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## FREE TYPHOID VACCINE OFFERED

All Citizens of Community Who Have Not Been Vaccinated During Past Three Years Urged To Avail Themselves of This Offer.

Dr. T. W. M. Long, City Health Officer, this week issued circulars explaining vaccination against Typhoid fever and urging all that were not immune to begin the treatment at once.

The circular reads as follows: Vaccination is an absolute guarantee for the prevention of typhoid fever.

Vaccination is harmless. It has been administered in this community thousands of times without any bad results. And in no case where it has been administered has there been a case of typhoid fever.

Vaccination consists in giving three hypodermic injections, which are practically harmless, at one week intervals.

It is your duty to yourself and family to be vaccinated and thus make yourself and those dependent upon you absolutely safe from one of the most dreadful and expensive diseases that human flesh is heir to.

Vaccination makes you immune from typhoid fever for only three years. Therefore if more than three years have elapsed since your last vaccination you should be revaccinated.

"If you have had typhoid fever and seven or more years have elapsed you are susceptible to the disease and should be revaccinated."

"Typhoid vaccine will be administered free to any citizen of this community at the Roanoke Mills Cannery on Jackson Street Monday, Wednesday and Saturday from 7:00 to 8:00 P. M."

T. W. M. Long, M. D. Health Officer.

## COUNTY BAR EXTENDS

### GREETINGS TO MR. GARY

Commended for Twenty-Five Years of Efficient and Proficient Services as Clerk of Court--Felicitation tendered on his Sixtieth Anniversary

It is with genuine pleasure we print below resolutions extended Hon. Sterling Marshall Gary by the Halifax County bar this week commending his efficient services as Clerk of the Superior Court since 1894.

### RESOLUTIONS

WHEREAS, heretofore on the First Monday in December, 1894, Sterling Marshall Gary being previously thereto elected, qualified and assumed the duties of the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Halifax County, and has continuously since the said date by public choice expressed through the electors succeeded himself;

AND WHEREAS, said Sterling Marshall Gary has through all these years of public service performed the duties of his said office in a most capable, highly efficient and satisfactory manner and his relations with the bar of this Court and the public of this County have been at all times most cordial and pleasing;

AND WHEREAS, on this the 4th day of June, 1919, said Sterling Marshall Gary having attained his sixtieth birthday and his many friends and the entire bar of Halifax County being desirous of joining with him in his celebration and tendering to him our most hearty felicitations, and the undersigned committee being duly appointed by Honorable George W. Connor, Judge presiding over the Superior Court in Halifax County and now in session.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BAR OF HALIFAX COUNTY FIRST: That we tender to Sterling Marshall Gary our sincere thanks for his uniform courtesies to us and the very proficient and capable manner in which he discharges the duties of his most important office as Clerk of this Court.

SECOND: That we tender to him our hearty congratulations on his anniversary day and wish for him many happy returns of the day and continued prosperity and tenure in office.

THIRD: That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this court and a copy thereof be given our personal friend and most worthy Public Official.

W. E. DANIEL  
WM. L. KNIGHT  
STUART SMITH  
Committee

## ROSEMARY PERSONAL AND LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. J. P. Newitt has as her guests this week, her mother and her sister Mrs. Morris, of Goldsboro.

Mr. C. F. Ogletree made a business trip to Henderson Monday.

The Womans' Auxiliary of All Saints' Episcopal Church met with Mrs. F. G. Jarman Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. C. W. Hedrick, of Henderson, was here Monday and Tuesday.

The revival meetings at the Baptist Church closed on Wednesday night. The meetings have been held by Dr. Viperman, of Dallas, assisted by the pastor. The revivalist has preached splendid sermons, eloquent and powerful and his stay among us has been of inestimable benefit. The services continued ten days.

Mr. W. H. Dickens, of Enfield was here Tuesday.

Mr. G. B. Huhter, of Portsmouth, was here Tuesday.

Mr. William Vaughn, of Raleigh has accepted a position with the Rosemary Mfg Co.

