

A MOVE FOR IMMIGRANTS

STRONG ORGANIZATION FORMED

The South Carolina Division of Southern Immigration and Industrial Association...

Observer Bureau, 1209 Main Street, Columbia, S. C., Feb. 21.

In answer to a call from Vice President J. C. Hemphill, of the Southern Immigration Association...

The purpose of the organization is to officially set down as being to cooperate with the State department of immigration...

Those present at the meeting were Mayor Rhet, Maj. J. C. Hemphill, R. P. Hamer, E. J. Watson, E. D. Smith...

SOCIAL CLUB FOR DURHAM

General Carr and Others Organize the Cavaliers Club...

Special to The Observer

Durham, Feb. 21.—There is a move on foot to organize and equip a new social club here...

Today and tomorrow the people of Durham will be engaged in regard to their desire to hold the annual meeting of the North Carolina Teachers' Assembly...

DISCHARGED BUT RE-ARRESTED

Coroner's Jury in Binge Case Dismisses Mrs. Wallau & Gives Her Freedom...

New York, Feb. 21.—There was a dismissal to-day of the coroner's jury which has been investigating the death of Mrs. Ida Binge...

THE GORDON CASE FINISHED

Guilty of Murder in the Second Degree—Sentence Will Be Passed Later—Creditors in Andrews Bankruptcy Case to Meet 2:30—Railway Great Hill Barred—Other Winston-Salem News.

Special to The Observer. Winston-Salem, Feb. 21.—The jury in the Gordon-Brandham murder case rendered their verdict of guilty of murder in the second degree at 1:30 today...

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The Elks will give a dance in their hall to-morrow night and on Wednesday. They received to-day an electric piano...

YACHT BURNS TO WATER LINE

Explosion Follows and Party Escapes in Small Boats.

Key West, Fla., Feb. 21.—The auxiliary yacht Adaline, Capt. Layton, of New York, caught fire in Haks channel several miles from Key West today and was burned to the water's edge...

OPLE REED DELIGHTS A GAFFNEY AUDIENCE

Special to The Observer

Gaffney, S. C., Feb. 21.—To say that Ople Reed delighted his large audience last night with his lecture, "First one thing and then another," is putting it mildly.

FATALLY INJURED BY 12-INCH GUN

Pensacola, Fla., Feb. 21.—Harry L. Leonard, a first-class gunner of the Tenth Artillery...

LONG-HORNERS' STRIKE RENEWED

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 21.—The strike of the long-horners employed on the foreign shipping wharf...

CLEVELAND PRINCIPAL SPEAKER AT WASHINGTON BIRTHDAY DINNER

Chicago, Feb. 21.—Former President Cleveland, Cleveland, who is to be the speaker at a Washington's birthday dinner to-morrow night...

UNOFFICIAL RETURNS INDICATE A VICTORY FOR MAYOR DUNN

Chicago, Feb. 21.—Unofficial returns from the Democratic primaries which were held to-day indicate a victory for Mayor Dunn...

CONFEDERATE VETERAN DIES OF PARALYSIS

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 21.—Dr. A. R. Alley, aged 63 years, a Confederate veteran...

SECRET AGENT DISAPPEARS

Mr. H. A. Leonard, of Salisbury, Left Home Tuesday and Has Not Been Heard of Since—Books Straight—Congressman Hackett Appointed Secretary of the Pickens Club and Elks to Entertain.

Special to The Observer. Salisbury, Feb. 21.—The railroad men here have been unable to account for the strange disappearance of Ticket Agent H. A. Leonard...

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SENTECED TO HANG

Judge Cook Passes Sentence on James Tucker, Convicted of Criminal Assault—Uncle Sam After a Junk Agent Who Got into Paris of Paris—Taking Testimony in the Mills Divorce Case.

Asheville, Feb. 21.—James Tucker, convicted of criminal assault, was this morning sentenced by Judge Cook in the Superior Court to be hanged by the neck until dead...

BEFORE UNITED STATES COMMISSIONER

St. Petersburg, Feb. 21.—George Lasker, purchasing agent for S. Sternberg, dealer in old iron, brass and other junk...

40,000 SHORT IN ACCOUNTS

Late William Jacobs, Secretary and Treasurer of 11 Building and Loan Companies, an Embesler.

Charleston, S. C., Feb. 21.—Investigation by experts which has been in progress for several weeks now, shows that the late William Jacobs, who was secretary and treasurer of 11 building and loan companies...

SEPARATE COACH PROPOSITION

Republican Members of Congress and President Denounced.

Guthrie, Okla., Feb. 22.—Bitter denunciations of the Republican members of Congress and President Roosevelt were uttered to-day in the constitutional convention in the discussion of the separate coach proposition...

GO TO THE ODEON MEET ME AT THE RINK

208 S. TRYON. Afternoon 2:30 to 5. Evening 8 to 10:30.

HUDSON DISMISSED, STEPTOE TRANSFERRED TO DANVILLE FOR TRIAL

Richmond, Va., Feb. 21.—In the case of the two negroes, Peter Hudson and Herbert Stepto, charged with criminal assault and brought before Amherst county court at Lynchburg under military guard...

ONE-FOURTH OF VOTERS' SIGNATURES SECURES LIQUOR ELECTION

Montgomery, Ala., Feb. 21.—A House bill which passed the Senate to-day provides that when 25 per cent of the voters of any county sign a petition, the probate judge shall order an election to determine whether the sale of liquor shall be prohibited in the county...

