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ROAD IMPROVEMENT.

The Criminal Court is Making Some Perceptible Advances in That Direction.

SESSION DURING YESTERDAY.

Aggregate of Sentences to County Court Squad is Eight Years and Three Months—Bills Returned by the Grand Jury—Jurors Drawn.

It was a "road-building" session of the Criminal Court yesterday, the aggregate of the sentences to the county convict squad having been eight years and three months.

The court opened at 9:30 yesterday morning and with the exception of less than a two hour's recess for dinner, was continuously in session until near 7 o'clock last evening.

The following proceedings were had: John Ellerbe, assault and battery with a deadly weapon; 8 months on county roads.

James Edwards, assault and battery with a deadly weapon; submitted and judgment suspended.

James Spencer, concealed weapons; 4 months on roads.

Wills Mack, concealed weapons; judgment reserved.

Sam Minor, larceny; 8 months on county roads.

George Dixon, burglary; submitted in second degree; three years on roads.

Andrew Smith (colored), larceny; 4 months on roads.

Thos. Jenkins, Geo. Clark and O. Howland, larceny of goods from Fish Plate Clothing Company and Mercer & Evans' Company; one year each on county roads.

Thos. Jenkins, Geo. Clark and O. Howland, defendants submitted except Johnson; judgment suspended as to Clark and Howland, and Johnson fined \$50 and costs, or 30 days on roads.

Son Carter, assault and battery with a deadly weapon, 3 months on roads.

Andrew Anderson, carrying concealed weapons; 4 months on county roads or \$15 fine and costs.

The grand jury returned the following true bills: F. T. Mills, Son Carter, Jack Brown, Mary Porter, H. H. Ryan, John Rowland, King Bell, Wm. Watkins and Leroy Perry, assault and battery with deadly weapons; Andrew Smith, Florence Baker, Ann Pollock and America Holmes, larceny; Mary Porter, Wm. Simon, Andrew Anderson and Mamie Carver, concealed weapons; George Dixon, burglary.

The following talsamen were ordered summoned for to-day: G. A. Bishop Eugene Fillyaw, W. R. Taylor, B. A. Merritt, E. E. David, W. R. Brice, W. H. Goodwin, W. H. H. Todd, J. C. McCarty, Marcus Gray, C. W. Worth, C. H. Thompson, G. R. Parker, J. W. Freeman, B. F. Keith, J. R. Davis, W. H. Lockhard, W. E. Godwin.

CITY HOSPITAL MANAGERS.

Regular Monthly Meeting Yesterday Afternoon—Report for May of Dr. Harris, Acting Superintendent.

The Board of City Hospital Managers met yesterday afternoon, Chairman McEachern and Messrs. Holmes, Montgomery and VonGlahn having been present.

The only matter of interest to come before the Board was the adoption of the monthly report of Dr. A. H. Harris, acting superintendent, which in part, is as follows:

Table with 2 columns: City, County Pay Total. White male, 10 01 02 13; Female, 16 03 19 06.

Twenty-five patients were remaining in the hospital May 31st, and 33 were admitted during the month, making a total of 58, of which number, during May, 27 were discharged, 3 died and 28 were remaining June 1. Treatment and ratios were furnished during the month to 164 pay patients and 608 charity patients; ratios were furnished with other expenses, the average cost per capita per day 15 cents.

"Star" Berry case was expended during May; for general expenses \$199 48 and for pay roll, \$221.45, making the total \$420.93. The receipts during the month were \$44.40 for prescriptions; pay patients, \$369.30; city, \$166.86; county, \$280; total, \$896.56. The receipts over expenditures were \$475.63.

Advertisement in the Star. Messrs. A. F. Johnson & Son, proprietors of the Carolina Wood Veneer Works, Clinton, N. C., in a business letter received yesterday, have this to say of the "pulling" qualities of a recent advertisement which they ran in this paper:

"We had so many orders after putting ad in STAR we could not supply 'Star' Berry crates as fast as wanted. Moral: Advertise in STAR and use the 'Star' Berry Crates and be happy."

