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ROSEMARY PERSONAL AND LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. J. B. Powell, of Rocky Mount, was in Rosemary Saturday.

Mr. George A. Iseley, of Raleigh, spent the week end in Rosemary.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Powtis, of Washington, were visitors in town Saturday.

Mr. J. R. Sykes, of Raleigh, was in Rosemary Monday.

Rev. Chas. Sheets left at midnight Sunday night to attend the annual convention of the State Baptists which is meeting in Gastonia.

Mr. C. D. Patterson, of Greensboro, was in town Monday.

Mr. J. F. Brittain, of Raleigh, spent Tuesday in Rosemary.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Lynch, of South Boston, Va., were in town Monday.

Mr. John L. Patterson, of Richmond, spent yesterday in Rosemary.

Mr. Fred Peck, of Greensboro, was here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Banta, of Richmond, Va., were visitors in Rosemary Tuesday.

Mr. J. C. Armistead, of Petersburg, was in Rosemary Tuesday.

Mrs. Fenner Smith has returned from Asheville much improved in health.

Mr. J. D. Howard, of Wilson, spent Tuesday in town.

Mr. T. W. Mullen spent the week end with relatives in Petersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Fritz, of Hamilton, Mass., were in town Tuesday.

Mr. H. D. Lowder, of Henderson, spent Tuesday in Rosemary.

Messrs. Dudley Duke and Bud Davis, of Conway, spent the week-end with Mrs. C. A. Vaughan.

Mr. C. C. Eberly, of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., was in Rosemary yesterday.

Mr. Ashley Wilkins, of Thelma, was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. C. F. Ogletree returned home Tuesday from Norfolk, where she was called on account of the death of her cousin, Mrs. Calvin Daughtry.

Mr. T. R. Darracott, of Washington, was in Rosemary Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Gay, Miss Eliza Gay and Miss Bernice Decker visited the State Farm Sunday afternoon.

Mr. S. S. Simon, of Greensboro, was in town Wednesday.

Mr. J. H. Thomas, of Raleigh, was in Rosemary Wednesday.

Mrs. Irvin Books and little daughter, of Raleigh, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Smith.

Messrs. N. T. and Willie Gay, of Jackson, were in town Wednesday.

Mrs. C. H. Byrd returned from Asheville Friday.

Mr. George Papendick left Tuesday to spend several days with relatives in Elizabeth City.

Dr. R. P. Beckwith and son, Jimmy are spending the week on Currituck Sound.

Mr. Russel Moody, of Henrico, Northampton County, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Green and Mrs. M. C. Harrison visited Emporia, Va., Sunday.

Mr. A. F. Black, of Norfolk, was in town Wednesday.

Mr. E. S. Taylor, of Richmond, spent Tuesday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Allen and children are expected to arrive today from Monteeagle, Tenn. to spend the holidays with relatives.

Mr. J. B. Rochelle, of Jackson, was in Rosemary Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Vincent, of Conway, spent the week-end with Mrs. Charity Vaughan.

Mrs. A. P. McPherson spent the week with friends in Lillington.

Mr. Wm. C. Williams spent yesterday in Richmond.

Mr. D. P. Jacobs, of Petersburg, spent Tuesday in Rose-

Main Street to be Shown Tonight

The screen version of Sinclair Lewis' well known novel, "Main Street," will be given in the High School auditorium this afternoon at three thirty and again tonight at eight.

Carol Milford, educated a bit too much for her intelligence marries and accompanies Dr. Will Kennicott to Gopher Prairie, Minn. She is bored by the monotony of small-town life and the self satisfaction of its inhabitants.

Her efforts to bring life in Gopher Prairie closer to her ideals-her married life with good hearted practical Dr. Kennicott, who never could understand her, form but a part of this great absorbing drama of real life. Florence Vidor takes the part of Carol while Dr. Kennicott is portrayed by Monte Blue.

A one reel "Romance of the Republic" and one reel "Felix the Cat," a comedy will also be shown. The High School Orchestra will furnish the music for the occasion.

Parent Teachers Association Presents Pictures

Last year the Parent-Teachers Association of the High School put on a contest for pictures, the plan being, that each room which had the largest attendance of parents of children in that room present at any monthly meeting of the Association, should have the right of placing a picture given by the Association in their room for the month. To win this honor two consecutive times meant that the picture became the permanent property of the room. One picture, "The Age of Innocence," by Reynolds was won by the 6A grade and "The Harvest Moon," by the ninth grade. This year two more pictures have been presented, Feruzzi's "Madonna" and Raphael's "Sistine Madonna." At the last meeting of the Association it was found that the first picture was awarded for a month to the 5A grade, under Miss Christine Temple, and the High School picture went to Miss Mary Coble's room, the 7A grade.

