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## SUMMARY OF THE WAR NEWS

United States Demands Prompt Ac- Colored School Taught by Rev. J. H. tion From Vienna—Greece's Atti-tude Remains Unknown — News From the Various Fronts. The United States has demanded

of the sinking by one of that Govment of the commander of the submarine and an indemnity for the American citizens killed or injured. British and French forces in southeastern Serbia are withdrawing suc. cessfully in the face of fierce Bulgarian attacks and have repulsed several of the attacks in rear-guard actions according to Paris. Berlin, however, says the Entente forces have suffered a decisive defeat and are terian Church in the U. S. A., of retreating toward and over the Greek The British official communication admits casualties aggregating 1,500 and the loss of eight

enter Greek territory is unknown. A the Greek Premier has informed the wood was the wind Rev. J. H. Hays- Johnson. Since a great many people Entente Ministers that Greece is disposed to make every concession not incompatible with her sovereignty and the neutrality of the country. Meanwhile, fresh contingents of Brit. ish troops have been landed at Sal-

In the northwest, along the Albanian frontier, and in Montenegro the Teutonic Allies continue to har-

reported in the Austrian official comfronts the greater part of the fight-ing is being done by the artillery, with an occasional air raid.

### Light and Water Improvements Delayed

There has been a hitch in the sale of light and water bonds of the town of Lumberton in the sum of \$25,000 ber of Commerce. I remain. -\$15,000 for changing over the town light plant to the A. C. system to take current from the Yadkin River Power Co. and \$10,000 for a filter Grantham Bros. Purchase McDonald plant—those who proposed to pur-chase the bonds claiming that it will take a special act of the Legislature to allow the town to increase its indebtedness to the extent proposed. temporary arrangements may be made whereby the proposed improvements may be made whereby the proposed improvements weeks ago and Mr. May-ill be and Saturday On Saturday on Saturday and Saturday on S The town officials are working on whereby the proposed improvements may be made in the near future. Weeks ago and Mr. McNeill bought the stock and fixtures at a receiver's the stock and fixtures at a receiver's sale. Work will be begun at once recover to the alternation of changing the building country to the alternation. Oysters will be served fricated the fire and citizens lynched a day and Saturday. On Saturday negro for looting. There was no loss night there will be an oyster supper, and a doll dressed as a bride will be mor injuries were reported. over to the alternating current syspected when the bonds were voted.

## Superior Court.

ed after the report o fthe court pro- the McDonald Drug Co. for some ceedings published Thursday were written before court adjourned for the week Friday afternoon. These J. J. Grantham, who has been at were Locke McMillan vs. V. & C. S. St. Pauls, will have charge of the Ry. Co., judgment for plaintiff; store here. Luke Galbreth vs. Jno. Galbreth, judgment for plaintiff.

\$30,000 involved in this case and the beginning at 2:30 o'clock Thursday, trial will last all day if not longer. Dec. 16th, in the room recently oc-Judge H. W. Whedbee, the judge cupied by the Dixie cafe, under the presiding, spent the week-end at his Thompson hotel. Everybody is corhome in Greenville.

a good year for growing cotton, but chocolate. They will also have for nevertheless Mr. L. H. Caldwell of sale all kinds of delicious home-made chants and biggest farmers in the thing to donate to the Christmas sale county, made 4,196 pounds of seed cot. will please bring or send to the reston on 1 1-4 acres. This turned out idence of Mrs. I. B. Townsend on 1400 rounds of lint cofton. Not on-ly did one acre of Mr. Caldwell's land turn out a good yield of coton. Newro Dies From Accidental Gunshot On 23 1-4 acres he made 30 bales. The seed used were the Mexican Big hibit recently held in Lumberton.

# Cutting Down Fertilizer Bill.

his fertilizer down from 9 1-2 tons ing was accidental. in 1914 to 2 1-2 this year and says he made just as good a crop as ever. Among the Sick. He says he didn't use any fertilizer of any kind under his corn and made left Saturday afternoon accompanied H. Caldwell's. a bumper crop. He declares he is by Dr. J. P. Brown of that place, for tired of working for the fertilizer Baltimore to undergo an operation Townsend Bros. people and will buy but very little at Johns Hopkins hospital. They excommercial fertilizer next year, pected to reach Baltimore yesterday However, he will use more homemade fertilizer next year.

