

# Society

Mr. and Mrs. G. Daurenbaum left last night for New York to spend several days.

Master Theodore Knight Lynch left last night for Lynchburg, Va., where they will visit relatives.

Mrs. J. C. Quickel, of Lincolnton, N. C., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Carl B. Rheder, No. 818 Red Cross street.

Mr. Hugh V. Hines arrived from Baltimore last night to spend the week-end with his brother, Mr. E. H. Hines and Mrs. Hines.

The Ministering Circle Kings Daughters, will hold their annual Christmas sale December 7, at the home of the president of the circle.

Master Hamilton Sullivan returned to his home in New York City last night after visiting relatives in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Brady and children and Mrs. R. P. Eakins returned today from a motor tour through the State. While away they visited the State Fair at Raleigh and also visited Miss Cornelia Brady, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brady, who is a student at the Greensboro State Normal College.

**OPEN TEA ROOM.**  
St. Mary's Guild of St. James' Episcopal church is making ready to conduct a decidedly attractive tea room for the winter months, one that will, no doubt, prove a popular rendezvous for ladies and gentlemen seeking dainties with which to tickle the palate. The large rooms above the Wilmington Shoe Company's establishment, on North Front street, have been obtained and will soon be fitted up in most artistic way, so as to provide a pretty setting for the tea room, where choice morsels will be served daily.

Final arrangements for the tea room were made at a meeting of the guild the past week and at which session it was decided to have the opening Monday, October 30, and to make the inauguration an especially auspicious one. With that end in view various committees were named to arrange for a most delightful opening occasion.

### REVIVAL CLOSSES TONIGHT.

Evangelist Vause has been preaching strong sermons.

The revival service that has been underway at Leland for the past ten days will close with this evening's service and Evangelist W. H. Vause, of Chadbourn, who has been conducting the services will go to Mount Olive where a similar meeting will be held. The services at Leland have been held under canvas and much interest has been exhibited by those who have attended. The preaching has been of a very high order and the consensus of opinion among those who have attended regularly is that much good has resulted.

Petrograd, Oct. 21.—Very drastic measures are being taken by the government in order to keep the population of this capital at a low eb and thus prevent the ever-threatening dearth of provisions in the great city. To secure this object the authorities have decided that all persons arriving in Petrograd must personally demand permission to remain there and show good cause for seeking such permission, before a permit will be issued.

In any case no stranger coming to the city is allowed to remain here for more than a month.

Peace and prosperity call for a liberal contribution. Help the Wilson fund grow.

## THE SEMINOLE HAS ARAPAHOE IN TOW

### Distressed Passenger Steamer and Cutter Expected at Hampton Roads.

According to reports received yesterday from the passenger steamer Arapahoe, which sent out distress signals Thursday morning to the effect that it was anchored off Cape Lookout with its rudder out of commission, the vessel was proceeding to the nearest port in tow of the coast guard cutter Tampa with the local cutter Seminole acting as a rudder, but owing to the rough seas was making slow headway.

Hampton Roads being the nearest port where repairs can be made to the vessel, it is thought that the cutters with the disabled steamer arrived there late last night or early this morning. The steamer Comal, which is thought to be standing by the Arapahoe, will probably relieve the distressed steamer of its passengers and proceed to New York.

During the rough weather of Friday morning the steamer Comal, which had the Arapahoe in tow, had its towing bits torn away and it was unable to render further assistance. The cutters Seminole and Tampa later arrived and began towing the steamer.

### TIGERS DOWN HIGHS

#### School Boys Lose First Game at Hilton Park Yesterday.

In the initial gridiron contest of the season, yesterday afternoon at Hilton Park, the Tigers, a well-balanced independent team of the city, composed of a number of local stars, walked away with the Wilmington High School by a score of 52 to 0. Quite a large number of the lovers of the winter sport witnessed the one-sided contest.

From the beginning of the game until the blast of the whistle announcing the end of the struggle the Tigers made gain after gain on the High School boys, who did their best to stem the tide, but owing to the superior weight of the Tiger players, their line could not hold. When the smoke of the first half had cleared the Tigers had piled up 31 points and the remaining 21 were made in the second half.

