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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McNeill made a business trip to Biscoe one day last week.

Mrs. Nearin, of New York City, who has recently purchased a home in Pinehurst, is spending a few weeks with Mrs. A. S. Newcomb while the furniture is being placed and everything put in readiness for her in her new home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Gardner, of Pinehurst, were pleasant visitors in our town Sunday.

Mrs. M. T. Driggers and little son, Sidney, spent Sunday with Mrs. Driggers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Gardner.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Newcomb are in High Point and Greensboro this week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Seward recently spent a day visiting at Niagara.

Messrs. S. J. and P. L. Gardner made a business trip to Scotland county Monday.

Messrs. Loving and Spencer, golf enthusiasts, of Washington, D. C., were dinner guests at the Seward Inn Sunday and spoke very pleasantly about Southern Pines and Pinehurst, where they had been golfing.

Rev. J. A. Wood preached an excellent sermon to a large and interested congregation at the Union church here Sunday evening.

Miss Flora McQueen will give her Community Service Moving Pictures here Saturday night and all the school children as well as the older folks are urged to attend as these shows are interesting as well as instructive.

The first meeting of the Ladies' Aid will meet Thursday afternoon at three o'clock with Mrs. J. R. McQueen, and every member is urged to be present as a program for a winter work will be organized.

One of our young ladies made the remark the other evening that she would not marry the "best man living." A certain youth who flatters himself that he answers the above description has become quite despondent and talks about enlisting in the U. S. Navy for life. It is to be hoped for his peace of mind that she change hers.

The many friends of Mr. Leon Westcott, of West Eaton, N. Y., who has spent several winters here and who served in the World War, being gassed while in service, will be sorry to learn of his failing health and his inability to come south this fall.

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PRICES OF CROPS

The price of tobacco continues to advance, and the farmers are correspondingly happy. It looks now as if the average of the markets over the state will run above thirty cents, and thirty cents is not any longer considered a high figure on the Moore county markets as much tobacco brings a great deal more. Fifty cents for a load does not excite anybody. Tobacco men say this is the best season except two years ago since the civil war.

Cotton is not holding its own. It is two or three cents below the high notch on the bulge of a month ago, selling most of last week below eighteen cents. Some of the authorities say this is caused by the unusual influx of a great amount of lint, which is customary at this time of the year, as the farmers bring the seed cotton to be ginned as soon as it is picked, and much of it is offered for sale right then. Conditions in Europe appear to be improving, and exports of cotton are better than a year ago. The mills in this country are also taking more cotton. This indicates a better price later in the year unless the mills have a supply on hand to carry them over a long period.

Other farm crops are extravagantly high this fall. Poultry and eggs are bringing good prices and butter is holding up well, but meat products are off and grain is low. Sweet potatoes are doing right well at about \$1.50 a bushel. Fall vegetables and garden stuff are a short crop.

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THE COMING PEACH BELT

Take a map of Moore county. Mark off a triangle. Draw a line from Vass to Southern Pines, another from Southern Pines to Pinehurst, another from Pinehurst to Vass, and you inclose an area that contains the two great peach ridges of this section.

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