

**OF LOCAL INTEREST**

**RED MEN'S MEETING.**  
Karuke Tribe, No. 25, I. O. E. M., will meet this evening at 8 o'clock in the council hall. Work in the adoption degree will be had.

**PROTRACTED MEETING.**  
Rev. Joel E. Vause will begin a protracted meeting at Eden Christian church, near Snow Hill, Sunday morning, and continue for several days.

**HELD FOR SLAYING.**  
Leslie Hines, who slapped Lou Morgan and caused her death at Falling creek, was held by Magistrate W. H. Ham at the courthouse today for Superior Court. Hines gave the \$300 bond required.

**AGED WOMAN BREAKS ARM.**  
Mrs. Eliza Holmes, aged sixty-eight years, is in a serious condition at her home, in Green county, as the result of a broken arm sustained when she fell while walking near her home. Her left arm was broken near the shoulder.

**LOCAL JUNIORS DEFEAT GREENVILLE.**  
The Kinston Juniors baseball team took the honors from a nine or similar class in Greenville Wednesday afternoon. The score was 8 to 5. The visitors outclassed the Greenvilleans throughout. Batteries were: Kinston, Wooten and Brewer; Greenville, Foley and Kittrell.

**ICE CREAM SUPPER TONIGHT.**  
Tonight the ladies of the First Baptist church will give an ice cream supper for the benefit of the new church now being built. Every one is invited to attend and enjoy an evening of delightful music and ice cream and cake at the home of Mrs. E. B. Lewis, on Caswell street.

**ARTESIAN WATER FOR SCHOOL.**  
The trustees of the city schools have placed a contract for a deep well to supply artesian water for the new building now under construction on East Lenoir streets. Work on the building is progressing satisfactorily to the trustees, who hope to see it completed by October 15. Until it is ready for use the old grammar school-house on Lenoir street will be occupied by the grades of the grammar school.

**TO OPEN THEATER IN OCTOBER.**  
It is now thought that the new theatre being built for the Hines Bros., on North Queen street, will be opened by the middle of October. Work on the building has been slow because of the difficulty in securing materials, and the owners several months ago abandoned their original intention of having it completed by September 1. The lessees of the house will be ready to occupy it immediately after the contractors turn it over.

**THIRTY GALLONS A MINUTE.**  
"Dynamite" Wilkins, the well-borer, has secured a flow of around thirty gallons a minute from the well at Queen and Gordon streets, which was deepened at the instance of the water commissioner. The well had to be increased in depth when it was discovered that the flow was too small to supply two spouts instead of one on the fountain into which it was directed, when the city converted the fountain into the first "Jim Crow" drinking fountain in the world.

**MR. YOUNG DIDN'T COME.**  
Norfolk Southern Railroad officials here expected a visit from President Young of that system, Thursday evening, but Mr. Young came no farther in this direction than New Bern, and returned from there to Norfolk. There is some conjecture as to the reason for his appearance at various points on the lines now. Employees are wondering if there will be a chopping off of heads on the Norfolk Southern, as on other roads recently. It is reported that seven train crews have been laid off on the Atlantic Coast Line since the beginning of the European war.

**NO SUCH CONDITIONS HERE.**  
An advertisement in a Virginia newspaper, paid for by the Va. Association for Local Self-Government, quotes an interview with the Tarboro chief of Police in which he is made to say that "labor conditions are 50 per cent. worse now they were during the days of the licensed saloon. Drunkenness is steadily on the increase." Chief of Police Heath asserts that conditions in Kinston are just the opposite. "The decrease in drunkenness since prohibition was enacted is easily 75 per cent.," he said today. "There are fewer unemployed, regardless of the increase of population, than ever before, the chief thinks."

**HOLINESS PLACE OF WORSHIP IS BURNED**

The authorities would like to establish the connection, if any there is, between a break in the ranks of the Holiness church here and the destruction by fire of the tent under which one faction was holding its services late Thursday. The tent, which had a seating capacity of 400 or 500, an organ, and the seats were burned, with a monetary loss which has not been estimated.

Jenniss Jenkins, Jr., was the head of the congregation. Until some time ago Jenkins and his flock were affiliated with the church of which Rev. A. H. Butler is pastor, in the north-eastern part of the city. When the break came, Jenkins set out on his own resources, and in a short time a considerable number of the sect had adhered to his cause.

Recently the mayor was complained to by members of the opposition faction who reside in the vicinity of the lot on Orion street, where Jenkins had his canvass church that it was a nuisance. He put an officer out to investigate. Before the officer had time to make his report the tent was fired from a cause unknown, and burned quickly, the weather being dry and hot.

The Holiness sect is of some strength in the eastern part of the city. The members hold queer ideas regarding parts of the Scriptures, and illustrate their version by unusual actions when fired by fervor at their services.

**MOREHEAD CITY TO GET NEW INDUSTRY**

A rumor reached Kinston today that the Mayor and Loomis Co., a big lumber concern, with a plant in Hertford, N. C., has secured options on considerable property at Morehead City, with a view of locating a saw-mill and box factory there. The concern does a heavy export business and supplies boxes to the Octagon Soap Company. The statement that the Mayor and Loomis Co. may locate at Morehead City is from a reliable source.

The plant contemplated would cost possibly \$100,000, and the weekly payroll would be around \$2,000, it is said.

**PINK HILL TOBACCO SPLENDID THIS SEASON.**  
Mr. W. T. Barber, a Pink Hill tobaccoist, says the crop in that vicinity is one of the finest he has ever seen. This is Mr. Barber's first season at Pink Hill. He has been on the Reidsville market and others in Western Carolina in recent years. He declared while discussing tobacco prospects today, that "there is no question about it, the leaf grown in the Pink Hill section is all of what the people there claim for it—the finest in the world."

**KINSTON NOT TO GET SO MUCH FROM PRIVILEGE TAX.**  
Kinston's income from special privilege license taxes in 1914 will decrease from \$500 to \$700 from last year, City Clerk Coleman estimates. In 1913 the clerk's office collected \$2,500 from this source, but this year the ordinance which puts practically prohibitive restrictions on carnivals will shut off the portion of the taxes which came from that source.

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