The game was devoid of features, except for the touchdowns by the Tigers, which team played an all-round good game. Tinning, for the High School, made good gains for his team. Mr. J. B. Huntington refereed and Mr. Charles Taylor umpired.

Following is the line-up of the two teams:

Tigers	High School
Rhodes	Johnson
Center	
Rich	Sanders
Right Guard	
Mills	McEachern
Left Guard	
Kelly	H. Burnett
Left Tackle	
Lewis	C. Hall
Right Tackle	
Shore	Penton
Right End	
Shannon	Sanders
Left End	
Wagner, Capt.	Fenley
Quarter Back	
A. Hall	Griffith
Right Half Back	
Shepard	Rourke
Left Half Back	
R. Burnett	Twinning, Captain
Full Back	

## YOUTH SUFFERED FRACTURED WAIST

### Accident Occurred on South Front Street Late Yesterday—Carried to Hospital

"Buster" Spillman, fifteen-year-old son of Mrs. John Spillman, had his right wrist broken yesterday afternoon on South Front street, near the intersection of Dock, when he was knocked from his bicycle by a south-bound Castle street trolley car. The little fellow was hurried to the James Walker Memorial Hospital and an x-ray examination made of his injured arm. A report from his bedside later in the evening was to the effect that he was resting comfortably.

"Buster" was making a delivery by bicycle for the Farriss Baking establishment when the accident occurred, although he was not regularly employed by that firm. He was riding north on Front street and eye witnesses say that he collided with the street car in an effort to avoid collision with an automobile. Others who were near the scene, however, are of the opinion that the youngster was precipitated from his bicycle when the tire skidded on the slippery rail and that the street car did not actually strike him.

One gentleman who was standing within twenty feet of the spot where the youth was picked up, stated that the car was moving at an exceedingly low rate of speed and that the motor-man brought it to a full stop within half a car length of the spot where the boy fell to the ground.

The bicycle the youngster was riding was picked up and carried into the furniture store of Bradshaw & Co., and the crippled youth was hurried to the hospital for treatment. He appeared to be suffering excruciating pain at the time, but later developments showed that only the right wrist was injured.

If any action of a criminal nature is contemplated against those in charge of the street car that apparently figured in the accident, neither the motor-man nor conductor have been informed and it was stated at police headquarters last night that nothing had developed at present that would warrant indictments being drawn against anyone in connection with the case. To the majority of bystanders it looked like an accident and while it was of a very regrettable nature, an accident nevertheless.

### YOUNG PEOPLE'S DAY.

#### Special Services at Southside Baptist Church Today.

Sunday, Oct. 22, will be known as Young People's Day at Southside Baptist church. Special services for young people will be conducted at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

During the past year this church has paid special attention to its work with young people. There are several organizations among the young people and children of the church. Among these organizations perhaps the two most active are the Woodcraft Boys and Girls and the Boy Scouts.

A large number of younger people have been interested in the work of the church and about fifty have united with the church during the past six months. The church, however, feels that a much larger part can be played in the work of the church by these young folks, and much more can be done by the church in behalf of its young people.

The morning service will be conducted by Mr. C. Walton Johnson, boys' work secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association. The evening service by Mr. Odie B. Hinman, city boys' work secretary. The public is cordially invited to attend both services.

### CHALLENGE ISSUED.

#### Judge Bornemann Anxious to Debate Any Republican Speaker.

Judge G. W. Bornemann has challenged H. Edmund Rodgers, Esq., dean of the Wilmington Law School, and a member of the local bar, to a joint debate, and while the latter has not as yet accepted, the judge and his many admirers are hoping that Mr. Rodgers will see fit to mount the platform and match his oratorical powers against those of the musical justice. In a statement made yesterday Judge Bornemann declared that he was not after Mr. Rodgers' scalp in particular, but because he is a Democrat in every sense of the word he is anxious to do battle with some Republican, and added that if Mr. Rodgers did not see fit to accept, his offer held good with any of Mr. Hughes' followers. Judge Bornemann is very anxious to make an address in behalf of the party he loves and his friends hope that some one will see fit to engage him in a word battle relative to the merits of the two parties. Judge Bornemann has designated the County Court House as the place in which the proposed debate should be held, but his admirers are of the opinion that the Academy of Music would hardly seat the crowd that would attend such a speaking.

