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For a few moments, at the close of which the meeting adjourned sine die.  
E. J. MOORE, President.  
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W. K. STRICKLAND, Treasurer.  
F. J. HARRIS, Secretary.  
J. M. STANLEY, Secretary.

Constitutional Convention.  
The following bills have been passed. They will be open to amendment, upon the final vote upon the entire Constitution, but it is supposed that any alteration that may be made will be comparatively slight and unimportant.

Report of the Committee on the Legislative Department.  
Section 1. The Legislative authority of the State shall be vested in a Legislature, which shall consist of a Senate and House of Representatives.

Section 2. No person holding office under the authority of the United States, or any executive office under the authority of this State, shall be eligible to, or have a seat in the Legislature, but the provisions shall not extend to township officers, Justices of the Peace, Justices of the Circuit, or other officers of the State.

Section 3. No person who has been or may be an officer of the public debt, or any person holding public money for disbursement, or otherwise, has a seat in the Legislature, but the provisions shall not extend to public debt officers.

Section 4. The members of the House of Representatives shall be elected by the people for two years from the first day of January next following the year in which they were first elected.

Section 5. At the first session of the General Assembly, the members of the House of Representatives shall be divided into two classes, and the members of the Senate shall be divided into two classes, so that one-half of each class shall be elected at the expiration of the second year of the term of office, and so that one-half of each class shall be elected at the expiration of the fourth year of the term of office.

Section 6. No person shall be elected a member of the House of Representatives, who has not attained to the age of twenty-one years, and who has not been seven years a citizen of the United States, and who has not been seven years a resident of the State.

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The President, Col. Moore, being called for rose and addressed the assembly in his most happy and eloquent style.





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