Mr. T. J. Evans, of Henderson, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. J. S. Armstead, of Portsmouth, was in Rosemary Tuesday.

Mrs. J. E. McGee and little son have returned from an extended visit to Richmond, Va.

Mr. J. Arch Taylor, of Oxford was in town Wednesday morning.

Judge T. W. Mason, of Northampton County, was the guest of his granddaughter Mrs. F. G. Jarman this week.

Miss Ruth Mason, of Northampton County is the guest of Mrs. Jarman.

Mr. Maurice C. Allen, recently returned from overseas has accepted a position with the Rosemary Mfg. Company.

Mr. Geo. W. Cooper, of Newport News spent a short while in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Spencer of Chattanooga spent Friday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Vinder stopped here awhile Friday en route to Palatka, Fla. by automobile.

Mr. S. E. Pope, of Norfolk, spent Saturday here.

Mr. John Shaw, of Vulture was in town Monday morning.

Mr. E. E. Pogue of Norfolk was in Rosemary Saturday.

New Hope Methodist Church is now being painted inside and out. This adds greatly to its appearance.

Rev. Chas. M. Lance is in Durham this week attending Trinity College commencement and a course of lectures, which follows the commencement exercises. He will return the latter part of the week and fill his usual appointments Sunday.

Mr. Arthur Stowe, returned from a short business trip to Durham Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Harrison of Norfolk were in Rosemary, Saturday.

Mr. Oscar Northington, Jr., of La Crosse, Va. has accepted a position with the Patterson Mills Co.

Mr. G. S. Stoupe, of Portsmouth spent Sunday in town.

Mr. Doyle Cannon has accepted a position with the Rosemary Mfg. Co., for the summer.

Much interest is being manifested in the coming of Chautauqua.

Miss Annie Shaw, of Henderson spent the week-end with Miss Alice Medlin.

Miss AME Medlin spent Monday and Tuesday in Richmond.

Mrs. Jack Simmons and children are visiting relatives in Oxford.

## ROANOKE MILLS CO. ERECTING 52 HOUSES

Six for Number One Village the Remainder for Number Two Village

The Roanoke Mills Company have purchased fifty-two Alladin houses for their villages, the erection of which has already begun. A special erector of the company arrived the first of the week and soon put a force to work.

The addition of 52 houses to the villages of the Roanoke Mills Company will mean a material increase in our population and add greatly to the appearance of their villages, which have recently received many improvements through the work of a gang of convicts hired by the Mill.

The houses will be completed in about forty days provided that shipments of material are not held up.

## HALF WITTED SON SHOOT HIS DAD

Takes to Tall Timber Armed--Returns and Meekly Surrenders to Heavily Armed posse Who went out to Capture him "Wounded or Dead."

One Reuben Snow, a well-known vender of chickens and eggs, came near meeting a tragic end at his home near Rosemary about five o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

It appears that his half-witted son, becoming enraged with his father, sought vengeance with a shot-gun but fortunately for Reuben only one shot was able to penetrate his cranium. Thereupon the son fled to the woods armed defying capture. Immediately Snow repaired to Rosemary and asked Chief Dobbins for aid in effecting his capture. A company of volunteers, headed by "Chief" soon started in pursuit of the gunman, who his father thought, owing to his feeble-mindedness, could hardly be captured alive. However, when the seachers arrived at the scene of the shooting, the son had returned from the woods and was immediately arrested and placed in Halifax jail.

## MEDLIN - CARTER

Invitations reading as follows have been issued:

Miss Anna Medlin invites you to be present at the marriage of her sister Alice Cornelia to

Rev. Ammie Gray Carter on Wednesday morning, June the eighteenth one thousand nine hundred and nineteen eleven o'clock Methodist Episcopal Church Rosemary, North Carolina. No invitations sent to Rosemary or Roanoke Rapids.

## W. O. W. MEMORIAL SERVICES

The Roanoke Rapids Camp of the Woodmen of the World will hold a memorial service at the Roanoke Rapids Cemetery Sunday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock.

All members are requested to meet at the lodge room at 3 o'clock to march in a body to the cemetery.

