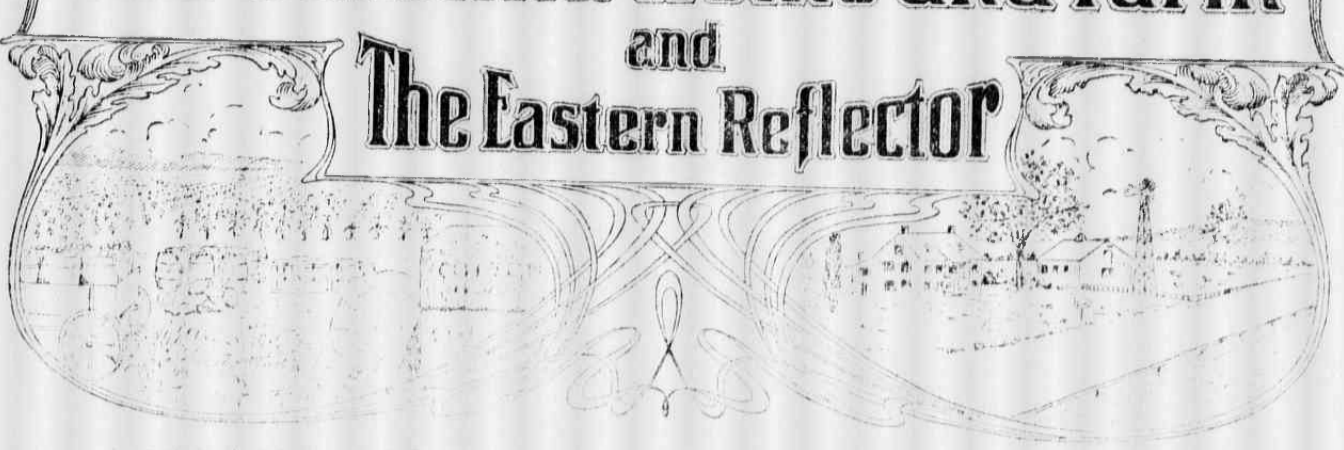


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# The Carolina Home and Farm

and

## The Eastern Reflector



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**OUR ADVERTISING RATES ARE LOW AND CAN BE HAD UPON APPLICATION.**

**NECESSARY TO THESE TIMES**

the idea sought to be conveyed that the churches must be kept to-day to hold their members.

A column and a half in the Daily News is devoted to an article on the subject of the churches in this section. The article is written by a prominent member of the church and is a most interesting and timely contribution to the subject. It is a most interesting and timely contribution to the subject. It is a most interesting and timely contribution to the subject.

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About midway the article, after she has stated that the Wesleyans of England, Baptists of Europe and Methodists of America all claim John Bunyan, she takes a dig at the way some Methodist churches of this town are conducted. Where will the churches be in fifty years? she asks. What would John Wesley think of the Methodist churches in Ohio and elsewhere with their kitchens, amusements, etc.

It would seem that Essie Collins Matthew is on the wrong tack. She isn't in Ohio at all and might, with propriety, follow the advice of a certain backwood editor of this section: "When in Rome, be a Roman Catholic."

Scotland Neck, Dec. 9. The largest single shipment of live hogs perhaps ever sent out in Halifax county was loaded at Neal's Station on the Norfolk and Carolina Railroad Monday morning by Mr. Frank P. Shields, one of the largest farmers in this section. The shipment was two solid carloads and was consigned to a Virginia live stock concern, to be used for butchering. The hogs weighed on an average about 200 pounds each, and many of those who saw them declared it to be the finest lot of hogs they had ever seen.

Two children also were captured. The Vice Admiral reports that the British casualties are very few in number.

Some survivors have been rescued from the Gisselman and the "Leopold."

Indian Win Victory.

London, Dec. 9. 9:22 p. m. it is officially announced that Subhi Bey late Governor of Basra, Asiatic Turkey, commander of the Turkish forces at Kutna, yesterday surrendered unconditionally with his troops to the British expeditionary forces, which is operating at the head of the Persian Gulf.

Two brothers of Miss Rouse gave chase in another machine but nearly up with the clippers had motor trouble and were compelled to drop out of the race.

Paige and the girl came to the edge of Winston but circled the city rather than risk arrest. Officers were then waiting for them here. The clippers are believed to be headed west.

**Sunday School Work Planned.**

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 10.—The three-day meeting of one hundred leaders in Sunday School work throughout the country came to a close today, when the public was admitted for a final session. The session was a final conference of the Sunday School Council of Evangelical Denominations and of the International Sunday School Association, and the object was the adoption of standard systems.

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**Minister Will Relate His War Experience.**

New Bern, Dec. 10.—Rev. R. M. Von Miller, pastor of the Baptist church at Jacksonville, N. C., who has recently returned from a trip through Europe, will deliver a lecture at the First Baptist Church on Middle street Tuesday, December the fifteenth. In his lecture Rev. Von Miller will relate his experiences while in Germany, France, Belgium, Holland and England at the outbreak of the European war and for the following several weeks. While in Germany Rev. Von Miller was arrested many times as a spy, and a suspicious character, and on one time the State Department had to go to his rescue, in order that he might be given his liberty.

**Rowan Official Ore Pit on Salary Basis.**

Salisbury, Dec. 9.—The county commissioners have fixed the salaries of several county officers who have heretofore been getting fees. The clerk of the court will get \$4,000; register of deeds \$4,000; sheriff \$2,500 and fees but those officers must employ their own assistants. The Salisbury township tax collector will get \$2,250. A record of fees was kept last year and the comparison shows that the county will save \$6,000 annually by the new salary system.

**Shooting Last Night.**

Will Mason Shot at Several Times But Not Hit.

The negro ball, festival or what ever it is called was in full swing last night when Will Mason left and started down the steps. When he had reached the foot he encountered a strange negro known as "Big Eye" who immediately started an altercation. It rapidly progressed to a point at which guns usually appear and they appeared or rather it appeared so far as can be learned Mason had forgotten his or did not have it. "Big Eye" opened fire on his opponent and whether he tried to see how close he could come to him and still miss, or whether he did his best to hit him is not known; but the fact remains that a bullet perforated the vest and shirt of Mason but did not touch him. Several shots were fired none of which hit Mason except the one mentioned. The negro who did the shooting left for parts unknown and at present is still at large.

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