

HAS BEEN SUSPENDED.

GOVERNOR SUSPENDED SUPERVISOR BOYD.

Mr. Boyd says he has not Appropriated any of the Public Money. Matter not so bad as it appears on its Face.

It was stated in the newspapers of week before last that presentments had been made at the recent term of court against Mr. John L. Boyd, the county Supervisor, and G. Fred Stalvey Esqr., the former clerk of the board, as to the appropriation of the county funds to private use and conspiracy to defraud the county.

When consulted about these matters, Mr Boyd stated that he was not afraid of any of these charges because he had not applied any of the public funds to his own use and that he was not afraid of the result when left to trial in the court.

The supervisor has only been suspended from his office and when the matters against him are cleared up and he is tried and found not guilty he will go back into his office, if the present term shall not have expired.

The following is an account of the matter appearing in the State of Sept. 28th.

The grand jury of Horry county have found a true bill against Jno. L. Boyd, county supervisor, on several criminal charges, Gov. Heyward yesterday suspended the supervisor from his office duties.

Several days ago the supervisor sent in his resignation, but the governor declined to accept the resignation until the supervisor could make settlement of his affairs. Yesterday the action of the grand jury was communicated to Gov. Heyward by the solicitor of the fourth circuit, Mr. J. Monroe Johnson, and the proclamation suspending the official was promulgated at once.

The charges against Boyd are very serious indeed, and the clerk of the county board, G. Fred Stalvey, is also implicated. There are three indictments against Boyd and one against Stalvey. On all three counts a true bill was rendered by the grand jury. It is claimed that Boyd, with the assistance of Stalvey obtained by fraudulent means \$1,439 83, belonging to the county of Horry and used the same for their personal ends.

The witnesses named in the indictment are W. L. Mishoe, J. P. Derham, D. A. Spivey, J. A. McDermott and J. C. Spivey; Y. M. Martin, N. M. Mishoe and W. L. Richardson for the prosecution, and W. A. Dusenbury, J. H. Baker, W. L. Hardee and C. H. Snider for the defendants.

The first count charges that Jno. L. Boyd, on the 5th of July, 1904, "did falsely make, forge and counterfeit, cause and procure to be falsely made forged and counterfeited" and willingly acting and assist in the false making forging and counterfeiting" a county claim for the service of Y. M. Martin as constable for salary for quarter April 1st to June 30 1904 for \$8.65 by adding: "To paid for labor on road \$1; to paid on pauper account \$5," thereby raising the claim to \$14.75, and by forging the name of W. L. Hardee as county commissioner to the approval of the claim.

The second indictment charges that Jno. L. Boyd committed a breach of trust in that as supervisor he had the custody of two mules belonging to the county and had sold them and converted the proceeds to his own private use, taking the note of W. L. Mishoe for \$2.50 and depositing the proceeds from the note to his own account.

The third count charges that Jno. L. Boyd and G. Fred Stalvey unlawfully, falsely, fraudulently and corruptly did conspire combine, confederate and agree together by false pretenses to cheat and defraud the said county out of a large sum of money, to wit: The sum of \$1,439 83, by means of certain false and fraudulent paper in the form of and purporting to be warrants, orders and drafts, signed and to be signed by the supervisor and the clerk of the board of county commissioners, based on no account whatever and in favor of fictitious claimants and to be negotiated and collected by themselves for their own private use and benefit, which large sum of money was collected, each of them knowing that the accounts, warrants, orders and drafts so drawn and negotiated were not legal and valid, but were false and fraudulent to the great damage of the county of Horry and the evil example of all others in like cases of fencing against the peace and dignity of the State."

It makes no difference how long you have been sick if you are troubled with indigestion, constipation, liver and kidney troubles, Hollister Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well. 35 cents. Norton Drug Co.

LOCAL ITEMS.

S. T. Sessions has the largest line of samples he ever had.

Read the new advertisement of Hal L. Busk Co., appearing in this issue.

