

## The Week in Vass

The Vass Woman's Club will meet tonight, Friday, at the home of Mrs. D. C. McGill and the American Home department will have charge of the program.

Honoring their house guest, Miss Margaret Edgar, of Richmond, Va., the Rev. and Mrs. C. I. Calcote entertained a few young people at their home on Tuesday evening. Monopoly was played, and at the conclusion of the game delicious refreshments were served. Those present were Miss Edgar, Miss Agnes Smith, Miss Katrina Beasley, Miss Mary Frank McMillan, Robert and John Rosser and Vick Keith.

Mrs. R. D. Braddy and Thompson Braddy of Rockfish, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Keith, Miss Elizabeth Keith and Linwood Keith were dinner guests of Misses Sallie and Bessie Cameron a day last week.

Miss Pansy Abernathy spent last week in Jonesboro with her cousin, Miss Gertrude Winstead.

Mr. and Mrs. George Koustenis and baby, Anne, returned Thursday night from Washington, D. C., where they spent the Christmas holidays with the parents of Mr. Koustenis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben H. Smith and T. R. Moffitt of Sanford visited relatives here on Wednesday evening.

Walter Moore, who for the past several years has been manager of the C. & P. Store here, has been transferred to Hamlet, and Bill Robinsonette of Hamlet is in charge of the store here. Mrs. Moore and the children expect to join Mr. Moore some time during this week.

Remond McCraney of Wallace spent the week-end at home.

Mrs. Jewell Hemphill, Mrs. Loula Muse and Mrs. L. B. McKeithen of Cameron called on Mrs. A. M. Hemphill and Mrs. W. D. McCraney at the home Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Bessie McCaskill and little daughter, Louise, of Ashley Heights are visiting the Briggs children near Vass.

Robert Rosser has returned to Davidson College after a holiday visit with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. G. Rosser.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Crutchfield have moved from the Union Church community to the D. H. McNeill farm near Vass.

Miss Gala Lee Nunnery of Roseboro visited her sister, Mrs. B. M. Corbett, last week.

Mrs. F. W. Taylor, Misses Louise and Marjorie Leslie and Julian Leslie returned Sunday from a trip to various points of interest in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Parham of Nashville have taken an apartment in the Beasley building. Mr. Parker will be associated with R. P. Beasley in farming and in the fertilizer business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jones and family of Cameron route 1 have moved into the home of Aubrey Keith.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Willis have returned to Onancock, Va., after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Spurlin of Sharon, S. C., and Earl Edwards of Greensboro were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. McMillan. Miss Ossie Edwards of Garner were here for the day Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Dowdy and family of Carthage spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lambert.

Miss Mary Frank McMillan was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. F. L. Dees, of Pinehurst several days last week.

Mrs. A. M. Hemphill and baby of Aberdeen came Friday to visit relatives.

Misses Cornelia Cameron and Katrina Beasley spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Dan Cameron and family at their home on Cameron Route 1.

Wilbur Edwards returned Sunday from a trip to St. Petersburg and Tampa, Florida.

Marvin and Carson Cagle and Curtis Luther of Carthage were visitors in town Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. C. J. Temple and Mrs. C. L. Tyson visited their sister, Mrs. W. Duncan Matthews, at Southern Pines Friday afternoon.

Misses Pearl Johnson of Pittsboro and Dorothy Lambeth of Moncure were dinner guests of Miss Katrina Beasley. Misses Katrina Beasley and Dorothy Lambeth were dinner guests of Miss Katharine Graham Friday. Miss Graham returned to Moncure with Miss Lambeth and spent the night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gladstone returned Sunday night from Forsyth, Ga., where they spent the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Gladstone's people, and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Wilson accompanied them from Columbia, S. C., where they visited relatives.

Little Carolyn Morgan of Carthage Route 3 spent several days last week with her aunt, Mrs. Fairley Cameron.

Vick Keith, Ray Griffin and "Pete"

McRae accompanied Franklin Matthews to Louisburg College and Bernice Graham and Joseph Matthews to State College Sunday afternoon.

C. D. Suit, Richard Griffin and Richard, Jr., of Hamlet were visitors at the G. W. Griffin home Saturday.

Miss Marian Cameron spent Thursday in Raleigh. On Sunday she returned to Louisburg College to resume her studies.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bundy of Raleigh were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Edwards a part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fairley Cameron visited relatives in Carthage Sunday. Curtis and Margaret Bettina spent several days last week with relatives near Sanford.

