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DULL DAY'S SESSION.

Criminal Court Proceedings Yesterday Were Devoid of Any Special Interest.

MANY SUBMISSIONS ENTERED

Judgment Reserved in Several Cases and Fines Were Imposed for Sunday Liquor Selling and for Selling Without License.

Yesterday's session of the Criminal Court was devoid of very general interest, though there were a number of unimportant cases that were disposed of. The following proceedings were had during the day:

Jno. Stewart, larceny; verdict guilty; left open.

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John Roderick, allowing hogs to run at large; guilty under charge of the court.

Mary J. Brown, assault and battery with deadly weapon; judgment suspended on payment of costs.

John Hudson, concealed weapons; submitted (two cases).

Jas. Campbell, assault and battery with deadly weapon; not guilty.

Florence Baker, larceny; open.

Elizabeth Carter, larceny; not guilty.

P. W. Young submitted in two cases, one each for selling liquor without license and selling liquor on Sunday; fined \$25 and costs.

The following talesmen were ordered summoned for to-day: Horace Bagg, Barnes Rogers, T. F. Bagley, J. R. Bear, C. C. Brown, J. D. Burkholder, Theo. R. Fox, W. H. Merritt, I. H. Weill, W. E. Powell, E. H. Batson, W. W. Holliday, C. F. W. Rehder, E. Borden, G. F. Seiter, W. B. Berry, Jno. E. Siler, Wm. Good, W. F. Robertson, Isaac Bear, Hardy Miller and J. C. Haar.

DEATH OF MRS. L. SOUTHERLAND.

Occurred Tuesday Evening at Home of Her Daughter in Georgia.

The STAR notes with regret the death of Mrs. Lucy Southerland, mother of Mr. C. G. Southerland, of this city, which occurred Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. B. J. Symons, of Pooler, Ga.

Deceased was the wife of the late Mr. A. Southerland, of Rose Hill, and was about 66 years of age and is survived by four daughters and three sons, as follows: Mrs. A. B. Newton, Mrs. Clarence Miller and Mrs. J. B. Symons, of Pooler, Ga. Miss Clara Southerland, of Rose Hill; Messrs. C. G. Southerland, of Wilmington; R. A. Southerland, of Fayetteville, and W. D. Southerland, of Rose Hill.

The remains were interred at Rose Hill yesterday. Mrs. C. G. Southerland and Mr. C. G. Southerland, Jr., went up from Wilmington to attend the funeral.

KERNER & HARRIS TO DISSOLVE.

Ed. S. Battle, Esq., has been appointed Receiver With This End in View.

Ed. S. Battle, Esq., has been appointed receiver for the firm of Kerner & Harris, dealers in groceries and liquors, No. 114 North Front street, and will immediately dispose of the stock in order that a dissolution by mutual consent may be effected.

The receiver was appointed upon motion of Herbert McClammy, Esq., attorney for Bellamy Harris, junior member of the firm, made before Judge Thomas A. McNeill, in chambers, at Newbern night before last. Mr. Battle has given bond in the sum of \$10,000 with the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, of Baltimore, and has already assumed charge of the business.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining Uncalled For in the Wilmington Postoffice May 30th, 1901.

WOMEN'S LIST.

Martha Baker, Ruy Bryant, Fannie Canady, Jno H Clark, W C Cronwell, Lucy A Davis, Mary Fulton, Lizzie Harris, Martha Hill, Abess Johnson, Ellen S Jackson, Lena Kersey (3), A V Lut, Lena Lloyd, M J Lawrence (3), J B Meyers, Madam Stanley, Lina Stin, Myrt's White.

MEN'S LIST.

E. B. Buntan, H A Buchanan, James Brown, M J Echob, R A Brown, S H Barrington, Major Evans, R N Carnay, A Claron, G W Evans, Bob Gleson, S and Mrs R Gordon, W F Hart, Samuel Long, W H McAlpin, Henry McNeill, E H Hamilton, Geo A Smith, R L Walton.

RETURNED FROM DEAD LETTER OFFICE.

A M Anderson, F Bower, R A Dawson, Eliza McCane.

Persons calling for above letters will please say advertised. If not called for in fifteen days they will be sent to the dead letter office. M. C. DABY, Postmaster.

Broke His Arm.