Knights of Pythias Election. Clarendon Lodge No. 2, K. of P., last night elected officers as follows for the ensuing year:

C. C.—E. D. Warren. V. C.—J. L. Dadden. Prelate—J. Moore. M. at A.—S. A. King. I. G.—Geo. Sloan. H. O. G.—B. M. Capps.

These with the appointive officers will be installed on the first Tuesday night in July.

LOCAL DOTS.

Christian Science services at the Masonic Temple, room No. 10, this evening, at 8:15 o'clock.

Have you registered for the bond election to be held June 18th? There must be an entirely new registration. The books close June 7th.

Carolina Yacht Club will have its annual opening next Friday night. There will be dancing and refreshments as usual and a late train from the beach.

Wilmington doesn't want any more of Mr. Clark or his umpiring. The sooner the protests of a requisite number of teams is secured to put him out of the business, the better it'll be for the League.

The puzzle pictures given on the third page of the STAR have proved to be one of the most interesting features of the paper.

Mr. Wm. Fitzsimmons, whose death was mentioned in the STAR yesterday, died at the residence of Mr. J. H. Sykes, at Delgado (not Cronly). He was a native of Allegheny county, Pa., and was here for his health.

THE PRODUCE EXCHANGE. Regular Monthly Meeting of the Board of Managers Yesterday Morning.

The Board of Managers of the Produce Exchange met yesterday morning, President Fearall, Secretary Cantwell and Col. Walker Taylor and Mr. G. J. Boney in attendance.

Mr. John Frank, Manager of the Western Union Telegraph Company at Wilmington, was consulted as to certain telegraphic market reports and all arrangements were made looking to an improvement of the service.

The Cape Fear Lumber Company, Corbett & Co., and Mr. R. H. Pickett were elected to membership in the Exchange.

Col. Walker Taylor, who had been appointed to look after the matter of rents, submitted a proposition from the Navassa Guano Company to take effect from October 1st next, and same was accepted with thanks to Col. Taylor for his services.

Messrs. D. L. Gora, J. H. Chadbourne, Jr., and J. A. Arrindale were appointed delegates to the Southern Industrial Association which meets at Philadelphia June 11th-13th, inclusive. Other delegates will be named by the president later.

The president reported his action as to appointment of standing committees, the same to be announced later. A communication from the Manchester (Eng.) Cotton Exchange calling attention to the receipt of damaged cotton from this country, was referred to Mr. James Sprunt for inquiry and report at the next meeting.

THE FLETCHER MUSIC METHOD. Demonstration by Classes Monday Afternoon at Residence of Miss Corbett.

On Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the residence of Miss Fannie Corbett there was a demonstration of the Fletcher Music Method, by a class which has been studying through the winter.

It was very interesting to see how much the little folks had learned during the course. Their knowledge of the keyboard, notes, rhythm, time, musical history etc. was wonderful, and shows that they can give points to some of those who have studied for years.

The following programme was observed: (1) Note Reading, (2) Knowledge of Keyboard, (3) finding position of notes on keyboard, (4) flats, sharps and naturals, (5) Scales, (a) major scales, (b) signature of scales, (c) triads, (d) Musical Block Drill, (e) Mental Division of Time, (f) Musical History, (7) Ear Training, (a) expression marks, (b) rhythm.

BOATING AND FISHING CLUB. Annual Meeting Held Yesterday and Officers Elected—A Yacht Race.

The Hammocks Boating and Fishing Club elected the following officers for the ensuing year at its annual meeting yesterday morning:

President—C. W. Yates. Vice President—S. P. Cowan. Secretary and Treasurer—John B. Peschan.

Governing Board—C. W. Yates, S. P. Cowan, R. H. Pickett, C. H. Schulken, and W. D. McMillan. Superintendent of Club House—Oscar Grant.

A committee was appointed to arrange for a yacht race to be pulled off during the session of the Teachers' Assembly at Wrightsville next week.

Mr. C. D. Maffitt is chairman of the committee, which hopes to have all arrangements completed within a few days.

