

The Wilmington A. B. C. Stores

Senators on the floor of the N. Carolina Senate made statements showing that conditions were much better in New Hanover since the coming of the A. B. C. Stores there. In order to verify that statement, I asked two citizens of Wilmington for the facts. A young mechanic said that plenty whiskey was being sold just across the street from his shop which was about one block from the A. B. C. Store. He advised me not to go on two down town streets that day, (Saturday) because I would be apt to get hurt or in a fight. "Drunks just take those two streets on Saturdays" he said. His report in brief was that there were A. B. C. Stores, Bootleg joints and nearly everybody drinking with two streets full of drunks. Wishing to check on his statement I asked a salesman what he found there. "There is ten times as much drinking in Wilmington now as there was before the legalized liquor."

Be sure and get the facts from both sides before you make your decision.

MAGNOLIA

Mrs. B. Gavin of Harrell's Store spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Elwell.

Misses Aline Wilson and Edna Gray Chestnutt spent the week and with Mrs. John Ivey Thomas of Smithfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Padgett, two daughters, Misses Josephine and Bettie Lou and their son James of Durham spent the week and with Mrs. Padgett's sister, Mrs. Nolie Malpass and visited other relatives at Wallace.

Mrs. J. H. Alpers of Richmond returned home Friday after spending ten days with her mother, Mrs. Hattie Cox Gaylor.

Mr. L. A. Pope has opened up a Furniture and Hardware Store in the store last occupied by E. C. Borne. Mr. Horace Groves will have charge.

Mrs. Edd Gavin spent Saturday night with her daughter, Mrs. Fussell near Kenansville.

Miss Macy Cox attended the State meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union in Charlotte last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Croom of Wilmington spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Croom.

Mrs. Laura Gavin, Mrs. Patten and baby and Mrs. Fannie Coope of Kenansville and Mrs. Moses Farmer and baby of Goldsboro visited Mrs. Hattie Cox Gaylor Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd S. Cox of Lexington, Ky., spent Friday night and Saturday with his aunts, Misses Ella and Macy Cox and Mrs. Hattie Cox Gaylor.

Birthday Celebration of R. D. Wells.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. King Sunday, the birthday of one of our most honored citizens was celebrated. Mrs. King's father, R. D. Wells who makes his home with her, reached his 83rd mile post. His children and families spent the day with him and brought loads of good things to eat which was spread on a long table in the dining room.

Mr. and Mrs. King know just how to make old and young happy on such occasions and with their two daughters home, Misses Dorothy of Wilmington and Mary Emily of Durham, their gallant sons, Bob and Bill, they gave all the guests a jolly happy day together, and the devotion of the entire family was a joy to the honored father.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Johnson and family of Rose Hill, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Southerland and family of Teachey's, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Wells and daughter of Latta, S. C., Mr. Early Newton and daughter of Kenansville and Mrs. Dollie Turner of Teachey's. More than forty enjoyed the fellowship together. In the afternoon Dr. and Mrs. E. L.

Mr. J. H. Judge III

Mr. J. Henry Judge who lives

near Hatteras, was taken sick early Monday morning and at present is unable to use one side of his body. At this writing he is slowly improving, and we hope that he will soon be well.

Tokyo, March 15. —Terrorized residents of the Onawa gold mine district fought a rapidly spreading forest fire tonight, the second big blaze in two days. Fifty-eight persons were killed by fire in the mine yesterday.

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R. E. BLAND, R. F. D. 1, Kinston, N. C., says: "I have used 3-8-8 FERTILIZER on my tobacco with good results and I think that 8% potash is necessary and better than anything less. On the floor I got the most money for the high-potash tobacco."



H. W. BAKER, R. F. D. 1, Deep Run, N. C., says: "3-8-8 FERTILIZER made a splendid crop for me in 1936—the best average I have had for the last three years. That was my first year with 8% potash. I know we should use more potash than before and I am planning on 3-8-8 again for next year and 3-8-10 where I had peanuts this year."



S. E. HOWARD, R. F. D. 3, Kinston, N. C., says: "My tobacco did not have a fair season but 3-8-8 showed itself a good fertilizer. I want plenty of potash, especially where tobacco follows tobacco. I know it pays."



J. F. JONES, Greene City, N. C., says: "I used 3-8-8 FERTILIZER on tobacco for the first time in 1936 and had good results. I feel that our soils need more potash than has been given them in the past."

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