NEGLECTED COLDS THREATEN LIFE

(From The Chicago Tribune.) "Don't trifle with a cold," is good advice. It may be vital in the case of a child. Proper food, good ventilation, and dry, warm clothing are the best safeguards against colds. If they are maintained through the changeable weather of autumn, winter and spring, the chances of a severe cold are greatly reduced. The ordinary cold will become severe if neglected and a well established cold is to the same danger as a fever. The greatest menace to life is the cold. Whether it is a child or adult, the cold is a danger. The best treatment is to keep the body warm and dry. A cold never results in pneumonia if given. For sale by R. J. Jordan & Co.

NEW AMBASSADOR ARRIVES

Met at Station by Council of Legislation and Charge d'Affaires and Embassy Staff and Ladies.

Washington, Feb. 21.—Honorable James Bryce, the new British ambassador to Washington, accompanied by Mrs. Bryce, arrived here at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon. They were met at the station by Mr. E. C. Howard, councilor of legislation and charge d'Affaires...

RECORD APPROPRIATION YEAR

A Rough Estimate Shows That They Will Amount to \$1,000,000,000—The House Adjourns at 10:45 After Completing 90 Pages of the Sundry Civil Bill.

Washington, Feb. 21.—In a speech in the House to-day on the sundry civil bill, Representative Tawney, chairman of the committee on appropriations said the appropriations for the present session of Congress would exceed any ever before made at one session.

BAILEY OCCUPIES STAND WHOLE DAY IN INVESTIGATION OF CHARGES AGAINST HIM—TURNS BACK ON COCKE WHEN PROSECUTOR OBJECTS TO A QUESTION

Austin, Texas, Feb. 21.—United States Senator J. W. Bailey occupied the stand during the entire session in the Bailey investigating committee of the Texas Legislature to-day.

"DON'T YOU SPEAK TO ME"

He continued to deny all charges against him, and when Prosecutor Cocke interrupted him to object to a question, Senator Bailey turned his back and said: "Don't you speak to me. Address the chairman."

THE ELECTION CLAUSE AMENDED

The clause relating to the calling of local option elections as first drawn up as a amendment in yesterday's Observer, is as follows:

"That the provisions hereinbefore made for holding the elections of the mayor and board of aldermen, shall apply to the holding of all other city elections, including elections in regard to intoxicating liquors."

"That if any petition shall be made to the board of aldermen of said city for an election under Chapter 49 of the 'Revised Code of 1905 of North Carolina' within four years from and after the first day of May, 1907, no election shall be ordered upon such petition unless the number of qualified voters signed thereto shall be equal to one-third of the sum of qualified voters now on the registration books of said city, and of the qualified voters whose names may be registered under the new registration provided for herein, before the time of considering said petition, but whose names are not now on the registration books of said city."

This is the way it stands to-day.

ESCAPED PRISONERS RE-CAPTURED

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 21.—A. J. Gregory, C. P. Pitt, and L. E. Rivenbark, who broke jail at Petersburg Va., yesterday by sawing their way out of a second story window and lowering themselves to freedom on an improvised bridge of bed slats and sides suspended from blankets, were captured in Norfolk to-day.

REPUBLICAN MEMBERS OF CONGRESS AND PRESIDENT DENOUNCED

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GIVES BIRTH TO FIVE CHILDREN

Seabrook, Ky., Feb. 21.—Mrs. Seabrook, wife of Peter Seabrook, a member of the Kentucky legislature, gave birth to five children, three girls and two boys. All are living.

BISHOP OF LITTLE ROCK DEAD

Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 21.—Bishop Edward Joseph, of Little Rock, died at St. Joseph's Infirmary here to-night.

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THE ELEVATOR BOY.

"Anything been doing to-day?" The night watchman, who had just come in, was addressing the elevator boy.

"Nobody but a night watchman would ever ask a question like that," answered the boy. "Why don't you all the wheels in your think machine and think a little?" continued the boy. "This shop, including the Dittworth shop and foundry, has close on to two hundred of the best mechanics in the Piedmont. There are pattern makers, moulders, blacksmiths, machinists, to say nothing of elevator boys, apprentices and night watchmen. These have all been putting in full time to-day—that is, all except the night watchmen. The wheels have been turning all day and yet you walk in here and ask if anything's been doing to-day. Why, man alive! are you asleep and dreaming before you get on duty?"

"Shut up right now," said the watchman, angrily. "I want you boys to stop talking of my sleeping on duty."

"There you are again," said the boy. "I never sleep on duty because I know what you sleep on. You sleep on a pile of shavings in the pattern shop."

"Shut up now," said the watchman.

"But you wanted to know if anything was going."

"Then why don't you tell me?" continued the watchman.

"Well, if you'll just wake up for three minutes I'll try to give you plans and specifications of what we've been doing this day. We've handled a big Corliss engine breakdown. The fragments came in here early this morning and it's a rush job. I hauled up some good big pieces and the superintendent of the mill came with the job and he's a fussy man. Said 430 folks was put idle and could get no wages till this job was finished. I expect they'll be working on it to-night—that will interfere with your slumbers, won't it?"

"I don't slumber at night," broke in the watchman.

"So you don't, I forgot that," said the boy. Then he went on. "We shipped out four reels, a lot of cotton seed oil repair stuff, twenty or thirty pulleys, a waste cleaning machine for a mill up North, some dobbie to a mill in Philadelphia, and a whole lot of stuff besides."

"Here's your bed room floor," said the boy, as the elevator reached the third.

The watchman got off and as he walked away he said, "I believe you are going to be a worse boy than Billy was."

The boy smiled and reversed the elevator to go back down.

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