The Rev. Mr. Wardlaw preached at the Presbyterian church here last Sunday.

If you are in need of shoes go to S. T. Sessions. He has them by the thousand.

My store is still the cheapest place to buy meat, rib sides and plates. A. P. Johnson.

Good young stock, horses and mules for sale cheap for cash or good security, apply to A. P. Johnson.

An addition will be made soon to the store of the Conway Drug Co. It will give the business much needed space.

Our subscribers are requested to make payment of their dues during the fall, as we are not prepared to carry accounts over.

There were two recent escapes from the chain gang. Nep Claredy on Tuesday and Will Stricklan last Saturday morning.

L. D. Tharp of Marlow sent us in a pair this week measuring one foot and three inches around. It was about the equal of one sent us by Mr. Edge.

A large pile of brick has been deposited near the side walk on main street to be used in the erection of the new brick store of S. T. Sessions. The last of the old store was torn out and moved away the latter part of last week.

G. W. Graham of Loris, J. T. Anderson of Homewood, L. S. and F. M. Dew of Dulah, W. D. Collins of Zoan, B. M. Stevens of Sanford, S. P. Hughes of Barnes, G. M. Hardee of Longs, W. J. Edge of Hand, all visited Conway this week.

The civil docket of the Court of Common Pleas is becoming very congested and the attorneys should have a special term next summer to clean up the business. Some change is needed either in the frequency of the terms or the length of them.

J. T. Shelly left at the Herald office last Saturday a hand full of damaged cotton bolls showing how the cotton is destroyed by the insect lately so destructive in Socastee and other places. One large boll had great holes eaten into the sides, while the small ones were reduced to honey combs, in appearance.

There were two land sales at the court house last Monday, one made by the Judge of Probate and the other by the Clerk of the Court. The Porter farm was sold to Dr. J. S. Dusenbury for the sum of \$505.00, and the estate of the late James Dimery in Dog Bluff township to J. Morgan Lewis for the sum of \$505.00.

Edgar Parker who holds a position with the State at Columbia at present, but who was formerly with one of newspapers in Savannah, was here last week for the purpose of writing up the town and county for the Sunday edition of his paper. He is a son of the late Mr. P. A. Parker, or the School Commissioner of this county.

A force of hands are at work grading the site for the erection of the new A. C. L. depot on the opposite side of the street from where the old depot now stands. The work was commenced on Monday of last week. A considerable amount of earth will have to be removed to make room for the building and the necessary tracks.

The Rev. G. W. Harrelson has accepted the pastorate of Springfield church in this county and of Pleasant Hill and New Hope church in Columbus County, N. C., and has decided to move back to this county from Georgetown where he has been for the past few years. He will reside at Adrian, and will move there about the middle of October.

A dispute arose last week between the authorities and J. E. Nicholas over the location of the addition he is going to build to his store on Laurel Street. We are informed that the matter has been settled to the satisfaction of all concerned and Mr. Nicholas will soon begin the erection of the addition which will have a nice front on the above named street.

The case between A. R. Bullock and Magistrate N. J. Cox was tried the second time at Loris last Thursday before a jury drawn the week before to try the case. Mr. Cox managed his own case. The Plaintiff was represented by H. H. Woodward Esqr. The jury found for the Plaintiff A. R. Bullock and the possession of the mare in question was awarded to him. Both sides had stated before the trial that they would appeal, and from this it is supposed that Mr. Cox will appeal the case to the court of Common Pleas.

NEGRO KILLED

AND SEVERAL MORE DANGEROUSLY WOUNDED AT R. CAMP.

Blood Hounds Were Sent After and Sheriff and Coroner Went to Scene. Several Suspected of Crime.

Last Monday night unknown parties fired shot guns into the camps of negro laborers employed by the C. C. & W. Railroad, about fourteen miles from town some distance about Cool Spring, killing one negro who it seems lingered until next day, seriously wounding another, and painfully wounding several others.

