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WITH THE CHURCHES ROANOKE RAPIDS PERSONAL ROSEMARY BUSINESS

Rosemary Baptist Church Rev. A. C. Chaffin, Pastor

Services every Sunday at 11 A. relatives and friends here, M. and 7:30 P. M.

Mid-week services Wednesday nights at 7:30 P. M.

The public is cordially invited to all services.

Rosemary Methodist Church Rev. A. H. Andrews, Pastor

Sunday School at ten o'clock. J. B. Boyd, Supt.

Services First and Third Sundays at 11 A. M. and every Sunday at 7:30 P. M.

Prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30, Choir practice Thursday even- week visiting friends, ing.

Episcopal Church Rev. Lewis N. Taylor, Rectur

Services at eleven and seven thirty every Sunday.

Sunday School at Roanoke Rap- B. Glover. ids at ten o'clock, at Rosemary at nine thirty.

Visitors cordially welcomed.

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

Services every Sunday at 11:00 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Prayer meeting every Wednes-

day night at 7:30 o'clock. Senior B. Y. P. U. every

Sunday at 6:45 P. M. Junior B. Y. P. U. every Sun day at 2:30 P. M. and Junior

Sunbeam Band every second in Tarboro with his parents. and fourth Saturday at 2:30 P. M.

Presbyterian Church Stanley White, Pastor

Sunday school at 9:45. The children are urged to be

to all services.

The Pastor Rev. Stanley White Glover. will be present Sunday and will hold services at 11:00 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. All visitors are invited to be present.

There will be a special service M. for the Boy Scouts.

Methodist Church Rev. Eugene C. Few, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 o'clock. W. V. Woodruff, Supt. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30

Prayer meeting Wednesday at

7:30 P. M.

First Christian Church Raleigh L. Topping, Minister

Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45 in Tabernacle. Roanoke Ave. corner Ninth St. Preaching next Sunday by the business. pastor at 11:00 A. M., and 7:30

George F. Caraman

Mr. George F. Caraman died on last Friday, April 6, at his home in Roanoke Rapids from cerebral haemorrages. Mr. Caraman was fifty years of age at the time of his death. He has been a resident of Roanoke Rapids for three or four years and short while before his death.

the family grave yard.

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. The few days with measles. The in- at her home in Rosemary. terment took place on Saturday Mrs. Wm. Horner next Friday in the Roanoke Rapids cemetery. from 3 to 5 o'clock.

AND LOCAL ITEMS

Miss Lessie Harelwood of Tarboro, spent the week-end with

Mrs. W. G. Lynch and little Rosemary in Parmele

W.G. Lynch motored to his

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

Williams spent Easter in Severn time, but is to also bring into with friends.

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

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

Miss Lena River Jones spent Sunday and Monday in Richmond attending the play Experience. Joe Price spent the week-end here with his sister Mrs. W. S. Hancock.

R. L. Towe spent Sunday with his parents in Aurelian Springs. ed from Halifax in an automobile

in his home in Littleton. Messers, Joe Williams, Hurley King, and Clarence Grimmer spent Easter in Tarboro and

Rocky Mount.

spent Sunday with Abe Norinsky, could be used to resist him. Mrs. Archy Burnett, of Peters-

burg, spent the week here with relatives and friends.

Rich Square.

Mrs. Will Moore is spending on Sunday morning at 11:00 a. some time with friends in Ral-

A cordial invitation is extend- Mrs. W. F. Horner and Mrs. C. ed to strangers to worship with A. Wyche are attending the Al-

> eigh, is the charming guest of About 1895 he lost his wife. Mrs. W. P. Taylor this week.

Monday for Norfolk to attend the er of Captain W. T. Cheek, who annual meeting of the Virginia survives him with five small chil-Dental Association which will dren, one daughter and four sons. be held there on the 17th, 18th, Mr. Stainback has for many and 19th.

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

Tuesday from a few days visit married a great many. He was with friends in Baltimore.