### Mail Christmas Packages Early Postmaster D. D. French asks The eration is a very serious one. Robesonian to urge patrons of the postoffice to mail Christmas pack- Box Supper at Oak Ridge School ages as early as possible in order that they may be sure to reach their destination in due time. The rush Ridge school house, district No. 4 is already on at the postoffice and Wishart's township, Wednesday night the earlier you get your packages of next week. The public is invited ready and the more securely you fas-ten them the better it will be. Bear er. this in mind and don't wait till the last moment and then expect the Oyster Supper at Long Branch Dec.

same service that can be given now. COTTON AND COTTON SEED Seed, 65 cents the bushel.

### WILL REPLACE BUILDINGS

Hayswood Will be Provided With Buildings on Larger and Better

from Austria-Hungary a disavowal of the sinking by one of that Gov-ernment's submarine boats of the the colored school taught by Rev. J. All members of the Union, whether ladies were present and a very in-Italian steamer Ancona, the punish- H. Hayswood and will be glad to delegates or not, are urged to attend teresting hour was most profitably

"Mr. J. P. Russell, Lumberton, N. C.

Dear Sir:

which I am the Corresponding Secre- was made of a strange trial before each month at the graded school tary and Treasurer, to express to you and to the other members of the Lumberton Chamber of Commerce the great pleasure it gave us to receive berton and submitted to cursing and a copy of the action adopted by your shoring Prof. I. F. Lowrey of the action adopted by your shoring Prof. I. F. Lowrey of the action adopted by your shoring Prof. I. F. Lowrey of the action adopted by your shoring Prof. I. F. Lowrey of the action adopted by your shoring Prof. I. F. Lowrey of the action and submitted to cursing and the control of the field guns in the retreat before overwhelming numbers of Bulgarians.

Greece's attitude toward Entente troops if they are compelled to reenter Greek territory is unknown. A copy of the action adopted by your abusing Prof. J. F. Love on the streets some time ago. It was stated in that article that Lowrey submit.

CHRISTMAS SAVINGS

S5,000 Distributed By National Bank of Lumberton Saturday to Members with the school under our care in ted through his attorney, Mr. T. L. wood was the principal.

learn that the school conducted as to win and earn the confidence of the best people of Lumber- er to state that Mr. Johnson says he members of the Christmas savings in charge, and we greatly appreciate when Lowrey came to his office and of the fact that they had received a the sympathy expressed for Rev.

J. H. Hayswood and his family, in frameup some one else was responsitive and the sympathy expressed for Rev.

In the sympathy expressed for

murication. At the other battle tion they have already made toward cision to continue our work in your community, and at no distant date to replace the burned buildings on a larger and better scale.

"Thanking you again for the copy of the action of the Lumberton Cham-

# Yours gratefully and sincerely. "E. P. COWAN".

fixtures of the McDonald Drug Co. medeling the building, occupied by sold at auction. She will be seen tem and installing a water filter will this company, Elm and Fourth be delayed much longer than was exfrenting on the corner, will be put in and the floor will be lowered presents from us. Mr. P. R. Hamlet, a registered phar-Only two jury trials were complet- macist who has been in charge of

# Christmas Sale Will be Conducted by

Ladies of Methodist Church dially invited to come and purchase is in splendid shape, that the people your Christmas presens.

4,196 Pounds Seed Cotton On 1 1-4 The ladies will serve in the Seed Cotton On 1 1-4 with the Christmas sale of fancy ar-The farmers say this has not been ticles, sandwiches and hot tea and Lumberton, one of the leading mer- candies. Every one who has any-

# Wound

Ben Frank McKay, colored, of the Boll. Mr. Caldwell had some of Piney Grove section, near Maxton, the seed on exhibition at the Farm who was accidentally shot by Peter the seed on exhibition at the Farm McQueen, colored, while they were Products, Live Stock and Poultry Exhunting, as mentioned by Becky" in her news letter in Thursday's Robesonian, died Thursday Mr. F. A. Faulk of route 1 from morning, it is learnd from the Max-Fairmont , who was among the call- ton Scottish Chief. Dr. A. B. Croom ers at The Robesonian office Thurs, held inquest as special coroner and day of last week, told about cutting the jury's verdict was that the shoot-

