Roxobel, N.C., July 31, 1918, the Twenty-fourth Annual Session8 of the West Chowan Association was called to order by its President, Miss Una White.

After singing "My Country Tis of Thee," the devotional exercises were conducted by Miss Unice Watson, of Roxobel. At the close of this Mrs. I. F. Coles in behalf of tive work. For several years her the Baptist Church, Mrs. Wilkins in behalf of the Methodist, and Mrs. Norfleet in behalf of the Episcopalian made addresses of such cordial welcome that the Union felt at home in the beginning. Our President in behalf of the Union made the response.

As Mrs. Rayner was unable to be present at the morning session to act as secretary, Mrs. E. A. Hug-gins was elected to take her place.

Miss White, Superintendent of the Union, gave us a brief sketch of the year's work, and her report showed much had been accomplished during the past year, but she made it clear that there is yet a great work to do.

The Union recognised the General Secretary, Miss Bertha Carroll, of Raleigh. Miss Carroll made an in formal heart to heart talk on Church Building Loan Fund, and she asked West Chowan to make a memorable Loan Fund of \$1000.

programme could not be present at help in time of need.
the morning session on account of 5th. That her memory will ever until the afternoon.

After the appointment of com- good and pure. mittees the morning session came to 6th. That a copy of these resolua close with a prayer.

tifully prepared dinner by the peo-ly and same be published in the ple of Roxobel, the Union was again county paper. called to order by singing Hymn No.

Ro!l was called and delegates were recognised; minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Under the head of "Old Business came the Sec.. Treasurer's Report which showed a balance in bank for Expense Fund of \$37.43 and a balance due on Miss Johnson's awarding the associational banner. The union voted unanimousy to try to win banner.

On account of sickness Mrs. Battle of Newbern could not be at the meeting but she raked for a special division meeting to be held at Newbern in November.

Mrs. R. B. Lineberry moved that we send delegates to this meeting President decided that each Co. union appoint one delegate to this

meeting. A few minutes were given for reports of societies on account of the weather only a few reported.

"Young Peoples Conference."-In charge of Mrs. R. B. Lineberry of Coleraine. She requested the union to kneel in prayer asking for guidance. She made special mention of the four junior organization. Y, W. A. Royal Ambassadors, Girls Auxiliary and Sunbeams. Several ladies responded. The keynote seem ed to be a plea for more in courage ment along missinary lines on the part of the parents for their child-(Continued on page 3)

The day was far spent when the soul of Blanche Halsey Vann returned to her creator, on Friday, May 30, 1918. When the news of 'the Womens' Missionary Union first reached our ears it seemed impossible to believe it. Yet it passed home to our hearts, and in the stillness we knew we had lost our friend.

> While a progressive woman in every respect, refined and cultured. she was never able to do much achealth was such as to keep her at home and for the most part in bed. But her interlectual endowments her strong personality, her ability and courage was an inspiration to us. She was historian of our chap ter, and remained in that position until the death Angel whispered, "Come with me." She has left an empty place yet her loving memory will gladden our closing years.

So be it resolved:

1st. That we bow in humble sub mission to the divine will of our Heavenly Father.

2nd. That we deplore the death of our daughter and friend,

3rd. That the Hertford County Chapter of the U. D. C. recognize and feel keenly the loss the Chapter has sustained in the way of Council and advice, devotion and consecra tion to its work.

4th. That we deeply sympathize with her family in this great sorrow and loss and commend them to Since several wno were on the the Lord of all comfort, our only

rain most of the business was put off live in our hearts and minds, and ever be a reminder of all that is

tions be spread upon our chapter After having partaken of a boun. records. A copy sent to the fami-

Mrs. S. P. Taylor, Pres.

- " Roswell C. Bridger, Sec
- " H. B. Knox
- " Jno. N. Clark

Committee.

### Ask Anyone Who Has Used It.

There are families who always aim to keep a bottle of Chamberlain's colic and Diarrhoea Remedy in the salary \$73.62, but this was paid at house for use in case it is needed, the union and a balance in Treas. and find that it is not only a good \$1.38.The Secretary read twelve investment but saves them no end points that are to be applied in of suffering. As to its reliabity ask anyone who has used it.





o the head Edward

Raleigh, Aug. 21-Following the conference here of cotton producers and ginners, the purpose of which was to secure expressions from all interests involved as to what would be a, fair and reasonable price for ginning, State Pood Administrator Henry A. Page today made the fol- home people here. lowing announcement:

A uniforn charge af \$3 50 per bale of 500 pounds or less of cotton is hereby established for the ginning service in North Carolina for the 1918 season with a charge of 80 cents per hundred pounds of lint cotton for excess weight above 500 pounds.

