

SPECIAL TERM OF COURT.

WEEK'S ENTERTAINMENTS

TOWN FATHER'S MEETING

CITY ENGINEER'S REPORT.

MATTERS EDUCATIONAL.

WORK OF THE CHILDREN.

CONVENED BY ORDER OF GOVERNOR ON THIRTEEN.

THE SOCIAL AFFAIRS GIVEN IN OXFORD.

PASSING ON MANY IMPORTANT MUNICIPAL MATTERS.

SEWERAGE SYSTEM COMPLETED AND NOW READY FOR USE.

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND TEACHER'S ASSOCIATION.

HONOR ROLL, FOURTH MONTH OF GRADED SCHOOL.

Dockets Are Heavy, but Term Will be Shortened on Account of Call of Legislature.

The special term of court ordered by Governor Glenn, was convened on Monday, the 13th of January, Judge O. H. Guion presiding.

The dockets were unusually heavy, but with the exception of the slander case—State vs T. M. Thomason—the cases tried were all of an insignificant nature.

The case of the State vs Thomason was begun Tuesday afternoon and promises to consume the balance of the week.

The following cases were disposed of Monday:

State vs Emma Greenway, fornication and adultery, nol prossed.

State vs Jim Smith, c. c. w. nol prossed.

State vs Will Royster, larceny, nol prossed.

State vs Warren Terry, a. w. d. w., nol prossed.

State vs G. R. Moss, a. w. d. w., \$5 and costs.

State vs Rosa Royster, larceny, capias and continued.

State vs Ernest Harris and Frank Lewis affray, Harris to pay one half the cost and Lewis 3 months on roads.

State vs Wiley Moore, larceny, 3 months on county roads.

State vs Wiley Moore, larceny, plead guilty, judgment suspended.

State vs Jim Bullock, assault, plead guilty, 60 days on county roads.

State vs Lewis Parrish, c. c. w., continued for defendant until April term, on account of his serving sentence on Durham county roads.

State vs D. W. Fowler, forcible trespass, nol prossed.

State vs Duncan Allen, a. w. d. w., 18 months on county roads.

State vs Duncan Allen, c. c. w., 4 months on county roads.

State vs Jim Clayton and Sarah Oakley, fornication and adultery, continued.

State vs Willie Nelson, injury to property, judgment suspended upon payment of cost and repairing of damage.

State vs Maude Crews and Anna Hart, larceny, defendants pleaded guilty to forcible trespass, judgment suspended on payment of costs.

State vs Major Royster, vagrancy, appeal dismissed and defendant discharged.

State vs Willie Lawrence, c. c. w., judgment suspended on payment of costs.

State vs Tom Hester, a. w. d. w., judgment suspended on payment of cost.

State vs Macon Wright, escape, 4 months on road.

State vs Albert Preddy, c. c. w., pleads guilty, and sentenced to 60 days on roads.

State vs John May, injury to property, judgment suspended on payment of cost and repair of damage.

State vs B. E. Moss, c. c. w., judgment suspended on payment of cost.

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State vs John Wilkins, c. c. w., called and failed, nisi sci fa capias.

State vs Willie Thorpe, assault with

Miss Taylor Entertains the Euchre Club, and Several Parties are Given by Boys and Girls.

On last Wednesday afternoon, January the 8th, Miss Antoinette Taylor entertained the Euchre Club at her home.

On Tuesday evening, January the 7th, the young ladies, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bullock, on Broad street, gave a New Year's party to the young men, the hours being from 8 to 12:30.

On the next evening, the young men entertained the young ladies, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harris, on College street.

Business Changes. The E. H. Crenshaw Company, composed of Messrs. E. H. Crenshaw, John A. Williams, A. H. A. Williams, and A. A. Williams, are now occupying the two store rooms in the Herndon Block on Main street, recently vacated by Parham Bros. Co., who have transferred their stock of goods to one of the stores recently occupied by the Crenshaw Co.

The following were appointed trustees for the firemen relief funds; Messrs. J. T. Pruitt, M. A. King, (designated by the fire company), W. H. Hunt and Z. W. Lyon, who were appointed by the Mayor upon order of the board.

State vs Lank Daniel, larceny, 12 months in penitentiary.

State vs Lank Daniel, c. c. w., nol pros.

State vs Lank Daniel, perjury, guilty.

State vs Obediah Loftis and others, forcible trespass, continued.

State vs Frank Person, a. w. d. w., defendant waived bill and pleaded guilty, judgment suspended on payment of cost.

State vs James Sanderford, a. w. d. w., defendant waived bill and pleaded guilty, judgment suspended on payment of cost.

