

## OF LOCAL INTEREST

### MASONIC MEETING.

There will be a special communication of St. John's Lodge, No. 4, A. F. and A. M., this evening at 8 o'clock, for work in the first degree.

### IMPORTANT MEETING I. O. O. F.

The Odd Fellows will meet tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. Work in the third degree will require the attention of the members, and all are requested to be present.

### FALSE FIRE ALARMS.

The fire department was called out in the dead hours of both Saturday and Sunday nights by false alarms. The first alarm carried the apparatus to Independent street and Peyton avenue, and the second to East Gordon street in the vicinity of the Memorial Hospital.

### NEGRO ARRESTED FOR RETAILING.

George Bradley, colored, was arrested Saturday for selling whisky. Joe Pittman, another negro, who was arrested earlier in the week in a pressing club on South Queen street for the same offense, is being held for Superior Court.

### JUDGE ALLEN IMPOSES THE DEATH SENTENCE.

Judge Oliver Allen of Kinston in Superior Court at Wilmington Saturday read the death sentence to William Lewis, a negro convicted of the murder of his wife. October 21 was named as the date. Lewis appealed to the Supreme Court.

### HIS WIFE IS HARD TO PLEASE

Jim Phillips, a Deep Run dandy, believes he will have to separate from his spouse, because she is such a rank prohibitionist. He will take a drop once in a while on Saturday nights, and just as certain as he goes home "dat 'ere 'oman, she resea a rumpus." Jim's wife declares he sometimes has the tremens, and that she is frightened by such actions as his attempts to swim on the floor in the house. She sits up to await his homecoming, and kenneing the manner of his gait even before she smells his breath, "starts in" without giving him a chance to open his mouth, he alleges. He will get a divorce, he believes. "And I do 'tink, if dat 'oman wuz to die, St. Peter oughter have a week's notice ter prepare for her," she's that hard to suit, says Jim.

### FOUGHT CONFEDERATES HERE.

Mr. John Wayne Merrill of Springfield, Mass., spent a few hours here Sunday "just for curiosity." Mr. Merrill hadn't been to Kinston before in fifty years. He was a member of a Massachusetts regiment in Eastern North Carolina during the War Between the States, and as a mounted orderly, courier to one of the colonels of the Federal army, rode between Kinston and New Bern and other places. He was in Kinston less than a day about the time of the battle of Whitehall. Sunday he didn't recognize any local scene, which was natural, since he had no recollection whatever of how the town looked in the 60s. As a city, he said, it quite impresses him. Mr. Merrill, en route to Tampa, Fla., declared that he just came here so that when he returned home he could tell his old comrades that he had been to Kinston again.

### REV. RALPH HARPER ACCEPTS RECTORSHIP.

Rev. Ralph M. Harper, a well-known former Kinstonian, who has for the past few years been located in Boston, has resigned from the staff of the Episcopal Cathedral of St. Paul there to accept the rectorship of St. John's church, Winthrop, Mass. A bulletin by the dean of the cathedral reads: "The congregation will hear with very deep regret that Mr. Harper is to leave at the end of September. At Winthrop he will have the responsibilities and joys of a parish of his own, and I can assure him that our people are of the heart and mind in wishing him Godspeed, as they are in their grateful appreciation of his work at the cathedral. Mr. Harper came to St. Paul's with me in January, 1910. Our close association through these four years and a half has been full of happiness to me. I shall miss him deeply, as will those to whom he has ministered, above all the men of the Lindsay Bible Class and the boys of the choir and the cathedral school."

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## SPITTERS TAKE WARNING, LAW TO BE ENFORCED

Ordinance Prohibiting Careless Habit of Expectorating to Be Invoked By Police—Notices to Be Prominently Posted.

Placards are to be posted in public places calling attention to the ordinance prohibiting spitting, the chief of police announced today. This ordinance is to be rigidly enforced. It makes it unlawful to expectorate on the streets or in a public building, and makes violation punishable by a fine which can be as much as \$50, or imprisonment for thirty days.

Spitting on streets is now forbidden in almost every town of this size in the country. It is regarded by all health authorities as not only a repulsive, careless habit, but a means for the circulation of germs and a source of danger to every citizen. In most big cities it has long been prohibited, and hundreds of smaller places have in the last few years adopted a regulation making it a misdemeanor to expectorate upon a public walkway. Scientists claim that the dust of streets is about the most troublesome conveyor of germs known.

Kinston's anti-spitting ordinance has been in the code for several years but little attention has ever been given either to obeying or enforcing it. The authorities are now resolved that the citizens must do their part toward making it efficient.

### NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING HELPS THIS CHURCH

Rev. Mr. Hanrahan, pastor of Atkinson Memorial Presbyterian church, holds a recent notice in The Free Press of activity by his church responsible for three additions to the membership Sunday. Publication of the precedent set by others, who recently joined, Mr. Hanrahan thinks, caused these three people to connect themselves with the congregation.

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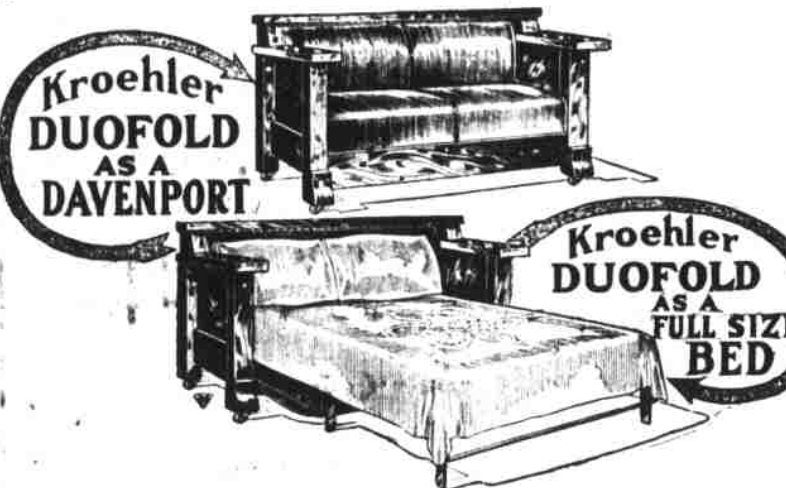
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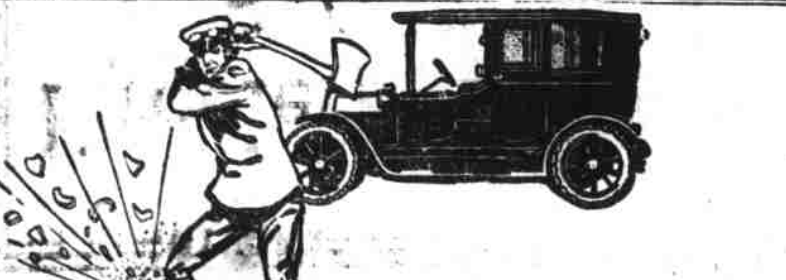


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