

### Latest From Rowan.

The special term of the Rowan Circuit Court closed Thursday. There were no cases ready for trial, the case of Gooden charged with murder having been continued till next Thursday. The regular term of the court will begin next Monday, and it is thought that a number of cases will then be tried. The only conviction during the special term was that of Charles Coburn. He pleaded guilty to breaking the seal of a railroad car, and got two years in the penitentiary for it.

The grand jury dismissed the charges against Henry Ramey, who is accused of the murder of young Logan. This has created a great deal of ill-feeling among the Logan followers. They claim that the grand jury was a farce. They—the Martin-Logan faction—also claim that Hon. Asher Caruth was picked by Judge Cole, who sought thus to fix things against them. It is to be regretted that this feeling exists, because there is really no cause for it. In seeking Mr. Caruth, Judge Cole sought one who he knew had been fearless in prosecuting criminals of all kinds. A correspondent of the *Louis-Commercial*, in commenting on this state of feeling, says: "Any one who has been among these people might know that, no matter what turn affairs might take, there would be charges of fixing the jury and unfairness. Judge Cole, Major McKee, P. W. Pardin, the Attorney General, and at last Ash Caruth, have been charged with favoritism. The people have been so long divided into factions that a fair, impartial man is beyond their comprehension."

The above undoubtedly portrays the condition affairs are in. No matter which faction is worsted in the prosecutions, charges of favoritism will be heard against the court.

The grand jury has returned two indictments against Howard Logan for carrying concealed weapons, and one for shooting and wounding Henry Ramey with intent to kill. They also indicted Cook Humphrey for shooting at without wounding. Both of the accused were arrested and have given bail. All the leaders are now under bond, and it is to be hoped the regular term will do some good work. Mr. Caruth will return next week, and continue to act as special Commonwealth's Attorney.