> Mrs. Jasper C. Griffin of Fairmont morning and that the operation would be performed as soon as possible afadvises The Robesonian that the op-

House There will be a box supper at Oak

18 The W. O. W. oyster supper which was to have been given Middling cotton is selling on the Long Branch Saturday night of last local market today for 11 1-2 cents week has been postponed to Saturday the pounds; strict middling 11 3-4. evening of this week, beginning at

## FARMERS' UNION MEETING

Last Meeting for the Year Will be Held in Lumberton Dec. 15

The Robeson Division of the Farm-ers' Union will hold the last meet-Scale to Replace Those Recently ing for the year in the court house Burned.

here Wednesday of this week. At The Civic Association held its regRobesonian readers are familiar this meeting officers will be elected ular monthly meeting last Wedneswith the loss sustained recently by for the ensuing year and other mat- day afternoon in the graded school learn that the buildings will be replaced on a larger and better scale. The following letter explains itself:

10:30 a. m. The Union has been Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 8, 1915. Worth much to the agricultural class discussed for future work. The asby proper co-operation.

"I am requested by the Board of Lawyer Johnson of Course Had Noth- in the work. seem to think this trial was merely amount of money turned loose tirely clear this statement is made. If the trial was a frameup it was just as much a frameup on Mr. Johnson as it was on the public.

# Church Bazaar at Marietta Dec. 17

and 18. Correspondence of The Robesonian. pect to contribute something to the families of married employes of the bazaar are urged to have their ar- factory, also escaped. it our store and buy your Christmas

# ton.

Washington Cor. Charlotte Observer. warehousing system for cotton while veilance for several days, provisions have been made for so many other crops.

Mr. Godwin feels that his district War of 1812 are rejoicing in the benefits of The ladies will serve in connection Democratic Administration and living in prosperity. Business conditions are sound and progress is evident throughout the section.

# Notice of New Advertisements

& Gough. The Ford has a record of efficient performance which speaks for itself Robeson Auto Co.

Notice of annual meeting of stockholders of V. & C. S. Rv. Co., also of meeting of board of directors of same company.
Whitfield & French will move in-

to new quarters in a few days. Notice of application for pardon June McKay. Program at Pastime.

Dou you want money for next Christmas on an easy plan-First Na- Washington Dispatch, 11th. tional Bank. Plumbing-H. C. Rogers.

Bring your hides and furs to L. Christmas presents for

-The graded school will close Friter reaching the hospital. Dr. Brown day of this week for the Christmas of citizens of any nation from an evening was one of enjoyment.

iday festival sale Dec. 16.

"The Progressive Railway of the South"

Tickets on sale December 17th to 25th, inclusive, 1915, Final Return Limit January 10th, 1916

> H. E. PLEASANTS, TPA TPA. JAMES KERR, Jr.

## CIVIC ASSOCIATION MEETS

### Work Discussed-All Ladies of Town Invited to Attend Meetings. Reported for The Robesonian.

The Civic Association held its reg-

Ir. J. P. Russell,
in Robeson and there is room for sociation has improved and progressLumberton Chamber of Commerce, much more good to be accomplished ed considerably during the past year nesday. Cupid seems to be darting and all the ladies of the town are arrows around right swiftly in Lumcordially invited to attend and help

ing to Do With Alleged Frame-Up. The meetings are held the first In Thursday's Robesonian mention Wednesday after the first Sunday in

MRS. JOHN KNOX, Sec.

# CHRISTMAS SAVINGS

of Christmas Savings Club.

Five thousand dollars We were especially gratified to a frame-up, as Prof. Love says Chief Lumberton Friday night by the Na. arn that the school has been so of Police H. H. Redfearn was the tional Bank of Lumberton. This was ton in the honesty, integrity and ef-ficiency of those having the school perhaps five minutes before the trial, smiles hereabouts Saturday because the Teutonic Allies continue to harrass the Serbians and Montenegrins.