Cullom-Finch

Last Wednesday morning at has a nciee here. Mrs. David ten o'clock Mrs. Etta J. Cullom Kidd. Mr. Caraman came here became the bride of Mr. Julian from Hyde county. He was in C. Finch. The ceremony was perapparent good health up to a formed by Rev. Raleigh L. Top. never too busy to do a kind favor ping paster of the First Christ- or to help others in distress. The body was taken to Wash. ian Church at his home in South ington, N. C., for interment in Rosemary. Only a few intimate friends were present. The bride and groom are well known in Rosemary where they have a

Mrs. Hayes Hostess

Mrs. Geo, Hayes was hostess little girl had been ill for only a to the Card Club on last Friday

MEN'S ASSOCIATION

The business men of Rosemary CITIZENS HERE met in session on Thursday afternoon, 5th, and organized the Business Men's son Graham are visiting relatives Association, with the following officers elected.

L. G. Shell, President: T. M. home in Ebony Sunday for a few 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 extention of credit to Misses Resn Pearson and Ula the buying public, who buys on closer relationship the merchants, Miss M. E. Daughtry spent business and professional men several days in Emporia the past with the buying public of our town and community, and through the association and cooperation of each other, we hope to better merchandising conditions and be of more and better service to each and every individual in the community.

DEATH CLAIMS MR. STAINBACK.

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 return-A. S. Reed spent the week-end where he went to secure a marriage license, with a couple that he was to unite in marriage at the Robinson, of the Peoples Theatre. Terminal Hotel. Just as he stepped upon the hotel porch, he was suddenly attacked and died within Theatre, is doing this to stimua moment of heart failure, before late recruiting and if the patriotic H. L. Hazelwood spent Easter medical assistance could reach citizens attend the show on Tueshim, Dr. Morehead reached his day more than other nights the B. Marks spent a few days in side within a few moments, but bonuses given will probably The public is cordially invited Richmond on business this week, the grim Old Reaper had claimed amount to quite a respectable Harry Stern, of Rocky Mount, his life before any earthly power figure.

Mr. Stainback was born in Brunswick county, Virginia, in 1851. He was the fourth son of Wm. and Mary C. Stainback. G. I. Glover, of Henderson, His mother was Miss Mason, present at 9:30 for choir practice. is visiting his brother E. B. daughter of Nathaniel Mason, of that county.

after he was grown, he went to day morning. Petersburg, Va., to live, where married his first wife, Miss Min-morning. nie Bell, daughter of Colonel Bell Miss Roberta Dixon, of Ral- and made friends up to his death.

A few years later he married Dr. Paisley Fields will leave again to Miss Ella Cheek, daught-

In Roxboro this week on business. that position in 1893. He has al- will be represented in full. so for many years acted secretary to the Board of Town Commis-Mrs. C. A. Wyche returned to be joined in matrimony and come everybody to Lebanon.

sterling character, without guile. envy or jealousy. He always had time, a cheerful word and smile for him was to be his friend. He was business,

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Cwens-Garris

host of friends and where they at nine o'clock Miss Polly Owens at Roanoke Rapids Monday and hear him and the public will also make their future became the bride of Mr. Howard night.. 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. Both where they have a host of friends. After the ceremony they left for

Cotton Today 19 3-4

ENLISTING FREELY

Both Army and Navy Securing Recruits Here and at Rosemary

That the citizens of this com-States is strikingly attested by The full list of the names of those fifty strong with the Rosemary Three men from Rosemary have gone and several more enlist- ed by Roanoke Tribe. ments there are reporetd.

are urged to register their names their hearts sobbed many a sigh. Miss Maude Thompson left and addresses with Manager

Garysburg Items

Rev. Seaertte, filled his appointment at Lebanon Sunday

W. H. Allen and Miss Hat-

Miss Mary G. Jordan and J. moved to Enfield. There he service at Spring church Sunday the presence of a few intimate day on business.

in Goldsboro, April 11th, 12th, born of that marriage. About cought by a spark in the boxing. Arvonia, Va. She is a graduate Weldon, where he has resided He lost his dwelling house and of the Sheltering Arms Hospital, kitchen also smoke house, chicken of Richmond, Va, and is a beauabout 3:00 o'clock in the evening. lady. Mr. Stronach is the son of but could not put out the fire. So has made Roanoke Rapids his and succedeed in saving it all.

years been Associate Editor of will come on Friday the 13th of prietors of Tarrymore. Mr.