At Southside Baptist Church. Rev. Mr. Haymore preached another very strong and impressive sermon at the Southside Baptist Church last night.

There was decided interest and evidence of great good being done. Rev. Mr. Haymore will have an afternoon service at 4:30 P. M. to-day and will preach again to-night at 8 o'clock. The public is most cordially invited to attend and participate in these services.

City subscribers are earnestly requested to report promptly at the STAR office every failure of the carriers to deliver their papers. In all such cases steps will be taken to insure prompt and regular delivery.

Remember the excursion to Norfolk next Monday. Only \$9.00 for round trip. Best chance of the season. Seaboard Air Line of course.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. S. J. Davis—At \$1.00 each. Special—Cheap trip to Southport. F. T. Mills—Carriage Repository. People's Savings Bank—Beginning.

BUSINESS LOCALS. T. L. Johnson—Country board.

IT'S A LOSING STREAK

Ashenback's Shipbuilders Took Both Games from Giants Without Ceremony

ONE WAS A SHUT-OUT.

And the Other was Nearly so—It Will Happen to the Best of Teams; Saddest of All It Happened Now. On Other Diamonds.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES. Wilmington, 0; Newport, 9. (1st game.)

Wilmington, 0; Newport, 9. (2d game.) Norfolk, 9; Raleigh, 10. Portsmouth, 10; Richmond, 0.

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY. Newport at Wilmington. Norfolk at Raleigh. Richmond at Portsmouth.

STANDING ON THE CLIFFS. Per cent. Newport News, 26 15 634

Wilmington, 25 19 568 Norfolk, 22 30 524

Bright, 22 31 512 Portsmouth, 20 23 465 Richmond, 12 29 392

"A little defeat now and then is retailed by the best of men."

With apologies to the author. But "a little" does not describe the measure of defeat by which we went down at both ends of the doubleheader with Newport News yesterday.

It was crushing, it was horrible, it was enough to silence the average roofer for months to come. The Giants have simply struck a losing streak, such as will happen to the best of teams and the only deplorable feature of the tragedy, is that it came yesterday, when we were least able to stand it.

The first game was called at 10:30 o'clock and fortunately only about one hundred and fifty persons saw it. Foreman was in the box for the locals and the score was nine to nothing against them.

Following so closely upon the shut out by one to nothing of the afternoon previous, it took all the starch out of Wilmington, and she followed it up in the afternoon with an adverse score of eight to one.

Of the morning game we shall speak first. Foreman allowed seven Shipbuilders a free pass to first, twelve hits and a score of other unlucky things that allowed Ashenback's boys to cross the rubber when they pleased. In the first inning he fanned Deisel, allowed Gilligan to walk, hit Foster and both of them scored on A. G.'s single. Ostein fanned and Weddige flew out to Warren.

The Giants went out in batting order, and in the second Hempleman walked, was advanced by Curtis' sacrifice and scored on Deisel's single; Gilligan singled and Deisel scored on another single by Weddige. Devlin got the only safe hit for the Giants.

It was one, two, three order for both teams in the next four innings but in the seventh the Shipbuilders got in their deadly work for three more runs. Two men were down and Deisel singled and scored on Wolfe's two bagger; Wolfe scored on Weddige's single; Foster walked and Deisel scored on Ash's single. Old man Foster died going to third. There was nothing for the Giants. The eighth came on and two men were down, Curtis walked. Johnson walked and the first named scored on Deisel's single. One, two, three and the Giants were out.

In the ninth, two men were again down and Ashenback walked; Ostein got a single and another by Hempleman gave Ash a score. The Giants came up and made it nine goose eggs.

SCORE BY INNINGS. Newport News 2 2 0 0 0 8 12 9 R H E Wilmington 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1

Batteries: Johnson and Foster; Foreman and Cranston.

