

## HEMP.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Greene, of Greensboro, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Frye.

Miss Lucile Eifort, of West End, spent a few hours in town Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Kelly and children visited Mrs. Martin Shields Thanksgiving Day.

Mrs. J. B. Muse and daughter, Sarah, were visitors in town Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Hunt and children, were visitors of Mrs. Shields last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cummings and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Walker motored to Elon College Sunday for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Oummings' son, Swanson, who is attending college there.

Misses Virginia Brown, Loyce Presnell and Ossie Brown, of Elon College, spent the week end at home.

Miss Leta Auman spent last week end with her home folks in Seagrove.

Mrs. John McMillan, of Candor, was a guest of Mrs. John Brown last Friday.

Rev. J. C. Cummings, who has been away from his churches for the past month will return to his regular appointments Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Lowdermilk have returned to their home after a three weeks' motor trip to California.

Prof. L. R. Maness, of Duke University, was a visitor in town during the week end.

Rev. William Stewart, of Burlington, who has been visiting Rev. R. C. Goodchild for a few days, was in town Sunday and preached at the Methodist church in the afternoon. In the evening he gave an address to the Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Evans and E. A. West spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Tysor, of Erect.

Miss Flora MacDonald spent the week end with Ruby and Golda Tysor of Erect.

Misses Elizabeth Slack, Aureade Frye and Mildred Stewart spent last week end with Eula and Grissella Maxwell, of Hope Mills.

Misses Fannie Belle Phillips, Vera and Treva Lynch, Margaret Scull and Dorothy Swett spent the week end at their respective homes.

Rev. and Mrs. R. A. McLeod and children, Misses Isabelle McLeod and Mary S. MacDonald attended the wedding of Miss Belle Monroe to Fred Townsend, at Long Street church, Fayetteville, Thanksgiving Day.

Walter Jones spent the week end at his home in Fayetteville.

Eugene Street and Wilton Elkins spent the week end at their homes in Glendon and Caribton, respectively.

On Friday night, December 2, the Senior Class of Elise High School, will give a play entitled, "Home Ties," in the auditorium of the school.

## LAKEVIEW

Thanksgiving service was held at the church Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. The devotionals were led by the pastor, Rev. D. Monroe. Mesdames C. W. Spears, M. P. Causey, W. H. McNeill and Miss Helene Dougherty, accompanied by Mrs. N. L. Gibbon at the piano, sang a beautiful selection which was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone present.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Byrd, from Raleigh, spent Thursday at the home of Mrs. Byrd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Gardner.

Little Miss Sarah Worthy Stewart, from Pinehurst, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. MacQueen last week.

Mr. Hiram McInnis was the guest of Mr. Dannie Matthews at the University in Chapel Hill for a part of the holidays and the game Thursday.

Miss Selma Smith, Messrs. Clifton Johnson and Norman Day, from Southern Pines, were dinner guests Thanksgiving Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Eastwood. The guests, accompanied by Misses Lou and Johnsy Eastwood, motored to Chapel Hill in the afternoon to see the football game.

Miss Frances Blue, who is teaching near Chapel Hill, spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Blue.

Miss Elizabeth Scarborough and Mr. D. E. Scarborough, from Greensboro were visitors to friends here Thursday of last week.

Mr. George Haynes spent Thanksgiving with home folks here.

Miss Katie Brooks has accepted a position in Pinehurst.

Mr. Sam Stutts, from Blowing Rock, visited friends here last week. He and Mrs. Stutts and James spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Wood at Thagards.

Messrs. Neil Yarborough and Hubert Goodwin, from Raleigh, were visitors at the Eastwood home Sunday.

The Woman's Auxiliary will meet with Mrs. Guernsey Richardson Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

## Vass and Community.

During the time that we were shut in last week with a sore throat, we were made very happy by receiving some beautiful chrysanthemums from Mrs. E. J. Tillman. They were grown by Mrs. Tillman at her home in Laurinburg, and while she may be only an amateur florist, she certainly gets the results of a professional. Three of the flowers were different from any we recall ever having seen. The big ones we usually see are comparatively flat on the stem side and fluffy and round in front. These were just the opposite. They had yellow centers, measuring from an inch and a quarter to an inch and a half in diameter, which stood out in plain view, while the hundreds of petals around them crowded each other for space until they almost met around the stem. The flowers measured about 14 inches in circumference, and there were two of these big beauties on one stem. We hope that Mrs. Tillman will tell

us the secret of her success with this queen of fall flowers.

## Annual Bazaar to Be Held.

The Methodist Auxiliary will hold its annual Christmas bazaar in the Temple building on Friday afternoon and Saturday of this week. There are only a few more shopping days before the Christmas rush will be on so attend the bazaar and finish your shopping before the rush. On Saturday at 12 o'clock and continuing on through the evening the ladies will serve dinner. Oysters, stewed and fried, chicken salad, with all the accessories, and desserts will be served.

