

OF LOCAL INTEREST

MARRIAGE LICENSE

License to wed was issued Friday to John Thompson, 23, and Mary Anderson, 19, colored, both of the county.

MEETING OF TRUSTEES OF FEEBLE-MINDED SCHOOL

The Board of Trustees of the North Carolina School for the Feeble-Minded will hold their annual meeting next Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, in the Central building at the institution.

ENTERTAINMENT IN COAHOMA SCHOOL

The public is invited to attend a Christmas entertainment at Coahoma public school on Thursday evening, December 17, at 8 o'clock. One feature of the occasion will be a box party, although there will be various other amusements suitable to every age.

REGULAR PRIMITIVE BAPTIST PASTOR.

Elder L. H. Hardy of Atlantic, N. C., it was announced today, will take active charge of the pastorate of the Primitive Baptist church here. Mr. Hardy will visit the local church on the third Sunday of each month for two services. He is a native of Greene county.

WARRANT FOR LARCENY BY FRAUD WITHDRAWN

Harrison Cannian, colored, arrested early in the week upon the complaint of Waddell Midyette, another negro for larceny of money by fraud, has been released from jail. Midyette alleged that Cannian, by misrepresentation, drew wages due him at the School for the Feeble-Minded, where both were employed, but later withdrew the warrant.

KINSTON FOURTH IN NOVEMBER SALES

The local tobacco market, which led the State in the October sales dropped to fourth place in November, according to statistics given out by the State Department of Agriculture Friday. Wilson led, with 8,600,343 pounds, Winston-Salem was second with 4,785,938 pounds, and Greenville third with 4,035,107 pounds. Kinston with its season nearer ended, sold 3752,808 pounds.

ROYAL ARCANUM ELECTS OFFICERS

New officers for the coming year were elected by the local lodge of the Royal Arcanum Friday night, as follows: Representative to the Grand Council, V. E. Weyher; Alternate, B. L. Taylor; Regent, L. O. Moseley; Vice-Regent, J. E. Dupree; Orator, H. T. Pate; Secretary, V. E. Weyher; Collector, A. F. Haskins; Treasurer, J. J. Bizzell; Guide, J. B. Croom; Chaplain, J. W. Shute; Warden, Claud Jarman; Sentinel, T. S. Grady.

FIRST COTTON BOUGHT FOR GREENVILLE MILL

The first bale of cotton for Greenville's new cotton mill was sent to the plant late Friday. W. H. Norris, formerly of Kinston, is vice-president and manager of the company which will operate the mill. Practically all of the machinery is now in place, and the plant will be started up in a few days. The first bale of cotton purchased was for the purpose of testing the machinery.

RED MEN SELECT OFFICERS

Officers for the coming year were chosen by Karuke Tribe No. 25, I. O. R. M., Friday evening as follows: R. G. Wooten, sachem; W. C. Marsh, senior sagamore; Alex. Williams, junior sagamore; M. M. Happer, chief of records; John C. Hewitt, keeper of wampum; W. A. Jordan, prophet. More than thirty of the members partook of an oyster supper at Skinner's following the "nomination," which is equivalent to election, of the new officers.

SYSTEMATIC PETTY FRAUD DISCOVERED.

Harriet Mattocks, a Craven county negress, has been discovered in a clever piece of larceny by fraud. For three months past the woman has applied for provisions to the value of \$1.25 a month, granted by the commissioners to Alice Green, an infirm old colored woman. Harriet Mattocks represented herself as an agent of the pensioner, and appropriated the allowance to her own use. A magistrate ordered her to return the provisions or their equivalent in money.

THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR WAR SUFFERERS' FUND

The business men of Greenville have started a fund, which it is intended to raise to \$1,000 by Christmas Day, for the relief of widows and orphans of British sailors. The Tobacco Board of Trade started the fund off with a contribution of \$100. The Imperial Tobacco Company, originating the movement, will send the money to England.