Clyde Cox went to Fayetteville the first of the week, where he has a position.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shaw and children of near Cameron visited Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Wood Sunday.

D. A. Cameron and family visited in Raleigh a day last week.

Sergeant and Mrs. James Boylan of Fort Bragg visited Paul Gschwind on Thursday and Friday of last week.

Misses Jessie and Eloise Brooks left Sunday for Wilson and Buies Creek, respectively, to resume their teaching.

Miss Elizabeth Keith returned to Wallace on Saturday after a holiday visit here.

Miss Margaret McDermott of Cameron and A. G. Edwards, Jr., were Sunday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Koustenis. Mrs. T. J. Smith spent Wednesday with relatives in Durham.

### ADVICE FROM GARRISON ON TOBACCO PLANT BEDS

By E. H. Garrison, Jr.,  
County Agent

We have just received from Mr. Floyd's office a very interesting article on Tobacco Plant beds. Since the plant is a very vital part of the crop, I am passing this on at the present time. The article is as follows:

"The seed bed should be selected in the warmest location where the soil is very loamy and will not have a tendency to bake and get hard or the other extreme which would be extremely wet natured. It is best to select new soil which has been covered with leaf mold in order to prevent grass and disease.

"The seed bed should be thoroughly broken 4 to 6 inches, then pulverized until the soil is very fine. Two pounds of a 4-8-3 fertilizer, the potash derived from sulphate of potash magnesia, should be applied to each square of bed and mixed thoroughly with the seed with about two gallons of fertilizer or cotton seed meal to make a good carrier so that it will make possible a more even distribution of seed. After the seeds are sown, the soil should be packed lightly. The method most commonly used is to tack a board to a wooden maal so as to tamp the soil evenly over the entire bed.

"As soon as the seeds are sown and the bed tamped, a thin layer of wheat, rye or oat straw which has been thoroughly thrashed should be broadcast over the bed. The straw should be evenly broadcast. Twenty pounds of straw is sufficient to each 100 square yards. Then the canvas is placed on the straw and pegged to the ground around the edges of the bed to prevent the cloth from blowing off. The advantage of the straw is that it prevents the seed from being beaten into the ground too deeply by heavy rains and at the same time keeps the top of the soil moist. This enables the seed to germinate a week to ten days earlier than they normally would under average seasonal conditions. It generally requires about 100 square yards of seeds for each two acres of tobacco that is to be planted.

One level teaspoonful of clean seed, if evenly sown over the bed, will give an ideal stand of plants."

The tobacco seed cleaner has been sent back to the factory for repairs, but should be back in about a weeks time so that we may start cleaning seed again.

### ANGLOW INVESTMENT CO., INCORPORATED AT RALEIGH

A certificate of incorporation of the Anglow Investments Company was filed at Raleigh and recorded in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Moore county this week. The company is to deal in any and all real, personal and or mixed property, and the incorporators are Henry B. Chatfield, Harold G. Chatfield and Margaret E. L. Chatfield, all of Pinehurst. The principal office will be at Pinehurst.

## Familiar Scenes in the Sandhills



The Woman's Exchange Hut in Pinehurst with "Aunt Dinah" on Guard as Usual

## Churches

### Southern Pines

**Baptist Church**  
Rev. J. Fred Stimson, Pastor.  
10:00—Sunday School.  
11:00—Morning worship.  
7:00—B. Y. P. U. Service.  
Thursday, 7:30 p. m.—Prayer meeting and Lesson Study.

**The Church of Wide Fellowship**  
Rev. C. Rexford Raymond, D. D., Pastor.  
10:00—Church School.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship.  
7:00 p. m.—Intermediate C. E.  
7:00 p. m.—Pilgrim Fellowship Forum.  
Wednesday, 8:30 p. m.—Choir Rehearsal.  
Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—Prayer meeting and mid-week conference.

**Christian Science**  
New Hampshire Ave., near Ashe St.  
Services are held every Sunday at 11:00 o'clock.

**Emmanuel Episcopal Church**  
Rev. F. Craighill Brown, B. A., B. D., Rector.  
Services—First Sunday in month: Church School at 10:00 a. m., Holy Communion at 11:00 a. m., Other Sundays: Holy Communion, 8:00 a. m.; Church School, 10:00 a. m.; Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11:00 a. m., Saint's Day and Holy Days, Holy Communion at 10:00 a. m.

