## LUMBERTON, NORTH CAROLINA, IHURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1918.

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## ALLIES STILL MAKE GAINS.

Teutonic Forces in East Still in Total Amount Pledged in Robeson Flight-Allies Draw Lines More Closely in Investment of St. Quentin.

## British Troops Enter Bulgaria.

(By United Press) London, Sept. 26 .- British troops ports.

news was given by the Associated drive amounted to only \$37,137. Press this morning:

been unavailing except to impede the \$23,502, previously reported \$48,985, progress of the men of Field Marshal total \$82,487. The following town-

campaign has not been satiated.
Guaged by the swiftness of the strokes Allenby is delivering, it is his purpose absolutely to overwhelm the Ottomans. And the fulfillment of his plans seems appreciably near.

Germans and Bulgarians in the Macedonian theatre. Here, except immediately on the Bulgarian frontier where the mountainous country gives

their line sin endeavors to envelop the disease. the enemy while in the center, where The malady has made its appearance the Serbs have driven thir sharp in 26 states, from the Atlantic to the wdge toward Ishtip, there is no lag Pacific. In New England, where the

On the French front, the British New cases reported from army have taken the village of Selency, a camps yesterday numbered 5,324, the scant two miles from the western largest in any one day, bringing the environs of St. Quentin, and both the total for all camps to 29,002 cases. British and French troops north and The number of pneumonia cases resouth of this line have driven further ported among the soldiers since the wedges into the German front. More outbreak of the influenza epideraic than a thousand prisoners and many September 13 is 2,313, and the nummachine guns have been taken by the ber of deaths since that date is 580. British in these operations. Numerous strong counter attacks were delivered by the enemy, both at Selecy and at Gricourt, but Haig's nen put

The Germans have also reacted

line. The advices say that preparations are being made for the expeditious evacuation of the civilians from Mezt and other places within rang'

## LIBERTY LOAN MEETING.

All 4th Liberty Loan Committeemen of County Asked to Meet at Court a. m.

for Robeson will meet in the court house in Lumberton tomorrow at 10:30 a. m. It is very important that each member of the improvement since then. Heretofore each member of the improvement since then. Heretofore each member of the improvement since then. Heretofore each member of the improvement since then. His winning the price of cotton at once and bits. Delit and then two children, the youngest a 2-year-old have been too busy. I would be glad in the Trenton, N. J., district. It is said that he also is wanted by Fedand Bits. Delit and then two children, the youngest a 2-year-old in the Trenton, N. J., district. It is said that he also is wanted by Fedand Bits. Delit and then two children, the youngest a 2-year-old have been too busy. I would be glad to see all my friends over there. I have a nice work at Roper, and am improvement since then. Heretofore eral authorities in Chicago and Pittseach member of the iommittee be in short crop. I wish you and my other the State Highway commission has burg. attendance at the meeting. The names friends to know that I am doing eve- designated the county roads upon

## Arrested for Failure to Fill Out Mr. Ellis Miller Again First to Pay be asked to specify the roads on which Questionnaire.

after he registered and changed his is the 24th successive year he has been Private Ellis Tyner Reported name, it is said. He is in jail here. | the firse Robesonian to pay his State

Mr. F. A. Faulk of R. 1 from Fairmont was among the callers at The

Robesonian office yesterday, Mr. David Smith of R. 7 from Lum-Robesonian office Tuesday.

## WAR SAVINGS PLEDGES.

to Date Only \$508,452-This Is Permanent Organization Formed at Not Quite Half the County's Allotment-Only \$37,137 Reported From Second Drive.

War Savings pledges in Robeson so far reported to Chairman L. R. have entered Bulgaria opposite Kes-turino, a Soloniki con:munique re-which is \$1,048,000. Only 3 townships Varser amount to \$508,452. This is have reported any additional pledges secured during the second drive, and and confidence seemed to abound at

## EPIDEMIC OF INFLUENZA.

## In no less critical situation are the The Malady Has Spread Over The Country Rapidly and Has Made Its Appearance in 26 States.

