night from Norfolk, Va., where he underwent a serious operation at St. Vincent's Hospital. His friends will be glad to know that he is recovering nicely.

J. C. Butts, of Garysburg, spent Sunday here with relatives.

C. A. Jones, of Scotland Neck, was here on business Wednesday.

George Carmichael spent several days at Ocean View this week.

Mr. Marshall, of Richmond, Va., is spending several days here with his sister, Miss Minnette Marshall.

Miss Bennetta Hulce, of Richmond, Va., and Misses Minnie Lucas and Bessie Owen, of Weldon, and Alice Virginia Poe, of Rocky Mount, were the guests of Miss Annie Medlin last week.

Ralph Walker, of Hampton, Va., is visiting T. E. Edmondson.

Miss Pearl Powell, of Hampton, Va., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. T. M. Jenkins.

Mrs. and Mrs. G. B. Crews, and little son, Garland, returned this week after a visit to relatives in South Carolina.

Messrs. J. H. Cullom and W. E. Lewter spent Wednesday in Norfolk.

Capt. T. W. Mason, of Northampton, spent several days here this week with his grandsons, Dr. T. W. M. and Mr. W. L. Long.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist Church will give an ice cream supper at the park in Roanoke Rapids tomorrow night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Beal, and little daughter, Jane, of Franklin, Va., are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Rogers.

Mrs. R. I. Jones returned this week after an extended visit to Scotland Neck, N. C., Petersburg, Va., and other places.

Mrs. Laura Grizzard, of Boyds, Va., spent several days here this week with Mrs. Mae Grizzard.

Mrs. J. C. Butts and Misses Alice and Lucy Butts, of Garysburg, who have been here visiting relatives, returned to their home on Thursday.

Miss Alma Blank, of Petersburg, who has been visiting Miss Sallie Munford returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Brown, of Richmond, are here this week visiting relatives.

Clyde Taylor left for Raleigh Monday to enter Page's School of Pharmacy.

Mrs. W. O. Thompson and children returned home this week after an extended visit to relatives in and near Spartanburg, S. C.

B. Marks spent Sunday in Norfolk.

Wells, D. Tillery went to Petersburg on business Tuesday.

C. A. Wyche spent Tuesday in Richmond.

Mrs. B. Marks and children spent several days this week at Ocean View.

Miss Margaret Mizell arrived Saturday from Knoxville, Tenn., where she attended summer school at the University of Tennessee.

Miss Anna Ganaway is spending a few weeks at her home near Lynchburg.

Miss Elizabeth Lawson, of Richmond, arrived last week to relieve Miss Ganaway at the office of Roanoke Mills Company.

George N. Stanley has been in Vulture this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gross after spending a few days here visiting friends and relatives returned to their home in Durham last week.

J. H. Lewis, of Heathsville, was in town a few hours Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Williams returned Sunday from Elizabeth City, where they had been visiting relatives for the past week.

Miss Maude Summerell, of Richmond, is spending a few days here visiting her sister, Mrs. W. S. Clark.

Mrs. O. P. Johnson and family leave this week for Tarboro, to visit friends and relatives.

Mrs. J. R. Moore and children are visiting her father C. G. King at Gasburg, Va.

J. R. Moore spent last week at his old home near Lawrenceville attending the big meeting in progress there.

Mr. Junius Liles and family have moved to Warrenton N. C. and will work in the cotton mill there.

Tom Meyers and wife are visiting his relatives in Charleston, S. C. Mr. Meyers was among the first to start machinery in Patterson Mills about five years ago and this is his first trip home.

Chas. Boone and family have moved from Henderson to Patterson Village. Mr. Boone is a good weaver and has been here for some time.

George Adkins of Petersburg, Va., spent Sunday with his parents in Roanoke Rapids.

Miss Charlotte Sale, of Richmond, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Sale returned Monday. She was accompanied by her niece, Miss Charlotte Sale.

Miss Murphy Brown who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Allsbrook returned to her home in Tarboro, N. C., on last Monday night.

W. C. Williams, embalmer for Hancock-House Company, was called to Scotland Neck last Friday night to embalm the body of Mr. Warr, of Princeton, N. J., who died suddenly while in Scotland Neck promoting a peanut manufacturing plant.

Mrs. J. H. Hines and children, returned from Spray, N. C., last Saturday, where she has been spending some time with her parents. She was accompanied on her return by her brother, Eugene Patterson.

The Commissioners of the Town of Roanoke Rapids held their regular monthly meeting in the Mayor's office on last Tuesday night. Only routine business came up for disposal.

Open Air Services

In Roanoke Rapids Park Sunday night at 8:00 o'clock the Presbyterians will hold their evening service. There are sufficient seats among the trees and with the electric lights and special music which we expect to have, we hope to make these services very attractive.

