

MEETING WITH FAIR SUCCESS

Taking Subscriptions for Packing House Campaign— Better Business Explained.

The five teams that are canvassing the city in the interest of the Carolina Packing House Company are meeting with fair success, according to Mr. W. W. Love, but he wishes to urge upon the business men that these gentlemen are giving their time and energy without charge and he urges that they be waited upon as promptly as possible. Business men are advised to expect a visit from one of the five teams within a very short time.

CHAIRMAN NAMED HEAD COMMITTEES

Were Notified This Morning Work Will be Started Immediately.

The executive committee appointed by the Wilson-Marshall Campaign Club at its reorganization meeting Tuesday evening at the Court House, have subdivided the large campaign committee of 150 into eleven committees or groups with a chairman or captain for each, and these leaders were notified this morning by Mr. W. A. McGirt, president of the County Democratic Executive Committee, of their appointment. They were furnished with a list of names that compose the teams they are to head. Each chairman is requested to begin work at once in order to insure the return of the present administration to power and a suggestion to the chairmen that they appoint a lieutenant to assist in directing the work is contained in letters that were sent out today.

ALL APPRECIATE THE PROTECTION

New Series of Building Loan Will be Offered Saturday Morning.

That business which encourages intelligent savings is the greatest business in the world, and that groups of business men which affords the community means of a systematic saving with high protection safeguards for their money's entrusted to them is a benefactor, and the people of the community do not hesitate to appreciate it, and to this fact is attributed the remarkable success which the several building and loan associations of the city have enjoyed for years with each succeeding series bettering the previous openings. One of the oldest and consequently the pioneer building and loan association of the city is the Wilmington Homestead and Loan Association of which Mr. J. Hicks Bunting has been its president for years. This old established association will offer a new series Saturday and invite those who are interested in saving to participate.

MANY DESIRABLE HOUSES VACANT

Rental Agency's Lists Far From Depleted—Condition is Unusual.

Wilmington has an overplus of vacant houses just now, according to real estate men, and this is a bit unusual, for as a rule all desirable houses are rented and occupied at this season of the year. Rental agents are still busy showing houses, both cottages and larger residences, to prospective renters, and they are to be had in every section of the city. In addition it is possible to rent rooms for light housekeeping in almost any quarter of the city and the daily press is carrying numerous advertisements to this effect. Time was when houses were hard to rent here, but this is far from true at present.

Safe Deposit Vault. You cannot thoroughly appreciate the security afforded by the individual lock boxes in our Safe Deposit Vault until you make a careful inspection. We would like to explain to you the different details which contribute toward making the protection as near perfect as possible. \$1.00 Per Year--Only a Few Vacant. The Wilmington Savings & Trust Company 110. PRINCESS STREET.

THE REGISTRATION BOOKS OPEN TODAY

Members of Executive Committee are Urging All Democrats to Register.

The registration books at the various voting precincts were opened this morning and report has it that already many names have been entered on them. Secretary C. C. Cashwell, of the County Democratic Executive Committee, is calling attention to the fact that the books are open and is urging all who are not registered to do so at once. According to Mr. Cashwell the sooner this all-important matter is attended to the better, and once a voter's name is on the books he has nothing more to worry about.

RAG DOLL HELD \$180 GOLD.

Woman Finds Hoard in Mother's Gift of 20 Years. Fresno, Oct. 5.—Keep this, my child, as it may come in handy some day. This was the remark made more than twenty years ago by the mother of Mrs. Maggie Doyle, wife of a Fresno policeman, when she gave her daughter a rag doll.

WYOMING YOUTH IS WOUNDED FOR THIRD TIME IN WAR.

Douglass, Wyo., Oct. 5.—For the third time Lieut. John R. Weaver, of the Canadian contingent, battling for England, has been wounded in action "somewhere in France." His parents, the Rev. and Mrs. W. K. Weaver, of this place, have received notification from Ottawa that he had been shot in the thigh and was in a military hospital.

WILMINGTON MAN RECEIVED CONTRACT

High Point, Oct. 5.—A. D. O'Brien, of Wilmington, was yesterday awarded the contract for the installation of the sewerage disposal plant, he having outbid all his competitors. His bid was \$14,164.

SPANKS HIS BRIDE; JAILED.

Bridgegroom Follows Advice of His Father-in-law. Allentown, Pa., Oct. 5.—Because he followed the advice of his father-in-law and spanked his bride of two months, Earl Eustice was sent to jail. She developed a mania to spend all the evenings in the parks, he said, and all his pleadings that she stay at home were in vain.

SPANISH CLASS.

Many Students Enrolled for Study at High School. Already there are more than thirty students enrolled in the new Spanish language class at the Wilmington High School and from the enthusiasm shown by the members it bids fair to be one of the most successful language classes ever taught at the local High School.

NEW LIGHTSHIP PLACED.