them ground for stronger resistance Spanish influenza has spread over to the invasion of Bulgarian territory the country so rapidly that officials through the passes, the Bulgarians of the public health service, the War and Germans everywhere are in rapid and Navy departments and the Red the committee, as many delegates as retreat before the Italians, Serbians, Cross conferred in Washington yester-Greeks and British. Rent in twain day on measures to help local commitat several points the enemy forces are tees in combatting the disease. Calls bewildered and operating as separate for assistance already have been received from several cities and in one Respectively on the western and astern flanks the Italians and Greeks and In one instance Wilmington, N. C., the public health service hospital was opened for treatment of persons suffering with the disease. eastern flanks the Italians and Greeks health service hospital was opened for and British are fast throwing forward treatment of persons suffering with

ging notwithstanding the difficult ter- disease first made its appearance, ofritory that is being encountered. Rea: ficials are considering drastic steps guards of the enemy, armed with ma- to curb its spread, including the prechine guns, are but little delaying vention of public gatherings. East of the men whose task it is to reclaim the Missippi there are few States where the disease has not been found. tion.

## ON PERMANENT RECORD.

# Died in Present War Should Be

chemin des Dames and the Laon sectors. Here also the enemy was beaten off.

Good weather has returned to the Good weather has retu American sector on the Lorraine who up to date have given their lives patrick, of Charlotte, who was mas-American sector on the Lorraine front but nothing has occurred there except the usual reciprocal bombard
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Misses Wrennie and Leils Floyd a meetings at Lumberton about the first ter of ceremonies and who pointed out the ville.

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## ON FIXING THE PRICE.

## when such a move becomes necessary. Senator Simmons is Doing What He Can in Farmers' Interest in Matter Of Fixing Price of Cotton.

price on cotton, wrtes: As was stated in Monday's Roberton the high necessity of sonian, the Liberty Loan committee sonian committee sonian sonian, the Liberty Loan committee sonian sonian, the Liberty Loan committee sonian sonia

# Taxes.

ed Monday by Rural Policeman A. H.

Prevatt on the charge of failure to fill out a questionnaire. Ballard came to Robeson from Cumberland county after he registered and changed his is the 24th processing ways here turned ham Tuesday and thinks that the proposed military highway is going to be built.

Private Filis Tunes Percentage and county taxes.

among the visitors in town yesterday. vising that his son Private Ellis Ty- home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Monroe Mr. Fred Brown returned to Lum-Mr. David Smith of R. 7 from Lumberton was a Lumberton was a Lumberton was a Lumberton visitor Robesonian office Tuesday.

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## WILMINGTON-CHARLOTTE MILITARY HIGHWAY ASSO.

Enthusiastic Meeting at Rockingham-Meeting Was Well Attended And Delegates Seemed to Enter-Wilmington Will Be Built.

The following summary of the war the pledges secured during the second the meeting held at Rockingham Tues-Amounts pledged in the various townships are as follows: Smith's donia and Turkey still are in flight before the armies of the Entente while on the highly important St. Quentin sector in France, the British and French armies, after hard fighting, have drawn more closely their in, have drawn more closely their in, have drawn more closely their in the investment of the town on the investment of the town on the investment of the town on the highly investment of the Entente town ships are as follows: Smith's Willmington, via Lumberton. Delevishes the town of t

Haig and General Debeney.