Hon. W. L. Long will deliver an appropriate address.

Music will be furnished by the Roanoke Rapids Band and the public is cordially. The program program will be announced later.

Mrs. L. S. Cannon and children are visiting relatives in Concord.

Dr. Vitterman returned to his home in Dallas Thursday.

A. S. Clark spent Thursday in Raleigh.

## WITH THE CHURCHES

All Saints Church (Episcopal)  
Rev. Lewis N. Taylor, Rector  
Roanoke Avenue

Next Sunday is Whitsunday or the Feast of Pentecost - the birthday of the Christian Church. Services as follows: 7:30 A. M. Holy Communion. Divine services at 11 and 8:15

9:45 Sunday School and Adults' Bible Class. T. W. Mullen, Supt. Rehearsal of Trinity Sunday music will be held at the home of the organist Wednesday night at 8:15. Womans' Guild Wednesday afternoon 3:30. Bishop Cheshire will visit the parish Sunday morning June the 15th to hold services and to administer the apostolic rite of "the laying on of hands" or Confirmation. All persons desirous of receiving the rite are earnestly asked to communicate with the rector immediately.

The public is very kindly invited to the services of the Church. If you are not a member of any church, you are cordially invited to make this your Church home. You need the Church, the Church needs you.

Baptist Church  
Rev. T. S. Crutchfield, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 A. M. W. S. Hancock, Supt.

Preaching at 11:00 A. M. Subject: "Man's extremity, God's opportunity"

Evening service at 8:30 Subject: A desire for the salvation of the lost.

Meeting of the B. Y. P. U. at 7:30 P. M. R. A. Williams, group leader.

Men's Bible class Tuesday evening at 8:00. Wednesday evening, 8:30. Prayer meeting.

Rosemary Methodist Church  
Rev. Charles M. Lance, Pastor

Services in each church as follows.

New Hope 11 a. m. Smiths 3 p. m.

Rosemary 8 p. m. The third Quarterly Conference will be held at New Hope June 21. 22nd Rev. E. M. Snipes will preach at 11 A. M.

Presbyterian Church  
Rev. Stanley White Pastor,  
Mrs. A. L. Clark, Organist

Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Morning Service 11:00 A. M. Evening Service 8:15 P. M. Prayer meeting 8:15 P. M. on Wednesdays

Young Peoples Meeting 3:30 P. M. on Friday.

## SPECIAL MUSIC SUNDAY

Next Sunday is the Feast of Pentecost or Whitsunday, the birthday of the Christian Church the day on which we commemorate the gift of God the Holy Ghost to the expectant disciples as described in Acts 21. Special services will be held at All Saints' (Episcopal) Church and the order of music will be rendered. Processional - Rise, Crowned with Light, Imperial Salem, rise, - Russian Hymn.

Venite - Robinson. Glorias - Robinson. Te Deum - Anon. Jubilate Deo - Aldrich.

Hymn - Come. Holy Spirit, Heavenly Dove - St. Agnes.

Offertory - Our Blest Redeemer He breathed - St. Cuthbert.

Doxology - Old Hundredth.

Recessional - The Church's one Foundation - Aurelia.

Evening Service 8:15

Processional - I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord - St. Thomas

Glorias - Kettle. Magnificat - Kettle. Nunc Dimittis - Stainer.

Saviour, Source of Every Blessing - Nettleton.

Offertory - Our Blest Redeemer He breathed - St. Agnes.

Now the Day is over. - Merrial.

Recessional - Glorious things of Thee are spoken. - Glorious Things.

The Holy Communion will be celebrated at 7:30 A. M. The public is very cordially invited.

## JUNE TERM COURT NOW IN SESSION

Grand Jury Endorses Recommendation to Provide Better Buildings for County Home--Suggest Screening Convict Kitchen at Camp Here--Several Criminal Cases Disposed of

HIS HONOR, JUDGE GEO. W. CONNOR PRESIDING

The June Term of the Superior Court convened at Halifax Monday, June 2nd at 10 o'clock, with the Hon. Geo. W. Connor presiding. His Honor in a few words charged the grand jury with their duty and especially requested them to investigate the condition of the County Home and convict camps, which brought forth the following report:

Halifax, N. C. June 3, 1919.