There will be a regular communication of St. John's Lodge No. 4, A. F. and A. M., Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

SATISFACTORY REPORT ON CITY WATER SUPPLY.

A report from the State Laboratory of Hygiene on the condition of the Kinston water supply, received by the water and light department today, is even more satisfactory than one had several weeks ago, when the freeness from contamination of the water was remarked. The latest report shows that there are no vestiges of sediment, color (platinum-cobalt standard), turbidity (silica standard), cold odor, nitrogen as nitrites, acid-producing bacteria, nor colon bacilli. There is a slight trace of odor hot. Alkalinity (interms of calcium carbonate) is rated at 112.5, chlorine at 6, nitrogen as nitrates at 0.02. The total number of bacteria at 20c. is only 3, and the total number at 38 c. per c. c., 8.

UNKNOWN BLACK ATTACKED OFFICER

When Deputy Sheriff Hedia Allen went to a house on East Shine street late Friday night to break up a reported affray, the door of the house, occupied by negroes, was slammed violently in his face. Allen broke the door open, and was assaulted by a black with a heavy piece of wood. The blow intended for the officer was warded off by a projecting door facing. Before the assailant could renew the attack Allen had clubbed him into submission. The vicious attacker's identity has not been learned, and he refuses to disclose it.

MANY CHILDREN IN CITY SCHOOLS MAKE RECORDS

(Continued from Page Five)

- Robert Earle Lee
- William Moore
- Thomas Hewitt
- Person Nicholson
- Edward Hill
- Grade 3A.—
- Anne Jordan Parham
- Mary Vick
- Estelle Hood
- Anne Louise Gaynor
- Lela Clarke
- Carrie May Dunn
- Jennie Cheney
- Maud Bisette
- Picola Bland
- Clarence Clark
- Louis Farmer
- Morris Foxman
- Harry Long
- Clarence Parker
- T. J. Parker
- Richard Roberson
- Grade 3B.—
- Cynthia Bagby
- Miriam Brietz
- Claresa Britt
- Elizabeth Churchill
- Margaret Copeland
- Helen Faulkner
- Mary Langston
- Maud McLawhorn
- Mary Oettinger
- Josephine Shaw
- Edith Spencer
- Mary Taylor
- Lucy Tyndall
- Louise Tyndall
- Louise Stanford
- Lucy Freeman
- Chas. Bland
- George Croom
- Errol Dixon
- Hilton Harrison
- Simon Hodges
- T. B. Jeffries
- John Kilpatrick
- Carl Pridden
- Gerald Smith
- Luby Tyndall

Grade 4.—

- Reba Collins
- Anne Deaver
- Ellen Rouse
- Mary Sutton
- Venia Belle Sullivan
- Dolly Thompson
- Marguerite Waters
- Beulah Wetherington
- Lorna May Wilson
- Alton Edwards
- Samuel Emanuel
- Linwood Harrell
- Henry Hill
- George Jones
- William Nash
- John Heber Taylor

Grade 4A.—

- Leroy Robinson
- Ralph Tyndall
- Ethel Beamon
- Blanche Bryan
- Ruth Falkner
- Vivian Campen
- Sidney Hart
- Thomas Martin
- Charlie Gaylor
- Julia Grady
- Helen Poplin
- James Butler
- Estelle Gray
- Ruth Palmer
- Melvin Smith
- Clayroe Smith
- Lawrence Dixon

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 - St. Mary's Episcopal S. S. 10.00
 - Christ Episcopal S. S. 1.54
 - E. V. Ferrell 10.00
 - Woman's Club 5.00
 - Through A. L. C. Hill 15.64
 - From Mrs. Chapman's lecture. 18.92

The total is\$194.10

NARROWLY ESCAPED BEING RUN DOWN BY TRAIN.

Mrs. Olivia Randolph, while driving on North Queen street on a recent evening, narrowly missed being the victim of a serious accident. Mrs. Randolph was in a phaeton, and did not see an approaching Norfolk Southern freight train which was backing almost noiselessly in the direction of the street. A collision was narrowly averted.

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