In Macedonia the Bulgarian and German troops are still faced with disaster; in Palestine the remaining disaster; in Palestine the remaining of the men of Field Marshal total \$82,487. The following township the Charlotte--to-Wilmington Military Highway association, and some resolutions were adopted, as follows: Endors in Palestine the remaining of the proposed highway; appealing to the State Highway commission to the State Highway commission of the proposed highway; appealing to the State Highway commission to German troops are still faced with dispersion to have scarcely a chance for escape from the British forces and the Springs—\$55,290; St. Pauls—\$16,10; Britts—\$7,490; St. Pauls—to at once make a survey of the proposed highway; appealing to the State Highway commission for escape from the British forces and the Springs—\$65,290; St. Pauls—there than 40,000 prisoners and 265 regular tree—\$22,330; Rowland—\$30,810; Rowland—\$30,810; Britts—\$7,490; St. Pauls—the Springs—\$12,180; Saddle—tree—\$22,330; Rowland—\$30,810; Britts—\$1,290; Parkton—\$8,595; Or the Tequired at once a bill to secure an act of the Fernican park of the Fernican park of the Fernican park of the Fernican park of the State Highway commission to at once make a survey of the proposed highway; appealing to the State Highway commission to at once make a survey of the proposed highway; appealing to the State Highway commission for the State Highway commission to at once make a survey of the proposed road; that Congressmen from North Carolina be requested to introduce at once a bill to secure an act of Congress authorizing the Secretary of the Tequired as the initial payment of the Introduce at once a bill to secure an act of the subscription will be required as the initial payment of the Introduce at once a bill to secure an act of the State Highway commission to at once make a survey of the proposed road; that Congressmen from North Carolina be requested to introduce at once a bill to secure an act of the subscription will be required as the initial payment of the subscription of the State Highway commission to at once make a survey of the proposed road; that Congressmen from North Carolina be requested to introduce at once a bill to secure an act of the subscription of the State Highway commission to at once make a survey of the proposed road; that Congressmen from North Carolina be requested to introduce at once a bill to secure and the payment of the Introduce at once a bill to secure and the payment of the Introduce at once at the Introduce at once of th and under such regulations, etc., as North Carolina is a part, is asked to may be deemed wise and expedient; and (introduced by Col. Benehan Cameron of the State Highway commission) urging that the military afmission of Congress report. fairs committee of Congress report favorably the Chamberlain Dent bill for the establishment of military highways, hearings on which will be given December 13, urging strong delegation be sent to Wash. Ladies Resume Work at Machines and ington to place this matter before highway touring party on its way to

Washington for the same purpose. The officers of the permanent organization are: President, T. L. Kirk- Correspondence of The Robesonian. Charlotte. The executive committee is composed of one member from each county represented. Mr. B. W. Towndirectors of 10 members elected in each county composing the associa-

Robeson's members on committees Sellers; nominations, I. T. Brown, Hutson, Mrs. Addie Gainey, Mrs. E. ternoen in this vicinity. Chairman of the county road board. Council.

fect that there is much perturbation oid and the families of men who have in Germany over the long distance guns of the Americans which are shelling the areas behind the German tion is given promptly.

Inis is to be a permanent State rectored and the families of men who have given their lives in this great war should see that the proper information is given promptly.

Son: Hon. G. B. Patterson, I. T. secretary, and we shall be glad to enroll every lady in town, and place their names on a sewing unit. If they cannot stitch, as some can't there is other work to do, of vital importance is other work to do, M. McKay, W. B. Harker, E. L. Hamilton, W. K. Bethune, J. A. Sharpe.

# State Will Spend Money on Roads Parkton, N. C., Sept. 25, 1918.

In a letter to Mr. F. Grover Britt, Highway commission, arrived here court which will begin at Laurinburg readers seem to feel about it and they the sophomore class. secretary-treasurer of the Robeson last evening on an inspection trip next Monday on the charge of robbing division of the Farmers' union, Sen-over the road from Charlotte to Wil-the postoffice at Allenton several House in Lumberton Friday at 10 ator F. M. Simmons, in reply to a mington. On account of being unable letter to him in regard to a "fair" to get gasoline here this morning he en money order forms, some of which great-grandson. Master Walter P. faithfully for 4 years and who is lowleft his auto here and left by rail for he passed before being arrested. Cox great-grandson Master Walter P. faithfully for 4 years and who is lovof all committeemen were published in this matter on Monday's Robesorian.

designated the county roads upon which it would spend money, but at their meeting on the next first Monday's Robesorian. day the road board of Robeson will it wants the money spent. Mr. Win-slow attended the Charlotte-to-Wil-ment a call for 15 colored men to

# Missing.

## FOURTH LIBERTY LOAN. HOWELLSVILLE

Amount Will Be \$6,000,000,000 and Interest Rate 4 1-4 Per Cent.

Six billion dollars is the minimum amount which the people of the United States are asked to subscribe for tain No Doubt That a Splendid Milthe fourth Liberty loan, according to Correspondence of The Robesonian.
an announcement by William G. Mc. itary Highway From Charlotte to Adoo, Secretary of the Treasury, in a day night outlining the government's ellsville community fair at Regans

day in the interest of the proposed loan. Bonds will be dated October Regan school house on Monday morn-Amounts pledged in the various military highway from Charlotte to 24, five days after the close of the ing, Sept. 30th, 10 o'clock, to arrange the companies are as follows: South's Wilmington will Lymboure Dale.

