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### REVIVAL MEETINGS AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. J. W. Kincheloe Assisting the Pastor, Rev. Oscar Crooch.

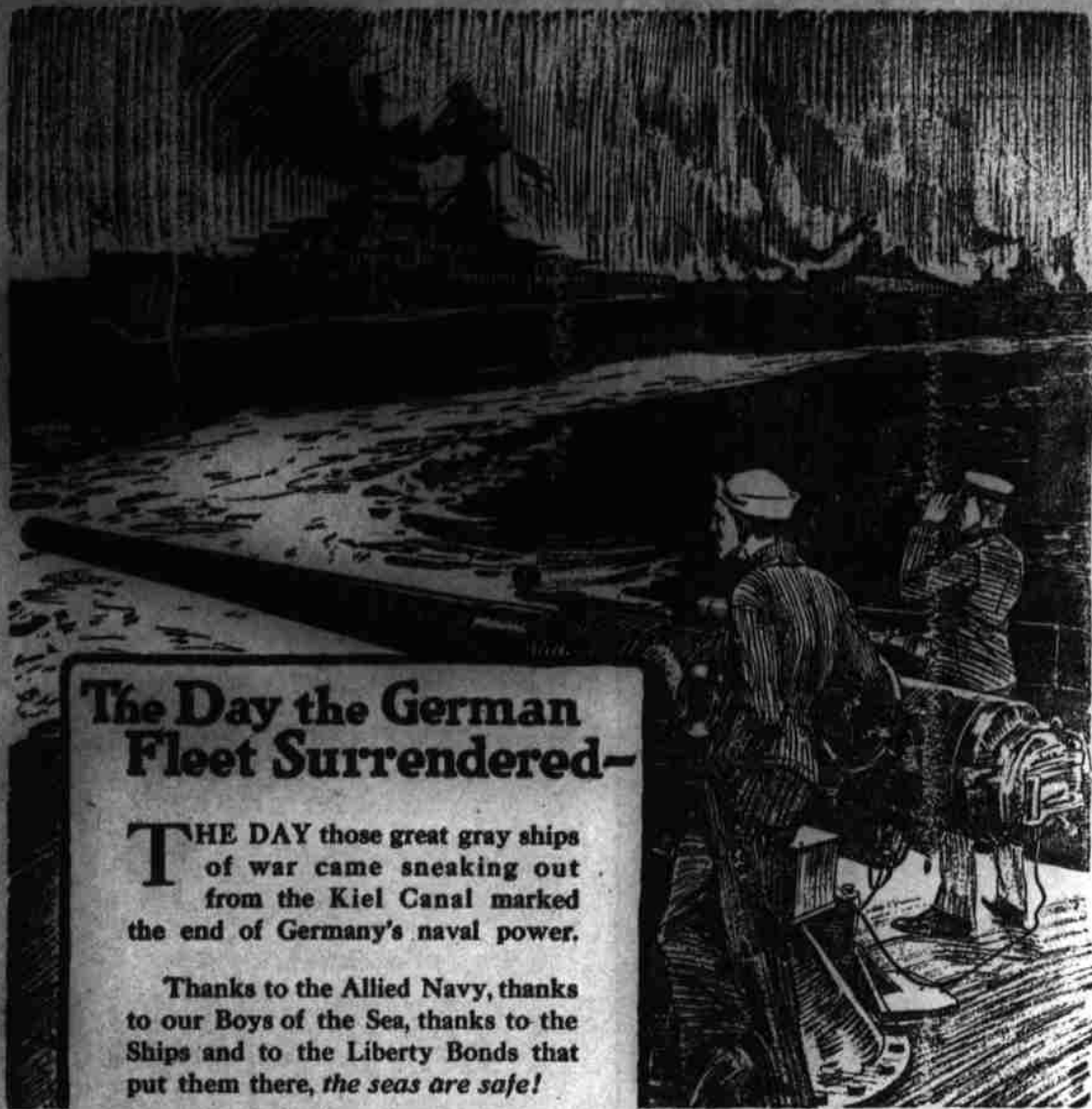
Rev. J. W. Kincheloe, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Rocky Mount, is assisting Rev. Oscar Crooch in a series of interesting meetings now in progress in Nashville Baptist Church and unless some unforeseen circumstances arise, the meetings will extend through this and next week.