THE TABULATED SCORE. Newport News. AB R H O P A E Deisel, 3b, 4 0 1 3 0 0

Gilligan, ss, 3 1 2 3 0 0 Weddige, 1b, 5 1 2 9 1 0

Foster, c, 3 1 1 2 1 0 Ashenback, cf, 4 1 2 3 0 0

Ostein, rf, 5 1 1 5 4 0 Cranston, p, 3 0 6 1 1 0

Curtis, lf, 3 1 0 4 1 0 Johnson, p, 3 0 0 2 0 0

Total, 35 9 12 27 12 0 Wilmington. AB R H O P A E Spiring, lf, 4 0 1 3 0 0

Clayton, 2b, 4 0 1 3 0 0 Crockett, 2b, 4 0 0 3 4 1

Stafford, lf, 4 0 2 10 0 0 Devlin, cf, 3 0 1 0 0 0

Cranston, p, 3 0 6 1 1 0 Warren, 3b, 3 0 0 3 1 0

McGinnis, cf, 3 0 1 2 0 0 Foreman, p, 3 0 0 2 0 0

ST. THOMAS' SCHOOL.

Thirty-third Annual Commencement Observed Monday Evening by the Pupils.

PRESENTATION OF MEDALS.

Awards of Medals Given by Cardinal Gibbons—Splendid Programme of Music, Song and Recitation—Other Pleading Features.

The thirty-third annual commencement of St. Thomas' Parochial School was observed Monday evening with fitting exercises and an award of medals to pupils who have won distinction during the past year.

A play by the little children, "Queen Florandine of Flowerland," was first presented in a very charming manner, the cast of characters having been as follows: Queen Florandine, Annie Higgins; Fairy Rosa, Mary Silvia; Fairy Lily, Ethel Skipper; Fairy Hyacinth, Alice Lucy; Fairy Tulip, Rosa Furlong;

Small Fairies, Vera Furlong, Irene Greenish and Hattie Silvia; Mother, Mary Westerman; First Child, Annie Gillorain; Second Child, Maggie Taylor; Third Child, Mary Richard-son; Knights of Honor, Bayne Price, James Sheehan, James Westerman, Joseph Rowan, John Quinlivan, Jas. Quinlivan, Willie Bremer, Martin Flanagan and Irving Corbett.

"St. Elizabeth of Thuringia," or "The Miracle of Roses," a drama in four acts, was next admirably interpreted by a cast of characters as follows: Elizabeth, Countess of Thuringia, Miss Nellie Corbett; Sophia, her mother-in-law, Miss Maggie Corbett; Rosemond, Countess of Falkenstein, Miss Gussie Rhodes; Ladies in waiting, Misses Nellie Camerero and Maggie Quinlivan; Wiforad, servant in the Castle, Miss Sadie Green; Kunigunda, a poor tenant, Miss Annie Bremer; her children, Miss Annie Lucy and Miss Annie Reilly; poor women, Misses Madeline Corbett, Mary Hayden, Lizzie Hergenrother and Rosa Higgins; Empress, Miss Ficcise Wallace; Pages, Russell Wood and Harry Greenish; Hermit, M. Bate; Castellani, Mat Meier; Messengers, James Bergen; Angel, Miss Annie Lucy; attendants of Empress, Misses Annie Bremer, Madeline Corbett, Mary Hayden, Lizzie Hergenrother, Rosa Higgins, Annie Reilly, Jeanette King, Rosa Gillorain, Belle Jones, Annie Banks, Nora Corbett; Masters James Bergen, John Rowan, Carl Korb, John Bremer, Jess Croom, and Thos. Green.

After the splendid presentation of the drama, "Hymn to the Sacred Heart" was beautifully sung by the school and then came the presentation of medals from His Eminence, Cardinal Gibbons, through Rev. Father C. Donnan. These were presented as follows: Gold medals for best average, senior class, to Miss Nellie Corbett; same award, intermediate class of girls, to Miss Sadie Green; same award, intermediate class of boys, to Master John Brewer.

The evening of entertainment was concluded by the rendition of several very charming solos by Mrs. E. K. Bryan with Mr. James Owen Reilly as piano accompanist. Mr. Reilly also played several instrumental selections which were received with applause.