The place is said to be just out side of the dead line and among the laborers are a few whites who reside inside of the dead line territory. It is said there was some trouble last week with some of the white labor, but the negroes were retained and hence the shooting. It is supposed the dissatisfied whites shot the negroes to frighten them away.

The sheriff and coroner went to the ground at once and it was reported in town later that suspicion rested on several who would doubtless be arrested, but all the testimony had not been taken.

Blood hounds were sent after and sent out to the place, but there are no results from them so far as we are informed.

A Suggestion.

Mr Editor: From what we can gather on the outside, the town council and the committee on internal improvements are hatched. Why? Because they cannot agree concerning that \$22,000.00 bond issue. The committee say, the people had confidence in our judgment and put us in this position to use this money as we see fit, so you issue the bonds and give us the proceeds that we may drain the town.

The council say, we too have been placed here by the people and will be held responsible for this bond issue for years to come, besides your plan does not meet with the wishes of the voters.

Why? Because the voters say that when this money is all spent in drainage, with about \$1,200.00 interest to be paid annually on the bonds, there will be no revenue derived from the expenditure, as it will require all the taxes and other revenue raised in the town, for years, to pay the interest on the bonds and at the end of twenty years the principal will remain the same. This is true, as our town would have to grow at an enormous rate before we could issue any more bonds. Unless this matter can be settled one way or the other, we had best call off the bond issue, for as it is now being handled, it is a disgrace to the town. Why not bury the hatchet and call a mass meeting of the citizens and let them settle the question as to how they wish the money spent.

For a starter, why not issue the bonds and invest the proceeds in a way both practical and profitable to some extent at least? Say put \$10,000.00 in an electric light plant, which would bring in some revenue if properly managed, and if municipal ownership should prove unprofitable, as some predict, the plant could be sold to private individuals and the investment would not be a total loss. In connection with this plant, build a large tank and place hydrants on say four corners of Main Street, so as to have some fire protection in the business part of the town.

Then spend from \$3,000 to \$5,000 in drainage and the like amount on the streets and sidewalks.

This would come nearer satisfying everybody as it is in line with what we hear discussed on the streets. How does this strike the Committee, the Council and your readers? Let's hear from them next week and have a social gathering in the Court House and help our broadminded officers settle the difficulty of handling \$22,000 profitably for the benefit of the citizens of Conway. Voters.

Sunday School Convention.

Topics for the Baptist Sunday School Convention to convene at Tilly Swamp church, October the 14th and 15th.

What does the bible mean by, "Take no thought for your life, what you shall eat, neither for the body what you shall put on." Luke 12:22. Assigned to T. J. Vaught.

"Why is love greater than faith and hope." Assigned to A. J. Todd. "Can we successfully teach children at Sunday Schools when their parents stay at home and take no interest." Assigned to W. M. Martin.

J. C. Dubois, S. A. Howard, J. L. Todd, Com.

W. K. HOLT SUPERVISOR.

IS RECOMMENDED BY DELEGATION TO FILL OFFICE.

The Senator and Member of the House of Representatives met here on Monday to Recommend Man.

Senator G. J. Holliday and representatives D. A. Spivey and D. D. Harrelson held a meeting here last Monday for the purpose of recommending to the Governor a suitable man to fill the office of County Supervisor during the suspension of John L. Boyd. The Legislators agreed to recommend Mr. W. K. Holt of Loris and this was announced later in the day. It is stated on good authority that the Governor will appoint the choice of the delegation and Mr. Holt will be ready to take charge by the time for the next meeting of the county board.

PURELY PERSONAL.

Wm. Page was here last Monday. R. J. Beverly was in town a few days ago.

L. S. Cooper paid the office a call recently.

D. J. Cox was a pleasant visitor last week.

E. S. Baker jr., has returned to the Citadel.

Dr. H. H. Burroughs went to Loris last Thursday.

Senator G. J. Holliday spent Monday in town.