Cost plus 10 per cent may be added for bagging and ties. Where farmers furnish their own bagging and ties no charge shall be made for covering,

It is the desire of the Food Administration that cotton bales be standardised at as near 500 pounds as possible on account of the desirability and necessity of conserving bagging and ties, transportation and labor in handling. At the same time on account of the danger to ginning machinery of pressing large bales, ginners are suthorized to refuse to pack bales containing merthan 575 pounds.

Ginners are authorized and ex pected to refuse to gip green or wet cotton.

The drnest and patriotic co-operation of all producers of cotton as well as ginners is requested.



Our revival is in progress this week with Rev. C. J. D. Parker of Danville, Va., assisting the pastor. This is Mr. Parkers birth place and the people here are very glad to have him with us.

Mr. Robert Brown of the U.S. Army left for Philadelphia on Sunday after spending a week with his

Mrs. H. U. Griffith and daughter Miss Janie Parker returned from Norfslk on Saturday after spending with Dr W. R, Parker and family.

Mrs. Mollie Harrell of Potecasi is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. E. C. Parker.

Mr. Alvin J. Eley returned from Norfolk on Tuesdoy of last week to spend the remainded of his summer

Mr. C. G. Parker and family of Woodland attended services here on Sunday Morning and spent the even ing with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. John White and five children of Andrews, S. C., arrived on automobile last Friday night to spend two weeks with Mrs. Whites people here, namely the

Dr. W. E. Snipes and little son William, of Franklin, Va., spent the last two Sundays with his brothers and sister here.

Mr. Vernon L. Eley who has be in Norfolk for the summer cam home on Saturday to spend the reremainder of this month.

No Worms in a Healthy Child All children troubled with worms have an usealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as rule, there is more or less stomath GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC g

# FOURTH LIBERTY LOAN

The campaign for the fourth Liberty Loan will begin September 28 and close October 19. Vhe result of the loan will be wetched with keen interest in Europe, not only by our associates in the war against the Teutonic powers but by our enemies. It will be regained by them as a measure of the American people's support of the war.

The Germans know full well the tremendous weight and significance of population support of the war, of the people at home backing up the Army in the field. As the loan succeeds our enemies will sorrow; as it falls short they will rejoice. Every dollar subscribed will help and encourage the American soldier and hurt and depress the enemy of America.

loyalty and willigness of the people of the United States to make sacri fices compared with the willign of our soldiers to do their part There must be and will be no failure by the people to measure up to the courage ard devotion of pig and there by an incentive to our men in Europe. Many of them have given up their lives; shall we at home withhold our money? Shall we spare our dollars while they spare not their every lives?



## West Raleigh, N. C. August 21.

Johanna, Bertha and Clementine Flueren, refugees from the Belgium territory which was overrun by the Huns three years ago are pointing the way to successful farming in North Carolina by becooning members of the Pig Club orgrnazation by the Agriculturial Extension Service. Their came to this county, after having lost everything he had by the invasion of the Germans, and settled in the St. Pelena colony near Burgaw three years ago. Mr. Hugh McRae of Wilmington grve hiw the means for making the trip and sold him small one-horse farm, equipping it with absolute necessity in the way

of farm implements. Mr. Flueren had to taught to plow but during the past three years, he has paid for his empliments and has been able to support his five The loan will be a test of the motherless girls. The two oldest ones are now in Wilmington making their hwn living and the three younger ones aged 12, 14, and 16 respectively are contented young farmeretts because each of them has been given a pure bred Poland Chins stay at home on the farm.

Mr. R. T. Melvin, County, agent for Pender County, advised of Fluren to buy these pigs for girls and allow them to join the club after it was seen that something must be done to keep them from following their sisters to the city. According to Mr. Melvin this farmer does not dread the specter of being left alone on his farm now for the pigs have proven of much fascina tion to the young ladies and receiving as much care as if they were members of the family. The girls give them the best of attention and occasionally favor them, a few hugs and kisses.

### YOUNG DRAFTED MEN TO LEAVE

The following young white men of Hertford County from class one will entrain at Ahoskie Monday for Camp Jackson, South Carolina, there to take training for oversea Service:

Rolin Starting Lassiter Arthur Chamblee Paul Eley Dukes Edward R. Evans William P. Winborne Norman G. Wise William Harvey Vinson Tom W. Sears Henry Johnson Holloman Wooden D. Odom Otis Modlin Clarence Beale Sebron Morris Alex Terry Hugh G. Horton Calbert Verne Mitchell Jas. L. Darden Brodie Outlaw Richard Fairless Walter Randell Raymond Vinson Percy W. Perry W. Clyde Hollomon John R. Gary Dillard Coleson Thos. J. Bentball Henry G. Harrise

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