

WITH THE CHURCHES

ROANOKE RAPIDS PERSONAL AND LOCAL ITEMS

ROSEMARY BUSINESS MEN'S ASSOCIATION

CITIZENS HERE ENLISTING FREELY

RED MEN SERVICE COMPLETE SUCCESS

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RED CROSS SOCIETY FORMED

Rosemary Baptist Church Rev. A. C. Chaffin, Pastor Services every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.

Rosemary Methodist Church Rev. A. H. Andrews, Pastor Sunday School at ten o'clock.

Episcopal Church Rev. Lewis N. Taylor, Rector Services at eleven and seven thirty every Sunday.

Baptist Church Rev. C. H. Trueblood, Pastor Sunday School every Sunday at 9:45 A. M.

Presbyterian Church Stanley White, Pastor Sunday school at 9:45.

Methodist Church Rev. Eugene C. Few, Pastor Sunday School at 9:45 o'clock.

First Christian Church Raleigh L. Topping, Minister Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45.

George F. Caraman Mr. George F. Caraman died on last Friday, April 6, at his home in Roanoke Rapids from cerebral haemorrhages.

Stella Virginia Cole Stella Virginia Cole, two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew H. Cole, died at the home of her parents in Rosemary on last Friday, April 6th.

Mrs. Hayes Hostess Mrs. Geo. Hayes was hostess to the Card Club on last Friday at her home in Rosemary.

Miss Lessie Hazelwood of Tarboro, spent the week-end with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. W. G. Lynch and little son Graham are visiting relatives in Parmele.

F. H. Robinson, Jr., of Rock Hill, has returned home to work for Roanoke Pharmacy.

Misses Rosa Pearson and Ula Williams spent Easter in Severn with friends.

Mrs. W. G. Tilston and little daughter Dorothy, of Weldon, spent the week-end in the home of Mrs. E. R. Glover.

Mrs. Marie Bagwell, of Greenville, is visiting her aunt Mrs. E. B. Glover.

Messers. Joe Williams, Hurley King, and Clarence Grimmer spent Easter in Tarboro and Rocky Mount.

H. L. Hazelwood spent Easter in Tarboro with his parents.

Mrs. Arehy Burnett, of Petersburg, spent the week here with relatives and friends.

Misses Josephine and Nita Boyce are visiting at home in Rich Square.

Mrs. Will Moore is spending some time with friends in Raleigh.

Mrs. W. F. Horner and Mrs. C. A. Wyche are attending the Al-bemarle Presbyterian which meets in Goldsboro, April 11th, 12th, and 13th.

Miss Roberta Dixon, of Raleigh, is the charming guest of Mrs. W. P. Taylor this week.

Dr. Paisley Fields will leave Monday for Norfolk to attend the annual meeting of the Virginia Dental Association which will be held there on the 17th, 18th, and 19th.

J. W. Torlay spent several days in Roxboro this week on business.

C. A. Wyche and W. L. Long went to Philadelphia Sunday on business.

Mrs. J. T. Chase very delightfully entertained the Presbyterian Ladies Aid on last Tuesday afternoon.

The business men of Rosemary met in session on Thursday afternoon, 5th, and organized the Rosemary Business Men's Association, with the following officers elected.

L. G. Shell, President; T. M. Jenkins, 1st Vice President; G. L. Hayes, Jr., 2nd Vice President; J. U. Loftin, Secretary & Treasurer.

The purpose of organizing this association, is not only to govern the extension of credit to the buying public, who buys on time, but is to also bring into closer relationship the merchants, business and professional men with the buying public of our town and community.

Monday afternoon, at 2 o'clock death entered our midst and claimed, without a moment's notice, one of our oldest and most honored citizens, Mr. David E. Stainback.

Mr. Stainback had just returned from Halifax in an automobile where he went to secure a marriage license, with a couple that he was to unite in marriage at the Terminal Hotel.