> preliminary work a permanent organ- will be issued in denominations of \$50 be in charge of proper committee and of streets, is having the sidewalks in ization was formed to be known as \$100, \$500, \$1,000, \$5,000, and \$10,000. carefully looked after.

### PARKTON RED CROSS.

## Finish Month's Allotment-More Correspondence of The Robesonian. Ladies Wanted For This Patriotic

Parkton, Sept. 25.—After a month's ond Sunday in October.

vacation, the Red Cross ladies were Mr. and Mrs. Isham Pittman of leave this evening for their home at silv engaged at the machines in the Fairmont spent last week with Mr. work room. The following ladies were Pittmen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. present Monday: Mrs. W. L. Stanton, Pittman. send of Red Springs is Robeson's Mrs. I. J. Lancaster, Mrs. Jess Casinmember. Each member of the exccutive committee heads the board of Nellie Stubbs, Miss Carlett Thames, Mrs. D. A. Sykes; Tuesday: Mrs. C. Adams, were Lumberton visitors Sat- moons. It was greeted by a small L. Beard, Mrs. D. S. Currie, Mrs. O. urday afternoon. L. Johnson, Mrs. E. Council; Wednesday: Mrs. J. B. McCormick, Mrs. W. Walters were visitors in the Bethesda no doubt have been packed. composed of one member from each E. Alley, Mrs. Dare Martin; Thurs- section Sunday afterniin, county represented were: organiza- day: Mrs. O. L. Johnson, Mrs. A. F. Mr. F. M. Ammons of the U. S. S. turned Monday from Baltimore, Md., tion, L. L. McGirt; resolutions, J. B. Hughes, Mrs. W. E. Alley, Mrs. R. B. Delaware spent a while Saturday af- where Mr. Caldwell spent four and a

Among the speakers were Col. Augustus Macomb, commander of Camp packed and shipped by these faithful Greene; Lieut. L. H. Ball of the British army! Hon. Cameron Morrison of finely with the work here, have been Sprunt Floyd went last Friday to Mr. Caldwell while he was in the hos-Charlotte, who devoted the biggest congratulated for the way in which Camp Hancock, Ga. Mr. Pittman went pital. half of his time to a patrietic speech the work has been done and the to see his son and Mr. Floyd went to and roused the crowd to yells and ap-plause every time he mentioned Wil-deal more if more of our ladies would back Monday night. all of them down, with heavy loss23 Names of Robeson Men Who Have son or Pershing or going to Berlin; avail themselves of the opportunity of doing this patriotic duty. We Fairmont attended preaching here sioner, who urged that the proposed should be willing to sacrifice a little Sunday afternoon. strongly in the region lying west of the Chemin des Dames, endeavoring to regain the territory held by the French as a menace against both the Chemin des Dames and the Laon sectors.

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MRS. D. S. CURRIE,

# Suggested by County Road Alleged Robber of Allenton Post

# Greene Oct. 16.

mington highway meeting at Rocking- ment a call for 15 colored men to entrain for Camp Greene, Charlotte, October 16.

berton was among the visitors in town Mrs. Edmund Lucian and two chil- today.

Mr. Warren Tyner of Raft Swamp home at Columbus, Miss., after spend- Lumberton was among the visitors in Mr. Verby Britt of Orrum was received a cablegram Saturday ad- ing some time here visiting at the town Monday afternoon.

COMMUNITY FAIR

Tuesday of Next Week-When to Bring Exhibits-Red Cross Booth. and Thrift Stamps Department.

Tolarsville, Sept. 25 .- De public is stirring address in New York Tues- cordially invited to attend the How-Enthusiasm, old pep, determination plan for the campaign which starts school house Tuesday, October 1st.

The interest rate will be 4 1-4 per The committees of the various decent, the same as that of the third partments are requested to meet at

lines in the investment of the town on the northwest, west and south. The stubborn resistance of the Germans, in defense and in counter-attacks, has in defense and in counter-attacks, has in defense and in counter-attacks, has been unavailing except to impede the stubborn resistance of the investment of the town on the investment of the investmen

be registered only.

Red Cross booth, presider over by
The loan will run for 20 years, maMiss Ruth Townsend and her assist-

J. W. MAXWELL, Secretary.

BALTIMORE NEWS BATCH.

Revival Will Begin 2nd Sunday-Personal Mention.