This is a splendid plan by which good pictures can be given to the school and the interest of the public means a great deal towards fostering the proper appreciation of and love for our best pictures.

Mr. Zollie Hawkins

Mr. Zollie Hawkins, a prominent farmer of Halifax County died at his home on the Littleton Road Sunday night. His death comes as a great shock to his friends and relatives. Apparently in good health he attended Church services Sunday morning and visited neighbors in the afternoon. About eight thirty he was walking in his yard and dropped dead. He was forty years of age. He is survived by his wife and two small children.

The funeral service was conducted in the home Tuesday afternoon, his pastor, Rev. R. H. O'Bryant, of the Methodist Protestant Church officiating. Interment was made in the family cemetery.

The Young Peoples' Society of All Saints' Episcopal Church held their regular meeting Wednesday night and rehearsed the pageant which is to be given in connection with the observance of Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamrick Smith returned from Richmond this week.

Mr. Allen Zollicoffer spent Monday in Raleigh.

Great Work Being Done in Industrial Arts

During the present school year 1923-24, the Industrial Arts Department of the local schools will present to the attention of the local public several exhibits of work done by students of this department, both in drawing and shop work. These exhibits should be interesting to the school patrons for several reasons. They will show more clearly than words just what the department of Industrial Arts is doing for the boys of the community in the way of teaching actual construction work with various types of materials. In a way these exhibits should convey to school patrons a clearer knowledge of the possibilities latent in every school boy and girl which can thus be directed toward worthwhile activities. Although such exhibits should be interesting in themselves patrons should appreciate them more as a representation of the fact that the boys of the community are acquiring abilities in the line of constructive thinking which are of much more value than the value of the articles produced.

The main idea underlying the work being done in the local schools in Industrial Arts work is to give to the students broader knowledge of materials and methods used in the world outside of school. It is only a few years and the boy in the grades will be called upon to take his place in the outside world to make his living. His chances of success and happiness in his work depend greatly upon his ability to make a wise choice of his life work. Naturally with his previous experience and knowledge of materials and constructive processes the boy is in a much better position to make a wise and permanent choice at the outset.

Too often the boys leave school with no knowledge of the materials or construction processes and are thus in no position to choose the work which will best develop their interest and be most attractive to them. These boys very often develop into drifters losing much valuable time before they finally find the work that appeals to them.

It is the present plan of the Industrial Arts Department to bring the students into actual contact with as many materials as is possible with the limited space and facilities. This year the necessity arises for choosing such materials as can best be worked upon in rather cramped quarters, as the available space is much too small for more extended work. The boys will be given work with such materials as wood both elementary and advanced, Fibre work and the development of projects with various types of weaving. Concrete work with projects selected which can find a useful place in the school or the home. The students are also given the most practical work in the mechanical drafting room. There, from the eighth grade through the twelfth with the work ranging from the most elementary principles to actual machine drawings and drafting room practice, the boys are learning to make creditable drawings. These drawings do not represent copies of originals, but in the advanced classes the students actually go into the machine room, make their working sketches from some selected machine part, and going back to the drawing board reproduce their sketches to the finished mechanical drawing complete in every detail.

All of this type of work calls for the development of ability to think in straight lines and toward an object, this is a concrete type of thinking which is the basis of the development of all constructive projects whether

WITH THE CHURCHES

Rosemary Baptist Church
Charles J. Sheets, Pastor

10:00 A. M. Sunday School, Seventy three percent attendance last Sunday. S. D. Brown, Supt.

11:00 A. M. "Way Jesus went to church" will be the pastor's subject.

6:30 P. M. The three B. Y. P. Unions.

7:30 P. M. "When his donkey threw him" will be told in the pastor's sermon.

Worship God with us while you are resting.

Wednesday, 7:30 P. M. Prayer meeting.

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH
Rev. Robert H. Broom, Pastor
Mrs. W. V. Woodroof, S. S. Supt.
Miss Vivian Edmonds, Pianist
Mr. R. L. Lowe, teacher of Bible Class.
Prof. K. L. Elmore, Pres. Epworth League

9:45 A. M., Sunday School.
11:00 A. M., Preaching: Subject God's Word.
6:15 P. M., Epworth League, led by Prof. Elmore.
7:30 Preaching: Subject, Prayer for Good Things.
Following the evening sermon opportunity will be given any who may wish to join this church on profession of faith, or by letter.

All Saints Church
(Episcopal)
Rev. Lewis N. Taylor, Rector
Mrs. Katherine Webster, Parish Worker
Roanoke Avenue

THE DIFFERENCE

South America was settled by the Spanish who came to South America in search of gold, but North America was settled by the Pilgrim Fathers who went there in search of God.

For six days we have been seeking for gold. On the seventh, we wait for you to seek God, and this is an invitation to worship Him with us at All Saint's church.