J. A. Johnson of Labana was in the city last Saturday.

C. S. Lee paid the office a pleasant call one day recently.

Miss Blanche Vaught has accepted the school at Collins Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McDermott went to Green Sea last Sunday.

W. E. Lee and W. F. Lee both visited the city last week.

A. P. Johnson returned last week from a trip to Charleston.

J. N. Horton paid the office a pleasant call one day last week.

Clerk W. L. Mishoe went to Gurvey and returned last Thursday.

Mrs. S. D. Dusenbury of Socastee spent last week in Conway.

S. C. Beverly of Dongola was in town on business last Thursday.

J. T. Watts of Bucksville was a pleasant caller one day recently.

N. M. Mishoe and Jeremiah Mishoe were both in Conway last Monday.

J. R. Alford of Port Harrelson was a visitor in the city last Friday.

S. M. Stevens of Eldorado was among those in the city last week.

Miss Maud Beaty visited her sister Mrs. John S. Buck last Sunday.

Gabrial Edwards of Galivants Ferry was in the city one day last week.

Among those in town last Monday were J. M. D. Jones and E. W. Johnson.

Col. C. P. Quattlebaum returned last Thursday from a business trip abroad.

Mrs. Jenkins of Fair Bluff was in town last week visiting her son, G. B. Jenkins.

Mrs. H. H. Barrroughs and children are spending the autumn at Green Sea.

Mrs. Snider of Kinstry was a recent arrival here on a visit to relatives in the city.

F. A. James of the Gideon section was among the crowd in the city last Saturday.

M. G. Parker, one of the merchants of the Hammond section was at the county seat on business last week.

W. G. Chestnut, one of the Singer Manufacturing Company's bustling agents, was in town last Friday.

Frank Johnson was at Conway last Friday to see his son, Commander Johnson, who is in jail under sentence of death.

I. W. Cooper of Wilmington, N. C., was among those who visited the town last Friday. He was accompanied by his father, Mr. W. E. P. Cooper.

Miss Vivian Vaught, accompanied by Mr. Kirt Floyd, passed through town last Saturday on her way home from spending some time at Windy Hill on the beach.

W. J. Edge of the Hand section was among those in the city last Saturday. He made the Editor a present of a very large pear weighing 16 ounces.

REV. J. L. SHINN

Makes Corrections in the Report of his Speech at Greenwood.

Mr Editor:—I hope you will give me space to make some corrections as to my speech at Greenwood reported by "Forecast." "Forecast" is a personal friend of mine, and I would not misrepresent any one intentionally. I hope he will take the corrections in the right spirit. He reported me as saying: "He who supports the dispensary is not wise, and he who is not wise is a fool."

I did not make that statement, but here is what I said: "Wine is a mocker, strong drink is raging, and whosoever is deceived thereby is not wise.—Prov. 22 1." The bible says the man deceived by strong drink is not wise. I say the man who is not wise is a fool.

There are men who are supporters of the dispensary system who are sober, intelligent, upright men. I am far from branding them as a fool, though I cannot agree with them in their stand.

Again he quoted me as saying: "Two hundred thousand new made graves, and one hundred thousand orphan children are some of the dispensary." Here is what I said: "There are one hundred thousand deaths and two hundred thousand orphans made each year, in the United States as a direct result of the whiskey traffic. The dispensaries of South Carolina are responsible for their part of these." I hope this can be understood without comment.

Again he quoted as follows: "On October 3rd the lines would be drawn in Horry county. On one side said he, there is God, purity, honesty, and all good people combined, and on the other was hell, the devil, liars and gamblers. Which side will you have on next Tuesday October 3rd?" A part of that statement is correct and a part is not. Please read my statement as made. Here it is: "On October 3rd a line will be drawn in our county. On this side we find God, the home, the churches, our women and children, joy, peace, happiness, and heaven with all of its joys. On the other side of this line you will find the devil with his imps, broken hearts, woe, misery, drunkards, the dispensary and hell with all of its horrors. Now which side will you take on next Tuesday a week."