Verduant, the little son of Mr. P. N. Fick, the general foreman of Chemical Engine Company No. 1, sustained a painful fracture of the right arm yesterday afternoon by falling from a some fence. The broken member was set by Dr. J. T. Schouwald.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Kure & Hanna—Auction sale. J. H. Hardin—Palace Pharmacy. N. Y. Steamship Line—Sailing days.

Dr. Dunlop Thompson, of Lumberton, is at the Orton.

LOCAL DOTS.

Register to-day. If you fail to do so your vote will be lost.

An excursion from Goldsboro to Wilmington is announced for June 18th.

Dr. Blackwell will lecture on "Orators and Oratory," at Warsaw to night in the interest of a school enterprise for that wide-awake community.

This is the last day of registration for the bond election. Every taxpayer should have his name on the books, and then vote according to his convictions.

Mr. S. P. Collier, whose commission as United States Commissioner would have expired in a short time, has been re-appointed by Judge Purnell for the ensuing four years.

The Confederate Museum will be open this afternoon from 5 to 6 o'clock. There will be a committee of ladies present to receive collections and to show visitors through the rooms.

Mr. Jno. S. Harris has purchased the interest of M. Greenblot in the huckster business of Greenblot & Barden, at Front street market. The style of the new firm will be Harris & Barden.

A large crowd enjoyed to the fullest extent a moonlight excursion to Southport and return on the steamer Wilmington last night. There was music, dancing and refreshments.

Carolina Yacht Club has extended an invitation to members of both the Atlantic Yacht Club and the Hanover Seaside Club to be present to night at the formal opening at Wrightsville.

Eyota and Cherokee tribes of Red Men will have a joint adoption to-night. Hunters, Warriors and Chiefs are requested to be upon the war path and give the pale faces a warm reception.

Mrs. M. S. King transferred by a deed recorded yesterday, the house and lot, 66x60 feet in size, on the north side of Princess, between Fourth and Fifth streets, to Mrs. I. Shrier for \$1,575.

The Boys' Brigade will run another excursion to Carolina Beach on June 28th for the benefit of its encampment fund. The committee is composed of Messrs. J. A. Price, E. P. Dudley and C. C. Loughlin.

The committee of Atlanta gentlemen who visited Wrightsville day before yesterday with a view to running an excursion to the beach about June 28th returned to their homes yesterday. They expressed themselves as well pleased with the prospect at Wrightsville, though they made no public announcement of a decision.

By a deed recorded yesterday at the office of the Register of Deeds, Mrs. Elizabeth R. Gore, trustee, and John H. Gore, Jr., transferred to Mrs. Mary Giles Davis, wife of Mr. N. N. Davis, and Mrs. Marion G. Walker, a lot on the northern side of Orange, between Fourth and Fifth streets. The lot fronts fifty-five feet on Orange street, and has a depth of 110 feet. Consideration \$3,800.

COUNTY TREASURER'S REPORT

Passed Upon Yesterday by the Auditing Committee of Commissioners—Receipts and Disbursements.

The auditing committee of the County Commissioners met yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, all members having been present. The chief matter of business transacted was the adoption of County Treasurer H. McCl. Green's report for May, which showed receipts and disbursements as follows:

Receipts—Balance general fund from April account, \$13,485.21; balance, special fund from April account, \$5,187.17; receipts during May, \$201.65. Total, \$18,873.03.

Disbursements—City Hospital, \$250; Superintendent of Health, \$101.85; Superior Court, \$483.60; County Commissioners, \$84.10; Criminal Court, \$109.45; Register of Deeds, \$28.25; jail, \$84.10; public building, \$75.37; stationery and advertising, \$37.50; roads and bridges, \$191.87; military (Reserves), \$300; election, \$36.10; magistrates, \$4.55; County Home, \$128; permanent road improvement, \$1,154.30; refunded taxes, \$4.26; out-door poor, \$378.97; attorney, \$28; clerk, \$50; jailor, \$45; treasurer's commissions, \$47.02. Total, \$3,807.29.

The balance on hand to the general county fund is \$10,079.27 and that to the special fund is \$3,187.17.

THE \$50,000 BOND ISSUE.

Read This If You Are Interested in the Bond Election.