Mr. Stainback was born in Brunswick county, Virginia, in 1851. He was the fourth son of Wm. and Mary C. Stainback.

His boyhood days were spent in Brunswick county. Shortly after he was grown, he went to Petersburg, Va., to live, where he lived several years; then moved to Enfield.

He lost his dwelling house and kitchen also smoke house, chicken house and dog house. It caught about 3:00 o'clock in the evening.

Mr. Stainback has for many years been Associate Editor of the Roanoke News, accepting that position in 1893. He has also for many years acted secretary to the Board of Town Commissioners, as Town Registrar and clerk, as collector for the water works, as Justice of the Peace, and represented several large insurance companies.

Mr. Stainback was a man of sterling character, without guile, envy or jealousy. He always had a cheerful word and smile for every one he met, and to know him was to be his friend.

On Easter Sunday morning at nine o'clock Miss Polly Owens became the bride of Mr. Howard Garris. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Raleigh L. Topping, minister of the First Christian Church at the home of Mr. Pearl Johnson in Rosemary.

Miss Mary Jordan and Miss Odessa Rowell attended the picture show Monday night.

It seems that the cotton is not all sold yet because there has been about fifty bales by here since Monday. We hope that cotton won't go down because of this.

COTTON TODAY 19 3-4

Both Army and Navy Securing Recruits Here and at Rosemary

The citizens of this community are no less patriotic than the other towns of the United States is strikingly attested by the enlistment into the army and navy of over a dozen men so far.

The full list of the names of those enlisting will be published next week, if it can be secured. Two men from Roanoke Rapids have already left for actual duty and others are to follow by the 19th.

The Peoples Theatre have offered to give ten per cent of the receipts on Tuesday nights to the first ten men enlisting in either the army or navy.

The congregation enjoyed the singing of the Red Men. All present enjoyed the service.

Miss Julia Stockton Randolph and Mr. Donaldson Cook Stronach were married in the Roanoke Rapids Presbyterian Church on Saturday, April 7th at five o'clock.

Miss Mary G. Jordan and J. P. Allen also attended the Easter service at Spring church Sunday morning.

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There will be preaching at Shilo the third Sunday morning by the pastor Rev. R. W. Bailey.

Mr. Dallas Jordan and Daniel Jordan attended the picture show at Roanoke Rapids Monday night.

Prof. C. W. Wilson, of Greenville, Dean of the Eastern Carolina Teachers Training School, will deliver an address to the Baraca Philaetha classes of this community at the Roanoke Rapids Baptist Church, tonight at eight o'clock.

Prof. Wilson is a brilliant and eloquent speaker and his address is certain to prove interesting to all who hear him.

The following young men are on the Roanoke Rapids honor roll because of their voluntary enlistment in the United States Navy: John Roland Williams, and J. J. Hummings.

RED MEN SERVICE

Many Weep at Singing of "Where is My Wandering Boy?"

The Red Men service at the Christian Church last Sunday was a complete success. The seating capacity of the Tabernacle was taxed, while many stood up. The weather was favorable for the occasion.

A very beautiful and appropriate prayer was offered by Mr. J. E. Cox who is one of the officers of the Christian Church.

The minister was at his best and being inspired by the audience, the occasion, and the Easter season, preached a sermon said by many the best ever.

The sermon was about the crucifixion, resurrection, and ascension of Christ coupled with the belief of the primitive Red Man in the resurrection of a fellow brother and his happier life in a better hunting ground.

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Rev. W. R. Shelton, of Durham, spent a few days here the past week with friends.

A large consignment of rose bushes have been received here and will be distributed among the employees of the Patterson Mill Co. and Rosemary Manufacturing Co.

H. R. Crawley, of Aurelian Springs, spent a few hours here Wednesday on business.

Clarence Wellens, of the U. S. Battleship "New Hampshire" is here visiting his sister Mrs. M. Gulbranson.