To the Hon. Judge of the Superior Court of Halifax County, N. C.

We the Grand Jury of Halifax County, N. C. beg to report as follows:

The County home is badly out of repair. We most heartily endorse the recommendation of the former Grand Jury to provide better buildings and modern equipment.

The Jail is in first condition. The convict camp at Roanoke Rapids could be improved by the use of a few screens in the kitchen.

Respectfully,

O. W. Pierce

Foreman of the Grand Jury.

Immediately after the Grand Jury retired to their room the criminal docket was taken up and the following cases disposed of.

Geo. Bishop, was found guilty of assault and battery; sentenced to jail for two years to be hired out.

Joe Ousby drew a couple of years on the County Roads for house breaking.

Mary Francis Alston, of Rosemary, was sentenced to jail for six months to be hired out. It will be remembered that Mary some five weeks ago lambasted Betsy Foote with a brick.

Rufus Newton, Ellis H. Williams, Tom Perry and Floyd Stokes, were brought up charged with breaking into the store of Pierce Whitehead at Weldon. All plead guilty but Stokes. The quartette were mere boys, Stokes being the oldest member of the bunch pleaded not guilty. Floyd claimed an alibi, stating that he was at his home on the night of the robbery, however, Floyd didn't remember just what night the robbery occurred. The jury decided he was very much guilty. These youngsters were fortunate in having a man of Judge Connor's calibre to deal with them. He made arrangement for them to appear before the Juvenile Court upon its inauguration on July 15th.

Rufus Harvell, charged with burglary, was found not guilty. Edwin Harrell was sent to the roads for one year. Whiskey was the cause.

Willie Ethridge paid a dollar fine and costs for trespassing. Judgement was suspended on J. H. Elliott charged with the same offense.

Jim Phippen, of Patterson Mills village was found not guilty of abandonment of his wife.

Jesse Carroll was found guilty of carrying a concealed weapon. Sentence not pronounced.

Jim Hardy, guilty of abandonment. Sentence not pronounced.

## DON'T WASTE ICE

Mr. S. M. Thompson, manager of the Roanoke Ice and Fuel Co. has issued an appeal to the people of our community for strict economy in the use of ice during the month of June.

Mr. Thompson states that he has been notified by the ice plants of Weldon and Rocky Mount that they will not be able to furnish him any more ice during June. That his production during the month will not meet the demands of the community, therefore his appeal to the people to use ice sparingly.

## ROANOKE RAPIDS PERSONAL AND LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Grimmer, of Wilmington, spent the week-end here with relatives.

Dr. Paisley Fields, of Henderson, spent several days here with friends this week.

Mr. D. M. Clark spent the week-end in Raleigh.

Mrs. B. W. Weeks spent the week-end in Norfolk.

Miss Ethel Leatherwood is in Raleigh attending summer Canning Club school.

Mr. Roger C. McCarl, of Wilmington, spent Monday in town on business.

Messrs. M. McRae Faison and Conrad O'Brian spent the week end in Norfolk with relatives.

Mr. J. B. Stanley spent several days here with relatives this week.

Mr. Guy Waller left Monday for his home in Kinston, after visiting relatives here for some time.

Mr. M. McRae Faison is spending several weeks in Elizabeth City on business.

Rev. E. C. Few is attending the Commencement Exercises being held at Durham this week.

Miss Bertha Weeks left this week for her home in Jamestown, N. Y.

Mr. J. T. Chase spent Tuesday in Richmond.

Mrs. R. M. Parker left this week for her home in Fredericks-town, Mo.

Mr. G. D. Shell and son, Ralph, spent Wednesday in Durham.

Mr. F. M. Coburn is spending several days in St. Louis with his brother, Mr. R. T. Coburn, of Raleigh.

Mr. Frank Williams spent the week-end in Richmond with friends.

Mr. P. C. Duncan spent the week-end in Clayton with his wife and son.