Remember these facts: Unless you register anew your vote will not count in fifteen days in the bond election to be held June 18th.

If you wish to vote for the issuance of the bonds for county road improvement you must both register and vote.

If you are opposed to the issuance of the bonds (\$50,000) you must register. Then your vote will count against bonds, whether polled or not. It requires a majority of the registered vote, not a majority of the vote cast, to authorize the bond issue.

Do not overlook the fact that an entirely new registration is required for this special election.

Messrs. Spier Hicks and Markley Crosswell are at home from Pan-top's Academy.

A FEATURELESS GAME

Giants Won From Norfolk Yesterday in a Very Uninteresting Contest.

THE SCORE, NINE TO FIVE.

Something Better Promised for This Afternoon—Raleigh Won From Newport News; Portsmouth From Richmond—Other Notes.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.
Wilmington, 9; Norfolk, 5.
Newport, 3; Raleigh, 4.
Portsmouth, 4; Richmond, 2.

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

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Club	Won	Lost	Per cent
Newport News	25	17	.594
Wilmington	27	19	.587
Norfolk	23	21	.522
Raleigh	23	22	.511
Portsmouth	21	24	.466
Richmond	13	30	.302

Katsenjammer ball was the order of the afternoon at Hilton Park yesterday afternoon and the barge "Mary Jane," that drifted over this way from Raleigh, with Messrs. Cunningham and Doran aboard, was pumded all to pieces by the Giants to the tune of nine to five, and worst of it all, Capt. Spratt and his crew didn't seem to care the least bit about it, one way or the other. Leitner, Norfolk's mule pitcher, went in the box first for the visitors, but he was taken out and Mullen called up from left field to take his place, Morrissy relieving Mullen. The game was absolutely featureless except for the number of

runs scored.

THE TABULATED SCORE.

Club	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Norfolk	5	0	1	1	3	0
Mullen, if and p...	5	1	1	2	0	0
Smith, ss.	4	0	1	1	3	0
Kemmer, lb.	3	1	7	0	0	0
Struck out by Leitner, c.	4	1	4	0	0	0
Spratt, 2b.	3	0	0	1	0	0
McDade, 3b.	4	1	1	0	1	0
Lehman, c.	3	0	0	6	1	2
Slagle, rf.	2	1	0	3	0	0
Leitner, p.	1	0	0	1	0	0
Morrissy, if.	3	0	1	0	0	0
Total	32	5	6	24	8	4

Wilmington. AB R H PO A E
Clayton, ss. 5 0 1 1 3 1
Crockett, 2b. 3 1 2 3 0 0
Stafford, lb. 3 1 0 8 2 0
Sebring, cf. 5 1 2 1 0 1
Devlin, rf. 3 1 0 2 0 0
Mullen, if. 4 1 3 4 0 0
Thackara, c. 3 1 0 5 0 0
McGinnis, cf. 4 1 0 3 1 0
Stewart, p. 2 0 1 4 0 0
Total 32 9 8 27 18 2

Summary—Double plays, Kemmer, unassisted; Leitner to Lehman to Mullen; Clayton to Stafford to Warren; Stewart to Crockett to Stafford.

Struck out by Leitner, one; by Mullen 4; by Stewart 5. Bases on balls, by Leitner 3, by Mullen 7, by Stewart 4. Hit by pitched ball, by Leitner, 1, by Mullen, 1, by Stewart 1. Two base hits, Crockett, Kemmer and Daly. Three base hit, Morrissy. Time of game 1:30. Attendance 500. Umpire Mr. Clark.

The Game Was a Little Ragged But Still It Counts.

The game to-day will be called at 4:15 o'clock.

The attendance was very satisfactory. Come again to-day.

Dear Red Birds: We owe you one. Bender bill next week.

The game to day will have more color in it than that of yesterday.

Stockdale, a new pitcher in the league went in the game yesterday for Raleigh and won his game over High.

Wilmington goes to Raleigh for three games next week and then the Red Birds come here for three games.

Phil Meade, who has played in such hard luck with Raleigh, has signed with Norfolk and will be here to-day.

"Little Willie" Kemmer does not seem to feel at home with the Skippers. It was hard for him to get a smile yesterday.

King Kelly's protest of the recent game with Wilmington has been decided in our favor; just as everybody expected.