State vs Geo. Person, a. w. d. w., defendant waives bill and pleaded guilty, judgment \$10 and cost.

State vs W. S. Day and Sam Harris, a. w. d. w., guilty as to Day, not guilty as to Harris.

Water, Light, and Sewer Reports Taken up, and After Long Discussion, Acted upon.

The Town Fathers were in session last Monday night, the Mayor presiding, with the following gentlemen present: Messrs. Wood, Ury, Hunt, Bullock, Baird, and Lyon.

The Light Committee reported five lights out during the past month, and, upon motion, it was ordered that the proper amount be deducted from the light bill.

The special committee on fire house reported that they were unable to secure a suitable location for this purpose. On December 30th they went before the county commissioners, and were told that the county would give a 99 year lease on a lot 80 by 50 adjoining the market house.

Mr. Baird made a motion which was seconded and carried that an election be held on the 7th of February, at no expense to the town, for the people to vote upon the question of loaning \$3,000, or whatever amount was left over from the sewerage appropriation, for the erection of the building.

A proposition to the town from Messrs. A. A. Chapman and P. C. Williams to furnish all materials and lay pipe from curbing of town sewer for \$12.50; to lay the 4-inch pipe on all personal property, when requested, and at a uniform fall from point to point, was submitted by those gentlemen on condition that the town allows them to order pipe in their name, and on the condition that all traps be paid for at actual cost by property owners at a price of about 50 cents.

Upon motion of Mr. Baird, the Health Officer and Mr. Chapman were ordered to draw up sanitary regulations in regard to the proper sewerage connections.

These rebates were allowed the following taxpayers on the grounds that property outside of the corporate limits had been erroneously listed in town: Dr. N. M. Ferebee, \$2.13; Mr. Hearst about 23 or 24 cents.

Upon motion, an appropriation equal to the poll tax of the members of the colored fire company, was made to the colored company.

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Bills to the amount of about \$275, and the usual salary roll, were presented and allowed.

A motion was made and carried to employ Mr. Thomason as police officer in Mr. Smith's place, during the

Undertaking Has not Cost as Much as Anticipated, Total Cost Estimated to Be \$29,256.36.

City Engineer A. A. Chapman appeared before the Commissioners, Monday night, and made a final report of the sewerage work, announcing that all work begun on August 5th, 1907, has been completed, and that the system is now ready for service.

All the streets that have sewerage are laid with 8 inch pipe, which connects with out-fall lines of 10 and 12 inch pipe.

The contractors have completed the work contracted for, except putting on the tops of a few lantern holes and replacing a few condemned manhole covers.

The work done to January 1st, 1908 completed the installation of a trifle over eight miles of pipe line, 21 flush tanks, 83 man holes, and 15 lamp holes.

The cost of the work is as follows: Pipe . . . . . \$5,627.42 Engineering . . . . . 1,175.64 Inspection . . . . . 402.00

Total cost estimated . . . 29,256.36

The approximate cost of additional work proposed for next spring is: Extension Spring St. line . \$405.00

Total . . . . . \$3,104.00

This amount added to cost of work already installed totals \$32,360, leaving a surplus of \$2,640.

The engineer, having found that some of the connections are laid too shallow, suggested that the Board should require all terra cotta pipe to be laid at a depth of not less than 18 inches, and that all pipes laid from curbing to the main should be laid on a uniform grade.

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latter's illness, at the same salary that Mr. Smith was given when on duty.

During the meeting the report of the city engineer was made, which report is found in condensed form in another column.

Prof. Walker Delivers Address to High School Teachers and Committee, and Association.

The County Board of Education holds its regular quarterly meeting in the office of the Superintendent, on Monday, January the 6th. Mr. N. W. Walker, professor of secondary education at the University, being present, the board invited the principals of the high schools and the school committees to meet with them and hear a talk by Prof. Walker, who came to Granville in the interest of the high school work.

So much interest is being manifested in this institution and so little is known about it that the Ledger will take the matter up and, in a few weeks, give an account of its beginning and its field of work.

At this session, the board made an apportionment of the school funds, which funds are derived from several sources, and after reserving the amount required by law, it was estimated that the amount to be distributed among the schools for the fiscal year from June 1st, 1907, to June 1st, 1908, would be \$15,660.00, or \$1.85 per capita to the townships.

The regular school tax, per capita, is 18 cents on the \$100 valuation, the total tax valuation of Granville being \$6,686,331 in 1907, an increase of \$919,904 over 1906.

The total number of children of school age, according to the last census is 8491, there being about 200 more colored than white. There are 96 schools—52 white and 44 colored.

The apportionment is as follows: Townships. Schools. Child'n. Appor'm't.