I hope these corrections will be understood, and that "Forecast" will appreciate them. I am yours for correctness, J. L. Shinn.

Good Meeting at Pisgah.

Editor Herald:—Please allow me space in your valuable columns to note our meeting of days at Mt. Pisgah conducted by the Rev. C. P. Bullock, our pastor, and the Rev. Paul Britt, who preached the good word in its purity, and it seemed to have much effect. There were twenty-nine added to the church. We feel that the church has been strengthened and the good accomplished will be lasting.

There was a large attendance and good behavior for which we feel proud. W. G.

In Loving Memory.

Just one year ago today, the death angel visited our happy home circle, and took from our midst, the very idol of our home.

Etta was fourteen years, two months, and twelve days old, of a bright sunny disposition always looking to the bright side of things, making friends, and making every one happy with whom she came in company.

One knew her but to love her. Oh, how heart rending it is to stand by the bed-side of those we love so well, and see the loving ties of nature severed by the icy hands of death, but the Lord knew best. He had called her. All that a physician and loving willing hands could do, could not stay the hand of death.

It seems that it is always the sweetest flower that is plucked first but the master only took this flower bud to blossom in heaven yes we are satisfied little Etta is through with the trials and disappointments of this sinful world, and is grouped with the angels on the right hand of God. We can judge her reward by the life she lived here, such a loving disposition ever ready to speak a cheerful word or lend a helping hand to those in need.

One of her greatest pleasures was to visit the sick and aiding them by word or deed. We cannot wish you back Etta, but oh how sad to be separated for life with only your dear image inscribed in our hearts to remind us of your animated presence.

Although, only with us for a period of fourteen short years, she has set an example for those she has left behind. Truly we can say, A loving one from earth is gone, A voice we loved is stilled, A place is vacant in our home, Which never can be filled.

Her devoted aunt, Catherine King.

DISPENSARY VOTED OUT.

"NO DISPENSARY" GETS LARGE MAJORITY IN ELECTION.

Only Few Precincts yet Unheard From and They will not Change Result of the Election.

The following is a list of precincts heard from and the vote cast on the question of "Dispensary" or "No Dispensary" in the Election last Tuesday. The other precincts have not been heard from except as rumors, but the official vote at those places will not materially change the result of the figures below. The vote will be published next week when all the precincts have been heard from. Precinct. For Dis. Against Dis.

Table with 2 columns: Precinct, For Dis., Against Dis. Total 293 692

DIED.

Mrs. Mary Alford, died at the home her sister, Mrs. James S. Murdock, in Socastee on Aug. 28th, at the age of 55 years seven months and one day. Her body was taken to Socastee Cemetery and after being funeralized by Rev. Ben Elks, was laid away to await the resurrection morning.

The death angel passed over the home of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Murdock on September 12th and laid his hand upon dear Little Annie, who was just a little over eleven years of age and was a very bright little girl. She was dearly loved by her Sunday School mates and sisters at home and before she died she made mention of her Sunday School teacher and called for her little testament which had been given to her by her teacher and said that if Miss Minnie came to see her she would recite a verse for her. After dividing her little presents with her little sisters, giving the baby her testament, asked that she might be carried into the church and Mr. McFarland preach her funeral.

Calling her parents and brothers and sisters she bade them good-by and said she was going to Heaven. Her last request was complied with as nearly as loved ones could carry it out. We hope to meet her some day where parting will be no more. B. F. W.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our many thanks through the columns of the Herald to our many friends for their kindness to us through the illness of our mother, especially to the young ladies of the Eldorado section. May God bless them in our prayer. S. A. Gore, J. M. Gore.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, therefore destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature of doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

J. D. Frick one of the business of Clarendon, N. C., was in Conway for a short time last Monday morning.

Mrs. D. V. Richardson of Bucksport, S. C., who has been spending some time at Waynesville, N. C., is here visiting relatives. Whiteville News Reporter.

Rib meat 10c. lb. A. P. Johnson.