

TOWN & COUNTY BRIEFS

The editor was delighted to have a call Christmas eve from Messrs T. J. Council, W. D. Beckwith, and L. E. Poe, of New Hope township.

The government estimate of the cotton crop in Chatham made December 20 is 7,156 bales, as opposed to the estimate last year same date of 8,673 bales. Union and Cleveland are the two counties in the state that made considerably more cotton than in 1927. Mexican big boll is grown considerably in those counties which may account for the smaller loss by boll weevil, and which has added a cent to three cents a pound premium on the price of the staple. A hint to the wise is sufficient.

Deputy R. G. Perry and other deputies, captured Eddie Alston, colored, last week, just when he was ready to make several runs of booze. A copper still, complete, and several stands of beer were seized. Alston made bond. It is rather strange that a negro can make bond for the sum demanded in this case. Another negro was present at the still but escaped.

Messrs. R. G. and G. C. Perry carried about 1500 pounds of turkeys of their own production to Raleigh last week, which brought a clear check for \$540. Some of the gobblers weighed as high as 22 pounds. There were about 120 birds. These gentlemen consider turkey raising more profitable than raising cotton.

Mr. W. W. Booker, who recently bought a part of the old home place of Mrs. Booker, formerly Miss Ward Eubanks, is now located on it with his family. Mr. Booker came from Burlington, but is a native of Orange county. Mr. and Mrs. George Hogan, the former a son of Mrs. Booker, are with the Bookers for the time being. Mr. Hogan is suffering with rheumatism. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Frazier, of Charlotte, a daughter of Mrs. Booker also visited the Booker home this week.

There are some good folk in Chatham county, whose response to our statements have been exceedingly appreciated. Several, among them R. B. Clark, H. S. Parrish, S. J. Fields, Mrs. J. W. McIntyre, appreciating the difficulties we have had making it this year after being burned out, sent in \$3 checks, paying for two years.

Mr. Frank Bouldin is reported to have killed a 500-pound porker last week.

Messrs. F. M. and W. A. Griffin spent Christmas with their mother, Mrs. J. T. Griffin at Durham. Mrs. F. M. Griffin would have also gone but was not quite well. Mrs. J. T. Griffin, who was formerly Miss Lydia Thomas, is one of the readers of the first copy of The Record night onto fifty years ago.

Mr. J. K. Cryssman, who has built him a new home in West Pittsboro after two years in Edgecomb county, moved in December 21, just two years to the day since he left the county. He expects to make some more of that high class tobacco he used to grow on his place four miles from Pittsboro.

The Chrysler car stolen from Mr. Van B. Elkins some weeks ago was found down in Montgomery county somewhat the worse for its usage, but as the insurance company paid for the damage Mr. Elkins comes out whole.

It seems that the item about Mr. I. M. Gilmore's two big hogs failed to get in the former issues; so here goes again; Mr. Gilmore reports the two netting about 1150 pounds, which were some hogs.

A lot of the fellows are renewing, but there are some folk we expected to hear from before now. Come right along and you will be in time to help us even up for the year.

Misses Mary Lou Burns, Sadie Johnson and Camilla Powell, Pittsboro students at N. C. C. W., are home for the holidays.

Misses Elizabeth and Mabel Thomas, teachers in the Raleigh schools, are with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Thomas, on the Sanford road.

Miss Elizabeth Burns is home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Griffin and Miss Sarah spent Christmas eve and Christmas with Sarah's mother in Sanford.

Pittsboro has had an interesting visitor the past few days in the person of Miss Kimoko Yamashiki, a young Japanese lady student at Louisburg College, who is the guest of her school mate, Miss Frances Johnson. The young lady has been at Louisburg College for two sessions, and is able to speak and write English fairly well. But some words are a puzzle to her when first heard in one of their various meanings. For instance, she might, perhaps, have understood "lap" in the sense in which a cat laps its milk, but when asked as to how the two young ladies managed to ride in a crowded car, if she sat in Frances' lap, she was puzzled, and repeated "l-a-p, l-a-p;" then "I don't know about lap, but I sat on her legs part of the time and she on mine part of the time."

Broadway and Pittsboro basketball teams have even honors. Broadway beat Pittsboro at Broadway last Friday evening and Pittsboro returned the defeat here.

Mr. J. J. Thomas, who lingered in the county some time after selling his personal property, is now at his new home in Burlington, 913 Webb Avenue. "Jim" will be missed in Chatham.

Miss Cordie Harmon, accompanied by her brother Obie of Chapel Hill, spent Christmas with their brother at Hartsville, S. C.

Ibrie Farrell came in from the Southern Dental College for Christmas with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Thomas spent Christmas here with Mrs. Thomas' mother, Mrs. Mattie Lanus. They live in Durham.

Mrs. R. P. Johnson spent Christmas with her brother's family at Moncure.

