

KINSTON PEOPLE WANT DR. HARDY NAMED AS SUPT.

Hot Fight on in Kinston For Head of Feeble Minded School. No Election As yet.

Kinston, N. C., Dec. 4.—(Special by Phone.)—The board of trustees of the Feeble Minded Institution located here, wrangled from yesterday afternoon until the wee hours this morning trying to elect a superintendent of the institution. There are two candidates for the position, Dr. Ira M. Hardy, the present incumbent, and Dr. L. J. McBrayer, of Asheville. The people of Kinston are a unit for the reelection of Dr. Hardy. Dr. McBrayer, it is said, is the governor's candidate. He hails from the governor's town and is a member of the North Carolina board of medical examiners. The board of trustees is composed of 12 members and while it is known that the sentiment is divided among the board as to the election of a superintendent all efforts to ascertain how the vote stood has proved futile. The town of Kinston gave the site for the institution and yet when the board of trustees named Kinston was not given a representative—this state of things has aroused the citizens here to a high pitch. They exclaim openly they have not been given the square deal. Yesterday the Kinston chamber of commerce drafted a resolution endorsing Dr. Hardy for the position and sent a strong delegation of business men over to the meeting of the trustees to present the claims of Dr. Hardy. Kinston feels that Dr. Hardy is entitled to the place for to him more than anyone is due the establishment of this much-needed institution.

Both sides fought every inch for hours and this morning between 3 and 4 o'clock the trustees adjourned without an election. What the final outcome will be is not known. Kinston is hot for Hardy.

Dr. Hardy is a former resident of this city and his many friends here wish for him success.—Ed.

NEWS FROM FUNGO.

Most of our farmers are still busy harvesting their crops, although most of our crops are short, there is still much more cotton and corn in the fields.

Mr. D. W. Smithwick was a business visitor to Belhaven Thursday. Miss Neta Harris returned Monday from Pine Town, N. C., where she has been spending some time among her many friends and relatives.

Miss Margaret, our efficient school teacher, returned Monday from her home in Edward, N. C., where she spent Thanksgiving.

Miss Millie Spruell, our assistant teacher, returned Monday from her home in Roper, where she spent Thanksgiving.

We are very glad to note that Mrs. D. C. Davis, who for the last few days has been very sick with pneumonia, is now improving.

Messrs. L. F. Allen and S. E. Ellis were business visitors to Belhaven Saturday.

Many of our people attended the Primitive Baptist Union meeting near Pine Town Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Paul, Mr. David Paul and Miss Estelle Carter, and Mr. Henry Carter and mother. They all report a good time.

REBUILDING COUNTY BRIDGE NOW NEARS COMPLETION

If the contractor, Colonel R. S. Neal, secures his lumber on time the Washington bridge will be completed according to contract. Rapid progress has been made on the structure during the past week. Its completion is anxiously awaited by those who reside in Chocowinity and the south side of the river and by the citizens of Washington.

Commissioners Ask Gov. to call Special Term Superior Court

To try Joshua Mills Indicted For murder

Board Suggests the First Week in January as there Will be no Criminal Court In This District at that Time.

The Board of County Commissioners at their session this week decided to request the governor to call a special term of criminal court for this county to convene on the first Monday in January next. The resolution as passed by the board of commissioners is as follows:

"Resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Beaufort County: Whereas the solicitor has requested a special term of the superior court of Beaufort county for the trial of criminal cases to be called for the purpose of trying Joshua W. Mills, now confined in the common jail of Beaufort county, charged with the crime of murder, and it appearing to the board that the next term of criminal court of Beaufort county at which time said case could be heard in regular order will not convene until May, 1914, and in the opinion of the board the nature of the case is such that justice demands a more speedy trial, and in the opinion of the board thinks that a special term ought to be had.

Now therefore, the Board of County Commissioners of Beaufort county respectfully requests His Excellency, the governor of North Carolina, to call a special term of the superior court of Beaufort county for the purpose above set out and the board suggests that said court be called for the first Monday in January, 1914, as at that time there is no court in the first judicial district.

Wall Street Expects Better Times Belief of Knowing Ones

New York, Dec. 4.—Certain of the leading financial institutions of Wall street are preparing circulars to be mailed to their customers within a few days, putting forth business conditions in a very rosy light. It is believed that the coming of the new year will see a vast improvement along all lines. Although the year just closing has been one of the most disastrous in many seasons, even for big firms; the lack of investment demand has not been entirely a question of the scarcity of funds for investment as much as the extreme caution displayed by investors. Railroads are now making money, speaking broadly, because they are unable, owing to opposition of the Interstate Commerce Commissioners, they say, to charge remunerative rates for the transportation of merchandise. Dividends of important stocks have been reduced and this has had its natural effect upon the price level of such securities. Now that the business interests feel that they understand the President better, clearer sailing is expected after January 1 next.

PROVED HE WAS ELIGIBLE

Effective Demonstration Convinced Jayhawk That He Had a Valuable Recruit.