Next Sunday is the third Sunday in Advent.

Services: 7:30 A. M. Celebration of the Holy Communion.
9:45 church school, bible classes for adults and children, F. W. Muller, Supt.

Morning service and sermon at 11:00.

Night service and sermon at 7:30.

Bishop Cheshire's visitation has been postponed until Dec. 23rd, 7:30 P. M.

You are most cordially invited.

it be directed toward the building of bridges, the making of textiles, or in any profession where the head directs the faculties.

There is no limit to the benefits which may be derived from the handling and studies of materials. The average boy interested in a piece of woodwork begins to ask questions. "Where does the lumber come from?" "How is it cut and prepared for use?" etc. Instruction given in the answering of such questions has a far more reaching effect than a specially prepared question and answer lesson, which is often the form of class room exercises. Practically all of the mathematical and science classes, history, etc., can be correlated with the Industrial Arts work. Such mathematical problems with which the boy comes in contact in figuring his stock bills, figuring of angles for cutting of joints, and the advanced mathematics required often for the development of the machine drawing develop the best kind of thinking. This is only an example.

Considering the value of Industrial Arts, Vocational, or Technical Arts in the scheme of education it is hoped that when more space is available the boys of the community can be brought into contact with such materials and processes available in classes in Sheet Metal, Textiles, Electrical work, subjects having such close relation to the commercial and industrial life of today, and offering such a wealth of material for instruction purposes.

LOTS TO BE SOLD AT AUCTION

Northward the tide of Roanoke Rapids real estate development seems destined to take its way, even though it requires the spanning of the Roanoke river and the virtual annexation of some of our neighbor county of Northampton. As long as there was a toll bridge across the Roanoke River the development of the easily accessible territory over there was precluded but since the bridges have been taken over by the counties and the tolls abolished forever there does not seem to be any reason whatever to prevent suburban expansion in this direction, especially since the territory available on this side of the river has been so nearly and is being so rapidly taken up.

The fact is that the first step in this direction has already been taken by the Roanoke Rapids Real Estate Company in the subdivision and development of fifty suburban lots varying from two and a half to five acres each and fronting on N. C. Highway Project No. 10 running from Raleigh to the Virginia line beyond Vulture, ultimately to be developed by the Virginia authorities into Norfolk.

The entire subdivision is many feet above the highest point of any recorded rise of the Roanoke river and is in every way suitable for the man who wants to combine the freedom and economy of rural life with urban advantages. Any part of the development is in five minutes of the business section of Roanoke Rapids. The subdivision begins at the rise just beyond the bridges and occupies the road frontage to the point of intersection with the Garysburg road running thence some distance down the Emporia Vulture road.

The entire subdivision is to be offered for sale at public auction on Saturday December 22 and it will be an interesting measure of the vision and imagination of the citizens of this community in regard to the greater Roanoke Rapids of tomorrow, which will be reflected by the results of this sale.

HONOR ROLL

JUNIOR - SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

5 A - Jane Stainback.
7 A Grade - Mildred Baird, Sarah Elizabeth Jenkins, Erwin Adkins, William Adlbrook.
8th Grade - Agatha Moore, Mary Belle McAister.
9th Grade - Leola Vaughan.
9 A Grade - Morris Clary, Edna Wafford, Paul Watters.
10th Grade - Helen Jenkins.
11th Grade - Dorothy Dunning.
12th Grade - Louise Jackson, Hazel Cobb.

CENTRAL SCHOOL
THIRD MONTH

Second Grade - Andrew Wreny.
Third Grade - Edith Elmore.
Fourth Grade - Dorothy Crutchfield, Rosa Heath Long.

Scofield-Bray

On Madison Street at Mr. R. O. Bray's residence at the early hour of 6 o'clock Wednesday morning Mr. Samuel Scofield, of Camden, New Jersey, and Miss Lessie May Bray were duly united in matrimony by the bride's pastor, Rev. R. H. Broom, who used the impressive ring ceremony of the M. E. Church, South, several special friends bearing witness. At once in a shower of warmest wishes the happy couple left for their distant home in the north.

The groom is a young mechanic of clever parts, and has made a number of friends during his short stay in Roanoke Rapids, and is most fortunate to have won one of our best young women.

The Boll Weevil Fight For Next Year

Farmers and county agents are beginning to look forward to the 1924 fight against the boll weevil, an investigation and extension workers are preparing for the fray. During the past week C. A. Whittle, on behalf of the Association of Southern Agricultural Workers, has been in Raleigh securing data and results on the work of the year from the workers in the Divisions of Entomology and Agronomy of the State College and Department of Agriculture. Similar data is to be secured from southern states with the object of issuing a general statement of findings and recommendations when the association meets in January at Birmingham, Alabama.