### DISTRICT NOW FREE OF INFANTILE PARALYSIS

Washington, Oct. 21.—The District of Columbia is now free from infantile paralysis. The last case was reported October 5.

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Velour Coats—New Models at \$37.50  
Broadcloth Coats—Fur Trimmed at \$9.95  
Broadcloth Coats—Fur Trimmed at \$19.95  
Broadcloth Coats—Fur Trimmed at \$27.50  
Black Plush Coats—Fur Trimmed, from \$14.95 and on up to \$45.00  
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## CORN SHOW PARADE PRIZES ANNOUNCED

### Score of Firms Have Already Applied For Places For Floats In Event.

Prizes for the winners in the Corn Show parade, November 8, which will be the feature of the second day of the Fourth Annual Fair, were announced last night by Mr. Thomas R. Ames, chairman of the committee arranging for the big industrial parade. From all indications the parade this year is to be the biggest and most elaborate yet held in conjunction with the Corn Show.

For the float adjudged the best will be awarded \$17.50; for second, \$10, and for the third \$7.50. Ribbons will be awarded the automobiles being decorated the most artistically. Privately owned automobiles decorated with flowers, etc., are expected to be one of the features of the parade.

Mr. Ames states that already a score of manufacturers, merchants and business houses have notified the committee that they will enter floats in the parade. Besides these there will be many organizations to take part. The Wilmington Light Infantry and the sailors of the cutter Seminole will have a place.

### LOST HIS "LIKKER"

#### Crowd Enjoyed Situation But "John" Refused to Smile.

There was a tang in the atmosphere in front of the Center Luncheon room last night that was not caused by climatic conditions, and there was sorrow in "John's" heart, although he had just visited the express office and received his quart of liquor, for in boarding a street car the bottle slipped from his grasp and because the cement was of a harder substance than the bottle the "likker" spilled over the pavement, and while the crowd enjoyed the situation immensely "John" saw nothing to laugh about. It meant that "John" must endure another fifteen days of Sahara torture unless he chooses to drink of what is sometimes sold as whiskey and does actually cause one to stagger.

"John" was very obliging to his white friends, who asked questions and offered consolation, but took insult when someone wanted to know if it was good "likker." The heart-broken darkey thought anyone ought to recognize good "likker" by the odor it cast off. Asked if he meant to enter suit against the Tidewater Power Company he replied that "he guessed he would."

### SCARCITY OF THE NAT. FOWL IS PREDICTED

New York, Oct. 21.—A scarcity of turkeys and chickens for Thanksgiving with unusually high prices was predicted today at Wallabout Market, Brooklyn. The wholesale price for turkeys was 40 to 42 cents a pound. Chickens were quoted at 28 and 30 cents a pound.

One old quotation sheet, published 25 years ago, unearthed at the market, showed at that time turkeys were selling at 6 cents a pound and chickens at from 4 to 6 cents.

### Zurich, Oct. 21.—The "Neue Zuercher Nachrichten" charges the Allies with using undue pressure to force the Pope on their side. It says:

"Since the beginning of the world war the entente has conducted a more or less open campaign against Pope Benedict XV. While the Allies use an economic vise to bend the neutral nations under their will they employ a moral one in their attempts to bring the Holy Father to their side.

"The entente does not like the neutrality of the Pope. It recognizes the pontiff as the highest moral authority, but wants him to take sides in the present terrible conflict and to blame the Central Powers for the horrible orgy of slaughter and destruction.

"This threat and similar warnings of the Corriere d'Italian and the London Times have been ignored by the Vatican and they will never influence the Pope. Benedict XV is firmly resolved to maintain his neutrality under all circumstances and no pressure will change his course."

### LAND IS BEING DESTROYED.

London, Oct. 21.—Land is actually being destroyed, at least its usefulness is at and by reason of the gigantic struggle in France. This is the conclusion of Sir Herbert Matthews, who had just made a tour of the Albert and Tricourt districts as a representative of the English committee which has been collecting money to help in re-instating the small farmers in the countries of the Allies.

He says the general displacement of the earth by entrenching, shell pits and mine craters has so churned up the soil and sub-soil that leveling it will leave a surface mainly of chalk.

How long nature will take to sustain the vegetation is difficult to say, but, in Sir Herbert's opinion, it does not appear commercially feasible to redeem this area.