G. G. Biddy, of Silver Creek, Ga., recently moved here and has accepted a position with the Rosemary Manufacturing Co.

M. P. Williams, of Tarboro, spent the day here Tuesday with friends and relatives.

George Brown a former resident but recently of Danville, stopped over here a few days the past week on his way to Philadelphia where he has accepted a position.

Mr. and Mrs. John Matthews, of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs. Walter Kidd, of Warrenton, are here visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Matthews.

Miss Maude Thompson left Sunday for Petersburg to spend the week with friends and relatives.

Miss Sallie Munford, of Petersburg, spent the Easter holidays here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Munford.

C. Harris, of Heathsville, was here a few days the past week visiting his daughter Mrs. J. E. Browning.

Miss Panthea Harrison after a short visit here to her brother J. H. Harrison, returned to her home in Brinkleyville Sunday.

J. R. Lisle, of near Littleton, spent the day here Tuesday on business.

J. B. Henderson, spent the past week in town on business.

D. E. Iles and J. H. Faucette, of Thelma, were in town Wednesday on business.

Miss Elizabeth Bagley spent the Easter holidays in Jackson with relatives.

First Christian Church Cleanings Sixty-four were present in the women's class last Sunday of which the minister is teacher.

RED CROSS SOCIETY FORMED

Big Mass Meeting Called for Next Tuesday Evening at School Auditorium Interesting Program Arranged

HON. TASKER POLK WILL SPEAK An enthusiastic meeting of the ladies of Rosemary and Roanoke Rapids was held on Monday afternoon in the Roanoke Rapids school auditorium.

Mr. Tasker Polk, the well known orator of Warrenton, is to make the address of the occasion, and Dr. T. W. M. Long was selected to explain the Red Cross work and the very great need for more chapters in the present war crisis.

In addition to these talks there will be much patriotic music by the band, as shown by the program which is given in another column.

All the citizens of Roanoke Rapids and Rosemary are urged to be present on this occasion and learn of the wonderful work being carried on by the Red Cross both in America and in Europe.

The Right to Be Happy Ebenezer Scrooge was the meanest man in London. For years he had made stocks, bonds and bank-notes his religion.

There was not an ounce of charitable-ness in his system; his heart was steel and his voice metallic as he snarled and barked at every man, woman or child he came in contact with.

Christmas was his special abhorrence—he would have none of the cheer and good will of Yuletide. He lived alone, walked alone and everybody who knew him was mighty glad to leave him alone.

Charles Dickens, of his wonderful imagination, created this man as the moving character in "A Christmas Carol" and Bluebird Photo-plays assigned Rupert Julian to play the character in the screen version of the Dickens classic that is to be exhibited at the Peoples and Rosemary Theatres on Friday, April 20 under the caption of "The Right to Be Happy."

Because the lessons and usefulness of "A Christmas Carol" endure from day to day the year 'round, the producers of the screen version decided that it would be better to apply a generally serviceable title to the work—and consequently "The Right to Be Happy" was selected as especially appropriate.

Mary E. Whitfield Mary E. Whitfield, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Whitfield, died Wednesday, April 4th, at the residence of her parents in Roanoke Rapids. Interment took place in the Roanoke Rapids cemetery.

Town Democratic Primary There will be held a mass meeting of the Democratic voters of the town of Roanoke Rapids on April 23, in the Lyric Theatre Building, for the purpose of nominating candidates for Mayor and five Commissioners for the town of Roanoke Rapids, to be voted on at the election which is to be held on Tuesday, May 8.

All qualified Democratic voters of the town are requested to attend this meeting.

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REV. J. E. REYNOLDS Minister of the First Christian Church, Wilmington, N. C. who will be here Monday to assist the pastor in the revival. Be sure to hear him.

Honor Roll Those on honor roll of Miss Strauther's music class for March are: Ruth Jones, Mildred Taylor, Josephine Hege, Vivian Edmunds, Pearl Hamilton, Nellie Jones, Vira Williams, Eula Collier, Kathrine Jackson, and Nellie Crutchfield.

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