Robert Thorpe, an old Missouri stage driver, who recently died in Texas, used to tell a story of how Anderson, the Jayhawk, got one of his recruits. The Anderson boys held up Thorpe's stage near Glasgow one day. Among the passengers was a raw-boned young Missourian who looked about as tough as the Jayhawkers themselves.

"Give me yer valubles," Anderson demanded of the youth as he went down the line.

OUR FLOWER POTS HAVE COME

We now have any size you want. E. K. Willis. 11-18-14

NON. JNO. H. SMALL PRAISED DAILY NEWS OF THE 26TH

Compliments the Educational Edition and says Issue was interesting and Informing.

This paper acknowledged with appreciation the following letter from Congressman John H. Small, who refers to the educational edition recently issued. The letter of Mr. Small follows and explains itself. Editor Daily News:

I wish to thank you for what I may call the Educational Edition of the News on the 26th inst. Your account of the dedication exercises of the Washington College Institute, the articles by President Lowther and members of his family and the forceful article of Superintendent C. M. Campbell of our Public Schools, were all most interesting and informing. You did not emphasize too lightly the importance of the Washington Collegiate Institute to this community and state. Our citizens in cooperation with the board of education of the M. E. Church have made a fine investment which will yield large dividends in human betterment.

I regard your edition so highly that I have filed it away among my valuable collections for future reference.

Respectfully,
JNO. H. SMALL.

PROPERTY OCCUR DEC. 13

The auction sale of the Hackney property, which was advertised in this paper to take place November 28 was postponed to Saturday, December 13. This step was taken due to the failure of the Atlantic Coast Realty Company auctioneers to arrive here on time. They were unavoidably detained in Raleigh, hence the postponement. This property is very attractive for factory and building sites and no doubt when the sale takes place the lots will have a ready sale.

CONTINUES TO IMPROVE.

The friends of Mr. J. C. Overton, of South Creek, will be pleased to learn of his continued improvement. He was recently operated upon at the Washington hospital.

HAVE MOVED.

Mr. Edward Jennette and family and Dr. R. T. Gallagher and wife have rented the residence of the late Thomas Myers at the corner of Main and Harvey streets and have recently moved there. Mr. Frank H. Shurt and family expect to occupy the residence on Pierce street vacated by Mr. Jennette.

R. F. D. DIRECTORY COMPILED FOR THIS AND HYDE CO.

Mr. J. C. Meekins, Jr., has only recently compiled a directory of the R. F. D. routes for Beaufort and Hyde counties and he has decided after much thought to place this valuable book of information on sale provided he can secure a sufficient number of subscribers. The book is certainly a valuable adjunct to any business man and is more than worth the price asked. It is neatly gotten up and contains information that is valuable, it should be on the desk of every business man.

JUST RECEIVED AT THE BARRAN, on Market street, a full line of ladies' and misses' sample suits, latest styles and colors; will be sold cheap while they last. 11-28-14

Joshua W. Mills will Have to Fight for Liberty and Property

Seven Hours In New York Here Dec. 10

The New York theatrical producing firm of Wee & Lambert struck something good in their musical comedy called "Seven Hours in New York," which they produced last season. From the first performance, success has perched on the banner of this venture. Business has been surprisingly good, and the audience, managers and newspapers have voiced their approval of the offering in no uncertain way. There is a steady stream of requests for return dates, and managers voluntarily write or wire ahead of the company, sincere endorsement of the performance. In these days of over-production, the success of "Seven Hours in New York" is most gratifying. There isn't the slightest "off-color" act or suggestion in the entire performance, which is in itself a passport to favor. The songs, of which there are eighteen, are all new and fit into the action of the play, which is in the English manner, and a commendable feature of the performance. With the big original company, sincere endorsement of "New York" will be seen at the New Theater here on Wednesday night, December 10.

FOR NORTHERN MARKETS

N. E. Saleby left yesterday for New York to purchase a stock of goods and confectionaries for the holiday trade.

MOVES LAW OFFICE

Senator George J. Studdert has moved his law office to the building next to Norwood L. Simmons', on

Parme Institute Receive \$2,600 From Phelps-Stokes Funds

William C. Chance, principal of the Parme Institute for the education of the colored people, has just been notified by the trustees of the Phelps-Stokes fund that they have decided to donate \$2,600 to the institute for the erection of suitable buildings and also for the purpose of completing the purchase of land, to meet the requirements of this worthy institution started several years ago by Professor Chance. One of the conditions of this gift to the institute is that the existing indebtedness of about \$1,000 be raised by donations from among the citizens of North Carolina. Professor Chance is now endeavoring to raise amount and is at present engaged in circulating a petition. Already \$225 has been subscribed for this purpose. The Daily News urges the citizens of Washington and the entire state to subscribe something to-

MARION MCKENZIE DEAD.