It was a little ragged; but we need games now, and in the language of Robust Stafford, "get there any way you can."

The ornithological editor of the Raleigh Post and the horticultural editor of the News and Observer will please send in detailed reports Saturday night.

The News and Observer needs an arithmetic man to edit its base-ball percentage column. An ad. in the STAR will fetch him.

It seems that a select few object to the way in which the Shipbuilders played Wednesday. Well, suppose they had played as they did Monday and Tuesday!

No, it was not a pitcher's game; but four-fifths of those who go to see base ball like the batting and base running better than the "one, two, three, and out."

Allen, the "Boy Wonder," only 17 (7) years old, will do the curves for the Giants to-day. Dannehow, the best they have in the show, will do the honors for the Skippers.

A special to the STAR last night from Dunn, N. C., says: "Dunn defeated Smithfield, including Foreman, of Wilmington, who pitched for the latter in a game of ball played here to-day, by a score of 3 to 2."

Hurray for Raleigh! The Red Birds downed the Shipbuilders yesterday, and with the brag pitcher of the latter in the box, two. "How is that for High?" Give us your hands, all ye editors, ornithological, religious, sporting, agricultural and otherwise.

Games On Other Diamonds.

RALEIGH, N. C., June 6.—Stockdale, a new twirler for King Kelly, went in the box for the Red Birds to-day, and though the game was interrupted by rain at several stages, the Red Birds won out in a score of 4 to 3. The score was as follows:

Club	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Raleigh	12	4	5	6	7	8
Newport News	10	0	2	0	3	5

Batteries—Stockdale and LeGrande; High and Foster.

ROCKFORD, Va., June 7.—Lipp won his game here for the Orphans to-day against Bishop in the box for the locals. The error column of the locals is responsible for the defeat. The score:

Club	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Richmond	13	4	5	7	8	9
Portsmouth	0	0	0	1	2	10

Batteries—Bishop and Manners; Lipp and Westlake.

Next Monday is the day for the excursion to Norfolk. Leaves at six o'clock in the morning. Fare for round trip, \$2.50. Don't miss it! Seaboard Air Line.

NICHOLAS POLITZ.

His Sentence for Counterfeiting Commuted Yesterday by President McKinley.

EXPIRES NEXT THURSDAY.

Then He Will Have to Pay a Fine of \$500 or Remain in Prison Longer—The Original Sentence Was Six Years—At Nashville, Tenn.

Nicholas Politz, the Greek, who was convicted and sentenced to six years at hard labor in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$500 for counterfeiting, at the June term of the Federal Court at Wilmington in 1899, will be a free man after next Thursday, President McKinley having yesterday commuted his sentence, to expire as indicated above.

It is presumed that he has sufficient funds to meet the fine as imposed, but if not, there is a question as to whether or not he can take the insolvent oath before remaining in prison for a stipulated length of time after the expiration of his term.

The particulars of Politz's offense and the sensational trial which followed, are well known to STAR readers and a repetition here is unnecessary. It is believed that the President's action in commuting the sentence was based largely upon a very strong petition for executive clemency circulated and forwarded by Mrs. Politz a few months ago.

The following Associated Press telegram was received by the STAR last night:

WASHINGTON, June 6.—The President to-day commuted the sentence of Nicholas Politz, who was convicted in 1899 in North Carolina of counterfeiting and sentenced to serve a term of six years in prison. His sentence is commuted to expire June 18th, at which time he will have served two years.

Since the removal of the United States' prison from Raleigh about a year ago, Politz has been confined at Nashville, Tenn.

ESTIMATE OF THE COTTON ACREAGE.

Messrs. Latham, Alexander & Co., Make a Statement for the United States.

With the view of obtaining the most reliable information possible concerning the cotton acreage of the United States for 1901, Messrs. Latham, Alexander & Co., bankers and cotton commission merchants, New York, addressed 4,000 letters to banks, bankers, cotton commission merchants and responsible planters, embracing every cotton growing county in the South, asking acreage estimates.

Up to June 3rd they had secured 2,155 replies, of average date May 24th, and have made a statement which, in their opinion, is as approximately correct an estimate of the cotton acreage as could be secured by direct communication with parties competent to judge, residing in the Southern States.