A few figures pertaining to the schools may prove interesting. The county is divided into 9 townships, and the nine townships into 50 school districts. The total number of children of school age, according to the last census is 8491, there being about 200 more colored than white.

The school term prescribed by law is of four month's duration, except in the special tax districts, where it is varied according to the extra tax voted.

Complaints from the various districts were brought to the attention of the board.

A petition was received from the Stem and Washington schools asking that they be allowed to consolidate.

In spite of the inclemency of the weather, 40 teachers were present at the second meeting of the Granville County Teacher's Association, which

Bright Boys and Girls Who Study and Make Good Progress in Different Grades.

First Grade—Charley Dames, Mary May, James Ballou, Nina Cooper, Studie Crews, Lula Hunt, Margaret Pendleton, Daisy Smith, Harley Stacy, William Webb, Otto Gardener, Sylvia Hearst, Lewis Smith, George Beasley, Joe Beasley, Emmie Cooper Medford, Frances Mitchell, Carl Sizemore, Rob Parham, Treva Gorman.

Second Grade—Marion Sneed, Georgia Winston, Joe Ragland, Willie Pitchford, Sidney Currin, George Cheabam, Henry Robards, Sallie Yancey, Frank Taylor, Sallie May, Edward Ballou, Hubert Currin, Robert Day, Jewell Thomason, Lois Wood, Mary Lully Blalock, Henry Shaw, Edith Howell, Fannie Taylor, Willie Beasley, Annie Belle Wheeler, Clyde Gooch, Sarah Cannady, Elvis Burchett, Daisy Williford, Eunice Parham.

Third Grade—Susan Webb, Fannie Buchanan, Willie Medford, Lorene Pech, Stanley Averett, Kathleen Gardner, Olivia Burchett, Archie Johnson, Bessie Pitchford, Carroll Moore, Lila Currin, Joe Parham, Willie Adeock, Theima Averett, Lindsey Taylor, Mary Lee Beasley, Mary Brown, James Bullock, John Hall, Jennings Walters, Lilly Belle Cannady.

Fourth Grade—Marie Meadows, Annie E. Wortham, Jewell Fogleman, Ruby Adeock, Susie Meadows, Henry Shanks, Eloise Cannady, Edith Parham, Earle Hunt, Mary Cheatham, Carrie Harris, Marsh Callis, Sallie Hamme, Graham Wheeler, Frank Furman, Herbert Parham, Kilgo Hunt, George Jones, Viola Johnson, Imogen Cannady, Jessie Bullock.

Fifth Grade—Ruth Shaw, Pearl Oakes, Londa Shamburger, Mattie Nutt, Harry Rennie, Julia Royster, Harry Jones, Myrtle Crews, Mary White, Tempie Gae, Grace Critcher, Lillian Taylor, Sara Callis, Ernest Hart, Kennon Taylor, Dicy Belle Day, John Hunt, Mamie Moore, Bessie Howell, Eva Hester, Waverly Harris, Sallie Fuller, Basil Horsefield, Lucy Landis.

Sixth Grade—Helen Paris, Little Hester, Annie Peirson, Lois Perkinson, Esther Mitchell.

Seventh Grade—Frank Hancock, Ellie Baker, Wilbur Smith, Jim Taylor, Tazzie Dean, Sophronia Cooper, Edna Crews, John Baker, Lena Jones, Katie Ellis, Estelle Bullock, Mabel Hart, Mary Fisher Hunt, Ruth Taylor, Will Adams, Sadie Day, Harvey Bullock.

Eighth Grade—Oscar Ragland, Irving Royster, Marie Medford, Ethel Adams, Ruth Franklin, Arthur Landis.

Ninth Grade—Alleine Minor, Alma Ragland, Isabel Fleming, Norma Burwell, Leonard Mitchell, Jack Bullock, Fannie Brown, Susie Brown, Berkley Spencer, Addie Wood, Elizabeth Coleman, Willie Grimley, Virgie Pendleton.

ST. JOHN'S CHAPEL.

Winnie Allon, Hallie Arrington, Mary Arrington, Ursell Burchett, Ola Cutts, Bettie Lillard, Eudie Burchett, Richard Nash, Edward Nash, Claude Oakley, Dewey Wilson, Roy Woodley Mark Long.

Prof. Hobgood Makes Speech.

Prof. F. P. Hobgood and Dr. G. T. Winston, of the A. & M. College, delivered speeches to about 125 teachers at Wilkesboro, last Friday. Prof. Hobgood reports that Wilkes county, heretofore noted as the banner moonshine county of the State, has the largest number of public school libraries of any county in the State, there being 83 reported to date.

Two cars shingles just arrived. L. B. Turner. 11 pd.