### ON THE CURB.

New York Oct. 21.—At the close of the curb market today a general condition of Bedlam prevailed with speculatives and others just risen from obscurity showing in the main, substantial net gains. Oklahoma P. & R. was the exception.

## TWO DOZEN MEN ANSWERED CALL

### The Wilson Campaign Fund Mounts Higher—Confident of Success.

Twenty-eight individuals, including men from every walk of life, put their stamp of approval upon the accomplishments of Woodrow Wilson as President and showed their desire to see him returned to office by contributing yesterday to the campaign fund that is to be used in advertising his achievements.

An additional sixty-seven and one-half dollars was added to the general fund yesterday, bringing the grand total to \$4,132.75 and causing the hopes of local supporters of the President to bound upward in a marvelous manner. All supporters of Mr. Wilson now feel assured that he will be returned a winner over Mr. Hughes and as a result the work that is being done in his behalf is of a much higher order than it ordinarily would be.

Yesterday's contributions ran as high as \$25 and as low as fifty cents, which is pretty good evidence that all classes are represented in the throng that is striving for Mr. Wilson's return to office. J. W. Murchison & Co. contributed a quarter of a hundred dollars and this amount gave the committee headed by Mr. Cyrus D. Hogue the honors of the day. S. A. Matthews' committee had a good report, being second in order, while the team captained by Mr. George C. Jackson came third with Mr. J. A. McNorton's forces bringing up the rear, but reporting nevertheless. Only four of the eleven teams called on the treasurer last evening.

While the officials of the Wilson Club appreciate every dollar that has been contributed some are of the opinion that a number have contributed amounts that were not in keeping with their standing in the community; in plainer English, a few of Mr. Wilson's supporters have not given as much as they could and this is evidenced by the fact that a number of gentlemen have come back and contributed a second time. One gentleman recently contributed a dollar and after studying over the matter for a couple of days came back voluntarily and admitted that his contribution did not express his sentiments at all. With this expansion of his presence before the committee he doubled his initial contribution and went away feeling that he had done his duty.

There only remains one week now in which to give in behalf of Mr. Wilson and local political leaders are

urging that all "loosen up" for if the \$5,000 mark is to be obtained it must come in more rapidly during the coming week than it has in the past.

All are confident that the \$5,000 goal recently decided on can be reached by next Saturday, but it is going to require hard work and a lot of it and with this in view those working in behalf of the President are going to begin early Monday morning and there is going to be no let-up until the \$5,000 mark is attained.

Below is a list of yesterday's contributions and contributors:

Previously acknowledged \$4,063.25

Cyrus D. Hogue, chairman

J. W. Murchison & Co. \$25.00

J. J. Blair 1.00

Wm. D. Hall 1.00

J. L. Becton 1.00

W. A. Marshall 1.00

Burke H. Briggers 1.00

C. A. McLeod 1.00

N. W. Russ 50

Total \$31.00

S. A. Matthews, chairman

Dr. J. B. Crammer 2.00

Dr. J. W. Stanley 2.00

James M. Mall 2.00

J. F. King 1.00

I. O. Workman 1.00

A Friend 5.00

Wilson Democrat 50

Total \$31.00

Geo. C. Jackson, chairman

Marsden Bellamy, Esq. 5.00

J. W. Hale 1.00

R. B. Moore 1.00

J. B. Fales 1.00

G. C. Burnett 1.00

G. E. Burnett 1.00

J. H. Curtin 1.00

Total \$11.00

J. A. McNorton, chairman

Robert Ruark, Esq. 5.00

J. A. McNorton 1.00

Total \$8.00

Dr. H. Howes, Jr., chairman

Dr. W. T. Smith 2.50

Dr. Mamsey Weathersbee 1.00

J. H. Hughes 2.00

P. H. Mason 2.00

Total \$7.50

Grand total \$4,132.75

BOHEMIANS TO FIGHT BULGARS. Moscow, Oct. 21.—The Central Committee of the Austrian Czechs (Bohemians), who are residents in Russia, recently resolved to ask the Russian government to permit the Bohemian regiment, which will shortly be fighting on the side of the Russian Army, to proceed to the Balkans to fight against the Bulgars. The Russian military authorities have consented to the proposal.

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