A fair congregation greeted Rev. D. W. Herring, returned Missionary, at the Baptist church Sunday morn-

ing. The sermon seemed to be appreciated by his hearers. Mr. Herring was accompanied by his son, Alex, who is a student at Furman University. They were guests for the day at the home of their kinsman, the editor of the Record.

Dr. Arthur London is home for the holidays from New York, where he is serving an internship in a hospital. Also John Lawrence London are home from the University.

Miss Miriam Chapin arrived Saturday from Richmond, where she is training as a professional nurse.

Messrs. Willie Morgan, Fred Nooe, Lacy Harper, and other county boys is at home from the University.

Miss Mary Sue Poe, a student at Meredith, is among the home folk this week.

Mrs. R. H. Hayes spent Christmas at Casa of Davie.

Mrs. W. H. Jones spent Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Mattie Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Conell came in from Raleigh to spend Christmas with the former's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Gunter, formerly of this county but now of Sanford, with their daughter Miss Carrie, visited their daughter, Mrs. A. B. Robinson this week. Mr. Gunter is 83 years of age, but is brisk and hearty.

Mr. and Mrs. Shannonhouse have with them this week their daughter, Miss Norman of Charlotte and son Royall of the University.

Miss Evelyn Alston is visiting her mother at Lillington.

Mrs. H. A. London had the pleasure of having several of her children visit her during the Christmas season.

Mr. Bruce Griffin is home on a furlough from his naval school.

Esquire Blair, we regret to report, remains quite ill.

Mr. Grady Snipes, salesman for Brooks and Eubanks, spent Christmas with home folks in Baldwin township.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Weeks spent Christmas at Clinton.

Mrs. Carey Griffin has been quite ill at her home in Sanford.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones, of Greensboro, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, Asheville spent Christmas with their mother, Mrs. Mattie Thompson.

Mr. McGee of the S.A.L. train crew, in the absence of Mrs. McGee, who is visiting her folk in Georgia, was up to spend Christmas with his mother at Franklinton.

Mr. William Hunt is home from Charlotte for the holidays.

Mr. Connie Bynum of Wilson was home Christmas day. He and his brother Henry, of Columbia, presented their mother with a radio and a

beautiful lamp for Christmas.

Mr. Pilkington went to Ridgeway, S. C. to visit his daughter, Mrs. Henry Nooe, but before leaving he made his daughter here, Mrs. V. R. Johnson, glad by presenting her a baby grand piano. Mrs. Johnson is a capable performer as one may judge from her playing the pipe organ in the Episcopal church.

Harold Perry, son of Mr. John Perry, had bad company for Christmas. He was thrown out of a wagon that ran away and got his arm broken in three places.

Mr. W. S. Goodwin was over Monday with Johnnie Mitchell and Amy Thomas, colored, who wished to get married, but were delayed by the failure to find Dr. Chapin to secure certificates. But we guess Willie and Amy are now tied up all right.

His Wife Was Gassed

Monday Mr. Robert Williams and wife, who live in Durham were coming to visit relatives in Chatham. As Mrs. Williams was not very well and the car was rather open, Mr. Williams placed a chair in the rear of the great box-like rear of his car and let her ride there to protect her from the cold. When they arrived at Bynum, it was found that Mrs. Williams was suffering from

the effects* of monoxide from the exhaust, and Dr. Chapin had to be called. The Doctor says if the ride had continued to Sanford, the effect would have been very serious. Here is another example of the danger of riding in the rear of a car.

Birthday Party

Little Miss Lula Foushee Hinton celebrated her sixth birthday Saturday with a party to her little friends. The little Miss received quite a number of presents on the occasion.

Harris-Gunter

Friends of Mr. Claude Harris, one of the fine young fellows belonging to the engineering corps stationed here the past year, congratulate him upon his marriage Christmas Eve to Miss Evelyn Cornelia Gunter, of Sanford. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gunter of Sanford and is a deservedly popular young lady. Mr. Harris hails from Roxboro and is a most likely and worthy young man.

The Record extends heartiest wishes for a long and joyous wedded life.

Mr. G. M. Honeycutt of the "M" System Grocery store, Siler City, spent Christmas with homefolks at Chapel Hill.

Congressman Hammer addressed the Rotary club of Siler City Monday at its second meeting since its

recent organization.

Dr. Van Elkins and Mr. F. C. Justice and other Siler City gentlemen are spending part of the week duck hunting in the eastern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Manley of Siler City had as guests this week Mrs. G. G. Martin, Columbia, S. C., Mrs. G. D. Martin, Aberdeen, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dorsett and family

of Raleigh, also Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fisher and little daughter of Wilmington.

Miss Martha Bragg of Bear Creek township died the first of the week at the age of 91.

"Aunt" Alice Grimes, wife of Ben Grimes, colored, died Tuesday, after a long and continued illness. She was buried at Hamlet's Chapel Wednesday.

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