Come everybody to the Easter Services next Sunday evening. sioners, as Town Registrar and We are expecting a large crowd. clerk, as collector for the water We will have a fine speaker for residence of Mrs. R. C. Sale on in the community than any other Mrs. J. T. Chase very delight- works, as Justice of the Peace, the occasion if nothing happens. Jackson Street, fully entertained the Presbyter- and represented several large in- Prof. A. M. Proctor of Roanoke ian Ladies Aid on last Tuesday surance companies. He was often Rapids, N. C. will be with us. sought by couples coming here The service will begin about 2:30 BARACA-PHILATHEA

engaged in this work when death Floyd and Rogers Floyd, attend-Mr. Stainback was a man of ed the picnic at Drews Bluff, ville, Dean of the Eastern Caro-

W. G. Moody was in Emporia, every one he met, and to know Tuesday and Wednesday, on

There will be preaching at Shi-

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

It seems that the cotton is not

RED MEN SERVICE COMPLETE SUCCESS

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

(Reported)

PEOPLES THEATRE OFFERS BONUS nacle was taxed, while many turing Co.

favorable for the occasion. At eleven o'clock the Roanoke Wednesday on business. munity are no less patriotic than the other towns of the United Tribe marched up the Avenue the enlistment into the army and tan Tribe came toward them from navy of over a dozen men so far. their camp in Rosemary, nearly enlisting will be published next Concert Band playing. They were already left for actual duty and Roanoke Tribe formed a double Rosemary Manufacturing Co.

A very beautiful and appropri-The Peoples Theatre have ate prayer was offered by Mr. offered to give ten per cent of J. E. Cox who is one of the the receipts on Tuesday nights officers of the Christian Church. to the first ten men enlisting in A quartette sung by Misses Beteither the army or navy. The tie Shell, Lucy Taylor and Messrs. bonus will begin on May 1 and L. W. Jernigan and R. L. Topthe amount given each week will ping. "Where is My Wandering proper parties. All who enlist ones, and in the deep recess of and Mrs. J. E. Matthews.

and being inspired by the audi- the week with friends and rel- the band, as shown by the proin order that there may be no ance, the occasion, and the Easter atives. confusion or mix-up. The Peoples season, preached a sermon said

erucifixion, resurrection, and ascension of Christ coupled with the belief of the primitive Red in a better hunting ground.

The congregation enjoyed the singing of the Red Men. All a short visit here to her brother present enjoyed the service.

Randoplh-Stronach

Misses Josephine and Nita His boyhood days were spent tie Garner, attended the Easter and Mr. Donaldson Cook Stron- business. Boyce are visiting at home in in Brunswick county. Shortly service at Spring Church on Sun-Rapids Presbyterian Church on past week in town on business Saturday, April 7th at five friends.

bemarle Presbyterial which meets in Goldsboro, April 11th, 12th, born of that marriage. About Sunday afternoon, by fire, which Dr. and Mrs. John Randolph, of relatives. house and dog house. It caught tiful and accomplished young The neighbors came to his rescue A. B. Stronach, of Raleigh. He which the minister is teacher. they began saving the furniture home for nearly a year, being and forty-five points, while the engaged in the contracting busi- Blue has one hundred and seven The County Commencement ness, He is also one of the pro-points. J. W: Torlay spent several days the Roanoke News, accepting April. We hope that the Mclver Stronach is an alert and progress-church first Sunday night. Our ive young business man and has church still prospers. made himself very popular dur-

ing his stay here. Mr. and Mrs. Stronach will be

ADDRESS TO-NIGHT

Prof. C. W. Wilson, of Green-Monday, and reported a nice lina Teachers Training School, will deliver an address to the Baraca Philathea classes of this community at the Roanoke Rapids Baptist Church, tonight at eight o'clock.

Prof. Wilson is a brilliant and lo the third Sunday morning by eloquent speaker and his address the pastor Rev. R. W. Bailey. is certain to prove interesting to Minister of the First Christian The public is cordially welcomed. all who hear him. The Baraca- Church, Wilmington, N. C. who Sunday School at 10 o'clock A. M. Philathen classes of the different will be here Monday to assist the Mr. Dallas Jordan and Daniel churches of the community are pastor in the revival. Be sure to On Easter Sunday morning Jordan attended the picture show especially requested to come out hear him. generally is cordially invited.

Roanoke Rapids Honor Roll

ROSEMARY PERSONAL AND RED CROSS LOCAL ITEMS

Rev. W.R. Shelton, of Durham, week with friends.