Their view of the situation is expressed as follows:

"The total estimated increase of cotton acreage in the United States for 1901 is 9.08 per cent, or 2,161,957 acres more than last year, and the average planting of the crops about seventeen days later than last year.

"From all the States our correspondents report the crop late, due to the necessity for general replanting, which was slow in germinating.

"Altogether the crop has had an unpromising start, and there are general reports of irregular stands."

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Crampton and Miss Alice Powers, of Charlotte, are guests at the Seashore Hotel.

Miss Fannie Williams, of Fayetteville, returned home yesterday after a visit to friends in the city.

Messrs. N. A. Carter, of Raynham, and L. R. Hamer, of Fulmore, are in the city on business trips.

The Revs. J. N. Cole and Jno. H. Hall will arrive in time to occupy their pulpits as usual on Sunday.

Mr. W. B. Cooper returned yesterday from Trinity College, where he has been attending commencement.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Cook, and Mr. E. Nelson, of Fayetteville, are among the late arrivals at the Seashore Hotel.

Mr. P. N. Fick, Jr., has returned from Salisbury and has taken a position with Messrs. Chesnut & Barentine.

Mr. B. G. Worth yesterday received a cablegram from Mr. Geo. R. French stating that himself and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Christian had arrived all safe at Paris.

City Subscribers.

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.

On account of the annual convention of the Southern Industrial Association at Philadelphia, June 11th-14th the S. A. L. will sell round trip tickets to that point at one first class fare for the round trip; tickets on sale June 9th and 10th with final limit June 17th.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Election Notice.

In accordance with the laws of 1901 entitled an Act to Issue Bonds for Road Improvement in New Hanover County, an election will be held Tuesday, June 18th, 1901, and the question submitted as follows:

"Shall New Hanover County, North Carolina, issue fifty thousand dollars of its bonds, with interest coupons attached, to repair, make and improve the public roads in said county."

The ballots tendered and cast by the qualified electors shall have written or printed upon them "For good roads or against good roads."

All qualified electors who favor the issue of said bonds shall vote "for good roads." All qualified voters who are opposed to the issue of said bonds shall vote "against good roads."

An entire new registration is required for said election.

Registration books will be opened May 16th and remain open till June 7th inclusive, at the voting places in the regular election precincts as follows:

First Ward—1st Division—Polling place adjoining Mavronichols' store, on Fourth between Hanover and Brunswick streets. Registrar—F. T. Skipper. Poll holders—J. D. Doscher and Geo. Bland.

Second Ward—Polling place Old Court House. Registrar—A. J. Hill. Poll holders—R. W. Wallace, S. P. Collier.

Third Ward—Polling place near southwest corner Eighth and Princess streets. Registrar—A. G. Hankins. Poll holders—Walker Meares, Geo. P. Cotchett.

Fourth Ward—Polling place Woods' Ice house, on Dock between Front and Water streets. Registrar—J. W. Davis. Poll holders—T. G. Pickett, W. J. Bellamy.

Fifth Ward—1st Division—Polling place, Hook and Ladder House on Fifth near Castle street. Registrar—R. H. McKoy. Poll holders—J. M. Branch and Fred Grimm.

Fifth Ward—2nd Division—Polling place, Engine House, corner Sixth and Castle streets. Registrar—J. D. H. Klander. Poll holders—J. M. McGowan and H. A. DeCover.

Cape Fear Township—Polling place, Blossom's Store, at Castle Haynes. Registrar—R. W. Borden. Poll holders—C. H. Casteen and T. J. Seicher.

Seashore Township—Polling place, Township House, Registrar—D. J. Fergus. Poll holders—Chas. W. Bishop and Jno. G. Wagner.

Federal Point Township—Polling place, Cape's Store, Registrar—F. D. Coops. Poll holders—Jno. Keyes and Hill Williams.

Harnett Township—1st Division—Polling place, Delgado Store. Registrar—J. D. Woody. Poll holders—R. B. Moore and D. T. O'Brien.

Second Division—Polling place, Township House, near 7 mile post. Registrar—Garrett Walker. Poll holders—C. H. Alexander and Walter Parker. D. M. BACCHEN.

By order of Board County Commissioners. MAY 7 18 1901

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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"CIGARS."

We herewith put before the public the above brand of Cigar, a companion to our famous

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