

News and Personals from Vass

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Thanksgiving Service

A Thanksgiving service was held at the Vass Baptist Church Wednesday night, with the pastor, the Rev. Thomas Wolfe, conducting the worship period and the congregation participating in readings and hymns.

Following the service a social hour in the fellowship hall was enjoyed, at which an offering for the church's building fund was made.

Union Service

Vass, Cameron and Union Presbyterian Churches, all served by the Rev. A. C. Trivette as pastor, held a Thanksgiving service at Union Church Wednesday night. The Vass choir sang.

Special Program

The Methodist Youth Fellowship conducted a Thanksgiving service at 11 a. m. Sunday at the Vass Methodist Church with Norman Epler, MYF president, presiding. A worship center added a harvest atmosphere. The table was covered with a green cloth. At one end were a lighted cross and an open Bible and at the other a tilted basket of fruits, vegetables and nuts with a background of autumn leaves.

The entire group—speakers and choir—gave the call to worship in unison. Miss Carol Foster led a responsive reading and Charles Parker offered a prayer.

Jeanette Mullinix gave the origin of Thanksgiving, beginning in the time of Moses. Norman had "Bringing in the Sheaves" as his topic. There were two special songs by the MYF, and a pleasing added feature was a song by a group of primary girls with Ann Thomas doing the solo part. "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow" was sung by choir and congregation, followed by the MYF benediction.

The youth group substituted for the pastor, the Rev. James Eskridge, who went home to Mississippi for Thanksgiving and to bring his family back after a month's visit.

Thanksgiving Party

Thanksgiving dinner left-overs were no problem in the homes of several local couples. Instead, they were the makings of a party feast that was enjoyed as much as the noon-day dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Edwards, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Mullinix combined their left-overs with those of the Jack Morgans at the Morgan home, and made a real dinner party Thursday evening, which all found to be lots of fun.

Christmas Programs

With Thanksgiving Day in the past, thoughts are now centered on Christmas, and, in the case of

some, on Christmas programs at the various churches.

The first of these will be that of the Methodist Youth Fellowship, which will present a pageant, "The Abiding King," at the Methodist Church at 7:30 p. m. December 9.

The Methodists have only one evening service each month, on the second Sunday, and it is the custom for the youth group to present their Christmas program on this night to avoid conflicting with the one at the Presbyterian Church, which is usually held the third Sunday night in December.

Eplers Move to Vass

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Epler and baby moved last week from Lakeview to the Bill Mashburn house in Vass, recently vacated by the James Hudsons who are now in their home in Sunrise Heights. Mr. Epler was separated from the Army as a corporal early this month at Fort Bragg, and is now employed as a draftsman by Saco-Lowell in Sanford. Mrs. Epler is the former Ruth Mashburn of Vass.

Mission Study

The Vass Baptist Women's Missionary Union and Girls' Auxiliary held a mission study at the church Monday night, with a covered dish supper.

Lions Club

The Lions Club met at the community house last week for their regular meeting. Ladies of the Vass Baptist Church served a delicious turkey dinner.

Personals

Mrs. P. A. Wilson had Thanksgiving dinner with her brother, W. D. McGill, and family at Lakeview and her nephew Kent McGill came home with her and stayed until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hennings and children of Winston-Salem visited Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Williams during the weekend.

Mrs. Leon Keith and baby,

John Arch. came home from St. Joseph's Hospital Monday.

The Rev. and Mrs. Thomas Wolfe and children visited their families in Burlington Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Smith and son, Mack, of Dobson visited the N. N. McLeans here, Miss Agnes Smith at Moore County Hospital, and T. J. Smith at The Anchorage in Southern Pines Saturday. Miss Smith came home Saturday afternoon and is getting along well.

Danny Williams visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Williams, of Robbins Friday and Saturday.

James Edwards, son of Mrs. Lacy McRae, arrived Sunday after a tour of duty on Okinawa. After his leave he will be stationed in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Cameron went to Buies Creek to spend Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. J. F. McKay, and sister, Miss Martha McKay. Mr. Cameron returned Friday and Mrs. Cameron remained until Tuesday.

Mrs. P. B. Irby and children spent Thanksgiving and until Tuesday with Mrs. Mary Irby in Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ferguson and daughter of Colmar Maynor, Md., visited his brother, Roland Ferguson, and family, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rabeau of Sanford were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parker.

Callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Mullinix on Thursday included Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Mullinix, Jr., of Uwharrie, Bill Thompson of High Point, and Miss Norma Jean Plummer of Lexington. Visiting the Mullinixes and little Jimmy Ferguson were Archie Ferguson of Aberdeen and Mrs. Ed Humphries of

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comments on
HOUSEPOWER contest!**

Mrs. Stamford Mizelle of 903 Elm Street, Raleigh, N. C., was one of the Preliminary Monthly Winners in the \$100,000 HOUSEPOWER CONTEST. Final Winners in the Contest will be announced in the near future. Here's what Mrs. Mizelle has to say about her prizes plus an interesting comment about the wiring in her home.

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