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and many other useful things too numerous to mention

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VASS, NORTH CAROLINA

CAMERON NEWS

(Continued from first page)

McLeans farm that he thought was adaptable—if that is the word to use. Mr. Swett's sweet potatoes took first prize at the Cameron community fair.

Mr. P. G. York, of Sanford, was a guest, Sunday, at the Greenwood Inn. Mr. York, Misses Vera and Chrissie McLean attended services at Union church.

Pleased to report Mrs. Sallie Currie on route 2 "doing nicely"—as they say at hospitals—after an operation for appendicitis at the C. C. Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaffing and little daughter, of Hamlet, are rooming at the home of H. D. Tally and taking meals next door at the home of R. C. Thomas.

Dr. Dawkins spent the week-end at his home in Hoffman.

Mrs. N. R. Paschal and children of Greensboro, were visitors last week at the home of Mr. Mrs. J. R. Loving.

Mr. G. S. Cole is handing out some elaborate 1923 calendars to his customers. A beautiful home amid the fir trees where the snow glitters white and fair and in the foreground a deer.

Mr. L. A. Fink has sold his home at Keith's Mills. He and Mrs. Fink have moved up on Carthage route near Lambs Grove church, among the murmuring pines, of which Mr. Fink will doubtless write some poetry.

Rev. Mr. Noblett preached his first sermon at the Methodist church Sunday and made a good impression.

On the eve of his departure to Goldston, Rev. O. B. Mitchell and family were generously pounded by about fifty of the Cameron and community people. Next day on their arrival at Goldston they were greeted by a large crowd and received another generous pounding.

Misses Viola and Mary Lee Thomas returned last week from a visit to relatives at Broadway.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ferguson spent Saturday in Sanford.

Dr. C. D. Dawkins, of Hoffman, has located in Cameron for the practice of dentistry. Mr. Dawkins is a graduate of Atlanta Dental College, has had two years experience in the army, and was formerly associated with Dr. Regan at Laurinburg and Lumberton.

Rev. M. D. McNeill went to Goldsboro, Monday, for the second visit to his daughter, Mrs. Gabe Holmes, who is extremely ill.

Miss Edna Handcock and brother, Rufus, of Yadkin Hill, and Mr. Gilbert Crissman, of Wadesboro, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Boaz.

Two carloads of tourists are stopping with Mrs. Georgia Matthews, having been held up by the good bad roads.

There will be many a good horse and mule that will rise up in judgment to condemn the State Highway men.

Misses Lucile and Lily May Rogers, Mary Fanny Douglas with Messrs. Orlando Loving and Roy Fisher, went to Aberdeen on Wednesday night of last week to hear Evangelist Stephens.

Misses Lucile Loving and Annie Hartsell were dinner guests, Sunday, of Mrs. Laura Rogers.

Hambone is an unique character. His meditations in the Daily News and Observer are very original. However, this is his best, "Some folks allus talkin' 'bout de trouble de good Lawd dont sont 'em, but dey keeps still wen de debil gits 'em in it!" Hambone reminds me of an old darkey I once knew named Lige McKeithan.

Misses Chrissie and Vera McLean, Mrs. M. D. McNeill motored over to Carthage, Tuesday.

Mrs. Lula Muse and daughter and Mrs. Jewel Hemphill were in Sanford, Monday.

Misses Collins and Bunn, of the graded school faculty, spent Saturday in Carthage.

Perry Barrett (col.), of Cameron community, Lee county, killed two

hogs last week, the combined weight being 917 pounds.

Mr. J. F. Saunders shipped a car load of holly last week to New York City. The great state highway has cut through the center of the beautiful dewberry field of Mr. Saunders.

Mr. E. M. Borst came up from Wilmington for over Sunday at home.

CAREFUL, NOW!

During December and January the United States government is to pay back to the people of this country millions of dollars in redemption of War Savings Stamps bought five years ago. Several thousand dollars of the general sum will come into Vass and vicinity.

These millions represent a considerable part of the savings of our people, and as savings should be carefully guarded. The money paid by the government should be immediately reinvested where it will start working again to bring in dividends to the investor. And, for the very reason that most of the holders of War Savings Stamps will re-invest their money in some other dividend paying proposition, their money is in danger.

For, already, dishonest promoters are at work getting ready to harvest their crop of suckers from among those to whom the government is making payments. All sorts of fake stocks and bonds, promising big returns, will soon flood the market, and worthless, although pretty paper will be foisted upon an unsuspecting public.

So, be careful how you re-invest your money. Don't expect to find a safe investment that will pay you extra large interest returns, for you can't get something for nothing in this old world, you know. Better take loss interest and keep your capital than take promises of getting rich quick and lose your all. If you are in doubt about the value of making an investment ask any banker and take his advice. For we are sure he will advise you right.

NINETY-ONE-YEARS OLD; PURCHASES AUTOMOBILE

Maxton, Dec. 14.—A host of friends will be greatly interested in learning that on the recent birthday of Dr. H. G. Hill, "The Grand Old Man in the Presbyterian church," the Maxton Presbyterian church presented him with ninety-one new dollar bills, as was the custom. The Doctor preaches as vigorously and with even more force than he did twenty years ago.

On his birthday, Dr. Hill bought his first automobile and, after he has learned to drive it it is most probable that he will be the only parson, who after reaching his ninety-first year, has learned to drive an automobile.

Dr. Hill is truly the youngest man of us all.

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LESSON FOR DECEMBER

JESUS AMONG FRIENDS AND

LESSON TEXT—Luke 10:38-42; 1 GOLDEN TEXT—Ye are my friends, ye do whatsoever I command you 15:14.

REFERENCE MATERIAL—Lk. 35.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Jesus in the Home of Friends.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Jesus Among Friends and Foes.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Friends and Enemies of Jesus.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Christ's Methods of Dealing With Friends and Foes.

1. Jesus in the Home of Friends (Luke 10:38-42).

There is no place where true friendship is so clearly revealed as at the home of Jesus.

1. His Reception (v. 38).

Jesus was the head of the home, and when he received him. It would be surprising if all homes were open to receive Jesus.

2. Mary Sitting at Jesus' Feet (v. 39).

She, of fine spiritual insight, knew that sitting at the feet and hearing His Word was the thing which would please him most.

3. Martha Cumbered About Serving (v. 40).

Both sisters loved the Lord. It would be impossible to say which loved the more; but Jesus was bent on providing a fine example for them.

4. Jesus' Answer (vv. 41, 42).

Rebuked Martha (v. 41). He rebuked her, for he knew that she was not listening to Him sincerely. (2) Defended Mary (v. 42).

He declared that the thing was needful, and that Mary had chosen that good part which could not be taken away from her.

II. Jesus Among Foes (11:1-32; 37-54).

1. Charged With Being in Fellowship With the Devil (vv. 14-23).

Jesus was willing to receive Him as the God, and yet unable to accept His mighty works, they declared was casting out demons through the chief of demons, who exposed the fallacy of their reasoning by showing that in that case the devil would be arrayed against him and therefore would destroy his own kingdom.

2. Refused to Believe His Resurrection (vv. 29-32).

They asked for a sign from heaven in proof of his resurrection. He reminded them, however, that their request was unbelief surpassing that of the queen of the South, and that the people of Nineveh.

3. Wickedness Denounced (vv. 54).

He pronounced six woes upon those who were opposing His seeking His destruction.

(1) The Pharisees (vv. 37-41).

He denounced for (a) their hypocritically observing some minute commandments, they carefully avoided the small herbs of the garden, practicing injustice to their neighbors and withholding love from