

JUNIOR COUNCIL ADJOURNS

Most Successful Annual Session of Juniors at Salisbury, N.C. to End Officers Elected for Coming Year. President, Messrs. O. R. Pool, of Salisbury, N.C. Vice President, Messrs. J. M. Maupin, of Salisbury, N.C. Secretary, Messrs. J. M. Maupin, of Salisbury, N.C. Treasurer, Messrs. J. M. Maupin, of Salisbury, N.C. ...

FAVORS COMPULSORY EDUCATION

The council last night placed itself upon record as favoring compulsory education. It opposed unqualifiedly, unrestricted immigration and increased the board of officers from three to five. ...

IN SUPERIOR COURT

After deliberating 16 hours, the jury in the Owens-Meroney case brought in a verdict of \$1,504.20 upon a suit for a profit on the sale of a mill property. The plaintiff alleged that Mr. Meroney, as a partner, had agreed to furnish money for the various expenditures about the mill, the building of a road, raising the dam and repairing the race. ...

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COL BYERS ON THE ATONEMENT

He Comes Forth With His Greek Testament and Settles a Few Things—It Is Best to Let the Deacons Go Alone—They Will Return to the Old Faith. Very few people in Charlotte appreciate Col. Carl Edwin Augustus Byers, one of the blooming candidates for the Senate, who knows a thing or two. The colonel does not like a dull time and if any man ever so far forgets himself as to enter into a joint interview with him he will suffer the remorse of the vanquished as sure as death. ...

LOBBIED ALL LEGISLATURES

"Nothing disclosed by the investigation deserves more serious attention than the systematic efforts of the large insurance companies to control a large part of the legislation of the State. They have been organized into an offensive and defensive alliance to procure or to prevent the passage of laws affecting not only insurance, but a great variety of important interests. ...

WOULD ORDER NEW ELECTION

One of the most important laws recommended by the investigating committee looked to the giving to policy-holders of an opportunity to elect entirely new boards of directors as soon as the provisions of such a law can be made applicable. To that end the committee recommends a special act providing for the expiration of the terms of office of existing directors of such companies on the 10th day of November next and that the annual meetings which would otherwise be held at an earlier date should be postponed to that time. ...

DEFERRED DIVIDENDS, ETC.

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A MORGANTON BOY

Son of Late Commodore Kerley Passes Examination for Entrance to Naval Academy—Work on Canning Factory. Morganton, Feb. 22.—Jay Kerley, son of the late Commodore Kerley, received the highest marks in the examination for entrance to the United States Naval Academy. ...

COMMERCIAL CLUB

Organized at Albemarle With 40 Members. Special to the Observer. The Albemarle Commercial Club was formerly organized here last night. Mr. J. R. Price was elected president, and J. L. Patterson vice president. ...

FIRST FAILURE IN YEARS

Bunch & Womack Make Assignment at Scotland Neck. Special to the Observer. The first business failure in Scotland Neck for quite a number of years occurred yesterday when Bunch & Womack made an assignment. ...

LIVERPOOL COTTON

Liverpool, Feb. 22.—Cotton, spot in fair demand; prices 3 to 5 points lower. American middling 6.50; good middling 5.82; middling 5.74; low middling 5.54; good ordinary 5.40; ordinary 5.24. ...

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"This drifting away from the apostolic faith is only temporary. We are entering a transition period, a time of theological apostasy, a temporary eclipse of faith, but the Supreme Creator and His all-powerful Son will soon bring the way back to the truth. 'Truth crushed to earth will rise again; The eternal years of God are hers, But Error, wounded, writhing pain, And lies among her worshippers.'"

CASE WORKERS MEET.

North Carolina Association Holds Quarterly Session at Greensboro—Another 10 Per Cent. Advance Will be Made. Special to the Observer. Greensboro, Feb. 22.—The North Carolina Case Workers' Association held its quarterly meeting at the Benbow Hotel today, and the session was lasting all day. Reports from various committees were received and matters of general interest to the furniture manufacturing industry discussed. Dr. W. G. Bradshaw, of High Point, is president, and presided at to-day's meeting. The secretary, Mr. C. J. Field, also of High Point, was at his post. The minutes of the last meeting were read, embracing 95 per cent. of the furniture manufacturers of North Carolina and Virginia. It was given out that the association is progressing very vigorously and much good will result from the cementing of the relations among the members. It was decided that the account of the continued advance in material to make another 10 per cent. advance at the meeting in May.

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