If successful it is our purpose to continue them as long as the hot weather lasts.

Auto Tribulations

(Reported)

Rev. B. E. O'Bern and Mrs. O'Bern had a rather exciting trip to Piney Forest church and returned last Sunday evening. Mr. W. F. Horner kindly consented to take them to the church where Mr. O'Bern preaches every first Sunday evening. But he had not carried them over 300 yards before his machine refused to go any further. Mr. L. G. Shell came upon the scene with his little Hupmobile which is capable of eating distance as quickly as any of them. He carried them at a good speed but at all once a hissing noise was heard and his machine was out of commission. Not disheartened he hurried back to Rosemary and returned with his auto truck. The preacher and his wife arranged themselves in this conveyance as best they could. All went well and they arrived there at 4 P. M. one hour late.

The folks were still waiting. The service being over the tired couple waited in vain for Mr. Horner's car but it was unrepairable at that time, so a kind brother hitched up his gentle old horse and kindly requested that they make their return trip with him. A storm was forming in the northeast. But it did not worry the driver or the horse, but with the preacher it was another thing.

To the relief of the couple L. G. Shell's little auto truck hove in sight. They hastily repaired to the more modern conveyance and off they sped toward Rosemary.

The bridges were safely crossed but to the utter amazement of the pastor the car stopped to run no more that evening. They left the car with the driver and another friend and they walked to the Rapids where they hired a car and were rushed to their home arriving there just before the clouds broke and the rain came down in torrents.

Hay Ride

Last Wednesday evening a delightful hay ride was enjoyed by a party of young people consisting of Misses Annie and Alice Medlin, Sallie Medlin, Sallie Munford, May Brown, Estelle Hamlet, Mary Crawley, Mollie Wicker and Messrs. Jake Matthews, Corbett Cannon, Joe Williams, Arthur Kelley, Abe Powell and J. B. Stanley.

Presbyterian Church News

Last week the pastor was away in Enfield conducting a meeting which was blessed of God with great success. Dr. Wm. Black our State evangelist preached most acceptably to large congregations gathered in the open air. There were from four to five hundred every night. Over a hundred signed cards accepting Christ as their savior and all of the churches received additions. In fact it was a union meeting, all of the churches taking part.

We will have our meeting here in Roanoke Rapids Church from the 2nd to 4th Sunday in October and Dr. Black and his singer, Mr. Burr, will be here to take charge.

Seay-Poindexter

Mr. Grover T. Poindexter, of Coleman, Va., and Miss Bessie O. Seay, of Roanoke Rapids, N. C., were married July 27, 1915 at the Methodist Parsonage by Rev. Wm. Towe.

Lips are seldom as red as they are painted.

A girl always tells a young man she can cook—and she always tells other girls that she can't—Pittsburg Chronicle Telegraph.

ROANOKE RAPIDS NEARS TOP

Emporia Practically Eliminated in Pennant Race - Clinch With Franklin on - Team in Fine Shape

Roanoke Rapids headed the League for one day this week if the boys never get there again, winning three straight games in succession. They have pulled themselves out of the whole remarkably during the last two weeks and are now nip and tuck with Franklin.

Last Friday's game with Emporia resulted in a blank for the visitors, Roanoke Rapids piling up five runs. Barnes pitched a magnificent game, allowing the visitors only two hits and fanning ten of the twenty-nine men facing him. His support was perfect, no errors being charged up against Roanoke Rapids. Features of the game were the batting of Scott, Barnes and Johnson.

Saturday's game couldn't reach that of Friday. Emporia scored a run in the first half of the first frame on errors. This performance was duplicated by the Rapids in their half, the final score standing at five to three for the Rapids. Scott's pitching was uniformly good. Holding was back on the job at first and both he and Barrett put up a nifty article in the way of baseball. Honig's batting was again a feature of the performance, his batting average for the season soaring up to four hundred. Johnson's work at short and Holloman's behind the bat was also worthy of mention.

Taken as a whole the Roanoke Rapids team has worked up to fine shape all around, which was well proven when they shut out the Franklin team on their home grounds Wednesday. Thursday's game was lost to Franklin, eight hits being scored off Pace.

Franklin plays here to-day and to-morrow and the results of these games will possibly tell the tale of pennant winning.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS			
August 6, 1915			
	W	L	Pct.
Franklin	16	11	.593
Roanoke Rapids	13	10	.565
Emporia	7	15	.315

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY AND SATURDAY
Franklin at Roanoke Rapids
Rosemary Saturday—
Emporia at Rosemary

Baptist Church News Notes

Despite the oppressive weather the church has made a gratifying record during the month of July. The general attendance has been good. The treasurer of the church reports the financial side of the church as being in fine shape and more members are joining, and are giving weekly.