Rev. Kincheloe is no stranger to the people of Nashville and vicinity and, judging from the gradual increase in the crowds in attendance at the evening services and the interest already developing, before the meetings shall have closed the capacity of the building is going to be taxed and great good will doubtless be the result of these services.

While the discourses of Rev. Kincheloe have been unusually interesting, practical and forceful, especially timely and impressive was his sermon on Tuesday evening, when his theme stressed the importance and effectiveness of prayer. Applying this principle and prerequisite to all phases of human and divine endeavor; its importance to religious, moral, business and social life, and its power in the home in shaping the destinies of the young, were features of the discourse that made a deep impression upon his hearers. Touching illustrations were employed in the application of the subject to the lives of church members, business men, parents and to the young people around whom the influence of the home life was so important in such a fast age as the present. The effectiveness of prayer and living in close fellowship with God by and through this agency; taking God in co-partnership in all phases of life and human endeavor was the safest and most effective means for success in life and brought richest rewards for eternity.

Some people have peculiar ideas about the so-called revivals; are averse to them. This is strong argument in their favor; shows their necessity. Pro and con arguments usually prove beneficial and often causes the final awakening of holy impulses where formerly antagonism towards righteousness seemed the most dominant characteristics of man. This is an age when God's ministers and followers must keep revived, and just such discourses as are being delivered by Rev. Kincheloe can but prove effective and resultant of great good.

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### The Day the German Fleet Surrendered—

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### City Is Now Forced To Take Action.

A recent survey of Washington and Railroad streets reveals the fact that in some manner property owners on the east side of North Railroad street have encroached on the town's rights as to make it necessary for the City Aldermen to take action with reference to broadening North Railroad street from where it intersects with Washington street to Elm street. This action is further made imperative since the promoters of the new hotel have acquired an option on the old Cobb hotel property and at an early date will probably begin the erection of the new hotel building. This property, as does the old drug store property, overreaches on North Railroad street approximately eight or ten feet, and the City Aldermen will at once take steps to remedy matters by broadening this street, which is a matter long needing attention.

Germany now proposed that she be admitted to the league of nations as a member with an equal vote on all questions affecting disputed territories. Thus far Germany has declined to sign the peace terms and is preparing a reply to be submitted to the peace council within the next few hours.

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### A Trip To The Orient.

The Bright Jewel Band of Nashville Methodist Church delightfully entertained a large and appreciative audience in the basement of the church on Monday evening, affording all visitors a trip through China, Japan and Corea, and those in attendance seemed to thoroughly enjoy the "trip."

Upon entering the door the "voyagers" liberally paid the "fare" with a silver offering. They then repaired to the basement of the church and first "embarked for China." Here they enjoyed a close inspection of some of the handiwork of the Chinese ladies and artists, wearing apparel and text books used by Chinese children, the display of "death robes," "death money" and numerous other curiosities. From thence they journeyed to Corea, where the display of fancy work, articles of adornment and curios came in for a close study and great admiration. Then on to the heart of Japan the voyagers went to view the fancy drawings, needlework and other articles of interest. Many children attired in the quaint costumes of the Japanese, Coreans and Chinamen were in evidence and the little ones cleverly impersonated the almond-eyed citizens of the distant lands.

To add to the pleasure of the occasion Rev. L. B. Jones with his picture machine gave quite a number of slides depicting scenes in China and Japan which were thoroughly enjoyed. At the conclusion of the pictures those attending the festivities were served with tea and sandwiches.

The receipts of the evening aggregated nearly twenty dollars. The delightful program rendered was arranged by Mrs. T. B. Dameron, president of the Bright Jewel Band.

### To Preserve Strawberries.

An easy method of preserving strawberries is given by Miss Allie Stribling, demonstrator for Nash county. Cap and wash large red berries, draining away as much water as possible. Select a vessel having a tight-fitting cover. Place in this one pound of fruit and three-fourths pound of sugar. Hold over a hot flame, shaking occasionally until enough sugar melts to prevent scorching. After boiling begins, let boil rapidly for 6 or 8 minutes. Skim, place cover on tight and remove from fire. When cold pack in sterilized jars, and process at simmering point for 15 minutes. If the syrup is not heavy enough, cook to desired consistency and pour over the packed berries.