In Montenegro and the supture of 6, one of the free of the first of the fi was acting in the matter except in December 20. The First National

### Mushroom City of Hopewell, Va., Completely Destroyed by Fire Honewell, Va., Dispatch, Dec. 9.

This mushroom town of 25,000 people, grown up since last summer parisons follows: with the great new guncotton plant of the Dupont Powder Company, was completely destroyed by a fire which Marietta, Dec. 13—On Friday and started in a restaurant and did prop-Saturday of this week, Dec. 17 and erty damage estimated at from one Drug Store
Grantham Brothers, who operate drug stores at Dunn, St. Pauls and Red Springs, have bought from Mr.
T. A. McNeill, Jr., the stock and fixtures of the McDopald Drug Co.

sold at auction. She will be seen wartial law was proclaimed toin the window during the bazaar, night with the arrival of six militia Wants Mr. Caldwell To Tell How will make their home here,
in the window during the bazaar, night with the arrival of six militia He Did It

The Did It Everybody is cordially invited to vis- companies, rushed from Richmond by order of Governor Stuart. The thousands of homeless men, women ian Godwin Interested In Rural Credits, burg and Richmond, but many men ton made 112 bushels of fine Irish business. They will board at the Also System for Warehousing Cot- remained to guard what little prop. potatoes on one acre after an oat home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Philerty they had been able to save.

asnington Cor. Charlotte Observer. The life was said to have been and recently Mr. Caldwell received a Branch section was among the visi-The fire was said to have been district today said he is greatly in- stove, though there were rumors terested in seeing systems adopted that it had been incendiary. These of Southern Farming, published in for warehousing cotton and for rural rumors first were given ecredence Atlanta, Ga, in which he says: "I for warehousing cotton and for rural rumors first were given ecredence Atlanta, da, in interested in reading he and a party of friends spent a credits at this session of Congress, in many quarters because of the arrecently about the good yield of week. He says they had a most two measures he considers of indis. rest last night at the guncotton fac-pensable value to rural sections. Rur- tory of a man whom factory officials Irish potatoes you made the past the late Miss Athesia Carlyle is beodist church will open a Christmas
ing tried. There is something like sale of all kinds of fancy articles,

### State Asks Payment of Claims of Washington Cor., 9th, Charlotte Observer.

After 100 years an effort wili be North Carolina payment of certain purpose the construction and opera-Prepare for Christmas now-White ert N. Page will introduce a bill to- Alaska Creek, a distance of 12 miles. tobe from \$150,000 to 6200,000.

various times, they have presented is in shares of \$10 each. claims to the Federal Government and received payment. It is understood Plenty to Live On North Carolina's claim never has been presented. South Carolina was the last State which received payment, her claim being met 15 years ago. Will save you money on all your Maryland's claim was naid 50 years Christmas goods—Lumberton Bargain ago. Interest will not be allowed.

# France Violates American Rights

The State Department announced today the stopping and searching of men- or Descartes would be made subject was held Thursday evening. A big ownsend Bros.
L. H. Caldwell begins a great holof the incidents.

holidays and will reonen for the American vessel on the high seas is without legal justification. It will 40 or 50 strong marched down Elm whom they approached. They hope spring term Tuesday, January 4.

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY RATES
NORTH, SOUTH, EAST and WEST
VIA

SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY

without legal justification. It will 40 or 50 strong marched down Edm to be able to cover the charge for the graded school, Supt. R. E. Sentelle and Principal J. L. Love. The boys and Principal J. L. Love. The boys and Principal J. L. Love this method of dispelling in no on the evening of the 23d, and lateral principal J. L. Love will be a strong marched down Edm to be able to cover the charge for the graded school, Supt. R. E. Sentelle and Principal J. L. Love. The boys and Principal J. L. Love will be a strong marched down Edm to be able to cover the charge for the graded school, Supt. R. E. Sentelle and Principal J. L. Love will be a strong marched down Edm to be able to cover the charge for the protect to France in the case of and Principal J. L. Love. The boys and Principal J. L. Love will be a strong marched down Edm to be able to cover the charge for the graded school, Supt. R. E. Sentelle and Principal J. L. Love will be a strong marched down Edm to be able to cover the charge for the graded school, Supt. R. E. Sentelle and Principal J. L. Love will be a strong marched down Edm to be able to cover the charge for the protect to France in the case of and Principal J. L. Love will be a strong for the strong marched down Edm to be able to cover the charge for the boys and principal J. L. Love will be a strong for the protect to France in the case of graded school, Supt. R. E. Sentelle and Principal J. L. Love will be a strong for the protect to France in the case of graded school, Supt. R. E. Sentelle and Principal J. L. Love will be a strong for the protect to be able to cover the charge for the protect to be able to cover the charge for the protect to be able to cover the charge for the protect to be able to cover the charge for the protect to be able to cover the charge for the protect to be able to cover the charge for the protect to be able to cover the charge for the protect to be able cancer of that term in established in- that any one might have gotten from have an entertainment to raise money \*conctional law.