**Brownson Memorial Presbyterian Church**  
Rev. E. L. Barber, Pastor.  
Services Second and Fourth Sunday mornings 11:00 a. m.  
First and Third Sunday evenings 7:30 p. m.  
Church School each Sunday morning 9:45.

**St. Anthony's Catholic Church**  
Rev. Thomas A. Williams, Pastor.  
Mass will be offered every Sunday at 8:00 and 10:30. Devotions every Sunday evening at 7:30. Novena to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Daily Mass at 7:30. Confessions will be heard every Saturday from 4:30 to 5:30 and from 7:30 to 8:30. The Catholic Lending Library will be open every Monday from 3:00 to 5:00 and from 7:00 to 9:00 p. m. and every Thursday from 3 to 5. The Boy Scouts meet every Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

**PINEHURST Community Church**  
Rev. A. J. McKelway, Pastor.  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday: Church School and Sandhills Brotherhood.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.  
7:15 p. m.—Young Peoples' Worship.  
8:00 p. m.—Evening Worship.  
Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—Mid-week worship.

**The Village Chapel**  
The Rev. Thaddeus A. Cheatam, D. D., Minister.  
Sunday Services as follows:  
9:00 a. m.—Holy Communion.  
10:00 a. m.—Children's Service.  
11:00 a. m.—Church Service.

**Roman Catholic Church**  
Rev. W. J. Dillon, Pastor.  
Mass Sunday morning 6:30 and 10:30.  
Also at 8:30 when visiting priest is present.

### ABERDEEN

**Aberdeen Baptist Church**  
Rev. Ernest M. Harris, Pastor.  
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 10:00 a. m. J. A. Bryant, Superintendent.  
Preaching and Worship Service each second and fourth Sundays at 11:00 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. B. Y. P. U. every Sunday at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7:45 p. m.

**Bethesda Presbyterian Church**  
Rev. E. L. Barber, Pastor.  
Hours of worship: Sunday School each Sunday 9:45 a. m.; Worship First and Third Sunday mornings 11:00 a. m.; Second and Fourth Sunday evenings 8:00 p. m.

**Page Memorial M. E. Church**  
Rev. L. M. Hall, Pastor.  
Sunday School every Sunday at 9:45 a. m. First Sunday—Preaching 7:30 p. m. Second Sunday—Preaching 11:00 a. m. Third Sunday—Preaching 7:30 p. m. Fourth Sunday—Preaching 11:00 a. m.

**Pinebluff Baptist Church**  
Rev. Ernest M. Harris, Pastor.  
Sunday school every Sunday morning at 10:00 a. m. Irving G. Wylie, acting superintendent.  
Preaching and worship service each third Sunday at 11:00 a. m. and each fourth Sunday afternoon.

### CHURCH NOTES

The union service in Southern Pines Sunday night at 8:00 o'clock at the Church of Wide Fellowship will have as the preacher the Rev. E. M. Harris, pastor of the Baptist Church in Aberdeen. Music will be by the united choirs.

Dr. Rev. Mr. Stimson will preach on "The Silent Years" Sunday morning at the Southern Pines Baptist Church.

At the Christian Science Church Sunday morning the subject of the lesson-sermon will be "Sacrament." The Reading Room in the church is open on Wednesday of each week from 3:00 to 5:00. The public is cordially invited to attend the services

## Bridge Champions To Meet Here Jan. 22, 23

### Tournament for Leading Players of the Carolinas at Carolina Hotel

The committee in charge has announced the program for the Pinehurst Contract Bridge tournament for champions of the Carolinas to be played at the Carolina Hotel on Friday and Saturday, January 22nd and 23rd.

The first qualifying match will be played on Friday night, the 22nd, at 8:00 o'clock. Everyone is eligible to enter. The Mitchell movement will govern the play and there will be trophies for the North-South and East-West winners in all sections.

The second qualifying match, to be composed of approximately 60 percent of the players from the first match, is scheduled for 2:30 on Saturday afternoon, the 23rd. Again there will be trophies for the North-South and East-West winners in all sections.