A large consignment of rose The Red Men service at the bushes have been received here Christian Church last Sunday and will be distributed among was a complete success. The the employees of the Patterson HON. TASKER POLK WILL SPEAK seating capacity of the Taber. Mill Co. and Rosemary Manufac-

M. Gulbranson.

G. G. Biddy, of Silver Creek,

friends and relatives. past week on his way to Philadel. April 17th at eight o'clock. phia where he has accepted a

position. be deposited in the First National Boy?" brought forth many tears, of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs. Bank to be distributed later by Mothers, fathers, brothers and Walter Kidd, of Warrenton, are the Red Cross Association, to the sisters thought of distant loved here visiting their parents Mr.

The minister was at his best Sunday for Petersburg to spend will be much patriotic music by

Miss Sallie Munford, of Petersburg, spent the Easter holidays. The sermon was about the here with her parents Mr. and Rapids and Rosemary are urged Mrs. J. T. Munford.

C. Harris, of Heathsville, was Man in the resurrection of a fel. here a few days the past week low brother and his happier life visiting his daughter Mrs. J. E. Browning.

> Miss. Panthea Harrison after J. H. Harrison, returned to her home in Brinkleyville Sunday.

Miss Julia Stockton Randolph spent the day here Tuesday on

First Christian Church Gleanings

Sixty-four were present in the women's class last Sunday of

The Red side has one hundred

The Christian minister has two weeks. We are always ready. one person. Some call us "the marrying parson"

The revival is in progress, have you attended? You are welcome. as especially appropriate.



Honor Roll

Those on honor roll of Miss Strauther's music class for March The following young men are are: Ruth Jones, Mildred Taylor, are well known in Rosemary all sold yet because there has on the Roanoke Rapids honor roll Josephine Hege, Vivian Ed- town are requested to attend this meetbeen about fifty bales by here because of thier voluntary enlist- munds, Pearl Hamilton, Nellie ing. since Monday. We hope that ment in the United States Navy: Jones, Visa Williams, EulaCollier, Tarboro to visit relatives and since Monday. We hope that ment in the United States Navy: Jones, Viva Williams, EulaCollier, friends. They will make their cotton won't go down because John Roland Williams, and J. J. Kathrine Jackson, and Nellie Crutchfield.

SOCIETY FORMED

spent a few days here the past Big Mass Meeting Called for Next Tuesday Evening at School Auditorium Interesting Program Arranged

stood up. The weather was H. R. Crawley, of Aurelian ladies of Rosemary and Roanoke An enthusiastic meeting of the Springs, spent a few hours here Rapids was held on Monday afternoon in the Roanoke Rapids Clarence Wellens, of the U.S. school auditorium, the object of seventy-four strong, while Rari-Battleship "New Hampshire" which was to organize a chapter is here visiting his sister Mrs. of the Red Cross Society. Fortyfive names were enrolled for membership, officers were elected week, if it can be secured. Two marching two and two and two and when Ga., recently moved here and several committees appointed. Plans for a big mass meeting of others are to follow by the 19th. column in front of the door, and M. P. Williams, of Tarboro, were discussed at length and Raritan Tribe marched in follow- spent the day here Tuesday with arrangements perfected to make this meeting one of great interest George Brown a former resi, and patriotism. It is to be dent but recently of Danville, held in the Roanoke Rapids school stopped over here a few days the auditorium on Tuesday coming.

> Mr. Tasker Polk, the well known orator of Warrenton, is to Mr. and Mrs. John Matthews, 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.

> > gram which is given in another

column. All the citizens of Roanoke 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 J. R. Lisle, of near Littleton, and bank-notes his religion. There was not an ounce of charitableness in his system; his heart was steel and his voice metalic as he snarled and barked at every man, D. E. Iles and J. H. Faucette, tact with. Christmas was his woman or child he came in conhe lived several years; then P. Allen also attended the Easter formed by Rev. Stanley White in none of the cheer and good will Miss Elizabeth Bagley spent the of Yuletide He lived alone, Charlie Worrick lost his home The bride is the daughter of Easter holidays in Jackson with 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 Photoplays 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 Carmarried five couples in the past of" 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

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 Roaroke Rapids, to be voted on at the

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