For rates and Pullman reservations Thursday night from Charlotte where ple in Lumberton are standingthan spent several days. While in squarely with the graded school fac-Charlotta Mrs. Townsend was taken ulty. Wilmington, N. C. ill with a severe cold and was taken to the Prachuterian hosnital, where the remained till she started home, to Washington Thursday to get the Hor condition is greatly improved, to War Department to establish an army Raleigh, N. C. the delight of her many friends.

## LUMBER BRIDGE LOCALS

### Committees Appointed and Plans for Bazaar and Oyster Supper Dec. 17 -Personal and Other Items

Correspondence of The Robesonian. Lumper Bridge, Dec. 11-The children's missionary society of the Pres. byterian church gave an oyster supper and bazaar Friday night, which was a great success, proceeds amounting to \$46.13.
The O. E. S. ladies will give a

bazaar and oyster supper night, Dec. 17, in Masonic Lodge. Everybody is cordially invited

Listen out for wedding bells Wed-

Mr. D. Z. McGougan has pur-

chased a nice new car.-Miss Lonnie in Dillon, Mrs. Bryant, who, we are sorry to report, is on the sick list. Don't forget the bazaar Friday night, Dec. 17. Everybody come.

### 11,161,000 BALES COTTON

### Government's Final Estimate-Small Crop Worth About \$78,000,000 More Than Last Year's Great Crop

Washington Dispatch, Dec. 10. The 1915 cotton crop amounts to ,338,588,000 pounds, exclusive of inters, and is equivalent to 11,161,000 500-pound bales, the Department of

That is 2,300,000,000 pounds less than last year's crop. The value of the lint this year, however, is approximately \$78,000,000 more than less than last year's crop. The value of the lint this year, however, is approximately \$78,000,000 more than line of the lint this year, however, is approximately \$78,000,000 more than line of the lint this year that the year on that date they were getting the country, was the remark of a farmer who was a caller at The Robyear on that date they were getting esonian office one day recently. College this year the group is worth \$603,260. this year the crop is worth \$603,260,- ing a family through the winter 000, while last year's lint was worth months. My, ain't the liquor good! \$525,324,000.

The estimated production, exclu-The estimated production, exclu-sive of linters, by states, with com-for a number of years, has sold his

1909-1913 1915 States Average Virginia . 16,000 25,222 50,538 Nor. Car. 708,000 808,154 930,631 S. Car. 1,160,000 1,533,810 1,294,422 1,900,000 2,718,037 2,086,598 Geor. 50,000 81,255 61,561 Florida Alabama 1,050,000 1,751,375 1,354,579 940,000 1,245,535 1,181,320 Miss. Louisiana 360,000 449,458 340,715 3,175,000 4,592,112 3,730,765 Texas 785,000 1,016,170 869,778 Arkansas 295,000 383,517 Tenn. 52,000 81,752 Missouri Oklahoma 630,000 1,262,176 870,349 California 34,000 49.835 14,045 14,713 6,000

and children had been sent to Peters- that Mr. L. H. Caldwell of Lumber- Rogers will engage in the plumbing crop. This interesting story was cop- lips, First street. ied by papers throughout the land methods of growing them.

### New Railroad for Swain County The State chartered last week the Alaska Valley Railroad Company, having its home office in Bryson City. made before Congress to secure for The corporation has for its special expenses incorred by the State in fit- tion of a railroad to extend from ting out and furnishing troops for Bryson City, on the Murphy branch the War of 1812. Congressman Rob- of the Southern, to the Falls, on morrow calling for an audit of the The road will be entirely in Swain claim. The amount due is supposed county. The capital is \$150,000 au. berton December 2. 3 and 4, publish-tope from \$150,000 to 6200,000. thorized, and \$12,000 subscribed, with ed in Thursday's Robesonian, Mr. W. When troops were called for that the understanding that the paid-in G. Nance of Lumberton should have war money was advanced by the capital will be brought up to \$60,000 been put down as winning the first States for equipping them, and at soon after the work begins. The stock

"I have not got much money, but I'm glad to say I have got plenty of wheat to make my flour and corn to feed my stock and family for twelve Mt. Eliam spent Saturday in town, months and plenty of meat, vegetables, etc., to last me a year", was the way a farmer put it up to this reporter Saturday. That is the life and who has more right to be happy than that man?