Marion McKenzie, the two-and-a-half-year-old child of Rev. and Mrs. J. M. McKenzie, passed away yesterday morning at 9:30 o'clock at the home of his parents, No. 405 Market street, of diphtheria. The little fellow was taken ill Sunday night and while everything known to the skill of the physician and loved ones was done God blessed his eyelids down and he fell on sleep. For two and one-half years he was the sunshine and joy of father and mother's heart and now that the candle sits silently in the corner the home is dark and gloomy. The Lord gave and the Lord hath taken away, blessed be the name of the Lord. The funeral was held from the residence yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. H. L. Gay, pastor of the First Baptist Church, and the interment was in Oakdale. Mr. McKenzie, the grief-stricken father, is the pastor of the Baptist churches at Chocowinity, Pinetown, Fictolus, Aurora and South Creek. He and family have been residents of this city since January last, moving here from Ball-

WILD GEESE

Several dozen dead wild geese killed in the sound were brought to this market today. They met with a ready sale.

RED CROSS MEETING.

The meeting announced to be held at the residence of Mayor F. C. Kugler Tuesday afternoon to devise ways and means looking to the sale of Red Cross Seals in Washington, due to the inclemency of the weather, was postponed until this afternoon. The meeting is called for 6 o'clock and every lady in the city interested in this great work is urged to be present. There are 30,000 seals sent here for consumption and they must be sold by the time the holidays close.

COTTON MARKET.

Seed cotton, \$4.50.
Lint cotton, 12 1/2c.
Cotton seed, \$31.00 per ton.

CO. BRIDGE BONDS ARE SOLD TO CHICAGO FIRM

County Accept Bids of Bolger, Mosser & Willaman with Premium of \$386.50.

The county commissioners at their recent session accepted the bid of Bolger, Mosser & Willaman, of Chicago, for the \$50,000 bridge bonds. They give a premium of \$386.50 and pay all expense attached thereto. The bids for the bridge bonds were opened last Monday according to advertisement. The following firms made bids for the bonds:

Vell Roth & Co., Cincinnati	\$49,595.00
First National Bank, Washington, N. C.	\$9,245.00
Fardon Son & Co., Chicago	\$9,110.00
Provident Savings Bank, Trust Co., Chicago	\$9,000.00
I. C. Speer & Sons Co., Chicago	\$9,000.00
Bolger, Mosser & Willaman, Chicago	\$9,386.50

The bid of Messrs. Bolger Mosser & Willaman, being the highest, their bid was accepted. The bonds are dated December 1, 1913, and will mature on December 1, 1943, without option of prior payment, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually. The bonds are in a denomination of \$1,000 each and the county received a premium of \$386.50.

It will be noted that among the bidders was the First National Bank of this city, they being the second highest bidders. Their bid was only a few dollars below that of the winners.

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining uncalled for in this office for the week ending Nov. 28, 1914: Gentlemen—Alston, Mr. Alston; Bulkley, Mr. E. J.; Catkrell, Mr. Romulus; Deal, Mr. J. T.; Deal, Mr. J. T.; Grieve, W. M.; Lacy, E. S. & A. B.; Lathan, Mr. Dan; Mills, Mr. S. N.; Moning, Mr. G. C.; Moeller, Mr. Otto; Mills, Mr. Robert; Mapis, Mr. Rufus; O'Farrow, Atlas; Perry, Jno. R.; Phillips, Mr. T. B.; Powell, Mr. T. S.; Roberts, Mr. James S.; Rice, Mr. Lonnie; Smith, Mr. Floyd; Smith, Mr. Willie; Santee, Mr. Frank; Tyler, Mr. Mather; Whitburn, Mr. Luther; Whaley, Mr. Richard S.; Williams, Mr. J. W.; Winfield, W. H.; Warner, Feather Co.; Williams, Mr. Milton.

Ladies—Bunting, Mrs. Lucy; Clark, Mrs. Susie; Forehands, Mrs. J. C.; Gurganus, Mrs. Lizzie; Gofm, Miss Gole; Jarman, Miss Mary; Moore, Miss Susan; Riggsbee, Mrs. Annie; Wheeler, Mrs. C. E.; Ward, Mrs. S. A.

These letters will be sent to the dead letter office December 15, 1913, if not delivered before. In calling for the above, please say "Advertised," giving date of list.

HUGH PAUL P. M.

PRAYER AND PRAISE SERVICE AT PAYNE MEMORIAL

There will be a service of prayer and song at the Payne Memorial Presbyterian Church tonight at 7:30 o'clock led by Mr. Edward L. Stewart assisted by the male quartet of the First Presbyterian church. These services are proving very enjoyable to all who attend. All are cordially invited to be present.

CRITICALLY ILL.

The friends of Mrs. James L. Fowle will regret to learn of her continued critical illness at her home on West Main street. She is one of Washington's oldest citizens and everyone wishes her a speedy recovery to her accustomed health.

FOR SALE—EARLY JERSEY Wakefield Cabbage Plants, 75¢ per 414. Beaufort Farm, Washington, N. C. 12-4-14