A strong Aid society of about seventy five members, divided into five circles, has been organized and these ladies have gone right to work, and already have several dollars in the treasury on the piano fund.

A Sunbeam Band consisting of forty five members has been organized, and is flourishing.

A male quartette has been organized and will render selections regularly.

Fifteen new members (12 by baptism) have been added to the church.

A fine spirit of fellowship and co-operation prevails and the church is looking forward with much interest and prayers, to our approaching revival which begins the second Sunday in September.

Notice

List of advertised mail at the Roanoke Rapids Postoffice.
Mr. Will Herman, Mrs. R. M. Powell, Mr. O. A. Smith.

Japanese Fete

(Reported)

The twin cities of Roanoke Rapids and Rosemary were agog with excitement on last Monday evening, August the 2nd. Messrs. T. Ermon Edmondson and Monroe Grizzard Jenkins had issued numerous invitations to a Japanese Fete given in honor of Miss Pearl Powell, of Hampton, Va., at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Thos. M. Jenkins of Jackson St., Rosemary. As the autos rolled up to the gate the merry party was greeted by a glimpse of Fairyland. Japanese lanterns shed their soft mellow light on porch and lawn. Tables and seats dotted the greenwood. The spacious veranda was decorated with Japanese lanterns and brilliant red crepe paper. White silk flags floated on the breeze waving aloft the colors of the flowery isle.

In one corner of the veranda was built a beautifully decorated booth in which was served punch by Misses Mary Traynham Wyche, Mary Norfleet Grizzard, Meade Field, of West Point, Va., being dressed in long kimonos respectively of pink, and blue and purple flowered crepe, with hair ornaments of cysanthemums and Japanese fans. Within the hall the guests were received by Mrs. Jenkins, Miss Pearl Powell, of Hampton, Va., and Miss Addie Belle Gammon of Old Point, Va.

They were then asked to register in a quaint Japanese album. The young people were entertained with novel Japanese game. One called progressive Kokonchiki was especially amusing. On each of ten tables was placed a dish of puffed rice and eight chop sticks. Each of four players at a table attempted to remove the largest number of grains in a given time. The first prize was won by Mr. Chas. Humphreys being a small Japanese house. The booby prize was won by Mr. W. L. Manning. Another novel game was the game of "Fan it". On each of the eight chairs placed with backs to the wall, was placed a fan. In front of each chair lay a crimson cysanthemum. At a given signal eight players attempted to fan the flower to the opposite wall and back placing it on the chair with a fan. Successful players took the place of those having once tried. The prize a Japanese doll was awarded to Mr. G. L. Hayes, Jr. Block ice cream was served in the center of which was placed a small Japanese flag and a tiny umbrella. At 11:30 the guests bade their hosts a merry farewell. Those present were Miss Pearl Powell, of Hampton, Va., the guest of honor, in accordinian pleated white silk with lace waist.

Miss Alice Hoekaday in white net over pink silk with John B. Jenkins; Miss Cammie Vaughan in white lace with pink satin corselet with Charles Humphreys; Miss Evelyn Boyd in Nile green satin with lace crocheries with Jno. F. Hassell; Miss Lucy Butts, of Garysburg, in white crepe de chine with Geo. Carmichael; Miss Lessie Buchannon in white organdie with W. C. Bass; Miss Ella Lee Chauncey, of Washington, blue satin beneath white chiffon with silver trimmings with R. L. Dickens; Miss Mabel Boyd in white organdie with white satin trimmings with Emmitt Matthews; Miss Minnette Marshall in white chiffon and green taffeta with T. E. Edmondson; Miss Addie Belle Gammon, of Old Point, Va., in white crepe meteor with blue taffeta waist with J. U. Loftin; Miss Susan Holliday in yellow satin with overdress of cream, chiffon and gold lace with W. L. Manning; Miss Virginia Hart in pink satin and white lace with R. L. Towe; Miss Annie Edgerton, of I only, N. C., in white organdie with pink satin trimmings with M. G. Jenkins; Miss Lucile Ramsay, of Newport News, Va., in black coin spotted organdie with black satin corselet with K. C. Towe;

Miss Winifred Beekwith in white lace over pink satin with E. H. Ricks; Miss Irene Cannon in accordinian pleated silk with lace waist with Ralph Walker, of Hampton, Va.; Miss Charlena Hart in white silk and lace with Pendleton Grizzard; Misses Annie and Alice Medlin in white with trimmings of lace embroidery and black velvet with J. J. Wade; Mrs. G. L. Hayes, Jr., in pink crepe meteor and gold lace; Mrs. J. C. Butts in white; Mrs. Geo. Field, of West Point, Va., in blue foulard and Mrs. T. M. Jenkins in Nile green silk and white lace.

