

GATE CITY RECORDERSHIP

THE BILL IS LIKELY TO PASS.

Aldermen Will Pass on the Measure at a Meeting To-Day and With a Few Minor Changes It is Probable That the General Assembly Will Be Asked to Shove It Through—What the New Measure Provides—Third Effort to Sell the Property of the Defunct Industrial News to Be Made To-Day—An Outflow to the Far West—Judge Robinson Did Not Say It—Pretty and Accomplished Greensboro Girl Who is a Bidder For Roosevelt's Favor.

Observer Herein. The Health Building, Greensboro, Feb. 28. The bill providing for the establishment of a recorder's court in Greensboro, which was introduced in the Senate last week, is expected to pass tomorrow, and will be considered at a special meeting of the board of aldermen to-morrow, and will be a few possible minor changes. It is probable that its passage by the general assembly will be recommended. The bill provides that the recorder's court shall be organized on the first day of January next, and shall have jurisdiction in all cases that now take up practically all the time of a criminal term of Superior Court, such as carrying a concealed weapon, retailing petty liquors, etc.

EXTENDS JURISDICTION. In addition to extending the jurisdiction of magistrates and justices of the peace to include criminal offenses, the recorder is to have original and appellate jurisdiction in a majority of the cases that now take up practically all the time of a criminal term of Superior Court, such as carrying a concealed weapon, retailing petty liquors, etc. The bill provides that the recorder is to be paid out of the city and county funds, and that he shall have jurisdiction in all cases that now take up practically all the time of a criminal term of Superior Court, such as carrying a concealed weapon, retailing petty liquors, etc.

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RIGHTS OF JAPANESE.

On the Same Footing as Those of Other Aliens.

Everett P. Wheeler, in New York Sun. The Japanese children whom it is proposed to exclude from the California schools are not American citizens. They and their parents are, however, residents of California and are subject to taxation. Their parents do pay taxes, and Japan has consented to expect that the American State shall provide the children with free education, and has the right to complain if an American State refuses to do so. By the treaty of November 22, 1894, between the United States and Japan it is agreed between the two nations that "the citizens or subjects of each contracting party shall enjoy in the territories of the other the same privileges, liberties and rights as native citizens or subjects of the most favored nation, in whatever respect the rights of residence, property, commercial and trade, and of all forms of education. It is therefore plain that by the agreement which this country has made with the State of California, the children of the Japanese have no right to be discriminated in educational matters against the children of the Japanese. Under the constitutional article which makes a treaty the supreme law of the land, and States expressly prohibited from making treaties with foreign nations, therefore there can be no reservation of State rights. The States have no right to hold the Japanese children of their rights and enforce them in opposition to the stipulations of the treaty. In this it was only carrying out the honorable words of Abraham Lincoln, "What will I will keep my faith with friend and foe."

Every European country does claim the same rights for its citizens resident in those countries that claim for its citizens who reside here, and the United States makes the same claim for protection to its citizens who reside in foreign countries. The idea that resident aliens have no rights that citizens are bound to respect is a relic of barbarism. Fortunately, there is a constitution of the United States, and under that instrument no alien has the right to sue in the Federal courts. Their rights have often been enforced in those courts when local prejudice has prevented justice being done in local courts. Let me add that there was a time when Japan excluded from its empire citizens of foreign countries. At the earnest request of the United States, Japan consented that American citizens should go to Japan and reside and do business there. The outcry on our part against the Japanese who come here in pursuance of a treaty of this kind is somewhat odd from a nation which has reaped great benefits is indecent.

A Colored Boy's Savings. Sanford Express. A little saving from one's earnings each month amounts to quite a sum in the course of two or three years. About three years ago a small negro boy became porter at the Sanford Hotel. When he went to work he began to deposit his small wages in the bank. From the money he saved from his wages he had bought shoes and from time to time his bank account had grown to \$13.50.

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Fifteen-Year-Old Girl Prefers Death to Parental Mandate.

Philadelphia, Feb. 28.—Forbidden by her father to associate with a boy with whom she was in love, 15-year-old Eleanor Pink committed suicide to-day by drinking carbolic acid. Her mother ended her life six years ago by inhaling illuminating gas.

Yes It Could. Durham Herald. Congress could make a much better showing with its feeling of indignation if the secret service had not succeeded in landing some of its former members in the penitentiary.

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