## Popular Young People Wed.

On Tuesday of last week Miss Olera McCraney and Duncan McGill, members of prominent local families, motored to Chesterfield, S. C., and were united in marriage. They were accompanied by Royce Byrd and Mrs. Alton Chappell.

Mrs. McGill is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McCraney and is a member of the senior class of the Vass-Lakeview high school. Mr. McGill is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McGill. Both are popular members of the younger social set.

## Missionary Society Meets.

The Methodist Auxiliary met on Tuesday evening of last week at the home of Mrs. H. A. Borst with Mrs. Borst and Mrs. C. L. Tyson as joint hostesses. Thirteen members were present. A very interesting Thanksgiving program was given, with readings by Mesdames Leslie, Keith and Griffin. A business session followed the program. The society, which is working as a whole during November and December, voted to draw names for circles at the next meeting in order that the circles may be ready to begin work at the first of the year. During the social hour several clever contests were enjoyed. Mrs. W. C. Leslie and Mrs. W. J. Cameron, the winners in one, were given pieces to embroider for the bazaar. Mrs. G. H. Simpson and Mrs. G. W. Griffin were given dolls to dress. At the conclusion of the games, the hostesses served fruit salad and cake, and salted nuts in attractive turkey nut cups. Mrs. W. J. Cameron and Mrs. C. J. Temple will entertain the society in December at the home of Mrs. Cameron.

## Two Injured in Wreck.

A most deplorable accident occurred on the highway almost directly in front of the home of Attorney W. D. Matthews about 12 o'clock Sunday night when a Ford roadster, occupied by Frank Smith, Hobert Hennings and a Draughan boy, wrecked. The young men had been to visit the latter's grandfather beyond Sanford and were returning to their homes in upper Hoke county, when the accident occurred. Draughan, who was driving, could not give a very clear account of what happened, but the car evidently turned a complete somersault and righted itself, as the top, windshield and steering wheel were smashed. Nearby residents who were awakened by the crash rushed out to find Smith and Hennings in an unconscious condition, but the latter soon regained consciousness. Dr. Rosser was called and found that Smith had sustained a fractured skull and Hennings a broken collar bone. They were carried immediately to the Central Carolina Hospital in Sanford. Draughan received only minor injuries and was taken to his home.

Smith's condition is considered very serious, his skull being fractured at the base of the brain. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Smith, and his injury seems peculiarly sad as Mr.

and Mrs. Smith lost a son in an automobile accident last spring.

## Woman's Club Will Meet.

The Woman's Club of Vass will meet on Friday evening of this week at the home of Mrs. D. A. Smith. Negro Spirituals Please Large Crowd. In response to a special invitation issued to "white friends," a large number of the white people of Vass and community assembled at Allen's Chapel, the colored Methodist church in town, at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon to hear the choir sing some of the popular negro spirituals. One-half of the church was given over to the visitors. The choir, led by the pastor, rendered a program that was thoroughly enjoyed, and seemed to meet the approval of everyone present. During the entire program the leader referred to a book only a time or two and the choir sang entirely from memory. "Jesus Call Us," was sung

by two little girls of eight and ten years and the choir hummed an accompaniment. This number was especially impressive. Words of appreciation were spoken by J. M. Tyson and S. R. Smith, and Rev. Mr. Monroe and Rev. Mr. Koons made short talks. The pastor expressed his appreciation of what the white people had done for his race, and spoke of what his church was striving to accomplish with their young people. One remark that impressed us was: "The better our people are, the safer your homes are."

The colored people of Vass, as a whole, are good citizens, and take great pride in their church work. Their program Sunday was a great credit to them. Especially noticeable was the good order and the politeness with which the visitors were treated.

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At Pinehurst  
Friday, December 2nd.  
8:15

At Southern Pines  
Saturday, December 3rd.  
Matinee at 3:00 p. m.

## Clara Bow in "Get Your Man."

Also the Charlie Chase Comedy, "The Bird Man," the Oddity "Assorted Babies," the Fables and News.

At Pinehurst  
Monday, December 5th.  
8:15

At Southern Pines  
Tuesday, December 6th.  
Matinee at 3:00 p. m.

## Lon Chaney in "London After Midnight."

Also the Paramount Comedy, "Red Hot Bullets," Felix the Cat in "No Fuelin'" and the Review.

At Pinehurst  
Wednesday, December 7th.  
8:15

At Southern Pines  
Thursday, December 8th.  
Matinee at 3:00 p. m.

## TAXES

For the convenience of taxpayers, the Tax Collector for Moore County will be at the following places on the dates mentioned for the purpose of collecting taxes for 1927:

CAMERON—Dec. 6, Morning.

VASS—Dec. 6, Afternoon.

SOUTHERN PINES—Dec. 7, After-

noon.

PINEHURST—Dec. 8, All Day.

JACKSON SPRINGS — December 9, Morning.

WEST END—Dec. 9, Afternoon.

J. D. McLEAN

Tax Collector, Moore County