

OF LOCAL INTEREST

MASONIC MEETING.

There will be special communication of Caswell Chapter No. 38, R. A. Masons, Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

SMALL FIRE SATURDAY NIGHT.

The fire department was called Saturday night to box 35, near East and Bright streets, by a burning tenement house occupied by negroes. The damage was slight, and the origin was not traced.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Two marriage licenses were issued Saturday, to: Dennis Isler, 56, and Emma Slade, 37, both of Kinston; Floyd Wood, 21, and Venus Grainger, 18, both of Lenoir county. Both couples are colored.

BEATEN BY STEPBROTHER, FIRED GUN TO SCARE HIM.

Ed. Jackson, colored, after being beaten by Will Smith, his stepbrother, fired a gun into the air near their home in Lincoln City late Saturday, attracting an officer. Jackson then hid in a loft, where he was located by the officer and dragged out.

WELL-DIGGER'S PUMP FROZE AND BURSTED.

By the bursting of the pipes in a costly pump which he was using in boring a well on a farm several miles from the city, "Dynamite" Wilkins sustained a monetary loss of over \$100. The damage handicapped the well-known borer until repairs could be made.

REVIVAL AT HOLINESS CHURCH FOR TWO WEEKS.

Evangelist W. H. Kennedy and wife of Washington, D. C., will conduct evangelistic meetings in the Holiness church during the ensuing two weeks. Miss E. May Law, a missionary from China, lectured in the church Sunday afternoon.

BOUND OVER FOR STEALING BEDCLOTHES

Phoebe Dixon, arraigned for the larceny of bedclothes which were afterwards located in her own bed, was bound over to Superior Court Saturday afternoon by Magistrate H. C. V. Peebles. The complainant was Eliza Mewborn. Both are negroes of Vance township.

THANKSGIVING GAME HERE TOMORROW.

The big games in Norfolk and Richmond on Thursday would have interfered with the usual Thanksgiving game in this city, and the event will be pulled off tomorrow afternoon instead, at Athletic Park, when New Bern and Kinston high schools meet. The local eleven, with much new material this season, has experienced a string of defeats to only one victory. Strenuous practice has been engaged in since Friday, however, in the hope of reversing the result of that afternoon's game with New Bern, when Kinston was downed by the score of 39 to 13.

BITULITHIC MAY BE USED IN PAVING HERE.

A representative of an Augusta, Ga., street paving concern, here today was informed by the mayor that bitulithic is probably favored by the City Council for the improvement of streets which will be taken up as soon as the recent bond issue sale is consummated. The paving man testified to the merit of brick, but it is believed that the majority of the Council is partial to the smoother, less noisy bitulithic. It is likely, however, that when bids are advertised for, specifications will be included for brick to give contractors using that material a fair chance. Between eight and twelve blocks will probably be improved.

WILL DEBAR WHISKEY FROM DRUG STORES.

Dr. J. M. Parrott of this city, chairman of the legislative committee of the North Carolina Medical Society, has informed Rev. R. L. Davis, superintendent of the North Carolina Anti-Saloon League, that his committee proposes to make a fight before the next legislature, for cutting out, even the sale of liquors by drug stores anywhere in the State for medicinal purposes, although the bill that Superintendent Davis and his anti-saloon league committee have drawn to press before the legislature is designed to allow liquors in drug stores. In this matter the doctors have gone the white-ribboners one better, and their suggestion will have great weight with the general assembly which meets in January.

QUAINT COUPLE MIGHT HAVE BEEN SAFECRACKERS, BUT—

An officer Sunday afternoon while roaming through the woods along Neuse river, near the city, came across a white man of rather forlorn appearance and a darkey who could not talk English! The pair were examining a kit of strange tools. On a fence nearby was strung out negligence articles of a very limited and the worse-for-wear wardrobe. The inquisitive officer stooped over the couple and asked questions about what the box of tools was and what they were doing in the isolated spot. "Washing my clothes," said the white man, pointing to the fence. The black said nothing, but arose and started off. "Wait a minute," said the officer. The negro was plainly alarmed. He took another step or two backward, and unable to contain himself, broke for Parrott's bridge. A number of boys were in his path, and these he bowled over without slackening his speed. Others were coming over the bridge, however, and these tackled him and held him until the officer came up. It developed that the white man was an itinerant umbrella mender, and that the tools were those of his craft. The negro was a Portuguese subject from the Cape Verde Islands who, passing through the woods, was attracted by the sight of a man washing in such an unusual place, and had merely stopped to gratify his curiosity.

JUVENILE "WEDDING" TUESDAY EVENING

The "wedding" of "Tom Thumb" to little "Miss Midget," in the high school auditorium Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, will be the most interesting event of the day to the ladies and children of the city. Seventy-five little ones, all of them between 3 and 10 years of age, will participate in the affair, which is under the auspices of the Philathea class of the First Baptist church.

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CLAIM "OCULIST" WAS FAKIR.

Woodington men came here today to try to locate a "Dr. Sumner," who stated that he was from Buncombe county, N. C. Sumner last week sold spectacles at half-price in the rural parts of the county to advertise a business which he said would be opened here today, it is alleged. He guaranteed satisfaction, and said the glasses could be exchanged on or after today at the office which he would open in Kinston. A man who purchased from him failed to get Sumner's office address, and spent several hours here this morning in a vain attempt to locate him. Sumner was not known in Kinston, and had not registered at any hotel or boarding-house so far as the Woodington man and a son who accompanied him here could learn.

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