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Hempstead, Tex., Aug. 8.—The criminal docket was taken up this morning and all cases excepting jail birds continued till next term of court. This was rendered necessary on account of the close quarters in the temporary courthouse, which rendered the building a regular sweat-box.

A motion for a change of venue by the state in the case of Boulware, Wood and two others indicted for murder will be made by the district attorney when the court opens to-morrow morning.

The case of W. B. Moore, convicted of forgery at the last term, will be taken up also to-morrow. He will ask for a new trial.

The Masonic lodge organized here some time ago is prospering. At its July meeting several candidates received the first degree, and the next, on August 25, will be equally busy with general work and giving degrees. Messrs. Haubert and Gladish, masters of Brenham and Field's store lodges, were present at the last meeting, and rendered valuable assistance.