During the autumn, farmers were encouraged by college workers to make an effort to pick the cotton promptly, and to kill the stalks before frost, as this is known to lessen the multiplication of the weevil in the late fall. The presence of the cotton leaf-worm in many fields helped in the work by destroying the late-season food for the weevils. These things would tend to reduce the number of weevils to survive the winter; but, on the other hand, the mildness of the winter thus far is in the weevils favor.

For the remainder of the winter some good may be accomplished by a general clean-up along hedge-rows, rock-piles, ditch-banks, or terraces, which are near to the 1923 cotton-fields. This may help the appearance of the farm also. Farmers are advised to look forward studiously to the use of the best possible cultural methods for cotton as advised from the Division of Agronomy.

Preparations are now being made by Prof. Franklin Sherman of the Division of Entomology for a series of meetings throughout the north-eastern section of the state early in 1924. At these meetings it is intended to present the best possible methods for avoiding or preventing weevil damage, as well as direct means of control by the use of poisons. The rather light damage by weevil in 1923 combined with a favorable crop and a satisfactory range of prices, gives reason for encouragement yet should not be lulled into a false feeling of security.

Bishop Cheshire's Visit Postponed One Week

The Rt. Rev. Jos. Blout Cheshire, D. D., Bishop of the Diocese of North Carolina will make his second visitation for the year to All Saints' Episcopal church Sunday night December 23rd at 7:30. A class for confirmation will be presented. The Bishop was scheduled to visit this church next Sunday night but he has found it necessary to postpone the appointment for one week later.

BASKETBALL

The basket ball season will open tomorrow night at eight o'clock when the Girls team of the Roanoke Rapids Junior-Senior High School meets a quint of girls from the Henderson High. The game will be played in the gymnasium. Henderson has already played several games and has a strong team. The contest will be a spirited one and the public will enjoy a fine game. This will be the only game to be played here before the beginning of the Christmas holidays. The Boys team as arranged to play the Rich Square five in Rich Square next Thursday night.

Living on Air.
Swags - "He makes a thousand pounds a year in a field." Swags - "A man can't live on air."

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Mr. J. L. Green, of Richmond, spent the week-end here with friends.

Mrs. J. B. Edmonds has returned from a visit to Lacrosse, Va., with friends and relatives.

Mr. Frank West, of Lynchburg, spent several days here this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Coburn.

Mr. Robert Fishburne, of Richmond, spent the week-end here.

Miss Ila Gardner has been spending some time in Greensboro taking the State Board Examination.

Mr. R. T. Coburn, of Raleigh, spent a few days here this week on business.

Messrs. F. M. Coburn, J. H. King and C. L. Grimmer spent Tuesday in Richmond on business.

Mr. Arthur Gordon, of Lacrosse spent last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Edmonds.

Mrs. T. F. Gaddy has returned after spending some time in Charlotte with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Martin, of Greenville, N. C., spent a few days here this week.

Mr. R. L. Martin and Miss Annie Taylor spent Wednesday in Greenville with friends.

Mr. William Payne Edmonds is visiting relatives in Lacrosse.

Mrs. Josey Chase, of Holyoke, Mass., is spending some time here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Chase.

Mrs. J. M. Jackson spent a few days in Richmond this week.

Mr. D. L. Traynham, Jr., spent several days in Christianburg, Va., this week.

Mr. J. T. Chase has returned from a business trip to Boston, Mass.

Mr. William Jackson is spending a few days here in the home of his parents.

Mr. Leland Decker spent the week-end here with his family.

Mrs. Ellis Joyner and son are visiting relatives in Greenville.

Business Men's Banquet

A banquet for the business men of the community will be held tonight at 6:45 in the High School building. The speaker will be Prof. R. H. Wright, president of the East Carolina Teacher's Training School, Greenville, N. C. Hon. W. L. Long will act as toastmaster. The High School Orchestra will furnish music for the occasion. A very tempting menu will be prepared and served by the pupils of the Home Economics Department under the direction of Miss Stribling. More than fifty men have already accepted an invitation to attend and a very interesting and enjoyable evening is anticipated.

Home From Europe

A dispatch received by the Herald from the International Mercantile Marine Company announces that Mr. and Mrs. Samuel P. Patterson were expected to arrive in New York from Southampton and Cherbourg, on the White Star Liner Majestic, Tuesday.

This news will be of much interest to their many friends in the community who will be pleased to learn that Mr. Patterson has been restored to health again.

SHELL - CARTER

Mr. Roland Shell and Mrs. Margaret Carter, of Rosemary, were quietly married in Emporia Monday afternoon. Mrs. Mack Johnson accompanied them to the Virginia city and witnessed the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Shell are making their home in South Rosemary.