

Specialist To Explain Rural Electrification

Meetings To Be Held in Various Parts of County on January 21-22

Miss Pauline E. Gordon, home management specialist, and D. E. Jones, rural electrification specialist both of State College, will be in the county on Thursday and Friday, January 21 and 22, to conduct meetings in various points in the county, according to information given out by Miss Flora Macdonald home demonstration agent.

The schedule of meetings is as follows: Thursday, the 21st; in the Vass-Lakeview school auditorium at 2:30 in the afternoon, and in Aberdeen at 7:30. On Friday, at High Falls at 10:30 a. m., Eagle Springs at 2:30 and the court house at 7:30.

With the coming of electric service to the farm home, the new customer is immediately faced with the problem of wiring his home and farm buildings, and the wiring should be adequately done so that the customer may enjoy the fullest benefits which this ready servant affords.

These meetings, to which the public in general is invited, are being held to help customers plan their wiring so that they may have the best service possible.

Since the beginning of the rural electrification program, home demonstration club women have worked constantly for electricity for their homes, and the information which will be given at these meetings as to proper wiring choosing the proper lights and the right placement of lights will help them to get the greatest good from the electric current.

SERIES OF MEETINGS AT VASS-LAKEVIEW SCHOOL

W. E. Gladstone of the Vass-Lakeview School faculty has announced the following meetings:

On Friday evening, January 15, at 7:30 o'clock, those who contributed funds for the local cannery in 1933 are asked to meet in the town auditorium in Vass to discuss the operation of the cannery for another year.

D. E. Jones and Miss Pauline E. Gordon of State College will speak in the Vass-Lakeview School auditorium at 2:30 o'clock on Thursday afternoon, January 21st, on the use of electricity in the home and proper wiring and lighting.

On Friday evening, January 22 at 7:30 o'clock B. D. Robinson of High Point, who is connected with the Soil Conservation Service, will speak to the farmers on crop rotation and soil erosion. The meeting will be held in the Vass-Lakeview school building and will be the first of a series of general meetings to which all farmers in the section are invited.

The Week in Vass

The Rev. C. I. Calcote preached an interesting sermon appropriate to the New Year before a large congregation Sunday morning in the local Presbyterian church. A vocal solo by Mrs. Calcote was a pleasing feature of the service.

"A Farewell and a Salute" was the topic of an inspiring sermon preached by the Rev. L. M. Hall in the Methodist church at the Sunday evening hour. The public is cordially invited to hear Mr. Hall at the 11:00 o'clock service next Sunday morning, January 17.

The Vass-Lakeview cagers divided a double header with Carthage on Friday evening in the Carthage gymnasium. Miss Jessie Thomas scored 20 points to lead the Vass-Lakeview girls to a 32 to 4 victory. The Carthage boys defeated the locals by a score of 24 to 20, Cox with 11 points being high scorer for the winners and White with 9, high for Vass-Lakeview.

As a surprise for her birthday, a number of the young ladies of the town gave Mrs. S. R. Smith a miscellaneous shower on Saturday evening. Those taking part in making her "seventeenth" the happiest birthday she has yet known were Misses Helen Klingenschmide, Agnes Smith, Gladys Cox, Kathrina Beasley, Cornelia Cameron, Katharine Graham, Margaret Lambert, Louise and Marjorie Leslie.

The Fivers Club, a young men's social organization, held an enjoyable meeting in the Temple building on Thursday evening, at which time several new members were initiated. Around fifty were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson and Mrs. L. L. Woolley of Southern Pines and Mrs. Virgil James of Manley were Sunday afternoon guests of Dr. and Mrs. R. G. Rosser.

Mrs. Lizzie Borst and daughters, Mrs. W. G. Parker and Miss Annie Borst, of Cameron visited Mrs. H. A. Borst Monday afternoon.

Misses Agnes Smith and Neolia McCrummen, with Miss Flora McDonald and Charles Cox of Carthage, went to Red Spring Sunday afternoon to attend a council meeting of the Young People's League of Fayetteville Presbytery. They also called on Misses Margaret McDermott and Faye Brewer at Flora Macdonald College.

Mr. and Mrs. John Abernathy had as their Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Hassell Abernathy of Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ferguson and baby, Johnie, and Mr. and Mrs. Brownie Cooper and little Peggy Ann of near Vass.

Mrs. Frank Jeffreys visited her daughter, Miss Anna Laubscher, in Laurinburg Sunday afternoon. They called on Mrs. E. J. Tillman, formerly of Vass, and her mother, and found Mrs. Stewart critically ill of heart trouble.

Wilbur Beasley of Hobgood and R. E. Beasley of Ansonville visited the Vass Beasleys during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Kimball and little daughter have moved from the Lakeview community to the A. K. Thompson home in Vass.

Tommy Gschwind of Raeford spent the week-end with home folks. Duncan Matthews, Jr., of Southern Pines visited him Sunday.