Third District Convention I. O. O. F.

Carolina Lodge No. 225, the local Lodge, will be the host of the Third District Convention of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, which convenes in the Odd Fellows Hall Rosemary on Wednesday evening August 11th. On Thursday a business session will be held, when the delegates from their respective lodges, which comprise this District, will make their reports also any other business appurtenant to the good of the order. Barbecue and Brunswick stew will be served to the brethren Thursday afternoon and Thursday night a public session will be held in the Rosemary Opera House where there will be plenty of good music and much speech-making. Grand Master T. L. Greene, of Waynesville, and J. D. Perry, assistant Grand Secretary of the order, are expected to be here for the occasion, also many other noted Odd Fellows are expected. An interesting programme has been arranged for the session at the Opera House Thursday night to which the public is most cordially invited.

Ladies Aid Society Organized

The Roanoke Rapids Baptist Church has organized a Ladies Aid Society and it has been divided in five circles. Circle number 4, met at the home of Mrs. G. E. Buckner last Monday, with Mrs. Alexander leader. There were but few present owing to so much sickness and visiting in the circle. The society was called to order by Mrs. Alexander, and she had some selections sung then reading of the scripture and prayer. Officers were elected as follows: Mrs. G. E. Buckner, Secy., Mrs. Mrs. J. B. Greene, Treas., Mrs. W. C. Vaughan and Mrs. J. W. Womble were appointed visiting and sick committee. Plans were then discussed to make money for the purpose of buying a piano for the church and everybody seemed willing and ready to get to work, after all business was attended to refreshments were served by the hostess and was enjoyed by all present. Circle number 4, will meet at the home of Mrs. Martha Smith Monday night, August 9th, Circle number 4, will have an ice cream supper Saturday night, Aug., 7th at the park. All are invited to come.

Carlton Eugene Hudson

Saturday morning, July 31, 1915, Carlton Eugene Hudson, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hudson, of South Rosemary, was called to the City Celestial. For about sixteen months, he was the light of the home. It was hard for the loving parents to part with their little darling, but though they are bowed with sorrow, they have the assurance that some blessed day, by and by there will be a happy meeting. He was tenderly laid in his grave in the Roanoke Rapids Cemetery, Sunday afternoon. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Wm. Towe assisted by C. H. Trueblood.

Tact

Social tact is making your company feel thoroughly at home, even though you thoroughly wish they were—Puck.

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.

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.

Presbyterian Church

Rev. H. F. Morton, Pastor
Sunday School at ten o'clock. Services Sunday morning and evening at 11:00 o'clock and 8:00 o'clock.

"The Two Sons" will be the subject of the morning service at 11:00 o'clock. The pews of our new church are in place now. They are beautiful and restful. Come and have a seat. Evening services at 8:00 o'clock in the park if weather permits.

Rosemary Baptist Church

Rev. B. E. O'Bern, Pastor
Sunday School every Sunday at 10 A. M. W. R. Williams Supt.
Services at 11:00 A. M. Subject: "The Christian Pilgrimage."
Evening Service at 8:00 o'clock Subject: "Who are the Children of God?"
You are cordially invited to these services.

Methodist Church

Rev. Wm. Towe, Pastor
Roanoke Rapids:
Sunday school Sunday morning at 9:45. W. V. Woodruff, Supt. Services at 11:00 o'clock, Subject: "An Earnest Appeal." Evening services at 8:00 o'clock. Subject: "Lost Opportunity."
Wednesday evening, prayer meeting at 8: o'clock.
Rosemary:
Morning, Sunday School at 10:00 o'clock. J. B. Boyd Supt. Tuesday evening, prayer meeting at 8:00 o'clock.

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 service Sunday morning Morning Subject: "The Power of Women." Evening Subject: "Parasites or Servants." The morning message will be for the special benefit of the women and there will be special music.
At the evening service the male quartette will sing. The right hand of fellowship will be given to all new members. The ordinance of baptism will also be administered by the pastor at the conclusion of the service.
Next Sunday at 4:00 P. M. the Ladies Missionary Society will meet. Immediately following this meeting each circle of the Aid Society will make a report for work done during July. Every member of the Aid and Missionary Societies is requested to be present.

Difference Made by Years.

When a girl is six, she weeps if the seams of her best doll loosen up and let out sawdust. When she is twenty-six, if her beau doesn't loosen up and spend some, she's equally pestered.

Indelible.

Mrs. Gray—"The window in my hall has stained glass in it." Mrs. Green—"Too bad! Can't you find anything that'll take the stain out?"—Boston Transcript.