-A social meeting of the local Porto Rico Line by the French cruis- camp of the Woodmen of the World Robeson than any place he has been. ficial advices today from San Juan so orator of the evening, several other members and visitors making short The note will contend that removal talks. About 65 were present and the

-Lumberton graded school boys recent unpleasant events that they are not loyal to their school and Mr. and Mrs. C R. Townsend teachers. The boys are standing and doughter Miss Vivian returned where the majority of the best peo.

training camp at Southport

# BRIEF ITEMS OF LOCAL NEWS

-License has been issued for the marriage of Zibbie Ivey and Etta

-Mr. Abner Nash has accepted a position as salesman in the Holmes Jewelry Co's. store.

-Mr. R. L. Gregory of the Raft Swamp section has accepted a posi-tion as salesman in the grocery deartment of Messrs. R. D. Caldwell

& Son's department store. -Chief of Police H. H. Redfearn left yesterday morning for Charlotte to enter a hospital for treatment. Mr. A. E. Spivey is serving as police-man while Mr. Redfearn is away.

-Route Agent Warren of the Southern Express Co., with head-Bennett is visting her grandmother quarters at Monroe, spent a few hours here today, leaving on the R. & C.

freight for a trip down that line. -Miss Mary Steffy, a trimmer in the millinery department of Messrs. R. D. Caldwell & Son's department store during the last season, expects to leave Wednesday for her home in

Baltimore, Md. -Assistant General Manager Seddon and other Seaboard officials spent a short time here this afternoon. They came in on a special from Marion, S. C., and after spending some time here left for Wilmington.

-Only ten working days till Christ-mas. In the advertisement of Messrs. Agriculture announced today in its R. D. Caldwell & Son in this issue final estimate of the season.

the "13 days till Christmas" should

-Mr. U. M. Edwards, who has been stock and fixtures to the Lumberton Cycle Co. This company of which Mr. D. C. Bullard is manager, has moved into the building on West Fourth street, formerly occupied by Mr. Edwards.

-"I have traveled over the country quite a bit, and I have yet to find a more beautiful town than Lumberton", was the remark of a visitor recently. It's a fact that Lum-berton is hard to beat. Give Lumberton an up-to-date hotel building and Robeson good roads and then it would be the best town in the best county in the State.

-Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rogers arrived Saturday from Greensboro and and Mrs. Rogers formerly lived here In a recent issue of The Robeson- and have many friends who will be a news item appeared saying pleased because of their return. Mr.

-Mr. W. L. Thompson of the long letter from Mr. L. A. Niven, editor tors in town Saturday. Mr. Thompson had just returned from a throughthe country trip to the coast, where pleasant trip and killed quite a bit of game while away. They also brought back a quantity of fish.

-Mr. John E. Finney, district salesman for the Maxwell Motor Sales Corporation, spent Thursday in Lumberton and closed a contract making the Lumberton Motor Car Co. general distributors of the Maxwell car for this section. This company has heretofore only been local agent for the Maxwell car. Mr. Finney also contracted with The Robesonian to do some advertising for the Maxwell people

-In the list of premiums awarded at the county exhibit held in Lumprize, \$1, offered by the Farmers and Merchants Bank of Lumberton, for the best R. I. Red cockerel, in addition to the 50c package of diarrhoea remedy offered by the Pratt Food Co. -Mr. L. W. Reddick of Darling-

ten, S. C., and Mr. Leonard Britt of guests of their nephew Mr. F. Grover Britt. Mr. Reddick and family came to Mt. Eliam through the country in an auto last week and will spend some time there visiting relatives. Mr. Reddick says that while his section has beat Robeson on a hav crop there are more potatoes in -Mesdames J. D. McCormac and

A. C. McGoogan of Rennert were in Lumberton Thursday soliciting subscriptions for the Presbyterian church at Rennert, which church is in course of construction. They were much encouraged by the liberal response of the Lumberton people for the church.

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