The Championship play-off among the 16 highest pairs surviving the second qualifying round will be played at 8:00 o'clock on Saturday night, the 23d. The Howell movement will govern the play and there will be grand trophies for Carolina winners and for visiting winners. At the same time a second flight match, everyone eligible, will be in progress with trophies for North-South and East-West winners in all sections.

Entry fees will consist of \$2.00 for the first qualifying match and \$1.00 for all other matches and players are requested to make their reservations as early as possible. The committee expects to have a reservation table open at the Carolina from 3:00 to 6:00 p. m. on Friday, the 22nd, but they are reserving the right to modify this procedure.

The tournament will be directed by Mrs. Anna Fenner of Tarboro, one of Ely Culbertson's outstanding teachers and tournament conductors. Mrs. Fenner's assistants will be Mrs. Carl Butman of Washington, D. C., Mrs. R. B. Davis of Rocky Mount, Mrs. Claude Ramsay, Pinehurst and Mrs. Lillian Rutger of Charlotte. R. O. Tingley of Charlotte will be the official scorer of the tournament.

### JUDGE SEAWELL TO TALK TO D. A. R. ON LINCOLN

The Alfred Moore chapter, D. A. R., will hold its regular January meeting with Mrs. J. Talbot Johnson at her home in Aberdeen, with Mrs. J. W. McGraw as assistant hostess. Judge H. F. Seawell of Carthage will speak on "Lincoln." All Daughters, whether members of the local Chapter or not, are invited to attend.

and use the Reading Room.

"The Recovery of our Lost Ideals" is the topic of the sermon by Dr. C. Rexford Raymond at the Church of Wide Fellowship at 11 a. m. Sunday. The Rev. Leon M. Hall, pastor of the Page Memorial Methodist Church in Aberdeen, will preach Sunday morning from the topic, "A Farewell and a Salute." The accomplishments of 1936 will be recalled and bidden farewell; the tasks and the challenges of 1937 will be saluted and welcomed.

The Christian Family will be the subject considered at the morning masses at St. Anthony's Church this Sunday. "The Sacrament of Matrimony" will be discussed at the evening devotions, followed by an explanation of the questions from the "Question Box." "The Flight into Egypt," will be considered at the Novena Devotions on Wednesday evening.

## Conservation Program Checks Are Received

### County Agent Sending Notices To Farmers Whose Payments Are Ready

"We received this week our first batch of checks on the Soil Conservation Program," County Agent E. H. Garrison, Jr., reports. "These are all right good sized checks, in fact larger than I had expected that most of them would be. Notices have been sent to all those who have a check here at the present time. Just as fast as these come in, notices will be sent out, so please do not call for yours until you are notified. There are still a few who have not signed up yet. I should like especially well to get these off as soon as we can so that we shall be ready for the new program when this comes up.

"The program this year has been very successful and the majority of those who have taken part this year will get paid off shortly. Those who have carried out the terms of this contract and have not overplanted the cotton and tobacco bases are coming out well on payments and in addition to this are building up the farms. This program permitted those who needed the hay crops to cut these off. This has been a little confusing to some this time. Be sure tho that you get credit for all the crops turned under or left on the land.

"Please remember that no payments can be made until the applications are signed and that all tenants must sign these before they will be sent in for payment. Also that you will be notified when your check comes. Tenants' and landlords' checks will be made separately so that you will not have to worry this time about the division on these as we had last year. This will all be figured out in Washington and a separate check will be mailed to each party interested in a work sheet. You will know whether or not you have signed up and if you have, then your check will come through all right. If you have not signed, please do this at once so that we shall be able to get these papers out of our way," Mr. Garrison urges."

### CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS TO GIVE BENEFIT BRIDGE

On Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock in the Park View Hotel St. Anthony's Church will hold a benefit bridge. This party, the first of the season, will be under the auspices of court Judge William Gaston of the Catholic Daughters of America. Mrs. Charles Sadler and Mrs. James Spring, Grand Regent of the Local Court, will be the hostesses. Judging from the interest displayed in these affairs in previous years a large attendance is anticipated. Tickets will be fifty cents.

### NIAGARA

Miss Evelyn Hudson, who spent the holidays with her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Frank left Saturday for her home in Savannah, Ga.

Miss Evelyn and Gladys Snipes spent the week-end with friends in Savannah, Ga.

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