Fairmont, R. 1 Sept. 23 .- Rev. J. R. Miller of Fairmont filled his regu- versity of Texas. lar appointment here Sunday afternoon and it was decided that the revival meeting will begin here the sec-

Mrs. L. M. Powell, Mrs. J. D. Gillis, Mr. Hermon Johnson has accepted

Messrs. Clarence Tedder and Worth play had been known the house would

Annie Hester.

Board.

Mr. D. H. Winslow, chief of maintenance of the North Carolina State Highway commission arrived here.

office to Be Tried at Laurinburg. It is an advance Mr. Fred Shaw of R. Forest to resume his studies at Wake form Lumberton writes: "I am phrey left Tuesday for Trinity college, Durham, where he will be in the someone class."

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Dent were Lumberton visitors yester- ed and honored by many Robesonian

stake in the back yard at her home fine." and was badly hurt, three or four Raynham was a Lumberton visitor ribs being broken. Dr. H. T. Pope yesterday. He received the other day The local army exemption board wourds and it is not thought that ed in France, continental editions of

Mr. H. R. West of Allenton was Lumberton visitor this morning. Mr. J. A. Carlyle of Lumberton R. Mr. J. M. Powell of R. 6 from Lum- 6 was a Lumberton visitor yesterday. Mr. H. W. Ivey of R. 7 from Lumberton is among the visitors in town

dren will leave this evening for theirr Mr. F. F. Townsend of R. 6 from ing.

### CASH IN ADVANCE-LIMIT IS OCTOBER 1ST.

Many subscribers have responded promptly and loyally to the notice that all subscriptions must be paid in advance. This we appre-ciate. Some have overlooked this important matter. October 1st is the limit. After that date we cannot send the paper to any whose subscriptions are not paid in advance of that date. This is a Government ruling. Don't put the matter off. Attend to it at once, so that we shall not have to cut your name off the list after September 30th.

the eastern part of town cleaned off. -Miss Henrietta Ammons of R. 4

-Alex McCallum and Stella Pope,

a co'ored couple, were married in the office of Register of Deeds M. W. Flord Tuesday et 11 a. m. Justice M G. McKenzie officiated. -Mr. W. H. McLeod of Manning, S. C., has accepted a position in the grocery department of Messrs. R. D.

Caldwell & Son's department store. gan work yesterday. -Dr. E. K. McLean, who has been connected with county board of health for the last three months, expects

to leave Saturday for Galveston, Texas, to resume his studies at the uni--Mr. and Mrs. R. E. L. Prevatt and children, Layton and Margaret, who have been visiting relatives in the

leave this evening for their home at Glennallen, Va. They will move next week to Richmond. -"The Soldier Who Came Back," presented at the local opera house audience, but if the real merit of the

-Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Caldwell rehalf months at Johns Hopkins hospi-Mr. B. G. Floyd of Lumberton tal. Mr. Caldwell is greatly improv-

> -Prof. J. R. Poole, county superintendent of public instruction, left Tuesday for Beaufort to attend a meeting of the southeastern district county superintendents association. Prof. Poole is on the program for an address this evening. His subject is, "Judging and Selecting Good Teachers." The session closes to-

> -Laurinburg Exchange: It is announced that Evangelist B. F. Mc-Lendon will begin a series of tent meetings at Lumberton about the first this county will go to Lumberton to hear him.

-Messrs. Abner Nash, Adrain Britt and Robert Proctor left Tuesday for Chapel Hill to enter the State -License has been issued for the university. Mr. John G. Proctor left marriage of James McCormick and last evening for Chapel Hill to enter the same institution. Mr. Robert —In remitting to put his subscrip-tion in advance Mr. Fred Shaw of R. Forest to resume his studies at Wake

-In remitting for The Robesonian, lately changing dates to in advance.

—Gen. and Mrs. F. A. Bond of Roper by the last conference from

> -Rev. R. Walter Townsend of American newspapers. The subscription price of one of them is about \$14 a year in France and Spair and about \$21 a year in other countreis, and the paper is not as large as The Robesonian. The papers were sent to Mr. Townsend by his son Capt. Pallas S. Townsend, 349th field artillary. Capt. Townsend has been in the active fight-

DR. WILLIAM W. PARKER,

Optometrist
Expert Knowledge of Eye Diseases
and Fitting Glasses.
LUMBERTON, N. C.