Miss Vivian Matthews of Oteen attended church here Sunday and had dinner with Miss Agnes Smith. Vivian, a former Vass girl, is nursing in the government hospital at Oteen.

Mrs. W. T. Cox spent Saturday night and Sunday with her brother, J. B. Cameron, at his home in Manley. Mr. Cameron has been confined to his home for several days with an infected leg.

Mrs. T. J. Smith had as her guest for the week-end her mother, Mrs. Clark of the Sanford section.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McCraney, Mrs.

A. M. Hemphill and Miss June Hemphill were Fayetteville visitors Wednesday.

Miss Eloise Brooks of Buie's Creek visited her mother, Mrs. G. W. Brooks, during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Culbreth, Walter Culbreth and Mrs. J. A. Wilson of Raeford spent Sunday with Mrs. Annie Chappell and Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Chappell.

The Rainbow Home Demonstration Club, formerly the Union Club, met on Monday afternoon with Mrs. Thurlow Evans at her home near Vass with fifteen women present. Mrs. J. B. Parker, the new president, presided.

Interesting reports were given by the minor project leaders, and a valuable lesson on the causes and effects of malnutrition was presented by Miss Flora McDonald. No pictures or charts were used in the lesson, but each member took mental stock of her own body as the various causes and physical defects were thought to be the main causes of malnutrition and effects were studied. Faulty diet in this county.

S. P. Postoffice Gains in Revenue During '36

Gross Was \$23,142 For Year—Christmas Mail Increased 20 Percent.

A seven and one-half percent increase in gross revenue over 1935 is the record of the Southern Pines postoffice for the year just closed, according to Frank Buckan, postmaster; and this in spite of the fact that one of the heretofore largest local mailers is now mailing from another locality.

In 1935, the gross revenue of the postoffice here was \$21,546.03 and in 1936 the figure rose to \$23,142.26.

Christmas mail revenue this past year also ran ahead of 1935 — by about \$500.00 or about 20 percent. The actual figures for Christmas week were \$2,642.58 for 1935 and \$3,144.04 for 1936.

Comparative 1935 and 1936 gross revenue figures, by quarters, are as follows: 1935—first quarter, \$6,291.86, 1936—first quarter, \$6,639.07; 1935—second quarter, \$5,148.10, 1936—second quarter, \$5,551.06; 1935—third quarter, \$3,264.32, 1936—third quarter, \$3,934.85; 1935—fourth quarter, \$6,842.35, 1936—fourth quarter, \$7,017.28.

LOCAL BOYS TO ATTEND NATIONAL SCOUT JAMBOREE

At the regular weekly meeting of Southern Pines Boy Scout Troop Number One on Friday last, it was announced that two boys would be sent to the National Jamboree this June. Who the boys will be is the object of much speculation. Their names will be announced a few weeks before the time of the trip. The Jamboree is for all Scouts of the United States and the boys will profit much from their camping at the Nation's capital. Father Williams, Scoutmaster, will accompany the boys and while in Washington he will assist the National Scout Council of which he is a Special Commissioner.

ENJOYS CAMELS THE WHOLE DAY THROUGH

WORLD'S CHAMPION SPEED SKATER, Kit Klein, says: "I like to enjoy Camels the whole day through. I rely on Camels for digestion's sake—enjoy them while I'm eating and afterwards."



TED HUSUNG, ace sports announcer, says: "Mine's a hectic life—but my digestion keeps running smoothly. I enjoy Camels with my meals and after." Camels are mild—better for steady smoking.

FOR DIGESTION'S SAKE... SMOKE CAMELS

Again ELECTRIC RATES DROP!

and here's how you have made this reduction possible

Volume Counts

Our business is like all others in that VOLUME COUNTS... the reception YOU have given CHEAP Electricity has caused greatly increased use throughout our territory... YOUR more abundant use of Electrical Services justifies the latest rate reduction... in our business, VOLUME COUNTS!



Electric Cookery's Popularity Has Been An Important Factor In Giving YOU A New LOWER Rate!

Carolina homemakers show a strong preference for the advantages of ELECTRIC COOKERY. With the coming of CHEAP Electricity, additional thousands have abandoned other cooking methods in favor of the convenient, quick, and thrifty Electrical way!

YOUR increased enjoyment of ELECTRIC COOKERY and many other helpful Electrical Services has made this latest rate reduction possible!

• Commercial Rates Have Been Reduced Also!

Carolina Power & Light Company

Here is YOUR New LOWER Domestic Rate -

Effective on all bills rendered on or after January 26, all domestic users will be billed as per the following schedule:

- 5c per KWH for first 50 KWH used
- 3c per KWH for next 50 KWH used
- 2c per KWH for next 100 KWH used
- 1.5c per KWH for all additional KWH used.

The Top Rate is Now Just a Nickel!

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