Mr. Rudolph Barns, of Clayton, visited friends here Wednesday.

Miss Lessie Bray has returned from Elkin, where she has been visiting for several weeks.

Miss Elmer Higgings has returned from Beaufort where she has been for some time.

Mrs. Emma Elmore spent some time in Raleigh with relatives last week.

Mr. R. L. Walker and daughter, Mary, of Aurora, are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones.

Misses Mary Traynham Wyche and Nellie Jones are attending a Sunday School Convention in Charlotte this week.

Miss Fannie Marks spent several days this week with Miss Adele Meyers in Enfield.

Mr. B. Marks and son, Sammie, and Mr. Abe Norinsky spent Sunday in Rocky Mount.

Mrs. Frank Taylor returned from her home in Mappsville last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Lynch and son, Graham, spent Sunday in Hamilton with her sister.

Misses Minnie Daughtry and Bettie Sue Buffalo motored to Jackson Sunday with friends.

Miss Bettie Sue Buffalo is spending some time here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Pugh and Mrs. Cogdale spent Wednesday in town.

Mrs. J. H. Lightfoot, of Wilson is spending several days in thk home of Mrs. Louis Grimmer.

Mrs. and Mrs. Delbert Williams are visiting relatives here.

Mr. Jake Sammet is visiting B. Marks this week.

Mrs. Thos. G. Taylor, of Oxford, was the guest of her sons, Arch L. and Lewis N. Taylor, this week.

The Community Betterment League will hold their regular

## NEW COMMISSIONERS TAKE OATH OF OFFICE

The Board of Commissioners Elected in May Sworn in Wednesday night.

A. L. CLARK APPOINTED RECORDER

Dr. T. W. M. Long, Messrs. Sam F. Patterson, Wells D. Tillery, L. O. Anderson and Howard Leitner were sworn in as town Commissioners Wednesday night. The meeting was called to order by Town Clerk A. L. Clark in the absence of Mayor, J. T. Chase.

Dr. T. W. M. Long was elected Chairman of the board and took the chair and presided. L. O. Anderson was elected Secretary and Treasurer to the board.

The appointment of the new board were as follows: A. L. Clark, Recorder; R. H. Jackson, Chief of Police; Dr. T. W. M. Long, Health Officer.

A unanimous vote was recorded instructing Dr. Long to employ the convict gang now located here to do some much needed work on the streets of the town.

## How to Make Sea Foam Candy

Sing a song of sea foam candy Two whites of eggs beaten very handy.

Three cups of sugar and karo syrup One half cup water and then stir-up.

Put on the stove and boil it fast.

Then test by dropping it in water in a glass,

If you find it is done, then pour it from the pan, And beat in whites of eggs with the hand.

Then beat and beat till its white as snow And add to it flavoring a spoonful or so,

Then on wax paper place it in ball, And when you finish, that is all.

Louis R. Crawley (age 14) (Aurelian Springs Canning Club)

meeting in the auditorium of the Central School Monday afternoon June 9th at 4:30. Rev. Stanley White will make an address on "Community Uplift," and important business matters will be given consideration. A full attendance of members and of all who are interested in community betterment is most earnestly asked.

Messrs. J. F. Vincent, J. A. Vincent and W. S. Rumley spent Thursday in Halifax.

Mr. and Mrs. Roughton and Mr. Buie of Henderson, spent Sunday here with Miss Lottie Green.

Miss Meta Jones returned Sunday from a several days visit to friends and relatives in Washington and Edward.

Mr. William Vincent spent Wednesday in Seaboard with friends.

Mrs. Charlie Grant and Miss Lucille Clements were in town Thursday on business.

## Chautauqua Guarantor's Corner

\$1,500.00 divided by 62 equals \$24.20 per.

By sale of tickets to date this \$24.20 has been reduced to \$16.00 per.

Tickets on sale at Roanoke Pharmacy Co., First National Bank, Rosemary Drug Co., Rosemary Banking & Trust Co., Herald Publishing Co.

Let's Go There Are 62 of Us Watch This Corner