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The tax ordinance as approved by the Aldermen was taken up, but action was deferred.

It was decided to have the meetings of the Board during the Summer at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and the clerk was instructed to give the proper notice of the change.

GAMES ON OTHER DIAMONDS. Where Other Teams in North Carolina-Virginia League Played Yesterday.

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BEGINNING

FRIDAY, JUNE 7TH, AND UNTIL SEPTEMBER 1ST

We will close at 12 o'clock on Fridays.

THE WILMINGTON SAVINGS AND TRUST CO. THE PEOPLE'S SAVINGS BANK.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Dr. S. Mendelsohn is spending a while at Mt. Airy.

Mr. B. F. Fussell, of Teachey, N. C., was here yesterday.

Miss Allie Butler, of Burgaw, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Maggie Williams, of Burgaw, is visiting friends in the city.

Miss Carrie Harper, of Chapel Hill, is the guest of Mrs. Gabriel Holmes.

Mr. Henry Bryan, of Tarboro, is here to look in upon the baseball games.

Messrs. T. B. Pace and A. J. McKinnon, of Maxton, are registered at The Orion.

Mrs. W. C. Smith and little daughter are at Hendersonville, N. C., for the Summer.

Miss Margaret Pierce returned yesterday to Warsaw after a visit in the city, the guest of Mrs. T. F. Simmons.

Messrs. J. W. Carter, Maxton; J. T. John, John's Station, and R. W. Livermore, Red Springs, were arrivals at The Orion yesterday.

Mr. Robert Herring has returned from his studies at the University and has resumed his clerical work with the A. C. L. during his Summer vacation.

Capt. A. M. Willson, formerly master of the tug Navassa, but now master of a boat for the Pee Dee Lumber Company, Georgetown, S. C., is visiting in the city.

The STAR had the pleasure of a call yesterday from Mr. R. E. Mathers, one of the handsome and polite representatives of Dobler & Mudge, wholesale paper dealers, Baltimore.

Among yesterday's Orion arrivals were: Dr. B. R. Graham, Wallace; Mr. French McQueen, Lumberport; Mr. H. O. McNair, Maxton; E. M. Koonce, Esq., Jacksonville and E. B. Stevens, Southport.

THE SEWERAGE PROPOSITION.

Likely to be Sprung Upon Aldermen Again To-night—Permit Granted.

Mayor Waddell and Dr. C. T. Harper, city superintendent of health, have granted the Wilmington Sewerage Company a permit to begin work on the erection of a disposing plant between Thirteenth and Fourteenth and Bladen and Brunswick streets, in accordance with its plans recently approved by the Aldermen.

Already there is talk of an extra session of the Board of Aldermen for to-night, and as Alderman Bailey's proposition to reconsider the matter of the approval of the plan was deferred until the next meeting of the Board, it is expected that some lively proceedings are ahead.

AS TO "BROWNIE" FOREMAN.

For a patient and long suffering public mind the occasion is quite fitting to say to the management of the Wilmington Base Ball Association that the time has come for the unequivocal release of the much tooted "Brownie." Let the release be unconditional—we have naught to fear from him, wherever he may go. He can clearly be classed as an "H. B."

In interest, patronage and esprit de corps cannot but want while he is with us, and in the meantime we are dispensing gratis one hundred "cold plunks."

The quality of mercy is (now) strained, and these words to the wise should be sufficient. A PATRON, SHAREHOLDER AND ENTUSIAST.

Next Monday is the day for the Excursion to Norfolk. Leaves at six o'clock in the morning. Fare for round trip \$3.50. Don't miss it. Seaboard Air Line.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Special Cheap Trips to Southport.

Steamer Wilmington will make a trip to Southport Thursday, June 6th, leaving city at 7:30 P. M., arriving back to Wilmington 12 o'clock midnight. Round trip 25 cents.

Steamer Wilmington leaves city 2:30 P. M. Saturday, June 8th, stopping at Southport and Fort Calwell, arriving back to city 6 P. M. Round trip 25 cents.

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