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### Embarks In Mercantile Business.

Mr. T. B. Ward, who for some years has been identified with the National Government at Washington, where he has held the position as private secretary to Congressman E. W. Pou and has been otherwise engaged in clerical work, has resigned his position and has embarked in the wholesale grocery business in Wilson. During his stay in Washington City Mr. Ward applied his natural talents in the study of political questions and the leading lights in the National Congress. He made scores of friends while there and upon his frequent visits to all parts of the Fourth Congressional district where he kept in close touch with the people ascertaining their opinions and desires on all questions of national importance and especially effecting the interests of the people generally, he made scores of friends who will wish for him abundant success in his new field of labor.

Just at this time the farmers of Nash county are waging an active warfare against "King Green," who has the farmers in some sections of the county on the defensive. Recent rains has caused a vigorous coating of grass in many fields and it will take great effort on the part of the farmers to master the situation.

Have you listed your taxables? If not, remember that the month of May is the time within which to perform this duty.

### WINSTEAD'S SLAYER RELEASED ON BAIL

Habeas Corpus Proceedings Heard Before Judge Bond.

The attendance upon Nash Superior Court which is in session this week with Hon. W. M. Bond, judge presiding, is somewhat smaller than usual. This is possibly due to the fact that only those persons who have cases to be disposed of, or are here as witnesses, can spare the time from their farming operations.

Since the beginning of the term two cases have been disposed of by juries, these being matters wherein the establishment of lines between lands have been in controversy, or similar cases.

On Tuesday afternoon Judge Bond heard habeas corpus proceedings, instituted by counsel for H. W. Wells, who was committed to the Nash county jail Wednesday afternoon of last week charged with the murder of N. B. Williams, in Rocky Mount township, an account of which appeared in The Graphic last week. The defendant Wells was represented by Messrs. Finch & Vaughan and Burr & Spruill, the State's interest being cared for by County Prosecuting Attorney M. V. Barnhill and F. T. Bennett. Several eye witnesses to the tragedy went upon the stand and related the circumstances in connection with the killing, which were substantially the same as that previously given by The Graphic. The defendant Wells also went on the stand in his own behalf and related practically the same story as made to The Graphic representative on the day of the tragedy and which story also appeared in these columns.

After brief argument by Mr. Spruill, of counsel for Wells, in which Mr. Spruill argued the lack of evidence which would sustain a charge of murder in the first degree; the killing being without premeditation, Judge Bond reserved his decision as to permitting the defendant to give bail until Wednesday morning when the defendant was allowed to give bond in the sum of \$2,500 for his appearance at the August term of Nash Superior Court.

### Rocky Mount Plans Great Event.

Preparations continue for the great home-coming celebration at Rocky Mount on Thursday, June 5th, when that city proposes to give cordial welcome to the returned soldiers of Nash and Edgecombe counties. The programme calls for a big parade of soldiers, addresses by prominent citizens of Rocky Mount and Hon. O. Max Gardner, lieutenant governor of North Carolina, will be the orator of the occasion. A barbecue dinner will be served to the soldiers and later in the afternoon a great pageant will be staged at Riverside Park.

Fruit Cake, Plain Cake, Marble Cake; all fresh, at the Nashville Fruit & Candy Store. Adv.

### She Followed the Line We Sent Over the Rhine



The cashier figure in blue uniform and pipe bonnet is back home to serve, after two years in khaki with the boys "Over There." Salvation Army ladies spread all fashioned American flag-like in the front line trenches, and now that the war is over they will be found ready in the arms and dark places of our towns and cities, ready to give a helping hand to every woman and child who needs it. The Salvation Army Home Service Garage is located at 1111 1/2 N. 1st St.

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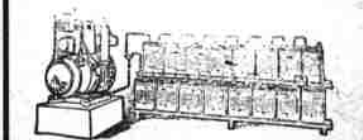
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