Marks Six and Half Fathoms of Water Seven Miles From Shore. The following from the Norfolk Virginian Pilot is of interest: "A new lightship to guard Cape Charles was put into commission by the United States government yesterday. Known as 101, the lightship is a needed addition to others of its kind strung along the Atlantic coast. The new vessel marks six and a half fathoms of water seven miles from land. "These vessels are designed to warn passing craft in dangerous waters near which lighthouses cannot be erected. This one has 'Charles' painted in white on each side of the hull. The 1,200 candlepower light will flash for two seconds and will be 'dark' two seconds, alternating thus throughout the night."

COTTON REMAINS ABOUT SAME TODAY

No Change Over Quotation of Yesterday—May Go Higher. The following very interesting telegram relative to the cotton situation was received last night by a local cotton dealer from a New York cotton firm: "Heavy Wall Street buying orders at opening caused our market to open much better than due. Right after opening fairly heavy long liquidation brought about a decline some 15 points. Good trade buying brought market back to opening prices and during the last half hour very heavy Wall Street buying caused a quite violent advance. While we think that higher prices are justified, we believe that for the time being the South will be inclined to resist the advance unless therefore speculation in sufficiently extensive amount to take care of hedge selling should enter the market."

READY FOR BANQUET.

Senator Cooper Will Attend Annual Meeting of A. & M. Alumni. Arrangements are practically complete for the annual meeting and banquet of the Wilmington A. & M. Alumni Association which will be held at the Greystone Inn, Carolina Beach, Friday evening, and it is estimated that about 25 members will leave the Odd Fellows' building in automobiles tomorrow evening at 6:45 o'clock.

LIQUID TAR SHAMPOO FOR LADIES

One washing will remove a lot of Dandruff and allay Itching Scalp. The continued use will cure you altogether. Price twenty-five cents and sold exclusively by James M. Hall DRUGGIST.

WOMEN TO BE REPLACED

Movement in Germany Oust Them From Positions at The End of War. Hanover, Germany, Oct. 5.—The Hanover Mercantile Association has entered into an agreement with a number of other business organizations in Hanover, whereby a strenuous effort will be made to oust women from the position they now occupy, after the war, and to replace them with the men who are now in the field.

DR. WOOD TELLS OF CURE FOR PELLAGRA

Clinton, Oct. 5.—Dr. E. J. Wood, of Wilmington, in an address before the Sampson County Medical Association, stated that the old-fashioned water-ground meal is not only harmless but is a sure cure for pellagra. Dr. Wood went on to explain that it was the steam ground meal that has the center of the grain taken out that causes the disease, and added that the use of baking powder without the addition of buttermilk as a counteracting agent was a factor in destroying a very important content of the grain.

PRESENT LOVING CUPS.

Fall Bible Study Rally for Boys' Division This Evening. The third annual Bible study rally of the Boys' Division of the Y. M. C. A. will be held at 6:30 o'clock this evening. The silver loving cups donated by Senator W. B. Cooper and Mr. L. B. Schuster will be presented to the Lee and Princeton clubs and the 43 certificates, won during the year just closed, will be delivered.

MANY WERE ATTRACTED.

Latest in Women's Footwear to be Seen in Display Window. It was nothing unusual this morning to see a group of the young ladies of the city gazing admiringly into the display windows of the Wilmington Shoe Company, for Manager Wessels had placed therein a magnet in the way of pretty arrivals in ladies' 8-inch Lace Boots which are all the rage this season in women's footwear. No wonder they gazed and admired these pretty shoes for the prices themselves had been reduced for a quick clearance. These shoes have just been received and are being sold at a price under the present market.

Bon Marche Mail Orders Promptly Filled—Write for Bulletin Bon Marche



Smart Suits Select Your Fall Coat Suit From Our New Collection

Bon Marche suits are garments of proven merit. They are the same models as the ones that have been selling so rapidly in our Asheville store. Everyone has been agreeably surprised at the reasonableness of our prices. We believe in quality, but at the same time we try to keep the prices down as low as possible. But the first price we quote you is the only one at which the garment can be bought. A "One Price System" saves you from overcharge.

Have a New Style Gossard Corset Fitted

Miss Green, formerly of Louis Cohen Co., of Charleston, is an expert Corsetiere, and will be glad to have you come in and be fitted in one of the new Gossard models. Gossard front lace Corsets are too well known to need emphasizing here. We have a complete assortment in the newer models, priced at \$2.00 to \$7.50. Free fittings on all corsets priced at \$3.50 and up.

Gans Umbrellas, "Born in Baltimore, Raised Everywhere"

A very opportune shipment came yesterday. It was a full assortment of medium and high grade Umbrellas of the famous Gans make. These umbrellas are durable and reliable, and will come in handy for the kind of weather we are now having. Ladies' Umbrellas, special for today only for 98c. Other umbrellas priced up to \$5.00 each.

Bon Marche. In The Very Center of Things. Meet Your Friends at The New Store.